

News – Area 87

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Events you should not miss!

Area meeting: The next Area meeting will take place on Saturday, **September 8th, 2007 at 8:30 a.m.** at the United Church (back entrance), 191 Principale St. (corner of Dufferin St.), Granby, J2G 2T9. Participants at this service meeting are members of the Area Committee (DCM, Coordinators and their alternates and the Steering Committee members). All A.A. members curious and interested in our 12th Step work through our Area Committee are welcome to attend. This meeting is, as are all service meetings, closed, for A.A. members only.

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Anniversaries

September:

Tue. 18 St. Laurent 12 Step – 14th Anniversary - St. Mark's Anglican Church (side entrance) – 1650 Decelles Ave. (at Cardinal) – St. Laurent – Food donations appreciated – *An open speaker meeting for this night only.*

Sat. 22 West Island Weekenders – 10th Anniversary – 750 Dawson Ave. - Dorval 1:00 p.m. – Guest speaker – Food donations appreciated.

Sun. 23 Brewery Mission Wake Up – 55th Anniversary – Old Brewery Mission – 915 Clark St. (at Viger Ave.) – Montreal 9:45 a.m. – Speaker – Buffet – *Doors open at 9:00 a.m.*

Fri. 28 A Vision for You II– 6th Anniversary – Wesley United Church – 5964 Notre-Dame –de –Grâce Ave. – Montreal – 8:00 p.m. – Out of town speaker – Buffet.

Sat. 29 New Laval Saturday Night – 34th Anniversary – Holy Name of Jesus Church (enter by East Side) – 899 Chomedey Blvd. (at Notre-Dame Blvd.) – Laval – 8:30 p.m.

Sun. 30 Happy Days – 31st Anniversary – Legion Hall – 210 MacVicar St. (Hwy 15N, Exit Lachute) – Brownsburg – 10:00 a.m.

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Meeting News

Belmore – Monday – Montreal West United Church – Westminster Ave. & Curzon St. (entrance Ballantyne St.) Montreal – As of October 1st, the meeting will be at 8:00 p.m. instead of 8:30 p.m.

Friendship – Monday - Native Friendship Centre of Montreal – 2001 St. Laurent St. – Montreal – The meeting will be at 1:30 p.m. instead of 12:15 p.m.

Parthenon – Monday – 7:30 p.m. – New address:: 821 Ogilvy St. (Downstairs) – Montreal.

Westshore Discussion – Tuesday - Christ Church (basement) – 455 Church Ave. (at Fieldfare Ave.) – Beaconsfield – As of September 4th, 2007, the meeting will be at 8:00 p.m. instead of 8:30 p.m.

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Conventions

September 8th, 2007

Bill & Bob's Excellent Round-Up - District 87-18 – St-Ignatius Hall – 4455 W. Broadway St. – 10:00 a.m. to Midnight - Speaker – Dance – Kids games - Buffet – Tickets: \$10.00 – Free for children under 12 years old.

September 22nd, 2007

South-Shore Round-Up – District 87-07 – St. Mary's Parish Hall (side door) – 785 Miller St. (corner of Grove Street) – Greenfield Park – Starting registration time: 9:00 a.m. - Theme: "TOGETHER AGAIN" - Participation of Al-Anon – Out of town speakers – Food donations appreciated - 7th Tradition.

October 5th and 6th, 2007

46th Area 87 A.A. Convention – Collège Jean-de-Brébeuf – 3200, chemin Côte Ste-Catherine – Montreal - Theme: "FIRST THINGS FIRST".

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New Groups

The following groups have requested registration within Area 87

Friday Night Starters (87-18)

Lasalle City Hall – 55 Dupras St. (5th floor) - Lasalle – Friday – 8:00 p.m. – Open speaker meeting – Smoking break.

N.D.G. Nooners (87-18)

St. Raymond Church - 5775 St. Jacques St. – (Vendôme Metro; #90, 104 bus) - Montreal - Monday to Friday – 12:15 p.m. – Discussion – Open meeting.

Road To Freedom (87-20)

4 Georges Bonholie Road – Eastman – Wednesday – 7:30 p.m. – Discussion – Closed meeting.

Sherbrooke Back to Basics (87-20)

112 Wellington South St. – Sherbrooke – Friday – 8:00 p.m. – Open meeting – No smoking – Wheel-chair access.

The Lavender Dimension (87-18)

4781 VanHorne St. (suite 207) – (Plamondon Metro; #161 bus) - Montreal – Wednesday – 7:30 p.m. – Open meeting - Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender.

Welcome to Friends of Bill & Bob (87-07)

Centre Communautaire (1st floor) – 1, Bélanger St. – Salaberry-de-Valleyfield – Wednesday – 8:00 p.m. – Open meeting - No smoking – Wheel-chair access.