Central Service Committee • Districts 1 & 2 • Area 82 • AUGUST 2016

Each Group has but one primary purpose – to carry its message to the alcoholic who still suffers. "Our Spiritual Way of Life: Steps, Traditions and Concepts", 2016 General Service Conference Theme.

CARRYING THE MESSAGE

TELEPHONE SERVICE		ADDICTION SERVICE		FORENSICS SERVICE
St. Margaret's Bay	Aug. 6, 7, 8	Second Chance	August 4	Team 1 – Aug. 5
Timberlea	Aug. 13, 14, 15	Fresh Start	August 7	Team 2 – Aug. 12
Four Seasons	Aug. 20, 21, 22	St. Margaret's Bay	August 11	Team 3 – Aug. 19
Fresh Start	Aug. 27, 28, 29	Living in the Solution	August 14	Team 4 – Aug. 26
Live for Today	Sep. 3, 4, 5	Welcome	August 18	Team 5 – Sept. 2
Welcome Group	Sep. 10, 11, 12	Colby Village Big Book	August 21	Team 1 – Sept. 9
Cole Harbour	Sep. 17, 18, 19	Keep It Simple	August 25	Team 2 – Sept. 16
Downtown Dartmouth	Sep. 24, 25, 26	Highland Park	August 28	Team 3 – Sept. 23
Acceptance	Oct. 1, 2, 3	Downtown Halifax	Sept. 1	Team 4 – Sept. 30
		Hubbards	Sept. 4	
Call Leah C. to arrange c 902-877- 0573	ell phone	Call Darren S. if needed, 902-830-5700		Call Bruce B. if needed 902-489-1504

SERVICE CALENDAR FOR DISTRICTS 1 & 2			
Central Service Meeting	St. Mark's Church	Tuesday, August 2, 2016	
Districts 1 & 2 NEW LOCATION	5522 Russell St. Halifax	7:00 p.m.	
GSR Meeting District 2	3 Dundas St. Dartmouth	Sunday, August 21, 2016	
		2:00 p.m.	
GSR Meeting District 1	George Dixon Centre Halifax	Sunday, August 28, 2016	
		1:00 p.m.	
Central Service Meeting	St. Mark's Church	Tuesday September 6, 2016	
Districts 1 & 2	5522 Russell St. Halifax	7:00 p.m.	

DISTRICTS 1 & 2 WORKSHOP SCHEDULE		
A.A. Groups: Coordinating Between Groups & The Still-Suffering Alcoholic Opportunities to explore	Club 24, 3 Dundas Street, Dartmouth	Sunday, Sept. 11th, 2016 1:00 pm
The AA Group: Where it all begins	Club 24, 3 Dundas Street, Dartmouth	Sunday, November 13th, 2016 1:00 PM

BOOK OF THE MONTH: "Language of the Heart" – GV06

Here in one volume are all of Bill's 170 Grapevine articles including: his first thoughts about the Traditions; his battles with chronic depression and spiritual pride; memories of an all-night Drinking-spree with Ebby, and a vivid description of how he came to organize the Steps.

AUGUST BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS				
AUG 8	MONDAY	COLBY VILLAGE BIG BOOK STUDY	TERRANCE C (24)	
AUG 14	SUNDAY	HARBOURS	GREG G. (27)	
AUG 17	WEDNESDAY	TALLAHASSEE	CAP M. (32)	
AUG 17	WEDNESDAY	BACK TO BASICS	DIANE S. (1)	
AUG 18	THURSDAY	WEST END STEP	JULIE D. (3) CRAIG R. (5)	
AUG 25	THURSDAY	HIGHLAND PARK	JOHN M. (16)	
AUG 25	THURSDAY	FOUR SEASONS	DAN S. (1) NANCY K. (2) ARNOLD B. (6) JOE MAC (6) JAMIE Q. (6) VELMA C. (7) AGNES C. (33)	
AUG 27	SATURDAY	LIVE FOR TODAY	MIKE M. (2) HAMISH (3) ARCHIE M. (14) ROY S. (39)	
AUG 27	SATURDAY	SECOND CHANCE	MURDOCH G. (4)	
AUG 27	SATURDAY	ATLANTIC	ANDREA F. (1)	
AUG 28	SUNDAY	ST. MARGARET'S BAY	KEN G. (3)	
AUG 29	MONDAY	TIMBERLEA	JOHN Mc. (10)	
AUG 30	TUESDAY	SUNRISE	ALAN M. (15) JOE G. (40)	
AUG 31	WEDNESDAY	FRESH START	ANNE M. (40) PAT M. (42)	
AUG 31	WEDNESDAY	CIRCLE OF SISTERS	NATALIE C. (3)	
SEPT 3	SATURDAY	ST. MARGARET'S BAY	DAVE C. (2) MARY LYN S. (7)	
SEPT 4	SUNDAY	COLBY VILLAGE BIG BOOK STUDY	AMBROSE M. (1) PEGGY A. (3) GLENDA K. (9)	
SEPT 19	MONDAY	LIVING IN THE SOLUTION	SUE C. (5) MIKE C. (43)	

COMMITTEE NOTICES		
TREATMENT COMMITTEE	Contact: Christine M. 902-456-9542 (please text)	1) Volunteers for Marguerite Center 1st Wednesday of
	(Contact: Bruce B. 902-489-1504)	month. 2) Volunteers for Forensics
MID-WINTER ROUND UP COMMITTEE	Aug 7 th 1:00 pm Club 24 3 Dundas St, Dartmouth	Opening for Co-Chair Entertainment Committee
AREA 82 ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE	Many positions need to be filled. If you would like to support this event, please join the committee.	Please contact Samaira At <u>902-476-3057</u>

MEETING NOTICES		
LADIES BOOK STUDY (NEW MEETING) (5)	ST JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH HALL	SUNDAY – 7:00PM
	26 PURCELL'S COVE ROAD, HFX.	
ACCEPTANCE GROUP	LAST DAY AT PRESENT LOCATION	GYM: BEGINNER STEPS 1 – 3
	AUGUST 31	MAIN ROOM: STEPS 4 – 12
		(NO CHANGE WED. NIGHT)
WOMAN TO WOMAN	30 TH ANNIVERSARY – ALL WELCOME	REGULAR MEETINGS FRIDAYS AT
	FRIDAY, SEPT 30 TH	7:30, BETHANY UNITED CHURCH,
		HALIFAX
BEDFORD	NOW TUESDAY, NOT FRIDAY	SUNDAY MEETING,
CHANGES OF DAY & TIMES	NEW TIME: 8:00PM	NEW TIME: 7:30PM

28TH ANNUAL COURAGE ROUND UP

AUGUST 5, 6, 7, 2016 • FOR LBGT & ALL IN RECOVERY UNIVERSALIST UNITARIAN CHURCH • 5500 INGLIS ST., HALIFAX REGISTRATION: \$25. INCLUDES SATURDAY LUNCH

CENTRAL SERVICE COMMITTEE - ELECTIONS - SEPT 6, 2016

NOMINATIONS FOR:

EXECUTIVE: CHAIR, CO-CHAIR, TREASURER & SECRETARY

TERM: JANUARY 1, 2017 TO DECEMBER 31, 2017

SUB-COMMITTEES CHAIRS & CO-CHAIRS: BLUENOSE BULLETIN, ENTERTAINMENT, HELP E-MAIL,

HOSPITAL VISITATION, LITERATURE, TELEPHONE & WEBMASTER

TERM: JANUARY 1, 2017 TO DECEMBER 31, 2018 FOR ELECTION PROCEDURES AND POSITION DUTIES:

SEE C.S. GUIDELINES (aahalifax.org)

8TH ANNUAL BEDFORD – SACKVILLE A.A. DAY

SATURDAY, SEPT. 17, 12PM ONWARD, REG. \$8.00
45 CONNOLLY ROAD, LOWER SACKVILLE
MEETINGS – SPEAKERS – WORKSHOPS - HAM DINNER – DANCE - MUSIC JAM

AREA 82 GENERAL ASSEMBLY

"OUR SPIRITUAL WAY OF LIFE: STEPS, TRADITIONS AND CONCEPTS" OCTOBER 7, 8, 9, 2016 • 110 WYSE ROAD DARTMOUTH NS • B3A 1M2

CENTRAL SERVICE COMMITTEE WEB SITE: aahalifax.org For the widest information on AA in our region (Events, meeting list, minutes, guidelines, contacts etc.) browse our WEB Site. For on-line help with problems with alcohol (I Need Help), top left hand of Home Page. On-line subscriptions to this Newsletter sign up - right hand of Home page.

NEWSLETTER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Announcements for Bluenose Bulletin must be received by the 25th of the month. Contact: newsletter.aahalifax@gmail.com or call Bill P. (902)-219-2140—specify group and date.