



Central Service • Districts 1 & 2 • Area 82 Groups

"Triumphantly we seize upon his misbehaviour as the perfect excuse for minimizing or forgetting our own. Right here we need to fetch ourselves up sharply." -Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions, p.78

GROUPS THAT CARRY THE MESSAGE Weekend Telephone

Aug 1 - 4	Cole Harbour Group
Aug 8 - 11	Downtown Dartmouth
Aug 15 - 18	Sunrise Group
Aug 22 - 25	Back to Basics Group
Aug 29 - Sept 1	Highland Park Group
Sept 5 - 8	Downtown Halifax Group
Sept 12 - 15	Sunday Night Serenity Group
Sept 19 - 22	Early Risers Group
Sept 26 - 29	Timberlea Group

To arrange a cell phone package, email:
Phones.AAHalifax@gmail.com

COMMITTEE NOTICES

SERVICE FAIR

Come for the fellowship, come for the refreshments, come to thank those in service, come to learn what Central Service does for our community and see how you can be of help.

September 14th, 1PM - 4PM Trinity Anglican Church, 321 Main Ave, Halifax. Call Heather 902 476 7690 for details. (6)

The Central Service Committee needs various chair and co-chair positions filled.

Please contact CS chair Paul B
at: CSR.ChairAAHalifax@gmail.com
for more information on how you can help.

BOOK STORE HOURS

The Book Store for AA literature will be open
SUNDAYS from 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm
at Club 24 (basement), 3 Dundas St, Dartmouth

SERVICE CALENDAR FOR DISTRICTS 1&2

CENTRAL SERVICE MEETING, DISTRICTS 1 & 2

(Meets the first Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM)

Tuesday, August 5 2025 7:00 PM via Zoom

Zoom Link [HERE](#)

Meeting ID: 512 036 8953 Passcode: wecandoit

Dial by your location

+1 647 374 4685 Canada

Find your local number: [HERE](#)

DISTRICT 1 GENERAL SERVICE COMMITTEE MEETING

(Meets the last Wednesday of the month at 6:00 PM)

Wednesday, August 27, 2025 6:00 PM via Zoom

Zoom link [HERE](#)

Meeting ID: 753 798 8280 Passcode: SERVICE

Dial by your location

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DISTRICT 2 GENERAL SERVICE COMMITTEE MEETING

(Meets the third Sunday of the month at 2:00 PM)

Sunday August 17, 2025 at 2:00 PM

In person at Club 24, 3 Dundas Street, Dartmouth

AREA 82 ACTIVE AREA COMMITTEES MEETING

(Meets the last Monday of the month at 6:00 PM)

Next meeting: August 25, 2025 at 6:00 PM, 6:30 PM (NT)

Zoom link [HERE](#)

No password, waiting room activated

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COMMITTEE NOTICES

CPC COMMITTEE MEETING

Next meeting of the CPC committee TBA.

Zoom Link [HERE](#)

Meeting ID: 512 036 8953 Passcode: wecandoit

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BRIDGING THE GAP NEEDS VOLUNTEERS

As a volunteer temporary contact, you would take someone who has just gotten out of treatment (Detox, PSR, or Marguerite Centre) to their first 6 AA meetings. You would introduce them to lots of other AA members and answer questions. That's the extent of the commitment. This is an important service to help the still suffering alcoholic continue on their path to recovery. To be added as a temporary contact, please email: Treatment.aahalifax@gmail.com

MID-WINTER ROUNDUP 2026 COMMITTEE

(Meets the first Sunday of the month)

The committee will meet on **August 3, 2025 at 1:00 PM**, 3 Dundas St, Dartmouth (downstairs). This is a fun and creative way for both District 1 & 2 members to work together along with Al-Anon and be a part of an amazing team.

ARCHIVES ONLINE MEETING

(Meets the second Thursday of the month at 6:00 PM)

Area 82 Archivist Kathy S will host an online meeting

Thursday August 14, 2025 at 6:00 PM on Zoom. ID number 814 0105 2318. Password: 494955. Looking for volunteers to help gather longtimer and group histories.

Contact: ns_archivist@area82aa.org

PUBLIC INFORMATION COMMITTEE MEETING

Meetings to resume in September 2025.

Contact: PublicInformation.AAHalifax@gmail.com

TELEPHONE COMMITTEE

Looking for members to help with the day and evening phones. Also looking for groups to help with the weekend phone rotation. French speaking members encouraged to volunteer. Contact: AAPhones.Halifax@gmail.com

DISTRICT 2 WORKSHOP

Workshop on Tradition 4, hosted by District 2

August 10, 2025 2 PM at Club 24, 3 Dundas St Dartmouth

MEETING NOTICES

The following meeting notices are accurate at the time of the Bulletin publication. Please check AAHalifax.org to confirm meeting times and locations.

TIME CHANGE COLBY VILLAGE BIG BOOK STUDY

Effective August 4, 2025, the Colby Big Book Study Group (CVBBSG) meeting time will change from 8:00 pm to 7:30 pm. 35 Colby Dr, Dartmouth. Please note that the name of the church has changed to Saint John XXIII Church. (7)

NEW MEETING

Road of Happy Destiny Meeting

St. Lukes Church, 9 Veterans Ave, Dartmouth, NS

7:30 Closed Discussion. Beginning Thursday Aug 14, 2025 (8)

NEW MEETING

Sackville Speaker Meeting

Fridays at 7:30pm, started June 20, 2025.

Hosted by the Second Chance Group - all are welcome.

45 Connolly Rd, Sackville (6)

NEW MEETING

The All My Relations Group meets every Wednesday at 12:15 PM at 2021 Brunswick Street. This is an open meeting. Please enter downstairs via the car ramp. (6)

TWO MEETINGS CLOSED

Please note: Both the Recovery Support Meeting in Mount Uniacke and the Sheet Harbour meeting have closed.

IN MEMORIAM

Remembering with love:

Jeff D 1979 - 2025

Home Group: Atlantic/Men's Literature Group

Remembering with love:

Joe M 1941 - 2025

Home Group: Porters Lake

The Bluenose Bulletin would like to recognize members of our fellowship who have recently passed away. Please contact: newsletter.aahalifax@gmail.com

Treatment Schedule
FACE MASKS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES

DETOX

Every Sunday 7:30 PM

Simpsons Landing, 304 Pleasant Street, Dartmouth

Aug	3/2025	Keep It Simple
Aug	10/2025	West End Step
Aug	17/2025	Any Lengths
Aug	24/2025	Lion's Den
Aug	31/2025	Downtown Halifax
Sept	7/2025	Only Requirement
Sept	14/2025	Early Risers
Sept	21/2025	Circle of Sisters
Sept	28/2025	Acceptance

SIMPSONS LANDING P.S.R.

Every 2 weeks Wednesday 6:00 PM

Simpsons Landing, 304 Pleasant Street, Dartmouth
USE THE SALON ROOM

Aug	13 /2025	Acceptance
Aug	27 /2025	Gaston Road
Sept	10/2025	Grateful Group
Sept	24/2025	Keep It Simple Group

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FACE MASKS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES

FORENSICS

Every 2 weeks Friday 7:30 PM

88 Gloria McCluskey Ave, Dartmouth

Aug	8/2025	Mark M
Aug	22/2025	John C
Sept	5/2025	Only Requirement
Sept	19/2025	Back to Basics



MARGUERITE CENTRE

Every 2 weeks Wednesday 7:30 PM

3178 St Margarets Bay Rd, Timberlea

Aug	13/25	Sam
Aug	27/25	Leah
Sept	10/25	Jo
Sept	24/25	Circle of Sisters

**Bridging
the
GAP**

Becoming a temporary
contact between
treatment and A.A.



When leaving treatment
to return home, take a
flyer with a business card.
Ask for BRIDGING THE GAP
and the volunteer will
match you with a
temporary contact from
your town or area so you
can get on the path to
recovery between
Treatment and AA through
contact programs.

Please refer to flyers at the back of the newsletter.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

DISTRICT 6 MID-SUMMER ROUND UP - The Promises Do Come True

August 1 - 3, 2025 at 130 Ventura Drive, Debert, NS

AA and Al-Anon \$20 registration, \$40 banquet

Onsite accommodations and meal plans available, dry camping permitted

e-transfer registration to: district6roundup@gmail.com

THE ANNUAL AA CAMPING WEEKEND AT DOLLAR LAKE

It's that time of year again! **Friday, August 8 and Saturday, August 9, 2025.**

Tickets are \$10 per camper and includes both nights. Swimming, potluck, campfire meetings.

For more information, please reach out to Entertainment Chair Natalie C. at 902-219-7287

LIVE AND LET LIVE AA ROUND UP

2nd Annual Live and Let Live AA Round up for 2SLGBTQIA+ alcoholics and allies

hosted by Rainbow of Recovery Group. **August 9, 2025 from 12 - 9 pm**, Woodlawn United Church

Information and registration here: <https://bit.ly/LiveAndLetLive2025>

Email rainbowrecoveryhfx@gmail.com with any questions.

WINDSOR and AREA 58th MINI ROUND UP

I Can't, We Can - **Aug 15 - 17, 2025**, 4474 Hwy 1 Three Mile Plains Hall

Registration \$20 at the door, includes coffee, tea, snack and light lunch

Camping permitted.

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Call Heather 902 476 7690 for details.

AA COUNTRY DANCE NIGHT

Saturday **September 13, 8PM - 11 PM**

650 Sackville Drive, \$5 at the door

UPCOMING BIRTHDAYS IN EARLY SEPTEMBER 🎂

Date	Group	Celebrant(s)
September 1	Happy Destiny Big Book Group	Robyn (1)

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Windsor and Area

58th Mini Roundup

Aug. 15-17, 2025



I CAN'T

WE CAN!

**THREE MILE PLAINS HALL
4474 HWY 1, WEST HANTS, NS B0N 2T0**



**AL-ANON MEETINGS ALL WEEKEND
BASKET RAFFLE ON SUNDAY**



**REGISTRATION IS \$20 AT THE DOOR.
INCLUDES: COFFEE, TEA, FINGER SNACKS AND A LIGHT
LUNCH ON SATURDAY.
CAMPING IS PERMITTED ON THE PREMISES, BRING YOUR
TENTS (THERE ARE NO HOOKUPS OR SERVICES FOR
TRAILERS)**

More info? Cyril L (902)790-3226 or Jim H (902)790-3802



WELCOME

AA and Al-Anon Participants

Friday – Registration opens @ 4pm

Opening speaker at 7pm followed by fellowship, 1 kitchen party/and bonfire. If you play an instrument, feel free to bring it 😊

Outdoor hot tubs and pool

Games room

Walking trails

Saturday, 8 am Registration

Meetings starting at 9am

Banquet 6-8

Dance 9-12

Sunday

Spiritual hour

9 AM Al-Anon

10 Am AA

Countdown to follow

THE PROMISES

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COME TRUE

WHEN & WHERE

August 1-3 2025

Debert Hospitality Centre 130 Ventura drive, Debert B0M1G0

ACCOMADATIONS ON SITE

Single Room- 79.99 plus tax

Double room- 89.95 plus tax

Contact deberttrainingcentre@gmail.com TO BOOK ROOMS

*Meal plans also available * 902-662-4074

Dry camping is permitted on site.

REGISTRATION/BANQUET/DANCE

Registration 20\$ (includes dance ticket)

Banquet 40\$ (Limited tickets available)

Chicken supreme is Gluten Friendly, if any allergies or dietary needs please let us know.

ETRANSFER registration to

District6roundup@gmail.com

In message

-Name-

-how many your registering -banquet ticket

Example

Bob.B 1 registration, 1 banquet ticket

Any other questions or to register at the door contact the registrar

Mike C @ 902-895-8504 or E-mail district6roundup@gmail.com

Anne B Chair 902-890-6274

IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN!



Friday, August 8th - Sunday, August 10th

The Annual AA Camping Weekend at Dollar Lake Provincial Park

Come join us for a weekend
of family fun and fellowship

DETAILS

- Tickets \$10.00 per camper, includes both nights (children under 14 free)
- Check in time: 2:00pm
- Check out time: 1:00pm
- Potluck Supper Saturday
- Campfire meetings Friday and Saturday nights
- All members welcome

For more information, please reach out to Natalie C,
Entertainment Chair at 902-219-7287

LIVE & LET LIVE ROUNDUP!

**AUGUST 9, 2025
WOODLAWN
UNITED CHURCH**

**Join us for a day
of Alcoholics Anony-
mous fellowship and
recovery for the
2SLGBTQIA+
community and friends.**



**PLEASE REGISTER THROUGH THE QR CODE
OR BY VISITING <https://bit.ly/LiveandLetlive2025>**

**54 WOODLAWN RD,
DARTMOUTH**

**COST: \$25 OR PAY WHAT YOU CAN
FOR MORE INFORMATION AND
PAYMENT CONTACT
rainbowrecoveryhfx@gmail.com**

Join us for a boot-stompin'
good time!

AA COUNTRY DANCE NIGHT

SATURDAY, SEPT 13
8PM-11PM

Acadia Hall
650 Sackville Dr.
Lower Sackville

Tickets \$5 at the door | DJ



Service Fair!

Come see what the subcommittees of Central Service do for our fellowship and the still suffering alcoholic and see how you can get involved.

Sunday Sept 14th at 1pm-4pm

Trinity Anglican Church

321 Main Ave, Halifax

Refreshments will be served. Please come support Central Service.

CS Subcommittees:

Newsletter -- Webmaster -- Insurance -- Help email

AA Phone -- Hospital Visitation -- Entertainment -- Literature

Treatment -- Corrections -- Public Information -- Cooperation with the Professional
Community