

# Alcoholics Anonymous AREA 82-DISTRICT 17 NEWSLETTER January 2019

Step 1 ~ ... We admitted we were powerless over alcohol that our lives had become unmanageable.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1  Hantsport @ Crosbie 8 pm	2  Kingston @ Middleton 8 pm	3	4	If you want to be added to the newsletter distribution list, pls send contact info to <a href="mailto:district17newsletter@gmail.com">district17newsletter@gmail.com</a>
6  St. Croix Open Discussion 7pm  	7	8  St.Croix @ Crosbie 8 pm	9  Aylesford @ Middleton 8 pm	10	11	12
13 Open Birthday meeting at St Croix: Willy K. 1 year Jeff S - 26 years Terri B-C - 22 years  	14	15  Windsor @ Crosbie 8 pm	16  Middleton @ Middleton 8 pm	17	18	19
20  Workshop 1:30 and District Meeting 2:30 pm at Wolfville meeting location	21	22  Gasperaux @ Crosbie 8 pm	23  Bridgetown @ Middleton 8 pm	24  Please have news letter information for February in today  	25 Open Birthday Meeting at Hantsport Don Mac – 9 years Melanie F. – 12 yrs  	26  Windsor Saturday Night Group OPEN Speaker Meeting 6:30pm  
27 Round-up meeting scheduled @ Brooklyn, 1.30. <b>Open to all!</b> We are looking to establish the THEME that will honor the 55 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of the highly favoured 2019 Three Mile Plains AA Round Up.	28	29  Brooklyn @ Crosbie 8 pm	30  Fundy @ Middleton 8 pm	31	Beginning January 2, 2019, the Downtown Windsor Morning Meeting at Harvest House will now be presenting the Joe and Charlie Tapes at their Monday, Wednesday and Friday meeting's until further notice.	



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## Recovery, Unity, Service

—these are the Three Legacies given to the whole membership of A.A. by its founders and their fellow oldtimers. When this heritage was announced, at the St. Louis Convention in 1955, celebrating A.A.'s 20th birthday, Doctor Bob was already gone. But Bill W. spoke for him and the other pioneers, as well as for himself, in turning over to all of us the responsibility for A.A.'s continuation and growth.

Simple service tasks have helped to develop confidence, a belief in one's own value and opinions, self-respect and self-worth. We have all found that participating in service activities has helped our recovery. Everyone in AA has some contribution to make. There are so many ways of practising our Twelfth Step. Some are talented in hospital or prison work, others can write to loners or answer telephones and some have abilities which lie in committee activities or sponsorship. But service is not just for a small number of experienced people. Each one of us has been surprised at the abilities which have emerged with a willingness to grow in service.

### The Unity Declaration reads:

This we owe to A.A.'s future: to place our common welfare first;  
to keep our Fellowship united.  
For on A.A. unity depend our lives and the lives of those to come.

### The Responsibility Statement reads:

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.

**DONATIONS TO DISTRICT 17** - Cheques are to be made out to "Alcoholics Anonymous District 17"  
**DISTRICT GROUP LIABILITY INSURANCE PROGRAM** - Cheque or money order to be made out to: **District 17 NS Inter-District**. Please ensure group name, number, and "D17 Group Insurance" is on the bottom left portion of the cheque. Any questions, please contact Pete L., [peteandpat9@gmail.com](mailto:peteandpat9@gmail.com)

### On Tradition One

One Our common welfare should come first personal recovery depends upon A.A. unity.

THE unity of Alcoholics Anonymous is the most cherished quality our Society has. Our lives, the lives of all to come, depend squarely upon it. We stay whole, or A.A. dies.

### Concept I

Final responsibility and ultimate authority for A.A. world services should always reside in the collective conscience of our whole Fellowship.

