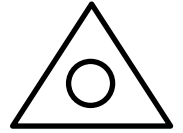


Florida North District 8 – Panel 61

Serenity Messenger May, 2022



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2022 Calendar

Area 9 Assembly – 6/24-26
 Alateen Conference – Aug 2022
 NFL Area Convention – 08/26-28
 D8 Workshops - Open
 D8 Gratitude Dinner – Open
 D8 Holiday Party – Dec
 Internat’l Convention – June 2023

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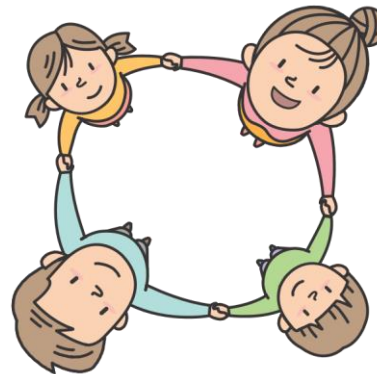
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Sharing Your Experience, Strength and Hope

Our District has the need for Al-Anon and Alateen members to speak at various meetings here in Hillsborough County. Our Speaker Seeker, Howie, sent a request stating that the D8 list of speakers is not currently growing and he is finding it difficult to help Groups who have requested a speaker. Howie said “Just joining my list does not obligate you to speak at any particular meeting or within any particular time frame. It will just get you an email when I have a request, and you only need to respond if you are available and interested.”

I did a little research for this article by going to the Al-Anon website (www.alanon.org) and accessing the Members – Guidelines section. I especially liked how Guideline G-1 “Members Interested in Speaking” summed up the benefits of sharing and closed with a section titled: Share Joyfully. Think about sharing your joy and contact Howie to add your name to our volunteer list.



Principle Corner

Step 12 says we practice the Principles in all our affairs. This is the fifth month of sharing a view of some members. Work Step 5 again with your sponsor or talk about it in a meeting this month and see if you can add your own principles to this list.

STEP FIVE:

- TRUTH
- INTEGRITY
- TRUST
- HUMILITY
- WILLINGNESS
- AWARENESS



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Group News

COURAGE TO CHANGE – SUN 6:30 PM: Celebrating their 20 Year Anniversary! They are inviting everyone to attend an Anniversary Speaker meeting on Sunday, May 15th. They meet in the portable at All Saints Lutheran Church, 5315 Van Dyke Rd, Lutz.

SERENITY AT SUNSET – MON 7:30 PM: This group started in May, 1998 and is happy to celebrate their 24th Year Anniversary. They have decided to celebrate with a party all month long during each meeting in May. Please come and join them at the meeting hall at the Church of the Resurrection, 7509 Van Dyke Road, Odessa. Members have volunteered to “host” the event and bring special treats.

Answering Service

We need Answering Service Volunteers for the following remaining months of 2022: July and August. Normally a Meeting Group will commit to handling a specific month, and assign a designated week to a member of the meeting group. Once a commitment is confirmed, I will forward the necessary files and instructions on working the Answering Service

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