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Events, Announcements and News August 31, 2020

ANY MEETING CHANGES PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE
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The Intergrouper is going back to just being the regular Intergrouper. **All changes for Meeting information can be found on the Website www.heartlandintergroup.org**, by clicking the Coronavirus tab at the top of the page.

The next **Zoom Intergroup Representative Meeting** will be held on September 14, 2020 at 6PM. Everyone is invited. If you are not on the Representative email list, please let me know so you can be added officemanager@heartlandintergroup.org

To All -

We are looking for **individual** men and women to volunteer to speak on certain days and times of the week thus, providing the clients a diverse but, yet committed list of people to continue to carry the message of hope.

The facility is seeking speakers for the evenings and times would vary between Mary Lyons and the other facilities.

Please inform either Cathy at Heartland Intergroup or Chris V., if you wish to be placed on a list that will be provided to the coordinators, who in turn would supply to supervisors.

The Supervisors will be the people responsible for contacting each volunteer to finalize any coordinating necessary to follow through with each volunteer speaker.

From Mary Lyons Counselor Justin C:

Good morning Mario

Thanks for checking back with me, I hope all is well with you. The days and times of the speaker meetings are scheduled by the individual unit supervisors. The best way to proceed is to ask the willing members to communicate their availability and make note on the list beside their name. We need both women and men and evening time is preferred. It is best to put the members in contact with the supervisors to prevent double booking, I'll distribute the contact list to the supervisors.

The guidelines remain the same:

- One member at a time
- Cannot have tested positive for Covid in the past 2 weeks
- Temperature check at the door
- Hand washing once inside
- Mask required
- Social Distance, no contact
- No passing of physical material

Let me know if you have any further questions

Kind Regards

Justin C.

Hello Soberstock fans!

The committee has met and decided in light of the current ongoing pandemic, to **postpone Soberstock** until our normally scheduled time in March which is now set for **March 19-21, 2021**. We deliberated and felt much of the appeal of **Soberstock** (SWED hall meetings, nightly gatherings, chow time!) were not going to be enjoyed in the traditional manner due to covid. This is not a decision we made lightly but want to keep everyone's personal safety as priority.

If you purchased tickets for 2020, **your tickets will automatically apply for the 2021 event**. We appreciate everyone's patience and understanding as we all try to navigate this situation. Be safe and we look forward to coming back together in 2021 and celebrating sobriety safely!

-Your Soberstock Committee

16th Annual SOBERSTOCK 2020



Soberstock is a 3-day weekend AA/Al-Anon/Alateen event featuring speakers, meetings, bands, food & fellowship. This festival is open to all members of AA/Al-Anon and their families.

Proceeds of this function will purchase Big Books and other AA literature for District 2 Jails & Institutions. The remaining profits go to the area pie chart.

SPEAKER MEETINGS!

CAMPFIRE MEETINGS!

LIVE BANDS!

OUTDOOR MEETINGS!

ALL FOOD & DRINKS PROVIDED!

TENT CAMPING ONLY!

(No RV's/Popups!)

When: Friday, March 20th, 2020- Gates open at Noon on Friday! Event ends on Sunday at noon.

Where: "Camp Brorlein" - 16901 Boy Scout Rd. Odessa, FL 33556

What to bring: Tents, blankets, coolers, chairs, LANTERNS, bug spray, snacks, NO PETS, NO cabins at this facility.

What we provide: Refreshments, Camp Style Meals - Fri. lunch & dinner, Sat. breakfast, lunch and dinner, & Sunday breakfast.

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Day Pass Order

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1 DayPass - \$30.00 per person/\$35 Gate

Weekend - \$55.00 per person/\$60 Gate

Child under 12-1 DayPass - \$5.00/\$10 Gate

(CHILDREN ALLOWED ONLY IF ACCOMP. BY PARENT/GUARDIAN)

Child under 12-Weekend - \$10.00/\$15 Gate

Tent Pitching: \$15 Per tent (We don't supply tents)

T-Shirts: \$20/ea (Sizes: S, M, L, XL, 2XL)

**NOTE: WE ONLY TAKE CASH OR CHECKS AT THE GATE
NO CREDIT/DEBIT CARDS AT THE GATE!**



**REDUCED PRICING &
1 FREE T-SHIRT PER
WEEKEND DAY PASS ORDER
until January, 1st, 2020!**

All sales are final, and non-refundable. This is a Rain Or Shine Event. When ordering online, we will not ship any items to you. We will have all items for you at the front gate day of the event on a Will Call basis. Please remember, pets are NOT allowed (Service pets with paperwork only) and no RV's/Popup campers either. Thank you so much for your cooperation!



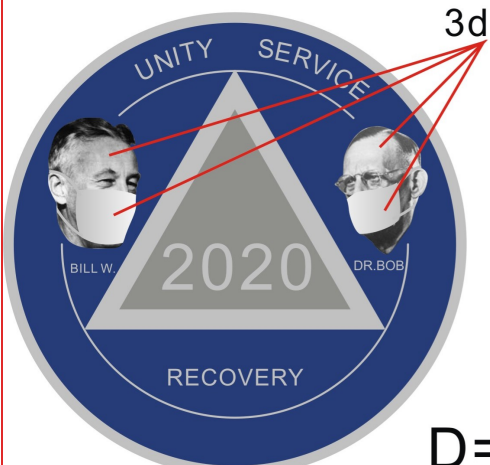
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Detroit 2020 Love and Tolerance Medallion

\$18.00 for bling (8 on hand)


\$15.00 for non-bling (5 on hand)

Quantities are limited, first come first serve. Credit card orders taken and can be mailed with \$1.25 S/H



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Pre-Orders will be taken via credit card and mailed when received.

No specific years on these specialty coins, only the year 2020.

Cost: \$18.00 plus \$1.25 S/H

The Annual District Gratitude dinner has been cancelled for November.

Hello Fellow Travelers ... We have some exciting updates for you regarding the:

**The Unity and Service Conference
September 5 and 6, 2020**

The conference that is all about how A.A. members have utilized A.A.'s 12 Traditions and 12 Concepts in their lives ... which will include the entire weekend being interpreted for ASL!

**You will need to register to attend, you can
[SIGN UP HERE!](#)**

- We already have 600+ signed up, with a capacity for 1000! (So, if you haven't already registered, you might want to do so soon. I know we often wait till the last minute, but we encourage you not to do that this time).
- We have a change in presenters for our "Traditions in Relationships" workshop – we welcome Alex & Melissa L. from Rochester, NY.
- We are 2 weeks away and counting down ... until we 'zee you in the zoom' room.

We will email you the ID and Password prior to the conference.

This is an A.A. activity of the Love and Service A.A. Group in Pleasant Hill, CA, and any contributions in excess of the prudent reserve will be distributed to A.A. service entities.

Included with a \$25 contribution is a download of the entire audio of the conference; with a \$40 contribution you get the download *and* we will mail you our pin Logo.



Would you kindly do us a favor and forward this announcement to your email list!!! Many thanks in advance.

Again - thank you for:

- * supporting our 5th Annual/1st Virtual Conference with your time
- * forwarding this announcement to your email list
- * and mostly, for your participation.

Hope to see you at the conference.

Sincerely,

The Unity & Service Conference Committee

<https://unityandserviceconference.org/register/>

Use this to register for the conference.



Virtual

5th Annual Unity & Service Conference

of Concord, California

"Applying our 12 Traditions & 12 Concepts to Real Life"



ASL Interpreted For The Deaf

Labor Day Weekend - All Times PDT

Saturday, September 5

Sunday, September 6

8:45 am

Welcome!
Serenity Prayer & Kickoff

9:00 am

Memoirs of a Judge that Nudged

Rogelio Flores, Santa Barbara, CA
Retired Judge & Past Class A Trustee

Contempt Prior to Investigation?

The 12 Concepts -
"A Spiritual Experience"
Jennifer D., Wilmington, NC

10-Minute Tradition or Concept Vignette Before Each Main Speaker

10:30 am

Service Panels

Panel 1 - **Young People**
Panel 2 - **Bridging the Gap**
Panel 3 - **Corrections (H & I)**
Q&A

Service Panels

Panel 1 - **Public Info & Cooperation with Professionals**
Panel 2 - **Intergroup/Hotline**
Panel 3 - **General Service**
Panel 4 - **Sponsorship**
Q&A

12:00 pm

Break

12:30 pm

Finance & Romance
in AA's Digital Age

Jennifer D., Wilmington, NC

10-Minute Tradition or Concept Vignette Before Each Main Speaker

Anonymity and Outside Issues:
Rights vs. Responsibilities

Roger W., Vine Grove, KY

2:00 pm

The Three Legacies and Relationships

Chuck & Beth H., Cary, NC

10-Minute Tradition or Concept Vignette
from an Al-Anon Speaker

*This 2 Hour and 15-Minute Session Includes
a 15-Minute Break at 3 pm Before Concluding at 4:15 pm*

Ask It Basket with Speakers

Rogelio, Jennifer, Don, Roger,
Chuck & Beth

3:00 pm

Break

Close with Responsibility Statement

4:30 pm

Unity vs. Conformity
in the Home Group

Don L., Bellingham, WA

10-Minute Tradition or Concept Vignette to Open

6:00 pm

Close with Responsibility Statement

Online Event!

Space is Limited.....

Pre-Register Today!



Registration Link & Contact Info: Unityandserviceconference.org 925.222.5639

EXPERIENCE, STRNGTH, AND HOPE

22-24 JANUARY 2021

2nd International Virtual AA (Zoom) Convention
organised by the BAB Anglophone AA Group, Biarritz, France



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TALENTED SPEAKERS AND WORKSHOP LEADERS

RECOVERY AND ECONOMY

NO TRAVEL, NO HOTEL, NO RESTAURANT, EXPENSES

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