

DOWNEAST INTERGROUP NEWS

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The Downeast Intergroup Committee is a group of AA members coming together in the spirit of fellowship to help carry the AA message by publishing a newsletter, sponsoring AA-oriented social events, and distributing AA literature. We support communication and participation between AA members, groups, and districts. www.downeastintergroup.org

STEERING COMMITTEE NEWS

Fliers have gone out for the Downeast Intergroup's Spring Fling! The event will be held on March 26 at the Bucksport Rod & Gun Club. There will be a speakers meeting at 6 PM, refreshments at 7 PM and a dance at 8 PM. There will be live music provided by the band Money Down. We're looking forward to an evening of great fun and fellowship!

Check out the DEIG website www.downeastintergroup.org. There are new and upcoming additions.

New meeting lists were mailed out to 100 groups. Thanks to Steve P. for taking on this time consuming endeavor!...In love and service, Donna K., Secretary

FROM DISTRICT 16 by JOE M.

The average years of sobriety at the Womens Old-timer Meeting was 26.16 years. These ladies shared a lot of Experience - what it was like. Strength - what happened and how they made it through the doors. Hope - keeping their Higher Power working – working their program and helping others through service work. A couple o speakers gave me a misty eye. There were 24 speakers for a total of 628 years. That's a hell of a lot of recovery, unity, and service. Thank you ladies.

District meeting was small. Let's get going people. Send your GSR to the district meeting. If you haven't a GSR, let's get one. Groups and meetings need to be informed about AA happenings. Is your group sending someone to the Spring Assembly? Do you know any of the agenda items? Help support your district – be part of it. At Feb 27 at 6 PM Belfast meeting, Dave J has 25 years.

Heard Around The Tables by Joe M.

The most important word in the 12 Steps is CONTINUED...

Did Step Four say: made a scorching and fearful moral inventory of ourselves? Did it?

MEETING CHANGE

The Friday Night Speakers Meeting in Millinocket is at 7 PM and not 8 PM at the Episcopal Church.

ROUNDUP FLYER IS OUT

Look for it at your group or go on the web at <http://roundup.area28.org>

Downeast Intergroup is hosting a Spring Fling on Saturday, March 26 with Live Music by the Band Money Down at the Bucksport Rod & Gun Club. Turn on to Central St. at MacLeod's Restaurant and drive out 4.3 miles. The club is on the left. Speaker Meeting at 6 PM, Refreshments at 7 PM to be followed by a dance from 8 – 11 PM with a \$5 donation for the dance. Come and join the fellowship for fun. See you there.

Did you know that the Trustees' Committee on Public Information for A.A. in the U.S. and Canada is still accepting video/digital submissions from the fellowship for the Young People Project? For more information go to www.aa.org.

What about the meeting list mailing from Steve P. Did your group get the meeting list? Was it forwarded to your group by the people from whom you rent your space? Does your group have a mailing address? P. O. Box? I hope you will take the time to respond to Steve P.

HOTLINE 207-479-1779

Next DEIG meeting: Monday, March 21 at Ellsworth Falls Congregational Church at 630 PM. Pick up meeting lists and literature before the meeting.

Cutoff date for April Newsletter is March 25. Be sure I get your news.

We also have another way to reach us, and a place where you can send contributions for ease