

District 3 Serenity Times May 2014 Newsletter

A.A. Principles

Step 5: "Admitted to God, to ourselves, and to another human being the exact nature of our wrongs."

Tradition 5: "Each group has but one primary purpose – to carry its message to the alcoholic that still suffers."

Service News

Congratulations goes out to the people who were elected to the following District offices: Alicia T. for Alternate Bridging the Gap Committee Chairperson; Sirena J. for the Cooperation of the Professional Community (CPC) Committee Chairperson; and Pat G. for the Treatment Committee Chairperson.

The following District offices that are currently open are District Corrections Committee Chairperson and one vacant post for the District Finance Committee. If anyone is interested in running for any of these two positions then please come to the next District Meeting on Tuesday, May 13, 2014 at the Cairo United Methodist Church.

Group News

The Greenville 12 Steps Up Group that meets on Tuesdays at 7PM and Saturdays at 5 PM is in danger of closing after 22 years! We need active home group members willing to take on commitments. We also need your support at meetings. Our next (and possibly last) business meeting is scheduled for Saturday 5/17 at 6:00 pm. Please help us to help the newcomer!

Upcoming Events

The next **District Meeting** will be held on **Tuesday, May 13, 2014 at 7 PM** at the United Methodist Church on Main Street in Cairo. All GSRs are encouraged to attend! All are welcome!

The **HMB Area 48 May Assembly** will be 2014 held on **Sunday, May 18, 2014** from **9 AM to 3PM** at the Florida Town Hall at 267 Fort Hunter Road, Amsterdam, NY. The Assembly will be hosted by District 4, 8, and 14. Please see the event flyer for further details.

Anniversaries

Thursday, May 15th at The Greenville Thursday Night Men's Meeting at the SRV Temple will have a potluck dinner starting at 6 PM and Ray A. Will be celebrating 9 years at 7pm. All are welcome!

Thursday, May 15th at the Catskill Big Book Group @ High Hills Methodist Church at 1467 Schoharie Turnpike in Athens at 7:30 PM; Bill F celebrates 28 years.

Friday, May 16th at the Youth Enjoying Sobriety Group at 7 PM; Jay H. will be celebrating 6 years.

Saturday, May 24 at the Windham Rebos Group Saturday Night at 8 PM; Alexia will be celebrating 11 years.

Monday, May 26 at the Original Greenville Group at Norton Hill at 7 PM; Anthony B. will be celebrating 3 years.

Wednesday, May 28 at the Cairo Second Chance at 8:30 PM; the celebrants will be Bob P announcing 40 years, Bridget S. with 25 years, and George G. with 17 years.

Thursday May 29 at the Greenville Higher Power Group at 12 PM; the celebrants will be Mary C. with 9 years, Aggie H. with 9 years, Mike L. with 28 years, and Bill G. with 28 years.

Thursday, May 29 at the original Leeds Group of Catskill at 8 PM; Louis B. will be celebrating 8 years.

Friday, May 30 at the Women's Candlelight Reflections Meeting at the Cairo United Methodist Church in Cairo at 7 PM; Deborah will be celebrating 2 years. All are welcome!

Friday, May 30 at the Westerlo Group at 8 PM; Nancy Q M will be celebrating 11 years.

Sunday, June 1 at the Windham Sunday Night Group will celebrating their 43 year group anniversary will be food at 7 PM and a meeting and speaker at 8 PM with raffles at the door. Please bring something to raffle and a dish to share.

Mailing Address for the District 3: District 3; P.O. Box 205; Cairo, NY 12413. Please use this address for all donations and correspondence. The Target Date for all June anniversaries and submissions are Monday, May 26, 2014; please send to Bill O'C, Newsletter Editor at greene.recovery@hotmail.com or contact Bill O'C at (518)756-6497 or (518)312-1809.