

August 2015

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DISTRICT/COMMITTEE/SERVICE MEETINGS

CASC (Capital Area Service Committee) meets 1st Tuesday of each month at 6:30pm at Club 12
COC (Central Office Committee) meets 2nd Monday of each month at 6:00pm at the Central Office
COR (Central Office Representatives) meets 3rd Thursday of each month at 6:00pm at the Central Office
T&C (Treatment & Corrections Committee) meets 2nd Thursday of each month at 6:30pm at the Central Office
PI/CPC (Public Info/Cooperation With Professional Community) meets the last Thursday of each month at 6:30pm at Club 12

District 10 meets the 2nd Saturday of each month at 6:00 pm at the Zachary UMC
District 15A meets the 1st Wednesday of each month at 7:45pm at the Ingleside Methodist Church
District 15B meets the 3rd Monday of each month at 7:10pm at the Church of the Way
District 15C meets the 3rd Saturday of each month at 12:00 noon at Club 12
District 15D meets the 3rd Sunday of each month at 5:30 pm in the back room of the Central office
District 16 meets the 2nd Saturday of each month 11:00 am at the Power House

Redstick Roundup Committee meets the 2nd Sunday of each month at 5pm at University Methodist Church
 **WILL NOT MEET IN MAY, JULY OR AUGUST, 2015

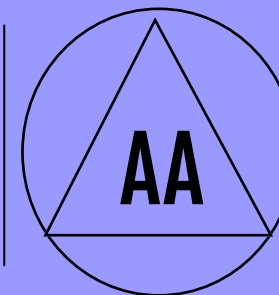
State Convention Committee meets the 3rd Sunday of each month at 4:00pm in the back room of the Central Office
SERCYPAA Host Committee meets 1st & 3rd Sunday of each month at 5:00pm in the back room of the Central Office

COC Members

Chair: Becky B
 Co-Chair: Michelle P
 Treasurer: Billy M
 Secretary: Betsy F

Members At Large

Tyann G
 Darrell C
 Tara T.



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A.A. & Other Activities

Area Assembly

August 15th & 16th, at the Holiday Inn South,
 9940 Airline Hwy., Baton Rouge, La 70816.
 Hotel Phone: (225) 924-7021

Next Area Assembly: November 21st & 22nd, 2015

2015 Louisiana State Convention

July 31-August 2 Crowne Plaza Baton Rouge
 Register at www.lastateconvention.org

XLIII Convencion De Alcoholicos Anonimos

September 4-6, 2015
 Hilton Riverside, 2 Poydras St, New Orleans
www.xliiiconvencionhispanadeaousaycanada.org

35th Annual Bayouland Jamboree

November 13-14, 2015
 Quality Hotel, 210 South Hollywood Rd, Houma
www.thebayoulandjamboree.org

For more information on any of these events, contact the Central Office



Responsibility Declaration

I am responsible. When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there. And for that I am responsible.

More Things To Do Sober

District 10 Sponsorship Workshop

August 22, 2015, 10am-4pm, Lunch Served
 St Isadore Catholic Church, 5657 Thomas Rd, Brownsfield

District 6 Summer Bash

August 29, 2015, San Miguel Park, Zwolle., LA

Serenity by the Beach

September 4-7, 2015
 Hilton Sandestin Beach, 4000 Sandestin Blvd S, Destin, FL
www.summerserenityatthebeach.com

20TH Annual Southeast Woman to Woman Conference

September 18-20, 2015
 Best Western Hotel, 2601 Severn Dr, Metairie
www.southeastwomantowomaneu.org

For more information on any of these events, contact the Central Office

Hotline Schedule

Carry The Message.....07/13-07/19
 Cortana.....07/20-07/26
 Dealer's Choice.....07/27-08/02
 EBR Men's Group.....08/03-08/09
 Early Birds.....08/10-08/16
 Fellowship Group.....08/17-08/23
 Free Again To Choose.....08/24-08/30
 Freedom of Choice.....08/31-09/06
 Galvez.....09/07-09/13
 Goodwood.....09/14-09/20
 Insane Into Action Vets.....09/21-09/27

Thank you to the groups and individuals that participate in this vital service work

Only 31% of the groups that have meetings in our area participate in taking the hotline. If your group would like to be included please contact the Central Office.

New Meetings

Incognitos—Fri 6pm O/D, St. Albans Episcopal Church, Highland @ Dalrymple, 70808

Folded Meetings & Other Meeting Changes

Living Hope Group—Thur & Sun 7:30pm, Woodlake Addiction Recovery Center, 3015 Hwy 956, Ethyl 70730—FOLDED

Brownsfield Group—Thur 7:30pm, St. Isadore Catholic Church, 5657 Thomas Rd @ Plank, 1st Thurs of each month is O/SP, other Thurs O/D

Brown Bag—Tue Noon, Club 12, 1695 Beaumont Dr, Type changed to O/D

Students of Recovery—Wed 7pm O/D, Location change to LSU Student Union Bldg, Orleans Room #302-A

The Arch To Freedom—Mon 5:30pm O/ST, Community Bible Baptist Church, 1729 Monte Sano Ave, 70807. Time change from 5:45pm to 5:30pm.

New Friendship Group—Mon 7pm O/D, 1302 Florida Blvd Ste C, Denham Springs, 70726—FOLDED

The most current meeting schedule is available online at: www.aa-batonrouge.org

Contribution Addresses

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 Baton Rouge, LA 70816

Capital Area Service Committee
 P.O. Box 14304, Baton Rouge LA 70898

Louisiana Area Assembly
 721 Government St., Suite 103-127
 Baton Rouge, LA 70802

General Service Office (AAWS)
 P.O. Box 459, New York, NY 10164-0371

2015 BATON ROUGE CENTRAL OFFICE BIG BOOK STUDY

Come be a part of Alcoholics Anonymous Fellowship, Food, Fun and Recovery!

Hosted by Chris R. From S. Padre Island, TX

Friday July 24, 2015 7-9pm

Saturday July 25, 2015 9am-4pm (Lunch provided)

Holiday Inn South, 9940 Airline Hwy, Baton Rouge, 70816

For more information or to volunteer, please contact the Central Office

AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES

NOTE: Our anniversary list is only as current as the date of your group's last submission.* Denotes Belated Anniversary

224	EBR Men's Group	Magnolia	St Amant
Beth L. 18	Price S. 34	Brandon J. 3	Blake L. 1
Bill W. 15	Tim W. 5	Chasity B. 4	Dana L. 2
Jake D. 2	Trey M. 4	Dave C. 25	
John L. 6	Zach P. 2	Glen L. 33	The Winners
Judi C. 31		Jason D. 1	Josh H. 2
Julie B. 3	Early Birds	Jeff C. 1	
Mark L. 18	Beth S. 8	L.J.N. 5	The Young and Restless
	Brian B. 24	Mark A. 5	Ben L. 3
	Charley M. 32	Melissa G. 7	
24 Hour Group	Cheryl S. 3	Michelle P. 8	Throw It On The Table
Darrell C. 5	Christian H. 8	Ned L. 9	Angelle J. 2
Joe W. 3	Danielle B. 5	Nick R. 4	Keetsie G. 32
Judy A. 1	Diana N. 14	Sheryl W. 10	Will H. 5
	Gary L. 1		
A Design For Living	Holly R. 5	New Beginnings	Unmanageables
Day 3	Howard D. 1	Bob B. 31	Chelsea F. 7
Helen H. 6	Jessica F. 5	Theresa B. 1	David S. 4
Lance 2	John B. 6		Joanie C. 34
Mike F. 6	John T. 6	New Roads	Lance A. 2
	Laura L. 6	Joe W. 3	Melissa B. 1
A Way Out Study	Melody C. 5	John D. 23	
Brian B. 23	Savannah R. 3	Lou D. 3	Walker
Erin McG. 2	Stacci H. 6	Rochelle D. 10	Chrissy B. 1
Laura L. 6	Steve L. 6		Lyndee H. 2
Lauren G. 2	Stew B. 3	No Booze Crew	
Lauren S. 4	Teresa T. 5	Paul B. 6	We Surrender
			Nick H. 2
As Bill Sees It (Brusly)	Fellowship	North Blvd.	Wedgewood
Troy R. 15	Ryan T. 31	Abraham B. 4	Caroline R. 13
		Andres C. 1	Jim G. 4
Bedrock	Free Again To Choose	Bill S. 4	Melissa S. 1
Michelle B. 30	Greg D. 14	Brad K. 36	Michelle P. 26
		Brian P. 16	
Brown Bag	Freedom of Choice	Bryant E. 19	Wed. Night ABSI
Eddie A. 26	David L. 10	Kevin C. 3	Jody D. 14
Frank T. 3	Dawn C. 21	Mark V. 3	Kristi B. 8
Megan B. 1	Dustin B. 4	Randy B. 37	Melissa L. 11
Robert B. 2	J Santiago 4	Sam I. 30	
	Jon T. 1		
Brownsfield	Matt G. 4	Old Hammond	Why Shouldn't We Laugh
Brent C. 3	Meagan T. 2	Tasha G. 2	Andy M. 4
	Michael G. 3		Mike T. 7
B.Y.O.B.B. (Women's)	Rick J. 9	Old Perkins Group	Women in Recovery
Laine T. 6		Jashua P. 1	Angela L. 8
Pat G. 3	Galvez	Ryan M. 3	Patricia H. 26
	Matthew T.M. 4		Wendy W. 17
Came to Believe		Open Heart	Ya'll Come
Jimmie M. 24	Gonzales Lunch Bunch	Donnie R. 25	Fred M. 35
Johnny O. 4	Jake D. 2	Kara M. 7	
Sharon M. 5	Josh H. 2		
	Laurn P. 1	Paradoxes of AA	Zachary
Capitol Ave.	Rita L. 2	Georga C. 29	Andy B. 22
Carl P. 3		Kay D. 30	Charlie C. 33
Michael G. 3	Happy Hour		Martin 36
Sharom M. 5	Ben P. 27	Sanity Break	Royce H. 19
	Jeff R. 29	Angelle J. 1	Sandra C. 23
Carry the Message	Scott K. 2	John W. 29	Stacie H. 3
Dan G. 26		Josh O. 4	Steve C. 1
Laine T. 6	Into Action	Rodger B. 8	
	Warren H. 16	Toby D. 1	
Central Group			
Brigitte M. 1	Keep Coming Back	Scotlandville Concerned Citizens	
	Clint A. 4	Donald A. 17	<i>One Day At A Time!</i>
Dealer's Choice	Crystal 3		
Duffy D. 1	Kristin 2		
Jeffrey H. 2	Rishi J. 7	Shenandoah	
Linda M. 6		Evelyn R. 29	
	Last Stop	Frank B. 32	
EBR Men's Group	Simone L. 1	John B. 6	Solution
Arne 34			Marilyn M. 35
Bernardo W. 2	Magnolia		
Caleb S. 2	Arne C. 34		
"John ""Eddie"" 4	Bill F. 31		
Kevin T. 5			

Greater Baton Rouge AA Central Office Contributions for June, 2015

2015/16 State Conv. Committee	12.00
A Way Out Study Group	190.53
C.A.S.C.	13.00
Capitol Ave Group	25.00
COC Basket	3.00
COR (7th Tradition Basket)	17.00
Dealer's Choice	150.00
Denham Springs Courthouse	50.00
District 15D	3.32
Early Birds	514.77
EBR Men's Group	95.13
Fellowship Group	250.00
Freedom of Choice	32.43
Hang In There	200.00
Individual AA Member/Friend	144.00
Larger Than Life	10.00
Open Heart Meeting	107.40
Open Road Group	25.00
Paradoxes Of AA	230.70
Sanity Break	250.00
Shenandoah Group	240.57
Shivering Denizens	200.00
T & C Committee	14.00
The Way Out	300.00
Three Legacies Group	164.00
TOTAL	3,241.85

TWO BUCKS IS THE NEW DOLLAR!!

Have you been able to stay away from a drink because of AA? Have you gotten your life back? How much is that worth to you? In the rooms, we AA members agree that our sobriety is an undeserved gift from a higher power. While the message is free, the whole service structure of AA has expenses in order to keep things running and carry the message. For those of us who can afford it, it is our responsibility to put more than \$1 in the basket. Many of our members go beyond this! However, many more do not. Where we used to give \$1, we must try to give \$2. Are you giving more to the coffee chain on the corner, or to the lottery, than to the program that gave you your life? In 1980, a gallon of gas was \$1.22, 1 lb of bread was 52c, and 1 lb of ground beef was \$1.85. In 2010 these averaged \$2.90, \$1.38, and \$2.95 respectively*. The cost of paper goods, utilities, and labor are all up considerably as well. The reality is that everything costs way more than 10 or 20 years ago.

*Bureau of Labor Statistics Data



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"The good news is, when I get out, I can pick up a 60-day chip."

—Doug R., Calif.
Grapevine, July 2014

Red Stick RoundUp Needs your Help

The Red Stick RoundUp Committee is firming up plans for the 2016 "Fourth Dimension Convention" in mid-January. We've booked the speakers, prepared the budgets, and learned our lessons from last year. We've adopted a new format, with bingo & an ice cream social in place of the music show and the dance.

We still need your service on the committee in terms of a treasurer, organizers for the bingo and the ice cream social, and sales-people for the pre-affle tickets and the banquet. FYI, the pre-affle first prize will again be a paid-up week-end at the Convention, plus second & third prizes that we added per popular request.

You should be seeing the new flyers and the synced website in August. You can offer to serve on the Committee at: redstickroundup@gmail.com or www.redstickroundup.org. Or, just come to the next meeting at 5pm on Sunday August 9 at University Methodist on Dalrymple.

ChrisN, for the RSR Committee

LOUISIANA AA ARCHIVES OPEN HOUSE 2015

The AA Community is invited to visit the Archives Repository on Saturday, *from 6:00-8:00 pm the following dates: August 15, November 21*. If you can't make it to one of these scheduled Open House dates, please contact the LA Area Archives Committee at archive@aa-louisiana.org to set up an appointment for your group. The Archives Repository is located at 10319 Old Hammond Hwy., Suite C-3. Enter in back of building.

Come and see some of YOUR Louisiana AA History!!!

LOUISIANA ARCHIVES VOLUNTEER DAYS 2015

9am-1pm July 25, September 26, October 24