



# District 10 Newsletter

## January 2018



### BIRTHDAYS

Friday, Jan. 26<sup>th</sup>  
**Shelburne Fellowship Group**  
Pierre D. – 27 years  
Wayne H. – 28 years  
Terry – 5 years

Saturday, Jan. 27<sup>th</sup>  
**LaHave Group**  
Doug C. – 21 years  
Yolanda P. – 3 years  
Bill B. – 11 years

Sunday, Jan. 28<sup>th</sup>  
**Simple Coffee Group**  
Robert R. – 38 years  
Pat C. – 39 years  
Terry S. – 20 years

Tuesday, Jan. 30<sup>th</sup>  
**One Day at a Time**  
Roxanne R. – 11 years

Monday, Feb. 5<sup>th</sup>  
**New Beginnings Group**  
Doug P. – 12 years

The 1st  
**AA MEETING**  
was held in  
Canada  
**75 years ago**  
this month!

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**District 10 Meeting**  
Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup>, 1:30 p.m.  
at the home of the New Beginnings Group in Liverpool.  
All AA members are welcome!

AA members interested in joining the **AA Phone Committee** may contact Pat R. or your home group's GSR.

### AA EVENTS

(visit: [area82aa.org](http://area82aa.org) for more information)

#### **Celebrate 75 years of AA in Canada**

Sunday, January 14<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm  
St. Croix United Church  
Basement. This is an OPEN meeting with Speakers, Birthdays, Music & More!

#### **39<sup>th</sup> Mid Winter Roundup, District 1 & 2**

February 23<sup>rd</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018  
Double Tree by Hilton  
(former Holiday Inn), Dartmouth

#### **36<sup>th</sup> Annual Cape Breton Mid-Winter Round-up**

March 9<sup>th</sup> -11<sup>th</sup>, 2018  
Grand Lake Rd. Fire Hall,  
Sydney

#### **53<sup>rd</sup> NS Provincial Roundup**

June 8<sup>th</sup> -10<sup>th</sup>  
Antigonish Education Centre,  
Antigonish

### THIS MONTH IN AA HISTORY

**Jan. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1889** - Sister Ignatia was born in Ireland

**Jan. 13<sup>th</sup> 1943** – The first Canadian AA meeting was held in Toronto at the Little Denmark Restaurant. (see attached page for story)

**Jan. 18<sup>th</sup> 1954** - Hank P. died. He is the author of "The Unbeliever" in the Big Book's 1<sup>st</sup> edition and is also mentioned in "The Doctor's Opinion".

**Jan. 24<sup>th</sup> 1918** - Bill and Lois married in Brooklyn, NYC.

**Jan. 24<sup>th</sup> 1971** – On Bill & Lois's 53<sup>rd</sup> anniversary, Bill died of emphysema and pneumonia. He was 75 years old, and had 36 years of continuous sobriety when he died.

**Jan. 25<sup>th</sup> 1915** - Dr. Bob and Anne Ripley married in Chicago after having a 17-year courtship.

**Jan. 26<sup>th</sup> 1978** – The Action Group was established.

**Jan 1939** – the draft of the Big Book was completed.

**Jan 1953** - the *Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions* was published.