



CONSCIOUS CONTACT

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Detroit/Wayne County Office of AA

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Monthly Board Meetings: Third Thursday of every month at 5:30pm

General Membership Meetings: Fourth Thursday of even numbered months at 5:30pm

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Message from the Office:

AA of Detroit/Wayne County hopes that everyone enjoyed their Holidays and are prepared to move forward into 2020! We would like to express our gratitude to all groups and individuals who continue to provide financial support to AADWCCO (Intergroup Office), allowing us to keep the rent and bills up to date. Please continue to make group donations, honor the Birthday Club and Faithful Fivers so that the Office may best serve our community. We also ask that members observe the pie chart in the *Self-Support* pamphlet, indicating that 50% of group donations go to the local Intergroup office.

BIRTHDAY CLUB

Everyone enjoys recognition of their AA Birthday. Please extend your gratitude by donating \$1 per year of sobriety to the office. We will publish the year of each person who gives to this club in the next Conscious Contact. Happy Anniversary and many more!

FAITHFUL FIVERS

Faithful Fivers are members of the Fellowship who pledge donations of \$5.00 or more each month to the Office. All Faithful Fivers can receive an e-mail copy of the CONSCIOUS CONTACT. If you can join this very worthwhile cause please call, mail or bring your e-mail address with donation to the Office (4750 Woodward #311 Detroit, MI 48201).

Board of Trustee Openings

AADWCCO has Board openings for a Chairperson and Office Manager. We also need a volunteer to serve as a store clerk for literature sales. Those who have at least 2 years of sobriety and the willingness to step up to one of these vital positions, please attend the next General Membership Meeting on February 27, 2020 at 5:30pm

MCYPAA Conference

AADWCCO would like to thank all who supported us at the (Young People's) MCYPAA Conference by volunteering and though sales. We had a wonderful time, met some new friends and achieved our goal of providing literature. We look forward to the upcoming March Roundup and are preparing for the 2020 International Conference.

2020 International Conference

The countdown is on! Detroit hosts the 2020 International Conference July 2-5, 2020. Register at www.aa.org for \$115 per person until April 14th when the price increases to \$140. AADWCCO will sell conference approved literature at Cobo Hall (TCF Center) for GSO and Hazelden with other goodies at St. John's Episcopal Church (50 E. Fisher Fwy). We are recruiting volunteers to serve as greeters, hotline operators, order writers, baggers, literature stock and sales during the Convention. Training will be held monthly until June. Contact Jan at 313-831-2555 or sign up at a meeting with your name and phone number. Please join us in bringing the best Detroit has to offer to our AA guests from all over the world. We anticipate needing at least 80 volunteers to serve 2-3-hour shifts. Please consider being involved in this special service work.

Food for Thought

As December fades into our memory, let us keep in mind the 12th Tradition which states "Anonymity is the spiritual foundation of all our traditions, ever reminding us to place principles before personalities" While it also says on page 17 of the Big Book that "We are people who normally would not mix" it is important to remember that we are all we've got. Page 17 goes on to say that "there exists among us a fellowship, a friendliness, and an understanding which is indescribably wonderful." Let us please remember to treat each member of Alcoholics Anonymous with dignity and respect as we trudge the Road of Happy Destiny.