# Flint Area Unity Council Newsletter

F.A.U.C. Website: www.geneseecountyaa.org



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### The 10th Step

"Continued to take personal inventory and when we were wrong promptly admitted it" Page 59.

The goal of the 10th Step is in demonstrating to ourselves the ability to control our actions.

This happens through willingness and awareness of every moment of our day. We no longer have the excuse of partiality of reality; we are what we are because we choose to be.

The 10th Step isn't out of our reach in thinking or behavior. Awareness of our thoughts before actions is the essence of 'continued to take personal inventory'. It is critical to a thriving responsibility in nature personal only to our self, but in action treats others with the respect and love we have been building in ourselves.

We now perceive that this physic change in us is more about a new way of life than that it's been a long time coming. And that's how we continue to progress through change.

Pages 59, 84-85 Big Book quotes reprinted by permission of A.A.W.S.

29th Annual Mackinac Island Fall Weekend October 13 – 15, 2017. Info at www.AALansingMl.org.

### MCYPAA 39 2017 Michigan Convention of Young People

November 24/26, 2017. Info

www.geneseecountyaa .org and http://mcypaa.org

### **Announcements**

The October 15th, 2017 F.A.U.C. meeting will be hosted by the Eye Opener Group at the Arid Club, 715 East Street, Flint.

"And we have ceased fighting anything or anyoneeven alcohol. For by this time sanity will have returned. We will seldom be interested in liquor. If tempted, we recoil from it as from a hot flame. We react sanely and normally, and we will find that this has happened automatically. We will see that our new attitude toward liquor has been given us without any thought or effort on our part. It just comes! That is the miracle of it. We are not fighting it, neither are we avoiding temptation. We feel as though we had been placed in a position of neutrality—safe and protected. We have not even sworn off. Instead, the problem has been removed. It does not exist for us. We are neither cocky nor are we afraid. That is how we react so long as we keep in fit spiritual condition." Page 84-85,

### **Need Volunteer** Action

The Special Needs Committee needs a Chair. Call Deborah B, 810-493-5312 for details. The Young People's

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Volunteers needed for the Corrections Committee, Call George W, 810-624-2772 for details.

The Literature Traveling Display will come to your group for information and sales. Please contact James P. at 313-616-3703 to schedule your group

## Co chair Doug G. 810-410-7458 CPC- Cooperation with the Professional Community: Chair - Richard B 810-938-9755 Co chair Bob W. 810-814-7988 Corrections; Chair George W. 810 – 624 - 2772 Grapevine: Chair

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- FLINT AREA UNITY COUNCIL AIMS AND PURPOSES

  1. To promote Unity among Flint Area
  A.A., and harmony with Al-Anon and
  Ala-teen groups
  2. To exchange group ideas.
  3. The G.S.R.'s and Alternates shall act as trusted servants of their groups.
  4. Each group shall be represented by a G.S.R. or Alternate. One vote per Group shall be allowed in the determining matter of policy and action affecting the groups.
  (Committee persons are allowed one vote.)
  5. To continue advancement of Twelve Step work and sponsorship.

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  6. To help financially any member group of this Council who needs help. A two-thirds majority vote will pass on any such loans which shall not be in excess of sixty days.
  7. The Twelve Traditions and Twelve Concepts of A.A. shall prevail at all times.
  8. No monies will be spent or sent out of the Council area without a two-thirds majority vote of the groups that have paid into the council in the last three months. If they are not present they will be contacted for a vote on the issue within one week.
  9. The Council will create service committees and be financially responsible for them.
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Note: F.A.U.C. Aims and Purposes in the entirety may be read on the website <u>geneseecountyaa.org.</u> "Any group or district of the Fellowship is free to use the symbol of a circle and triangle on newsletters, meeting schedules or other A.A. material." From "The A.A. SERVICE MANUAL Combined With the TWELVE CONCEPTS for WORLD SERVICE by Bill W. page S41, reprinted by permission of A.A.W.S.

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### Flint Area Open Speaker Meetings \*

\* = Addresses of Locations can be found in the F.A.U.C. Meeting Book.

\*\* = With a Potluck Dinner.

October 2017

Thur 5 7 pm Van Slyke Fri 6 12 noon Arid Club

8:30 pm Clover School Lapeer

Sat 7 7:30 pm Eastside St Mary's 8 pm St Jude's Fenton

8 pm Episcopal Church Owosso

Sun 8 7 pm St Andrews 7:30 pm Arid Club

Fri 13 8:30 pm Clover School Lapeer Sat 14 7:30 pm Eastside St Mary's

8 pm St Jude's Fenton

8 pm Episcopal Church Owosso

Sun 15 FAUC Meeting

11:30 am; Committees

12:30 pm General Assembly –Arid Club

7 pm St Andrews 7:30 pm Arid Club

Fri 20 8:30 pm Clover School Lapeer

Sat 21 7:30 pm Eastside St Mary's 8 pm St Jude's Fenton

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Sun 22 7 pm St Andrews

7:30 pm Arid Club

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Mon 30 7 pm Montrose HOPE



GOOD NEWS PEOPLE, IT'S NIGHTLY INVENTORY TIME!

This is People's in Inventory calling to let everyone know I'm sick of Inventorying.



### October 2017

### FAUC Meetings; Date: Place: Group

Oct. 15: Arid Cub: Eye Opener. Nov. 19: Arid Club: Torrey Road Group.

Dec. 17: Local 659: Van Slyke Group.

There are currently two motions of F.A.U.C. business that Group participation is being requested on. Below are the two motions which will be voted on during the October 15, 2017 F.A.U.C. meeting. GSR's are asked to take these motions to their Groups and relay the Group input to the F.A.U.C.

## Flint Area Unity Council District 12 of CMIA 32 in Region VI of A.A.

General Service Representative (GSR) Survey:

Group Name: GSR:

GSR's: Discuss with your group the following matter for an F.A.U.C. vote..

Then please attend the next F.A.U.C. meeting on October  $15^{th}$ , 2017 at the Arid Club, 715 East Street, Flint at 12:30 pm when the vote will take place.

If you or an alternate are unable to attend, please mail this survey to:

Flint Area Unity Council P.O. Box 465 Flint, MI 48501 By October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

Should the Flint Area Unity Council meetings be moved from Sundays to Saturdays in 2018? Also, please state a time you would prefer the F.A.U.C. Committee meetings to begin one hour prior to the General Assembly of the Flint Area Unity Council.

Thank You!

YES	TIME	NO

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Should the Flint Area Unity Council Annual Picnic be moved from the Flushing County Park on 4417 N. McKinley Road, Flushing to the Bluebell Beach, 5500 Bray Road, Flint? Bluebell Beach has no admission charge, free parking, NO lifeguard and NO smoking allowed. Please check the box under your group's answer.

Thank You!

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They're not really Hard-To-Find books. It's just the Daily Inventory's in procrastination mode.



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### A.A Treasurer's addresses:



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