



BLUENOSE Bulletin



Groups • Central Service Committee • Districts 1 & 2 • Area 82 • **FEBRUARY 2019**

Each Group has but one primary purpose – to carry its message to the alcoholic who still suffers.

CARRYING THE MESSAGE		
Weekend Telephone	Addiction Service (Detox)	Forensic Service
Back to Basics 2-4 Feb	Four Seasons 3 Feb	Team 5 - 1 Feb
Only Requirement 9-11 Feb	Atlantic 7 Feb	Team 1 - 8 Feb
Highland Park 16-18 Feb	Cole Harbour 10 Feb	Team 2 - 15 Feb
Sunday Serenity 23-25 Feb	Timberlea 14 Feb	Team 3 - 22 Feb
St. Margaret's Bay 2-4 Mar	Early Risers 17 Feb	Team 4 - 1 Mar
Timberlea 9-11 Mar	Back to Basics 21 Feb	Team 5 - 8 Mar
Four Seasons 16-18 Mar	West End Step 24 Feb	Team 1 - 15 Mar
Fresh Start 23-25 Mar	Second Chance 28 Feb	Team 2 - 22 Mar
Live for Today 30 Mar-1 Apr	St. Margaret's Bay 3 Mar	Team 3 - 29 Mar
Living in the Solution 6-8 Apr	Welcome 7 Mar	
To arrange cell phone package call or email Sharman M. (902)-219-0189 phones.aahalifax@gmail.com	If your Group CANNOT make your responsibility, call or email Stephanie J. (902) 209-7586 treatment.aahalifax@gmail.com	If your Group CANNOT make your responsibility, call or email Stephanie J. (902) 209-7586 treatment.aahalifax@gmail.com

What is our Roundup – 15 -17 Jan 19

Our 2019 midwinter roundup will soon be here! If you haven't purchased your ticket yet, not to worry, you can buy one at the reception desk. If you cannot afford a ticket at this time, simply see a roundup committee member and they will assist you. Roundup weekend will consist of workshops, topic panels, displays, speakers and regular meetings, as well as a terrific social atmosphere. The guest speakers bring their own unique experience, strength and hope to us all. Join us at this year's roundup to meet new and old friends all working together for the common good of AA. Here you will also see first hand the benefits of Unity, Service and Recovery, which is an important part of staying sober. For more information see your group GSR or contact Shawn M. 902 701 6128.

SERVICE CALENDAR FOR DISTRICTS 1 & 2		
Central Service Meeting Districts 1 and 2	St. Mark's Church 5522 Russell Street, Halifax	Tue, 5 Feb 19, 7:00 pm
GSR Meeting District 2	3 Dundas St. Dartmouth	Sun, 17 Feb 19, 2:00 pm
GSR Meeting District 1	George Dixon Center 2501 Gottingen St, Halifax	Sun, 24 Feb 19, 2:00 pm
Central Service Meeting Districts 1 and 2	St. Mark's Church 5522 Russell Street, Halifax	Tue, 5 Mar 19, 7:00 pm

FEBRUARY 2019 BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

3 Feb	Sunday	Cole Harbour	Marilyn M. (43)
4 Feb	Monday	CVBBSG	Michael M. (7) Mary L. (12) Al Mc (38)
6 Feb	Wednesday	Back to Basics	Dennis K. (18)
15 Feb	Friday	Fall River	Sheri W. (3) Cyril C. (4) Fred J. (44)
16 Feb	Saturday	Lost & Found	Kathy G. (30)
18 Feb	Monday	Second Chance	Dave M. (40)
20 Feb	Wednesday	Back to Basics	Paul B. (3) Jamie G. (4)
22 Feb	Friday	Keep it Simple	Sharon W. (6) Cathy A. (16)
23 Feb	Saturday	Atlantic	Les (40)
23 Feb	Saturday	Live for Today	Vic S. (31) Karen M. (10)
23 Feb	Saturday	Porter's Lake	Joe M. (46)
23 Feb	Saturday	Second Chance	Samaria G. (14)
23 Feb	Saturday	Welcome	David N. (8)
24 Feb	Sunday	St. Margaret's Bay	Carl Q. (2)
25 Feb	Monday	Downtown Dartmouth	Lefty H. (48)
25 Feb	Monday	Grateful Group	Joe P. (11)
25 Feb	Monday	Living in the Solution	Maria R. (31)
25 Feb	Monday	Timberlea	Gordon H. (21)
26 Feb	Tuesday	Sunrise	Mark M. (17) Ed M. (44)
27 Feb	Wednesday	Fresh Start	Bill M. (20)
28 Feb	Thursday	Early Risers	Gig M. (19)
28 Feb	Thursday	Four Seasons	Shirley H. (6) Jeff B. (6)
28 Feb	Thursday	Hubbards	Tim D. (1) Ken M. (36) Barb M (36)
28 Feb	Thursday	West End Step	Rob A. (5)
3 Mar	Sunday	Cole Harbour	Ryan K. (1) Wanda M. (3) Freddie L. (5)
4 Mar	Monday	CVBBSG	Chris M. (17)

COMMITTEE NOTICES

CENTRAL SERVICE POSITIONS	Central Service still has several committee service positions need filling: Webmaster Chair, Literature Chair, Hospital Visitation Chair, Corrections Co-Chair	See your group CSR or come to the next Central Service Meeting for more information.
LITERATURE COMMITTEE	Effective immediately any group literature orders are to go through the Chair of Central Service.	Bill P. (902) 219-2140
CORRECTIONS COMMITTEE	Corrections need volunteers to chair meetings at The Central Nova Scotia Correctional Facility on Wed evenings at 7:30 PM.	For more information please contact Troy at (902) 580-8113

TREATMENT COMMITTEE	Treatment needs women to chair meetings at the Marguerite Centre on the 1 st Wed of each month, 7:30 PM.	For more information please contact Stephanie J. 902-209-7586
MID WINTER ROUNDUP 2019 COMMITTEE	19 Feb at 1:00 PM is the next meeting. Looking for Communications Chair.	Club 24, 3 Dundas Street, Dartmouth
PUBLIC INFORMATION COMMITTEE	Meets the first Sat of every month except for Feb the meeting will be held on 9 Feb 19.	10:00 AM Sackville Heights Community Centre, 45 Connolly Rd, Lower Sackville
DETOX LOCATION CHANGE	Effective immediately, location change. Simpson Landing, Spruce Block.	Meeting times and dates are the same

MEETING NOTICES

CIRCLE OF SISTERS	New meeting day will meet at 7:00 pm Mon, effective 15 Oct 18	Same time and location 10/18
NEW MEETING – WE AGNOSTICS	This new group meets at North Woodside Community Centre, 230 Pleasant St, Dartmouth	Open meetings at 6:00 pm Sat nights 10/18
TIMBERLEA	New meeting time is 8:00 PM.	Same day and location
WEST END STEP	40 th Anniversary. All are welcome to attend. Food and fellowship to follow.	14 Feb 19 8:00 PM
FALL RIVER	38 Anniversary as a group. Join us for fellowship and food.	15 Feb 19 8:30 PM
CVBBSG	29 th Anniversary party. This will be a speaker meeting with lots of food and fellowship to follow.	25 Feb 19 8:00 PM

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

District 2 Workshop

'Service in AA, What does it Mean?'

Sunday 10 Feb 19 2:00 PM – Club 24, 3 Dundas St, Dartmouth, Facilitated by Samaira G.

All members welcome. If you are thinking of getting into service this workshop is specifically for you.

40th Annual Mid-Winter Roundup (Districts 1 & 2)

Theme: "Recovery Through Action" 15-17 Feb 19 - DoubleTree by Hilton, Dartmouth, NS.

Registration: \$25.00 (AA & Al-Anon), \$15.00 (Alateen) - Banquet: \$45.00

Contact: Alan M., Registration Chair (902) 441-4495, Shawn M., Chair (902) 461-0129, Bruce B., Co-Chair (902) 489-1504

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 – left hand of Home page.

NEWSLETTER ANNOUNCEMENTS: Announcements for Bluenose Bulletin must be received by the 25th of the month. Contact: Kelly D. (902) 579-3767 or Eric L. (902) 225-2034 – specify group and date via email: newsletter.aahalifax@gmail.com.

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