



# BLUENOSE Bulletin



Groups • Central Service Committee • Districts 1 & 2 • Area 82 •

March 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
<b>St. Margaret's Bay</b> 2-4 Mar <b>Timberlea</b> 9-11 Mar <b>Four Seasons</b> 16-18 Mar <b>Fresh Start</b> 23-25 Mar <b>Live for Today</b> 30 Mar-1 Apr <b>Living in the Solution</b> 13-15 Apr <b>Back to Basics</b> 20-22 Apr <b>Only Requirement</b> 27-29 Apr <b>Highland Park</b> 4-6 May <b>Sunday Serenity</b> 13-15 May	<b>St. Margaret's Bay</b> 3 Mar <b>Welcome</b> 7 Mar <b>Highland Park</b> 10 Mar <b>Colby Village</b> 14 Mar <b>Fresh Start</b> 17 Mar <b>Downtown</b> 21 Mar <b>Acceptance</b> 24 Mar <b>Live for Today</b> 28 Mar <b>Sunrise</b> 31 Mar <b>Grateful</b> 4 Apr	<b>Team 4 -</b> 1 Mar <b>Team 5 -</b> 8 Mar <b>Team 1 -</b> 15 Mar <b>Team 2 -</b> 22 Mar <b>Team 3 -</b> 29 Mar <b>Team 5 -</b> 5 Apr <b>Team 1 -</b> 12 Apr <b>Team 2 -</b> 19 Apr <b>Team 3 -</b> 26 Apr
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 the Marguerite Centre?

The Marguerite Centre is a long-term residential program in Halifax for women recovering from Addiction. The program focuses on the healing of mind, body and spirit. The Marguerite Centre provides a holistic approach, so that women feel empowered to understand their addiction(s) and to create their own path to recovery and healthy living. There is a need for women in the AA program to help provide a once monthly meeting to the residents of the Centre. The meeting is the first Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. Contact person is Stephanie J. at 902-209-7586.

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

## MARCH 2019 BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

DATE	DAY	GROUP	CELEBRATING	CELEBRANTS
3 Mar	Sunday	Cole Harbour	3	Wanda Mc. (3)
4 Mar	Monday	CVBBSG	17	Chris M. (17)
6 Mar	Wednesday	Any Lengths Big Book	10	Maureen B. (10)
9 Mar	Saturday	We Agnostics	29	Alex B. (3) Doug P. (26)
15 Mar	Friday	Fall River	66	Jim B. (31) Paul M. (35)
20 Mar	Wednesday	Back to Basics	4	Troy B. (4)
22 Mar	Friday	Highland Park	1	Matt B. (1)
22 Mar	Friday	New Hope	70	Lynn McD. (10) Wayne O. (29) Bruce Mac. (31)
23 Mar	Saturday	Porters Lake	21	Dave (Newfie) (21)
25 Mar	Monday	Downtown Dartmouth	45	Catherine R. (20) Shawn M. (25)
25 Mar	Monday	Live & Let Live	8	Dale C. (8)
25 Mar	Monday	Living in the Solution	56	Tom P. (11) Betty C. (22) Kate S. (23)
25 Mar	Monday	Timberlea	9	Tom H. (9)
27 Mar	Wednesday	Fresh Start	1	Brad A. (1)
27 Mar	Wednesday	Back to Basics	14	Kathy S. (1) Kim G. (13)
28 Mar	Thursday	Four Seasons	33	Andrew J. (1) Steve M. (1) Joel N. (1) Phil R (8) Kevin C. (22)
28 Mar	Thursday	Gaston Road	1	Wade R. (1)
28 Mar	Thursday	West End Step	15	Ferris T. (2) Tom O. (13)
29 Mar	Friday	Enfield	9	Howie H. (9)
29 Mar	Friday	Keep it Simple	6	Tammyrose B. (2) Conrad R. (2) Tiffany T. (2)
30 Mar	Saturday	Welcome	5	Freda C. (5)
31 Mar	Sunday	Sober Gals	32	Kate S. (1) Barbara C. (31)
1 Apr	Monday	CVBBSG	4	Mike D. (1) Howard M. (1) Bob D. (2)
6 Apr	Saturday	Acceptance	38	Jim H. (38)
7 Apr	Sunday	Cole Harbour	51	Jacqueline K. (11) Pauline B. (14) Arlene P. (26)

## COMMITTEE NOTICES

<b>CENTRAL SERVICE POSITIONS</b>	Central Service still has Chair positions that need filling.	See your group CSR or come to the next Central Service Meeting for more information.
<b>CORRECTIONS COMMITTEE</b>	Corrections need both men and women 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 or email at Corrections.AAHalifax@gmail.com.
<b>TREATMENT COMMITTEE</b>	Treatment needs women to chair meetings at the Marguerite Centre on the 1 <sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month at 7:30 PM.	For more information please contact Stephanie J. 902-209-7586.
<b>LITERATURE COMMITTEE</b>	Effectively immediately any group literature orders are to go through the Literature Chair of Central Service.	Cathy M. (902) 406-5717
<b>PUBLIC INFORMATION COMMITTEE</b>	Meets the first Saturday of every month.	10:00 AM Sackville Heights Community Centre, 45 Connolly Rd, Lower Sackville.

## MEETING NOTICES

<b>WE AGNOSTICS</b>	North Woodside Community Centre, 230 Pleasant St, Dartmouth.	Open Meeting at 6:00 PM Sat 03/19
<b>NEW MEETING – EYE-OPENER GROUP</b>	This new group meets at Club 24, 3 Dundas St, Dartmouth.	Open meetings at 10:00 AM Sat morning 03/19
<b>TIMBERLEA</b>	New meeting time is 8:00 PM.	Same day and location 01/19

## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### AA St. Patrick's Day Dance

Sat 16 Mar @ 3 Dundas St, Dartmouth, NS

9 PM – Midnight - Spot Dances & Door Prizes!

Tickets \$5.00 in advance or \$10 at the door. For info call Shawn M. (902) 701-6128 or Tamyrose (902) 410-4423

### District 1 Workshop

### “Carrying the Message: P.I. and C.P.C.”

Sun 31 Mar @ 1 PM

George Dixon Centre 2502 Brunswick St, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor

Facilitated by Leah C., Mike M. and Heather C.

All members welcome. If you are thinking of getting into service with the professional community this workshop is for you.

CENTRAL SERVICE COMMITTEE WEB SITE: [aahalifax.org](http://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 25<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto:newsletter.aahalifax@gmail.com).

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