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

### ROOM FOR EVERYONE

One of the biggest delights of the last International AA Convention was a session titled "We Agnostics." For most of the time in AA meetings, I've lived basically as a "closeted" agnostic. The emphasis on God, and the "God of our understanding" is pervasive in the rooms of AA. My first sponsor (to be repeated by others later) stated that unless I had a God of my understanding, I would "go back out again." The dilemma was that as this is an honest program, I wasn't being very honest to support a point of view shared by the large majority of AA members but not myself.

When I would infrequently mention that a belief in a personal God was not part of my own recovery, the response was sometimes a stunned silence ...never any acknowledgment or agreement. (This is in no way to discount or diminish the value that a strong belief in God has helped many alcoholics on the road to recovery. It is just something I do not share.)

Occasionally I found a few AA members that quietly shared my belief. Most were almost apologetic or ashamed. And, sometimes, I have had new AA members approach me to sponsor them as the "God thing" had been getting in their way of the program.

The very large meeting room was almost completely filled. There must have been at least 600 people in the audience. The three speakers were full of humor and joy. It was an awakening that within the AA community there was room for a different perspective. For me, perhaps the most helpful comment from one speaker was that he substitutes "the AA Program" whenever he reads the word God in the 12 Steps. There will even be an Agnostics, Atheists and Freethinkers International AA Convention in November of 2016. They identify themselves as "members of Alcoholic Anonymous committed to remaining sober and to keep the rooms of AA open to everyone, regardless of their spiritual beliefs or lack thereof."

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#### October 2015: Room for Everyone ALSO IN THIS ISSUE

\*From the Archives: **Can Opener**

\*Traditions: **Tradition Ten**

\*Experience, Strength, & Hope: **From the Editor**

...and more!

#### Sobriety Countdown

Total Years-October, 2015: **1,623**

Total Years-October, 2014: **1,319**

Next Month: **Moving On**

**Volusia County Intergroup  
Coastal Centre Suite 107  
1635 South Ridgewood Ave.  
South Daytona, FL 32119**

*Vital to all AAs and a part of Alcoholics  
Anonymous*

**VOLUNTEER. WE NEED YOU!**

\* 12 Steppers needed in East & West Volusia\*  
Call (386) 756-2930 for more information

## INTERGROUP NEWS

**Welcome New IGRs!** – James (5:30 Group); Stephanie (Love and Service); John (New Dawn); Mary (Women's Book Study).

**Intergroup Representatives Meeting** - 6:30 pm, 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday each month at the Central Baptist Church, 142 Fairview Ave (just north of International Speedway Blvd off US 1).

**Intergroup Steering Committee Meeting** – 6:30 pm, 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday each month at Intergroup Office.

### Monthly District Meetings

**District 8:** Last Sunday-12:30pm, **Almous Club, 569 Foote Court, Daytona Beach**

**District 19:** 4<sup>th</sup> Monday-6:30pm, **First Cong. Church (Fellowship Hall), 201 W. University, Orange City**

**District 20:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday-7:00pm, **United Church of Christ, 203 Washington St. NSB**

**District 21:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday-6:30pm, **First United Methodist Church, 336 S. Halifax, OB**

**District 32:** 1<sup>st</sup> Monday-6:30pm, **Grace Lutheran Church, 338 Ocean Shore Blvd., OB**

**Groups represented at IGR Meeting, September (18)** 5:30 Group • Back to Basics • Friday Night Men's • Happy Hour • Lest We Forget • Jaywalkers • Love and Service • New Dawn Group • New Hope • New Smyrna Beach Group • Ormond Beach Group • Precisely How • Road to Recovery • Sunrise Group – Deland • Way of Life • Wednesday Women's • Women's Book Study • Young at Heart • **Was your Group represented?**

☑ **District representation:** Districts 8, 19, 20, 21

**MALs present:** 8, 20, 21

### DISTRICT NEWS REPORTS FROM MALs:

**District 8:** The Corrections Workshop was a success. Thanks to all who helped make it happen!

**District 19:** MAL position open.

**District 20:** The District is beginning to plan its annual Gratitude Dinner November 8<sup>th</sup>. See the Special Events page for more information.

**District 21:** The district is planning its annual Whoopee Party at the end of October. See the Special Events page for more information.

**District 32:** MAL position open

## SPECIAL THANKS

### to the following Groups for their contributions in August 2015

Any Lengths-DLT, Attitude Adjustment, Back to Basics-DEL, Brighter Days, District 19, Early Ducks, Friday Night Men's-EDG, Grateful Group, Happy Hour-DB, High Noon, Lifesavers Group, Miracle, New Dawn, Noon Reflections-RBS, Pass It On-VRE, Peace of Mind, Riverbridge, Road to Recovery-DLT, Sunday Morning Sober, Thursday Night Men's, Way of Life, Women's New Beginnings

**Help Volusia County Intergroup carry the message to the still-suffering alcoholic. Donate a dollar for every year of your sobriety on your anniversary, donate in memory of, or make it anonymous.**

**Ralph L. \$40.00 – 40 yrs; Santos \$24.00 – 24 yrs**

**Anonymous Donations: \$545.92**

**Total Income YTD: \$39,492.53 Total Expenses YTD: \$40,539.83 Net Income YTD: \$-1,047.30**

**Contributions help make Twelve Step activity possible. We appreciate your support.**

**GSO Contributions:**  
General Services Office  
Grand Central Station,  
P.O. Box 459  
New York, NY 1016

**Area Contributions:**  
NFAC, Area 14  
P. O. Box 291634  
Port Orange, FL 32129-1634

**Intergroup Contributions:**  
Volusia County Intergroup  
Coastal Centre  
1635 S. Ridgewood Suite 107  
South Daytona, FL 32119

## FROM THE ARCHIVES – CAN OPENERS

This is an example from the archives of the small pamphlets that meeting rooms and clubs produce to attract alcoholics and inform them of the meetings available and offer some useful information. They are usually bi-fold or tri-fold and contain The Twelve Steps, the Serenity Prayer, Prayer of St. Francis, 3<sup>rd</sup> Step Prayer and other AA related sayings, poems or prayers. In the early days they were called “can openers.”

### HOW TO PRAY

(Ten simple rules by Dr. Deane Edwards)

- 1 PRAY where you are. God is present everywhere and ready to listen.
- 2 PRAY when possible in a quiet spot where you can be alone. It is well to fix your mind deliberately on God, apart from confusing distractions.
- 3 PRAY to God simply and naturally, as to a friend. Tell Him what is on your mind. Get help from the prayers of others.
- 4 PRAY remembering the good things God has done for you. Reckon up your blessings from time to time and give thanks for them.
- 5 PRAY for God's forgiveness for the unworthy things that you may have done. He is near to a humble and contrite heart.
- 6 PRAY for the things that you need, especially those that will make your life finer and more Christlike.
- 7 PRAY for others, remembering the situations they confront and the help they need.
- 8 PRAY for the world in need, asking God to bring better things and offering your help to Him.
- 9 PRAY above everything else that God's will may be done in you and in the world. His purposes are deeper and wiser than anything we can imagine.
- 10 PRAY, and then start answering your prayer.

"To each is given a bag of tools,  
A shapeless mass, and a book of rules,  
And each must make, ere life is flown  
A stumbling-block or a stepping stone."

## ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS



### MEETINGS

Monday thru Saturday nights at 8 o'clock  
2008½ West Superior Street  
Duluth, Minnesota  
Dial RA 7-9774

If you have a drinking problem, don't hesitate to call the Club. Members who understand your problem will be glad to extend a helping hand.

### EXPERIENCE, STRENGTH, AND HOPE - From the Editor

The time has come for the Spirit of Rotation to continue. My term as the Editor of the High & Dry will be concluding at the end of 2015. We are currently looking for someone to take over the position. It is a 2 year, non voting position on the Steering Committee of the Volusia County Intergroup. If you have knowledge of Microsoft Word and familiarity with Microsoft Excel, a willingness to serve, and a few extra hours per month, you are qualified. Please email me at [Editor@aadaytona.org](mailto:Editor@aadaytona.org) for more information.

I can't believe how the time has flown by. I have learned about you, about me, about sobriety, about AA, about and so much more in these short years and I am excited to pass that along to someone new. Thank you, Volusia County, for the privilege to serve.

- In Love and Service, Amanda R., Editor

## ROOM FOR EVERYONE?

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As Bill W. stated in Language of the Heart, Pg. 79: "Even in self-protection, we do not wish to erect the slightest barrier between ourselves and the fellow alcoholic who still suffers...We realize that he is altogether too weak and confused to jump hurdles. If we raise obstacles, he might stay away and perish. He might be denied his priceless opportunity."

-Anonymous, Deland

Everybody can be great...because anybody can serve. You don't have to have a college degree to serve. You don't have to make your subject and verb agree to serve. You only need a heart full of grace. A soul generated by love.

## THE A.A. TRADITION TEN

**Alcoholics Anonymous has no opinion on outside issues; hence the AA name ought never be drawn into public controversy.**

A member shares: "I am writing to express concern about a trend that I have seen in meetings over the last year. Several members have been criticizing religious institutions. People say that they are 'recovering Catholics' or 'recovering Baptists.' Many people say they did not find God in church, they only found God in AA.

The long form of Tradition 10 states:

'No AA group or member should ever, in such a way as to implicate AA, express any opinion on outside controversial issues—particularly those of politics, alcohol reform, or sectarian religion. The Alcoholics Anonymous groups oppose no one. Concerning such matters they can express no views whatever.'

Bill had good cause for this tradition. Most of the original 100 were church members.

About two years ago I spoke with a newcomer. This person was very active in church and was discouraged about returning to AA after hearing people belittle his church. I tried to explain that we are not anti-religion; we wish him well if his church shows him a path to his higher power. He was a little skeptical because that was not what he heard expressed in the meeting, and neither did I.

I do not think people are trying to be offensive, but we may ask them to consider their comments to a newcomer with church association. This issue might be addressed as a matter of group conscience if you are experiencing a pattern of these comments." (anonymous)

This has seriously made me examine my conscience about what and how I share in meetings! How about you?

- Anonymous

## COMMITTEES, COORDINATORS AND INTERGROUP UPDATES

**Office Coordinator's Report by Mike D:** There were a total of 62 calls and 242 visits to Intergroup for August 2015. Two people were looking for a ride to a meeting. One person wanted to talk.

**Archives Committee by Carolyn C.:** Shirley is scanning the group records, which have been sent to the Archives for storage and are being put into Google Drive. We are still keeping the paper copies of all the records. We are also continuing to work on updating and maintaining the inventory of our collection.

**Phone Army Coordinator by Julie G:** There were no calls reported for August.

- \* **In order to keep our tax-exempt status up to date we need to have all data from the Phone Army volunteers. Please remember to send reports and we are always looking for more volunteers!**

**12 Step Coordinator by Susan W:** We are still looking for 12 Step Volunteers in all areas. If you would like to be put on the list, please contact the Intergroup Office. A form is also available on the Internet that can be printed and mailed in or faxed.

**Corrections Committee Coordinator:** We are always in need of volunteers willing to make a commitment to take recovery into the prisons.

**High 'n Dry Editor by Amanda R:** Please send articles, stories and/or any feedback to [editor@adaytona.org](mailto:editor@adaytona.org) I welcome your comments and suggestions.

Also, there has been a lot of discussion regarding the Bylaws of Intergroup lately. If anyone would like a copy of the Bylaws, please email me and I will be happy to send them to you.

**\*\*\*The Intergroup Representatives from the groups have voted to move forward with the implementation of a texting service to aide with the fulfillment of 12 Step calls. Sign up sheets are available online along with instructions and details. They are also available at the Intergroup Office at 1635 S. Ridgewood in South Daytona.\*\*\***

**DO YOU KNOW OF ANY MEETINGS THAT HAVE MOVED OR ARE NO LONGER ACTIVE? PLEASE EMAIL ME AT [EDITOR@AADAYTONA.ORG](mailto:EDITOR@AADAYTONA.ORG) AND LET US KNOW!**

*This newsletter communicates the thoughts and feelings of its editor and contributors and reflects current AA experience with recovery, unity and service.*

*Articles are not intended as statements of AA policy. Publication does not imply endorsement by either AA or this newsletter. Articles are invited, but the editor reserves the privilege of accepting, rejecting or editing all submissions.*

*Articles may be submitted in writing through the Volusia County Intergroup office or via email at: [editor@adaytona.org](mailto:editor@adaytona.org). Are you interested in working on the High 'n Dry? Contact the editor to get involved.*

### ATTENTION

**READERS OF THE HIGH 'N DRY!**

Please submit any A.A.-related:

- Announcements
- Stories, Poems, Songs, Jokes, Bumper Stickers, Words of Wisdom
- History
- Suggestions
- Corrections

**[editor@adaytona.org](mailto:editor@adaytona.org)**

**OCTOBER ANNIVERSARIES 2015**

Years	Date	Years	Date	Years	Date	Years	Date
<b>5:30 GROUP</b>		<b>FREE TO BE</b>		<b>LIFESAVERS</b>		<b>STEPS FOR LIFE</b>	
Ralph T	36 10/21/79	Jim M	28 10/10/87	Mike R	40 10/03/75	Lee M	9 10/06/06
Sue W	35 10/23/80	<b>FRIDAY NIGHT MEN'S</b>		Jeff G	27 10/17/88	<b>SUNRISE GROUP - DELAND</b>	
Chip D	32 10/10/83	Bobcat T	11 10/10/04	Kyle L	16 10/31/99	Andy H	6 10/01/09
Dave A	24 10/04/91	John B	6 10/20/09	Kathy M	7 10/12/08	<b>THURSDAY NITE MEN'S GRP</b>	
Crystal H	23 10/17/92	<b>FRIDAY NOON MEN'S</b>		<b>MIRACLE GROUP</b>		Mike R	4 10/16/11
Lloyd S.	12 10/23/03	Lee M	33 10/31/82	Debbie H	1 10/24/14	JT S	2 10/27/13
Norman B	10 10/20/05	Dan H	28 10/28/87	<b>NEVER HAD IT SO GOOD</b>		<b>WEDNESDAY WOMEN'S</b>	
Linda S	5 10/20/10	Dallas P	25 10/13/90	Steve P	3 10/03/12	Terry T	29 10/27/86
Chinki S	4 10/27/11	<b>GOOD DAY GROUP</b>		<b>NEW DAWN</b>		Sharon R	17 10/29/98
Scott	3 10/01/12	Bill H	9 10/11/06	Kay M	26 10/03/89	Bonnie A	4 10/11/11
Charlie T	3 10/11/12	Joe H	1 10/10/14	John E	14 10/28/01	Lindsay B	2 10/08/13
<b>BACK TO BASICS</b>		<b>GRATEFUL GROUP</b>		Tara K	13 10/01/02	MargaretF	2 10/25/13
Gail C	17 10/15/98	Robin B	6 10/30/09	Kent L	10 10/20/05	<b>WOMENS BOOK STUDY</b>	
Cressey B	12 10/01/03	<b>HAPPY HOUR - DB</b>		Jack	8 10/02/07	Jo C	8 10/29/07
<b>BEACHSIDE - NSB</b>		Michael H	21 10/13/94	Pam S	6 10/23/09	Melinda R	1 10/07/14
Elvira B	25 10/24/90	Sarah	6 10/01/09	Steve GR	1 10/01/14	<b>WOMEN'S NEW BEGINNINGS</b>	
Crystal M	1 10/19/14	Jack B	5 10/31/10	<b>NSB GROUP</b>		Lyda	25 10/02/90
Chris K	1 10/19/14	Joe H	1 10/10/14	John C	32 10/05/83	<b>YOUNG AT HEART</b>	
<b>BIG BOOK STUDY HH</b>		<b>HIGH NOON</b>		Stevee B	4 10/30/11	Sherri Z	20 10/01/95
Stevle S	33 10/13/82	Bill H	24 10/27/91	Mark S	3 10/04/12	Kelly S	16 10/23/99
Sonya B	19 10/22/96	Marion P	1 10/03/14	DJ G	3 10/11/12	Chris G	12 10/23/03
Steve G	1 10/01/14	Denise A	1 10/07/14	<b>ORMOND BEACH GROUP</b>		Mike T	5 10/29/10
<b>CHOICE IS YOURS</b>		<b>HOUR OF POWER</b>		Braxton M	1 10/17/14	Gary M	4 10/14/11
Don R	44 10/30/71	Eddie R	42 10/01/73	<b>PEACE OF MIND</b>		John P	2 10/14/13
Jacques	42 10/05/73	Lisa B	33 10/18/82	Chip D	32 10/10/83		
Larry C	35 10/31/80	Pat P	13 10/31/02	Christine M	24 10/24/91		
Denny C	23 10/07/92	Lorri R	9 10/13/06	Mark H	23 10/31/92		
Larry C	23 10/25/92	Diane P	8 10/29/07	Christine C	14 10/05/01		
<b>DELTONA MEN'S GROUP</b>		JD	4 10/30/11	Fay T.	3 10/14/02		
Ralph L	40 10/15/75	Donna M	3 10/10/12	Paul F	2 10/11/13		
Rob M	4 10/10/11	Paul F	2 10/11/13	Grace B	1 10/22/14		
<b>DONUT GROUP</b>		<b>HOW IT WORKS</b>		Maureen S	1 10/01/14		
Harold W	29 10/24/86	Bob V	25 10/19/90	<b>PRINC. BEFORE PERSONALITIES</b>			
Kevin K	7 10/21/08	Billy V	15 10/15/00	Wayne C	2 10/30/13		
Peter R	4 10/03/11	Anon. G	11 10/19/04	Jon H-M	1 10/20/14		
Stephanie C	2 10/09/13	John B	6 10/20/09	<b>ROAD TO RECOVERY</b>			
<b>FOUR TOWNES GROUP</b>		<b>JUST DO IT</b>		Domenic V	36 10/12/79		
Lillian D	30 10/01/85	Elmer G	25 10/15/90	<b>SAND AND SEA</b>			
Lynn R	25 10/27/90	<b>LEST WE FORGET</b>		Wayne C	2 10/30/13		
Nance E	7 10/06/08	Ken H	29 10/17/86	Jon H	1 10/20/14		
Anne W	5 10/30/10	Trish S	16 10/01/99	<b>SHORT TIMERS</b>			
Barbara L	5 10/20/10	Stephanie B	2 10/05/13	Michael M	13 10/30/02		
Anne M	3 10/12/12			<b>SOBRIETY FIRST</b>			
Sharon O	1 10/23/14			Bridget M	11 10/19/04		

## AUGUST 2015 DONATIONS

GROUP	C *	AUG	YTD
2'sDay Nite Speaker		20	626.10
5:30 Group	RBS	20	450.00
5th Tradition		8	0.00
AA Way of Life		8	0.00
A Vision for You		19	0.00
Adventures in Sobriety		21	0.00
Aloha		21	33.16
Any Lengths (Deltona)		19	150.00
Any Lengths (Ormond)		32	0.00
As Bill Sees It	DLSP	19	0.00
Attitude Adjustment		21	105.00
Back to Basics DeL		19	11.00
Basic Text		21	271.75
Beachside, NSB		20	25.00
Beginner's Big Book Study	RBS	20	0.00
Better Way	VcE	19	0.00
Big Book Study DB		8	0.00
Big Book Study HH		21	0.00
Boulevard Group	VcE	19	0.00
Brighter Days	ALM	8	200.00
BYOB-Daytona	ALM	8	0.00
By the Sea		32	25.00
Came to Believe OB		32	0.00
Candlelight DB		8	0.00
Candlelight OB	EZY	32	0.00
Choice is Yours	YAN	8	0.00
Circle of Friends	SD	8	0.00
Cool to Be Sober	YAN	20	0.00
Daytona 24-Hour Group		8	0.00
Daytona's Burning Desire		8	0.00
DeLand Group		19	56.00
Deltona Big Book		19	0.00
Deltona Men's		19	17.15
Deltona/Debary Group		19	0.00
Deltona/Enterprise		19	0.00
District 8		8	0.00
District 19		19	20.00
District 20		20	0.00
District 21		21	46.00
District 32		32	0.00
Donut Group		8	150.00
Early Ducks	EZY	32	100.00
Edgewater BB/Step Study		20	0.00
Endless Summer	ALM	8	130.00
Fountain of Youth		19	0.00
Four Townes Noon Group		19	532.36
Free to Be, DB	LBD	8	0.00
Fresh Start	ALM	8	0.00
Friday Night Men's	RBS	20	40.00
Friday Noon Men's Discussion		21	439.80
Friday Sobriety		8	226.25
Friday Women's Step			0.00
Good Day Group	ALM	8	14.00
Grace Group			0.00
Grateful Group		19	75.00
Had Enough		32	90.00
Happy Destiny	YAN	20	0.00
Happy Hour DB	ALM	8	20.00
Happy Hour NSB		20	200.00
Heart to Heart		20	0.00
High Noon		20	100.00
High Nooners		8	0.00
Hour of Power		20	1,426.85
How it Works	EZY	32	0.00
Insane Today	EZY	32	50.00
Judge Not Group		19	0.00
Just Do It BB Study-Debary		19	45.00
Keep it Simple	VcE	19	0.00
Last Call		8	0.00
Last Hope		20	110.00
Lest We Forget		21	299.14
Lifesavers		20	20.00

GROUP	C *	DIST	AUG	YTD
Line-By-Line BB Study		32		43.57
Living Sober DB		8		0.00
Living Sober PO	YAN	20		0.00
Love and Service		8		310.00
Lunch Bunch		8		0.00
Miracle Group	EZY	32	50.00	50.00
Miracles Do Happen		32		50.00
Morning Reflections		8		0.00
Never Had It So Good	YAN	20		20.00
Never Too Young	VcE	19		108.00
New Beginnings - Deland		19		0.00
New Dawn Group		20	173.00	1,116.00
New Hope Group		20		184.35
New Smyrna Beach Group		20		0.00
Noon Group	VcE	19		0.00
Noon Reflections	RBS	20	25.00	50.00
Only Alternative	Alm	8		0.00
OB Big Book Step Study		32		0.00
Ormond Beach Group		21		0.00
Pass it On	VcE	19	36.60	277.77
Peace of Mind		20	231.57	398.75
Precisely How	ALM	8		53.00
Primary Purpose		32		0.00
Principles Before Personalities		32		20.00
Riverbridge		32	100.00	100.00
Road to Recovery DB		8		400.00
Road to Recovery Deltona		19	10.00	70.00
Sand and Sea	EZY	32		250.00
Saturday Matinee		8		0.00
Saturday Morning Step		19		128.00
Saturday Night Alive		20		626.44
Saturday Night Beginners		19		150.00
Saturday Women's Weekend		19		0.00
Seaside Non-Smoking		20		0.00
Serious About Sobriety		19		0.00
Shores 11th Step		8		0.00
Sisters In Sobriety		19		0.00
Sicker Than Others		8		0.00
Sobriety First		19		0.00
Sobriety & Beyond		21		0.00
Steps for Life		20		0.00
Sunday Morning Sober	YAN	20	127.00	1,158.16
Sunday Night Connection				0.00
Sunrise Group - Deland		19		429.13
Sunrise Group - Holly Hill		21		100.00
The Weekly Reprieve, Lk Helen				0.00
Three Legacies		21		0.00
Thursday Night Men's		8	100.00	100.00
Tomoka Group		32		191.00
Turn the Page		8		0.00
Turning Point		21		0.00
Una Luz en el Camino, Pierson				0.00
Usual Suspects		21		0.00
Way of Life	ALM	8	300.00	900.00
We Are Alive				0.00
Wednesday Closed		32		0.00
Wednesday Night Big Book				0.00
Wed. Women's /Fri. Step Grps		21		600.00
Weekly Reprieve-Lake Helen		19		200.00
Women's Book Study		20		203.67
Women In Recovery	Alm	8		0.00
Women's New Beginnings		20	150.00	400.00
Women's Weekend Group				150.00
Yes We Can		8		0.00
Young at Heart		20		0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$2,144.17</b>	<b>\$16,404.45</b>
Anniversary Club			64.00	171.00
Anonymous Contributions			545.92	1,055.99
Hi 'n Dry Mailings				24.00
In Memory of Donations				0.00
7th tradition			34.00	249.66
<b>Grand Totals</b>			<b>2,788.09</b>	<b>17,905.10</b>

*A very special thank you goes out to all of you that have donated to Volusia County Intergroup, Inc.*

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Activities that might be considered "AA related" but do not fall within the guidelines of the Twelve Traditions or activities outside Volusia County will not be listed.

**October 17, 2015:** District 19 is hosting "Anonymity: How Important Is It, Anyway?" Pizza and refreshments will be provided. 10:00am – 1:00pm at Emmaus Lutheran Church, 2500 South Volusia Avenue, Orange City.

**October 23, 2015:** District 21 is hosting its annual Whoopee Party! This year's theme is "Happy, Joyous & Free = Peace, Love & Happiness) Tickets are \$5 each, or 2 for \$8. 7:00pm – 11:00pm at Central Baptist Church, located at 152 Fairview Avenue, DB.

**October 31, 2015:** BYOB and Almous Club are hosting a Halloween costume party. Costume competition, 50/50 raffle, and more! FREE! 9:30pm - midnight at Almous Club, located at 569 Foote Court, DB.

## MEETING NEWS

The Good Day Group needs your support! It meets at Almous Club 7 days a week at 7:30 am with a rotating format. Please help spread the word to keep this meeting alive!

"In the end, though, maybe we must all give up trying to pay back the people in this world who sustain our lives. In the end, maybe it's wiser to surrender before the miraculous scope of human generosity and to just keep saying thank you, forever and sincerely, for as long as we have voices."

- Elizabeth Gilbert, Author

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