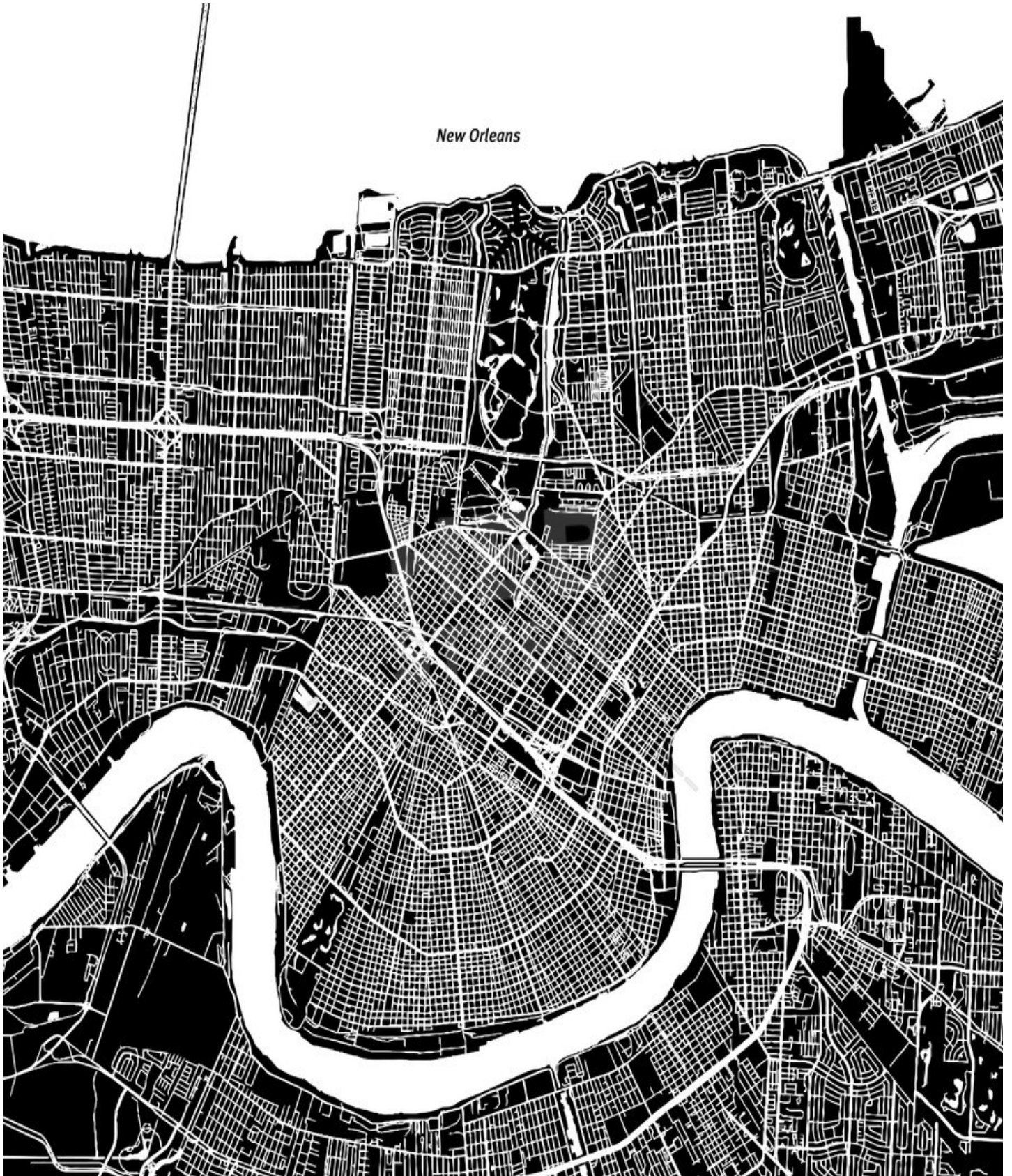


SEPTEMBER 2022

New Orleans



AA Central Office
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504-836-0507
office@aaneworleans.org
Monday - Friday 11am to 5pm
Saturdays 10am - 2pm

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WEBSITE WWW.AANEWORLEANS.ORG
EMAIL OFFICE@AANEWORLEANS.ORG
CENTRAL OFFICE VOICEMAIL 504-836-0507

RECOVERY — STEP 9

Made direct amends to such people wherever possible, except when to do so would injure them or others.

UNITY — TRADITION 9

A.A., as such, ought never be organized; but we may create service boards or committees directly responsible to those they serve.

SERVICE—CONCEPT 9

Good service leadership at all levels is indispensable for our future functioning and safety. Primary world service leadership, once exercised by the founders, must necessarily be assumed by the trustees.

Highlights from the Greater New Orleans Service Board Meeting
August 29, 2022, 6:30pm at Central Office
Next Meeting: September 27th, 2022, 6:30pm
Held at Central Office, 638 Papworth Ave. Metairie 70005
Questions? Comments? How can we help your group or district?
Email Us: gnoserviceboard@gmail.com

- **Call to order at 6:30pm by Jack W.**
- **Prayer and welcomed all to GNOSB**
- **Approval of July 2022 minutes**
- **Service Board Chair Jack W.'s report:**
 - **Announced that Service Board is not on zoom just in person**
 - **Will talk to Anthony A. regarding Ad Hoc Committee regarding DCM voting & changes to service board by laws**
- **Service Board Vice Chair Clint's report:**
 - **Attended Area 27 August Assembly**
 - **Attended trustee meeting**
 - **Attended Daay in the Park meeting**
- **Service Board Treasurer Ray Y's report:**
 - **Talked about AA structure and inverted triangle**
 - **Explained July's financials**
- **Central Office Ken T.'s report:**
 - **All AA Conference Approved books & pamphlets, recovery readings, specialty chips, book covers and more**
 - **BIG DEEP SOUTH T SHIRT SALE WHILE THEY LAST**
 - **2022 NEW BLUE T SHIRT AND 2 COFFEE CUPS \$10**
 - **ALL PURPLE T SHIRTS AND A COFFEE CUP \$5**
 - **ALL PURPLE TUMBLERS \$5**
 - **We serve 7 Districts with 574 Meetings...members please check the website listings for accuracy. Changes? Call 504-836-0507 or email office@aaneworleans.org**
 - **Central Office need's part time workers and volunteers to help with the phones and merchandise. If you can do a few hours of weekly service, we want to talk to you!**
- **Deep South Convention Chair Anna Laura N.'s report:**
 - **Announced Co Chair Westly W.**
 - **Invited everyone to attend Big Deep South 2023 Planning, 6pm 1st Wednesdays monthly, Central Office, 638 Papworth Ave., Metairie 70005**
- **GNOSB T&C Chair Jeff J.'s report:**
 - **All welcome to attend monthly T & C meeting 2nd 6:30pm Wednesdays Central Office**
- **Chair Jack W. Motion for service board to purchase a PA system (passed)**
- **Chair Jack W. closed the meeting with the Serenity Prayer 7:10pm**

JULY 2022 GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS

GROUPS

BREAKFAST AT BUCKTOWN	\$50
DISTRICT 12	\$60
ELMEER PLACE GROUP	\$23
GNOSB T & C	\$9
HI & DRY	\$50
INTO ACTION	\$130
NEW ORLEANS 12&12	\$70
RAISE THE BOTTOM	\$100
RIGHT TRACK	\$351
ST.JUDE GROUP	\$10
SUNRISE SOLUTIONS	\$25
THERE IS A SOLUTION	\$50
UPTOWN MEN'S GROUP	\$700
WE AGNOSTICS	\$200



July 2022 Contributions

Member Contributions.....\$851

Group Contributions.....\$1,827

Central Office Backers.....\$125

Sample Distribution Split Plan to A.A. Service Entities

50% to Central Office

10% to District

10% to Area

30% to G.S.O.

Taken from the FREE GSO Pamphlet

“Self-Support: Where Money and Spirituality” Mix”



**THE NOON
MEETING GROUP**

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SPEAK 'N' EAT **SATURDAY**

September 24, 2021

At Journey Christian Church

3828 Leila Place Jefferson, LA

Enter at 525 Julius Ave.

Jefferson, LA - Off Jefferson Hwy.

Between Causeway & Clearview

DOORS OPEN AT 12:00 P.M.

***FRIED CHICKEN
RED BEANS***

***Will be supplied by the Group
Please bring a dish or dessert***

**-WE'RE HERE
7 DAYS A WEEK-
MONDAY - FRIDAY
12:00 NOON
SATURDAY & SUNDAY
1:00 P.M.**

1:00 P.M.
SPEAKER MEETING
WITH OUR GUEST SPEAKER

**Kerri D.
Kenner Group**

***HAPPY
joyous
FREE***

******WITH THE NEW CHARITY RAFFLE******

**50/50
1/2 OF
THE POT**

**BIG
BOOK** 
1ST EDITION REPRINT

SEPTEMBER 2022 BIRTHDAYS

UPTOWN MEN'S GROUP

Ed B.	09/26/85	27
Murray C.	09/01/02	20
Jay F.	09/29/03	19
Michael B.	09/24/04	18
Lee S.	09/11/10	12
Edwin J.	09/19/12	10
Len A.	09/18/16	6
Jordan K.	09/24/21	1
Drew C.	09/26/21	1

GENTILLY AWARENESS

Bill B.	09/01/95	27
*Scott Q.	08/0/06	16

SUNDAY NIGHT HUGGERS

Mike M.	09/08/91	31
Rachel D.	09/29/08	14

KENNER GROUP

Clark M	09/07/87	35
Mickey D	09/06/89	33
UJ M	09/18/06	16
William C	09/03/17	5
Chuck C	9/2/2020	2
Tony V	09/27/20	2

ROUNDTABLE

Marion V.	09/02/82	40
Jay R.	09/05/01	21
Shanti P.	09/07/11	11
Jay D.	09/07/19	3

449

Ricardo P.	09/01/19	3
Gina S.	09/08/21	1

LACOMBE GROUP

Kevin R.	09/28/11	11
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ST JOHN NOON GROUP

Peter M.	09/11/92	30
Joan S.	9/3/01	21
Doug L.	09/15/01	21
Earl M.	9/22/11	11

THREE LEGACIES

Sean H.	09/08/04	18
Erica	09/28/14	8
Juliun C.	09/19/19	3

IN THE VINEYARD

Rick K	09/01/92	30
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THERE IS A SOLUTION

Holly M.	09/18/06	16
Jacie G.	09/14/21	1

*DENOTES PAST DATES

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

DISTRICTS 19/21/23 ACCESSIBILITIES
Meets 7pm 3rd Tuesday monthly on Zoom
Zoom Meeting ID: 879 5675 0682
Password: service
All Members Welcomed to Attend

AA TRIVIA QUIZ

1. Are AA meetings held on big holidays like Christmas, New Year's Day and Mardi Gras?
2. If you went to one meeting a day between today and a year from now, how many meetings would you go to?
3. When does it work?
4. Fill in the blank. "Don't leave before the _____ happens."

(Answers Page 11)

SERVICE BOARD

TREATMENT & CORRECTIONS COMMITTEE. ALL MEMBERS,
GROUPS AND DISTRICTS WELCOME

Meets 2nd Wednesday monthly, 6:30 PM, Central Office,
638 Papworth Ave., Metairie, LA 70005

Support AA as a Central Office Backer and keep the lights on at AA. We take Credit Card over the phone, Venmo @ GNOSB AANOLA, PayPal on www.aaneworleans.org or gladly send you a form for the \$25 contribution. Help us help those in need.

A Walk Through "Early" AA History
"Slideshow Presentation"

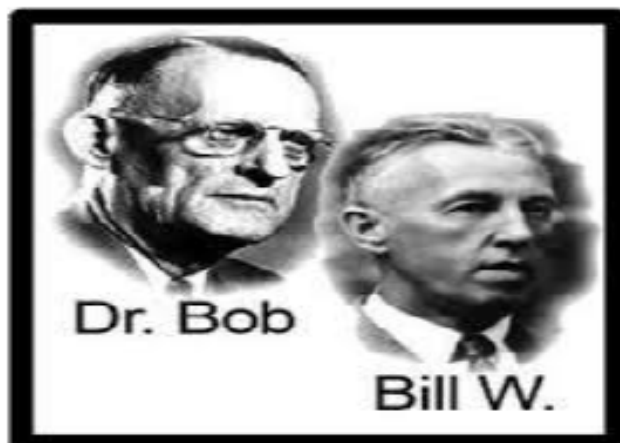
Kerri D.

"Kenner Group"

Date: October 15, 2022 (Saturday)

Eat @ 11:00 am

Speak @ 12:00 pm



**St. Christopher's Church
3945 Derbigny Street
Metairie, La 70001**

50/50 Raffle & Potluck

****Please bring a dish or dessert to share & a friend****



Celebration of Life
For
MARY RAYMOND

August 3, 1937 – June 23, 2022

Home Group

Lunch Bunch

Metairie, LA

Sobriety May 7, 1980 – June 23, 2022



Please come join us as we celebrate the life
of

Mary Raymond

On

Saturday, September 10th, 2022

Noon – 3 P.M.

All Saints Episcopal Church

Morris Hall

100 Rex Dr.

For more information, please contact:

Tara C. - (504) 452-0480

Fellowship



Bring a dish to share!



SE REGIONAL FORUM

DECEMBER 2-4, 2022



**AREA 27
NEW ORLEANS, LA
HILTON NEW ORLEANS AIRPORT
901 AIRLINE DR, KENNER 70062**

To reserve call 1-800-HILTONS & use group code: AAWS

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HAAPPY HOUR END OF SUMMER BBQ!!!!!!!



Saturday, September 10th, 10-4pm
Come join us for family fun,
fellowship and food.
(Bounce house provided for the kids)
-BYOC- Bring your own chairs.



Lafreniere Park
Shelter 8
(Near the Carousel)

ANSWERS TO TRIVIA QUIZ from page 7

- 1) Absolutely
- 2) 365
- 3) If you work it!
- 4) The miracle happens.

Serenity on the Bayou



"4th Step" Workshop

"Active Group of District 12 on the Northshore"

Open to All

Saturday October 15 Following the Noon meeting.

1p.m.-3.p.m

36445 Old Bayou Liberty Rd

Slidell, LA 70460



AA District 12 on Facebook

Additional info contact
andrewpear6@gmail.com

district12.org

THE 42nd ANNUAL BAYOULAND JAMBOREE of Alcoholics Anonymous November 11-12, 2022

Houma Municipal Auditorium 880 Verret Street Houma, LA 70360

*A Smoke Free
Environment!
No 6-pack or Vegas*

Chairman, Tommy S.

MAKE HOTEL RESERVATIONS
DIRECTLY: BY CALLING
HOWARD JOHNSON
105 Lamar Street
(985) 872-2627



*COME
PASS-U-A-GOOD
TIME
HERE IN HOUMA*

All Room Prices: \$129.00

WEBSITE: Info

www.thebayoulandjamboree.org

Sharing the Miracle of "SOBIETY"

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2022 (Hospitality OPENS @ 3 pm - 7:30 pm)

- 2:00 P.M. REGISTRATION OPENS
- 4:00 P.M. OPEN (AA & ALANON) Kick-Off Meeting
- 6:00 P.M. DINNER / FELLOWSHIP
- 8:00 P.M. AA SPEAKER: Pam R., Baton Rouge, LA

*Hospitality Room
Sweets & Snacks*

*50/50
and
Raffle*

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2022 (Hospitality OPENS @ 7 am - 7:30 pm)

- 10:00 A.M. - 11:30 A.M. WORKSHOP on Sponsorship
- NOON LUNCH / FELLOWSHIP
- 2:00 P.M. ALANON SPEAKER: Ellen C., Dallas, TX
- 4:00 P.M. AA SPEAKER: Gil B., Ruston, LA
- 5:30 P.M. DINNER / FELLOWSHIP
- 8:00 P.M. AA SPEAKER: John A., Arlington, TX

TAPING BY
PERMISSION OF
COMMITTEE ONLY!

"REGISTRATION BADGES
REQUIRED AT ALL FUNCTIONS
DURING CONVENTION"

PRE-REGISTRATION: AA & ALANON (\$20.00) Postmarked by Nov. 1, 2022

At the Door: AA & ALANON (\$25.00) - ALATEEN (\$5.00)

All registrations postmarked by Nov. 1st are eligible for 1 chance on a complete set of CD's (1 Individual Winner)

RETURN BELOW REGISTRATION TO: BAYOULAND JAMBOREE - P.O. BOX 2251, HOUMA, LA 70361

CONTACT: Tommy S. (225) 456-6710 * Yogi N. (985) 232-6789 * Kenny V. (985) 855-5681 * Trevor B. (985) 498-0602

42nd ANNUAL BAYOULAND JAMBOREE - NOVEMBER 11-12, 2022

Name: _____ AA
 Address: _____ Al-Anon
 Phone: _____ Alateen
 Email: _____

Pre-Registration.....	\$ 20
Alateen.....	\$ 5
At the Door.....	\$ 25
Amount Enclosed.....	\$ _____

If you wish to be on the Bayouland Jamboree mailing list, please check here _____

SEPTEMBER AND UPCOMING AA EVENTS

- ICYPAA, International Conference of Young People in AA, Sept 1st to 4th at the Hyatt Hotel downtown New Orleans
- Big Deep South 2023 Planning Committee, 6pm, Sept 7th, Central Office, 638 Papworth Ave Metairie 70005
- Haapy Hour End of the Summer BBQ, 10am-4pm, Sept 10th, Lafreniere Park Shelter 8 (near the carousel), Fellowship, Food, Bounce House, Bring your own chairs
- Lunch Bunch, Celebration of Life for Mary Raymond, 12pm-3pm, Sept 10th, All Saints Episcopal Church, 100 Rex Dr., Bring a dish to share
- Daay in the Park Planning Committee, 6pm, Sept 22nd, Central Office, 638 Papworth Ave., Met 70005
- Noon Meeting Group Speak N Eat, 12noon, Sept 24th, Journey Christian Church, 525 Julius Ave., Jefferson, LA 70121, Speaker Kerri D., of Kenner Group, Food & Fellowship, 50/50, raffle and more
- Next Service Board Meeting, 6:30pm, Tuesday Sept 27th, Central Office, 638 Papworth Ave., Metairie 70005
- Serenity on the Bayou 4th Step Workshop, 1pm-3pm, Oct 15th, 36445 Old Bayou Liberty Road, Slidell, LA 70460, following the noon meeting Welcome All, contact andrewpear6@gmail.com
- A Walk Through AA Early History Slideshow, 11am, Oct 15th, St. Christopher's Church, 3945 Derbigny St. Metairie 70001, 11am Eat, 12pm Speaker Kerri D. of Kenner Group, 50/50
- Spooky Daay in the Park, 10am-3pm, Saturday, Oct 29th, Bucktown Harbor Marina Shelter, Bring Your Family, Free Food and DRINK for ALL. Costume contests, kite flying, horseshoes Championship, volleyball, trick or treats, pinata and bounce house for children, candy, 50/50 and much more

Many THANKS to the Central Office Volunteer Staff!!!

Pat B., Laura Lee, Scott L., Kenneth S., Hank C., Jim R., Colyn N.,
Charlotte A., Elissa M., Rob B. *Volunteers and Part Timers Needed*

STORY SOLICITATION BY GSO OF AA

Fifth edition of the book Alcoholics Anonymous-Big Book "The first 164 pages of the Big Book, Alcoholics Anonymous, the Preface, The Forewards, The Doctor's Opinion, Dr. Bob's Nightmare, and the Appendices remain as is.

Deadline for submission: October 31, 2022, 5bbstory@aa.org

"A.A. for the Black and African American Alcoholic"
Pamphlet Update

Stories from African American, Canadian, Caribbean A.A. Members from the English, French, and Spanish-speaking Black communities. Deadline for submission: October 31, 2022
pamphletstories@aa.org

No matter how unreasonable others may seem, I am responsible for not reacting negatively. Regardless of what is happening around me I will always have the prerogative, and the responsibility, of choosing what happens within me. I am the creator of my own reality. When I [review my day], I know that I must stop judging others. If I judge others, I am probably judging myself. Whoever is upsetting me most is my best teacher. I have much to learn from him or her, and in my hearts, I should thank that person.

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**Greater New Orleans Service Board
Invites you, your family & your home
group to kick off Halloween for a spooky
time at**

DAAY in the Park 2022

Saturday, October 29th

10:30am-3pm

Bucktown Harbor Marina

(across from R & O's Restaurant)

Set up 8am - 10am

FREE!!! FOOD!!! DRINKS!!!

**Please bring your lawn chairs, family and come out to
join us for a day of Food, fun and fellowship!**

Join the Fun and it's all Free, Free, Free

*Children games include Halloween Pinata, trick or treats, kites,
jump house, children's costume contest, children will trick/treat at
home group tables so home groups dress up your spot for 1st place
prize!*

50/50 Raffle, Grapevine subscription give away

Wear your best costume as best costume winners win



Tradition 9 Checklist

Tradition Nine: AA, as such, ought never be organized; but we may create service boards or committees directly responsible to those they serve.

- 1. Do I still try to boss things in AA?**
- 2. Do I resist formal aspects of AA because I fear them as authoritative?**
- 3. Am I mature enough to understand and use all elements of the AA program—even if no one makes me do so—with a sense of personal responsibility?**
- 4. Do I exercise patience and humility in any AA job I take?**
- 5. Am I aware of all those to whom I am responsible in any AA job?**
- 6. Why doesn't every AA group need a constitution and bylaws?**
- 7. Have I learned to step out of an AA job gracefully—and profit thereby—when the time comes?**
- 8. What has rotation to do with anonymity? With humility?**

DISTRICT CORNER

District 12

Meets 8pm, 2nd Tuesday monthly,
American Legion Hall (Post 16), 2031 Ronald
Reagan Hwy., Covington, LA 70433
Mailing address:
P.O.Box 580, Mandeville, LA 70470
www.District12.org

SELA Spring Roundup Committee

Meets 2nd Tuesday monthly, 7pm
American Legion Hall (Post 16), 2031 Ronald
Reagan Hwy., Covington, LA 70433
www.springroundupla.com

District 17

Meets 2nd Saturday monthly, 11:15am, Easy
Does It Club, 111 Munsen Dr. Houma, LA 70360
District 17 website www.bayouaa.org

District 18

Meets 2nd Tuesday monthly, 6pm , Zoom
Meeting ID: 895 4364 6771 Password: service
1500 Lafayette St., Gretna, LA 70053
Mailing address:
P.O.Box 2493. Gretna, LA 70054

District 19

Meets 4th Tuesday monthly, 6:30pm,
Unity Church 3303 Richland Ave., Metairie, 70002
Behind Parran's Po Boys on Veterans Blvd.
Mailing address:
P.O.Box 6391 Metairie, LA 70009-6391

District 19 PI/CPC

Meets 3rd Monday monthly, 6:30pm, Central
Office, 638 Papworth Ave., Metairie, LA 70005
Contact: Janet H. 337-342-8508

District 19 Accessibilities

Meets 3rd Tuesday monthly 7pm Zoom Meeting
ID: 879 5675 0682 Password: service
Contact Buddy B. 504-400-0320

District 19 T&C

Meets 3rd Wednesday monthly, 6:00pm, Zoom
Meeting ID: 570 436 5416 Password: DIST19
Contact: John W. 435-817-0280

District 19 Grapevine Committee

Meets 1st Monday monthly, 6:30pm, zoom,
Meeting ID: 570 436 5416 Password: DIST19

District 20

Meets 2nd Thursday monthly, 6:30pm
St. George's Episcopal, 4600 St. Charles Ave.,
NOLA 70115 Zoom Meeting ID: 861 1998 7125
Password: district20 Mailing Address:
3624 Baudin St., NOLA 70119

District 20 T & C

Meets 3rd Wednesday monthly, 6:00pm, Zoom
Meeting ID: 570 436 5416 Password: DIST19
Contact: Nick H. 504-756-6479

Districts 20/21/23 PI/CPC

Meets 3rd Thursday monthly 7:30pm,
Zoom Meeting ID: 872 3110 1416
Passcode: 184342

Districts 21 & 23 & T&C

Meets 2nd Monday monthly, 7pm,
Zoom Meeting ID: 837 2179 6523 PW: 664254
Venmo@DistrictTwentyOne-TwentyThree

Districts 21/23 Accessibilities

Meets 7pm 3rd Tuesday Monthly
Zoom Meeting ID: 879 5675 0682 PW: service
Contact: Nicole B 804-297-8185

District 24

PARA INFORMACION EN ESPANOL LLAMAR AL
504-444-2677

Central Office Backer Heros

Carolyn L. (New Backer)

Cindy L. (Renewal)

Cindi W. (New Backer)

Courtney R. (Renewal)

David W. (Renewal)

Dominic S. (Renewal)

Dudley M. (Renewal)

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James K. (Renewal)

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John F. (Renewal)

Juanita M. (Renewal)

Kevin Z. (Renewal)

Lani B. (New Backer)

Laura Lee (Renewal)

Layton M. (Renewal)

Lori H. (Renewal)

Michael Mc (Renewal)

Mitch M. (Renewal)

Rene D. (Renewal)

Richard W. (Renewal)

Ryan C. (Renewal)

Scott K. (New Backer)

Tom W. (Renewal)

Victoria B. (Renewal)

**Return Requested
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