Central Service Committee • Districts 1 & 2 • Area 82 • FEBRUARY 2017

Each Group has but one primary purpose – to carry its message to the alcoholic who still suffers. "Supporting our Future" - 2017 General Service Conference Theme.

CARRYING THE MESSAGE

TELEPHONE SERVICE		ADDICTION SERVICE		FORENSICS SERVICE
Downtown Dartmouth	Feb. 4, 5, 6	Colby Village	February 2	Team 1 - February 3
Acceptance	Feb. 11, 12, 13	Highland Park	February 5	Team 2 - February 10
Early Risers	Feb. 18, 19, 20	Keep it simple	February 9	Team 3 - February 17
Keep It Simple	Feb. 25, 26, 27	Hubbards Group	February 12	Team 4 - February 24
Sunrise Group	Mar. 4, 5, 6	Downtown Halifax	February 16	Team 5 - March 3
West End Step	Mar. 11, 12, 13	Acceptance	February 19	Team 1 - March 10
Back to Basics	Mar. 18, 19, 20	Live for today	February 23	Team 2 - March 17
Only Requirement	Mar. 25, 26, 27	Sunrise	February 26	Team 3 - March 24
Highland Park	Apr. 1, 2, 3	Grateful	March 2	Team 4 - March 31
Call 902-717-3707 or Email He at: phones.aahalifax@gmail.co to arrange cell phone		Call 902-999-2753 or Email T needed at: treatment.aahalifax@gmail.		Call 902-999-2753 or Email Tina M. if needed at: treatment.aahalifax@gmail.com

SERVICE CALENDAR FOR DISTRICTS 1 & 2		
Central Service Meeting	St. Mark's Church	Tuesday February 7, 2017
Districts 1 & 2	5522 Russell St. Halifax	7:00 PM
GSR Meeting District 2	3 Dundas St. Dartmouth	Sunday, February 19, 2017
		2:00 PM
GSR Meeting District 1	George Dixon Centre Halifax	Sunday, February 26, 2017
		1:00 PM
Central Service Meeting	St. Mark's Church	Tuesday March 7, 2017
Districts 1 & 2	5522 Russell St. Halifax	7:00 PM

DISTRICTS 1 & 2 WORKSHOP SCHEDULE		
A: Chairing meetings at Group level	Club 24, 3 Dundas Street,	Sunday, February 12th, 2017
B: Group Inventory, how to do them	Dartmouth	1:00 PM

2017 COMMITTEE CONTACTS		
Central Service Chair	Paul B.	chair.aahalifax@gmail.com
Central Service Co-Chair	Bill P.	cochair.aahalifax3@gmail.com
District 1 DCM	Samaira G.	dcm1.aahalifax@gmail.com
District 1 Alt. DCM	Racquel R.	dcm1.aahalifax@gmail.com
District 2 DCM	Cathy M.	dcm2.aahalifax@gmail.com
District 2 Alt. DCM	Rod M.	dcm2.aahalifax@gmail.com

FEBRUA	RY BIRTHDAY CELEB	RATIONS	
FEB 1	WEDNESDAY	BACK TO BASICS	MICHAEL B. (1) DENNIS K. (16)
FEB 6	MONDAY	COLBY VILLAGE BIG BOOK STUDY	MICHAEL M. (5) MARY L. (10) AL MAC. (36)
FEB 13	MONDAY	LIVING IN THE SOLUTION	MARIA R. (29)
FEB 15	WEDNESDAY	BACK TO BASICS	PAUL B. (1)
FEB 17	FRIDAY	HALIFAX YOUNG PEOPLES	PETER C. (18)
FEB 17	FRIDAY	FALL RIVER	CYRIL C. (2)
FEB 17	FRIDAY	KEEP IT SIMPLE	ROB A. (3) SHARON W (4) DANNY M (26)
FEB 18	SATURDAY	LOST AND FOUND	KATHY G. (28)
FEB 23	THURSDAY	EARLY RISERS	GIG M. (17)
FEB 23	THURSDAY	HUBBARDS	BARB M. (34) KEN M. (34)
FEB 23	THURSDAY	FOUR SEASONS	SHIRLEY H. (4)
FEB 25	SATURDAY	LIVE FOR TODAY	KAREN M. (8) VIC S. (29)
FEB 25	SATURDAY	WELCOME	SINEAD. (2)
FEB 27	MONDAY	TIMBERLEA	DON W. (2) GORDON H. (19)
FEB 27	MONDAY	GRATEFUL	JOE P. (9)
FEB 27	MONDAY	DOWNTOWN DARTMOUTH	FREDDIE L.W. (1) LEFTY H. (46)
FEB 28	TUESDAY	HIGHLAND PARK	ЈОНИ Н. (3)
FEB 28	TUESDAY	PORTERS LAKE	JOSEPH 'JOE' M. (44)
MAR 2	THURSDAY	HIGHLAND PARK	RICK H. (36)
MAR 5	SUNDAY	COLE HARBOUR	WANDA M. (1) DAVE D. (19) MIKE H. (27) SANDY B. (27) MARILYN M (41)
MAR 6	MONDAY	COLBY VILLAGE BIG BOOK STUDY	SANDY D. (7) CHRIS M. (15) DAVE H. (15) TIM D. (16)

COMMITTEE NOTICES		
CORRECTIONS COMMITTEE	Contact: TOM P. at 902-430-3396, KELLY D. at 902-579-3767 or email	1) Female volunteers needed, must have two years' sobriety and
	corrections.aahalifax@gmail.com	criminal record check.
PUBLIC INFORMATION COMMITTEE DISTRICT 1 & 2	Seeking new members from the Halifax/Dartmouth area.	Contact: Bill P. 902-219-2140 or email publicinformation.aahalifax@gmail.com
2018 MID WINTER ROUND UP	The central service committee is seeking a new chairperson for the 2018 mid winter roundup	Attend the February Central Service meeting if interested
CO CHAIRS REQUIRED	Newsletter, Literature, Entertainment, Hospital Visitation, Phones, PI, and Email Coordinator	Please come to Central Service meeting if interested
TREATMENT COMMITTEE	CO- CHAIR NEEDED.	IF INTERESTED PLEASE ATTEND UPCOMING DISTRICT 1 OR 2 MEETING OR CONTACT TINA M. AT 902-999-2753

FEBRUARY THEMES

STEP 2 - Came to believe that a Power greater than ourselves could restore us to sanity **TRADITION 2 -** For our group purpose there is but one ultimate authority—a loving God as He may

express Himself in our group conscience. Our leaders are but trusted servants; they do not govern.

MEETING NOTICES		
ACCEPTANCE GROUP	ST. ANDREWS CHURCH, COBURG AND ROBIE STREET, HALIFAX SATURDAYS 10:00 AM	FORT MASSEY UNITED CHURCH 5303 TOBIN STREET, HALIFAX "BIG BOOK STUDY"
	SATURDATS 10.00 AIVI	WEDNESDAYS 7:00 PM
HARBOURS GROUP	CHANGED MEETING TIME, NOW 7:30 PM FROM 8:00 PM	MEETING WILL BE O.D. EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2017
BEDFORD GROUP	SUNDAY NIGHT MEETING CLOSED AS OF JANUARY 15, 2017	TUESDAY NIGHT 8:00 PM MEETING CONTINUES AS USUAL
WEST END STEP GROUP	WILL BE CELEBRATING IT'S 38TH GROUP BIRTHDAY ON FEB 23RD AT 8PM.	ALL ARE WELCOME.
NEW WOMENS MEETING IN HUBBARDS 'HUBBARD'S STEP SISTERS'	ASPOTOGAN HERITAGE TRUST BUILDING ON PT. RICHARD GREEN LANE. ENTER THRU BASEMENT DOOR, MEETING ROOM IN THE BACK ON RIGHT.	MEETINGS WEDNESDAYS AT 7PM

CERAASA 2017- Supporting Our Future

February 24- 26, 2017, **Crowne Plaza Hotel**, 1005 Main Street, Moncton, NB E1C 1G9
Registration and payment may also be made online at: ceraasa.org

HOTEL: For reservations at Crowne Plaza Moncton, call 866-854-4656 (toll-free) or 506-854-6340, or on the web:

resweb.passkey.com/go/CERAASA

Special hotel pricing. Use code **ZRO** (ZED, R, ZERO)

CAPE BRETON Mid-Winter Round Up

'RECOVERY THROUGH SERVICE' MARCH 10, 11, & 12 2017 • Sydney NS

Victoria Park Armouries Esplanade

The cut-off date for booking these Hotels at these prices is Feb. 10, 2017
All bookings are under Midwinter Roundup 2017

Martin Arms (902-567-3311) • Cambridge Suites (902-562-6500) • Hampton Inns (902-564-6555) • Holiday Inn (902-562-7500)

POP UP AA Day!

Principles Over Personalities

Theme: A day to make memories • Hosted by: Early Risers & Circle of Sisters • Cost 7th Tradition Club 24, 3 Dundas Street, Dartmouth • Saturday March 25th, 2017 • 12-6 pm

Light lunch available all day • Cost: 7th Tradition

Meetings on the hour, 45 minutes long

For more information contact Natalie C: 902-219-7287 or Gig McM: gigmcmullin@eastlink.ca

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 ROB A. (902)-452-0345-specify group and date.