



District 11 Newsletter September 2011



Group Reports & Birthdays

Blaine International-Birthdays last Friday 8 pm and our meeting starts at 7:30pm.

Birthdays for September: 25 Years: Kim B, 12 Years: Pauline H., 2 Years: Raymond P & Rudy A., 1 year: Mary.

Bellingham Group-Birthdays are celebrated on the last Thursday @ 7:00 PM. The Bellingham Group has a womens' meeting on every Saturday at 9:30 am. it's a closed meeting.

Birthdays for September: 32 Years: Fred E;18 years: Shane B;10 years: Caroline;4 years: Lori S;1 year: Chuck .

Custer's Last Stand- The Custer's Last stand Big Book study on Saturday at 6pm is going to be held on Saturdays at 6pm at 8128 Custer School Rd starting on Saturday June 18th. Also the Wed night meeting will be changed to 7:30 as soon as we can get it in the schedule. Please check the schedules for the meeting times, or call the group # if you have questions.

Birthdays for September:

Deming Group-Our business meeting is on the second Monday of the month at 6:30pm. We have our meeting from 7:18 to 8:30 pm. Afterward, you can join us at the Nooksack River Casino's \$5.40 buffet for after meeting fellowship.

Dry Dock-Our business meeting is the third Monday of the month at 6:15pm. Birthday meeting last Sunday at 3:30.

Birthdays for September:

Everson Group-Every Friday come see us! Birthdays 3rd Fri. at 7:30. We could really use your support.

Fairhaven Group- The Fairhaven Group is having a picnic this year! It's going to be held on September 16th at Marine Park in Fairhaven. All Fairhaven meetings are closed except for our Birthday Meeting which occurs on the 3rd Thursday of the month. Our business meeting is the first Sunday of the month at 6:15 p.m. Hope to see you at Fairhaven! The Fairhaven Group is continuing our Summer Concepts study on Saturday Nights at 7p, please ask for location information. All Fairhaven meetings are closed except for our Birthday Meeting which occurs on the 3rd Thursday of the month. Our business meeting is the first Sunday of the month at 6:15 p.m. Hope to see you at Fairhaven!

Birthdays for September: 26 years: Chuck N, 19 years: Kaly G, 1 year: Noah J.

Ferndale Unity Group-Birthdays are celebrated the last Saturday of the month at 8 PM

Birthdays for September: 25years:Rod S.; 11years:Bryan R.; 10years:Robert W.;5years:Rick E.; 4years: Kerrie M.; 2years:Jessica T., Felicia G., Stan D.; 1year:Angela L., Jason R., Anthony C., Karen D

Grateful Hearts-Birthday mtg. last Monday at 5:30pm. We welcome women new and old in Whatcom County at 5:30 on Mondays. It is a 1 hour meeting and a good way to fellowship. Church is closed on holidays.

Into Action-Birthday meetings will be the 4th Tues. at 7:30pm. Great speaker meetings every Saturday at 7:30pm!

Birthdays for September: 30 yrs Linda K.; 24 yrs Dave H.; 22 yrs Rod R. Bill W. ; 5yrs Alex M.

Lawrence-Every Tuesday 7:30-8:30 pm.

Lummi Island Group Call Barb 383-7636 or Lucy 758-4004 for more detailed directions.

Lummi Nation Care Meeting-Our meetings have been growing. Thank you for your support.

Lynden Group-Birthday Meeting is last Thursday at 7pm.

Birthdays for September: 25years: Tom I.

Maple Falls Group-Big Book study Wednesday at 7pm. Topic meeting Saturday at 7pm. Hope to see you there!

Nooksack Group

Nice POTLUCK each First Thursday of the month before meeting at 6:30 followed by games then the meeting...Besides this we all our grateful to have a place to meet and as always feel free to drop in Sunday Evening is a good 12 by 12 at 7:00

Committee Reports * Committee Meetings

District Committee Member (DCM)- Dylan S.

Hello friends, i want to thank our district committee for all their enthusiasm and willingness to step up and host the pre-assembly for the northern districts. it was a good time. we have one more month(september) to discuss the motions on the assembly agenda with our home groups. let us remember to keep it simple and to share our enthusiasm with those willing to listen. discussing motions at the home group level can be challenging, to say the least. but i have faith that we are well equipped to help foster a well informed group conscience.
love and service
dylan sielicki

Alt District Committee Member - Eric S.

Archives-Christine K-Archivist/ Andrea C

Accessibility- Meryl M

We are bringing meetings to Gina, who is in the Lincoln Square Apartments, on Wednesdays at 5:30. If you are interested in being of service, please contact me at 360-223-6545 or accessibility@whatcomaa.org. There are also volunteer forms that you can fill out at your home group if you would like to be a volunteer for our committee. We are working on contacting nursing and assisted living homes in the area. We also have a new position on our committee: Liason to the Deaf Community. Please come to our committee meeting which is the first Thursday at 5:30 at Northwest Hall.
Thanks, Meryl

Corrections & Treatment- Josh C.

Grapevine & Literature- Andy J.

Phone Service Committee- Jeff W.

Schedules-Kimberly B./Harlow

Public Information/Cooperation with the Professional Community (PI/CPC) - John

Third Legacy- Randel P.

Greetings District 11. Cassie and I are working on a presentation called "Anonymity and Electronic Media." We have not picked a date yet, but hope to put the workshop on in September. This will deal with Traditions and AA members' use of Facebook, etc. As always, Cassie and I are available to help Home Groups conduct Group inventories, write motions (for the District or Area), and generally respond to questions on service related issues. We are here to serve, so please feel free to ask for our assistance.

Randel P
3rd legacy Dude

Group Business Meetings

- Bellingham Group**-First Tues. of the month at 6:30 pm
- Blaine International**-Second Fri. of the month at 6:30 pm
- Dry Dock**-Third Mon. of the month 6:05 pm
- Custer Group**-First Sun. of the month at 5:30 pm
- Everson Group**-Second Fri. of the month at 7:30 pm
- Fairhaven Group**-First Sunday of the month at 6:15 pm
- Ferndale Group**-First Sat. of the month at 6:30 pm
- Grateful Hearts**-First Monday of the month at 6:30 pm
- Into Action**-First Tues. of the month at 6:30 pm
- Lynden Group**-First Thurs. of the month at 8:30 pm
- Maple Falls Group**-First Wed. of the month at 8pm
- Nooksack Group**-Second Mon. of the month at 8 pm
- Nooksack Women's Group**- 2nd Fri of the month at 5pm
- Northwest Group**-Second Thurs. of the month at 6:30 pm
- Our Primary Purpose**-First Wed. of the month at 7 pm
- S.O.S.**-First Wed. of the month at 8:45 pm
- Southside Group**-Second Sat. of the month at 8:15 am
- Sumas**-Third Tuesday at 8:00 pm
- Third Legacy**-First Monday of the month at 5:30 pm
- Women In the Solution**- First Tuesday of the Month at 5:30pm
- York Meeting**- First Friday of the month at 5:30 pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

For Details about the Following Events and more, go to whatcomaa.org and see the full flyers and all the details

The York Group is moving!
The New Location is 206 Prospect St in Downtown Bellingham.
1st Meeting in New Location will be on Friday, September 2, 2011

Come to a

Camping Party!



2011 Third legacy Annual Camp Out

September 26, 27 and 28th
Birch Bay State Park 5105 Helwig Road
Blaine, Wa 98230

Come out and have a great weekend. Dust off your camping gear and sharpen your marshmallow sticks. Bring your food, friends, and games! There will also be a potluck/bonfire followed by a meeting on Saturday.

***Reserve your spot now space is limited. The group campout is \$25/tent plus one vehicle and as many people as you can squeeze in that tent! All non campers must leave before sunset when the gates get locked up or pay a \$10 parking fee. All checks can be made out to "Third Legacy" and given to Veronica Husby or Nathan Spencer.**

For more information you can contact Nathan S. Ph: 360-305-1419 Email: nathaniel887@hotmail.com

OPP PICNIC

SEPTEMBER 20, 12-5PM

LAKE PADDEN
EAST ENTRANCE BY KIDS
PLAYGROUND IN PICNIC SHELTER

No Reservations Speaker Meeting

9/3/11 7:00pm

Edie C. from Camp Verde, Arizona
17311 Reservation Road, La Conner
Swinonmish Gymnasium

**FERNDALE UNITY 40TH ANNIVERSARY
BBQ & PICNIC
SEPTEMBER 20, 1-4PM, ON NOOKSACK
AT SMOKESTACK**

Nooksack Women's Group

Our Business meeting is the 3rd wed of the month @4:30 also in Sept. is our one year of being an active A.A group and we need support so we are having a coffee/cookie fellowship to honor this in conclusion we are also having Bithday meeting's the 4th wed. of the month. so Sept 14 @ 4:00 we are going to have our fellowship w/ coffee and cookies. Thank-you for your service... Julie.A:)

Northwest Group- Birthday meeting is 3rd Saturday of each month at 6:30pm (September 17th) Business meeting is 2nd Thursday of each month at 6:30PM (September 8th).

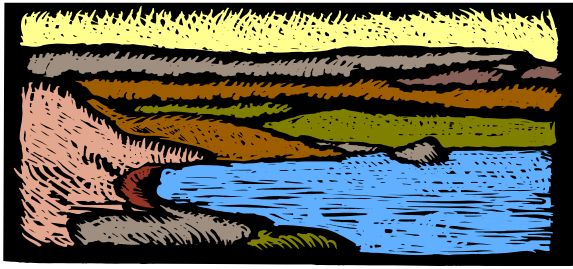
Birthdays for September: BIRTHDAYS for September: 30 years- Tim C., John G., 29 years- Loanne S., 26 years- Robert F., 24 years- Tonya H., David H., 23 years- Austin O., 21 years- Mike J., Sandra M., 20 years- John M., Scott F., Terry D., 14 years- Wayne G., 13 years- Tom M., 11 years- Pauli S., 10 years- Justin Q., 9 years- Floyd S., 8 years- Don Y., Tony A., 7 years- Ed G., 6 years- Marty W., Debbie L., Carlos C., Brad F., Ryan W., Donna A., Torri M., 5 years- Clark B., Chris Z., Mark J., Bob T., Falcon G., Jason M., 4 years- Dale S., Tami E., Tony P., Rebecca G., Danya J., Dorian, Trenton M., John S., Don S., 3 years- Bradley K., Michael B., Gina W., Cherish L., Edward C., Rodney, Lashelle J., Rafael L., George S., James B., Gary P., 2 years- Gary C., Vera M., Autumn R., Jim K., 1 year- Cody K., Mason S., Arron D., Sara B., Ben K., Chris H., Amanda M.

Our Primary Purpose-OPP Business Meeting is held on the first Wed of the month at 7:00pm. OPP celebrates birthdays on the actual date of sobriety. Speakers Meeting is on the third Thursday of the month at 7:00pm

Birthdays for September: 59years: Martin C.;3years: Austin O.; 19years: Nancy P.;10years: Ken B.; 9years: Dennis H.; 7years: Chris H.; 5years:Andrew W.; 3years: Scott W, Janice K., 2years: Rachel R.; 1year: Katie s., Lisa B., Renae

SOS (Men's Group)-Birthdays are celebrated weekly

Birthdays for September: 20years: Don L.



Southside Group- Thank you to everyone who came to support the Southside Annual Picnic! What a great day of good food and fellowship. Hope to see everyone next year!

Our Business Meeting for September will be Sept. 20th at 8 p.m. Our Birthday Meeting for September will be Sept. 27th at 7 p.m.

Thanks and gratitude go to the Dry Dock group for the cooperation and support Southside received during these past several months of co-habitation in our hall. Calm seas and safe winds, our friends, as you return to your hall by the bay! Dry Dock will be sadly missed...however we are all excited for the group that can now resume its own schedule and activity – Best of Luck! Remember...Southside is always excited to have new members. Please join us at our Home Group meeting if you are interested in service and support. We currently have open service positions available!

Birthdays for September: 30years: John G; 24years:Joe M; 23years: Suzanne W; 21years:Clayton P, Craig O.; 11years: Tammy S.; 9years: James T; 7years: Kim B, Kristina S.; 4years: Pam J; 3 years: Guy H; 1year: Sam K, Matt H, Barb K

Sumas-Birthdays mtgs. are the last Tues. at 7 pm. Sumas is alive & sober! Come and join us for some GREAT sobriety.

Birthdays for September: 7years:Charlotte R

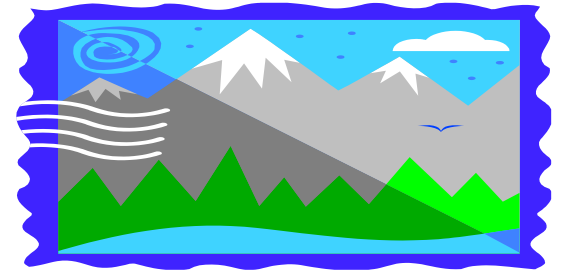
Sudden Valley Group- New meeting in Sudden Valley, Book Study, Lake Whatcom Blvd to Gate 2, follow signs to Community Center Barn

Third Legacy- Birthdays are celebrated each week, childcare is available.

Birthdays for September:.

Women in the Solution- Birthdays are celebrated each week. Childcare is available.

York Group The York Group has a new meeting place starting Sept. 2, 2011, the address is 206 Prospect St in downtown Bellingham. It's a great new place with a great parking lots and plenty of room for all. Come check it out!



September 2011 September

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
For District 11 information go to: www.whatcomaa.org				1	2	3 Detox- No Reservations Speaker Meeting, La Conner, 7pm
4	5 Phone Service Mtg 7pm OPP	6	7 Visions-	8 Detox-	9	10 Detox Grapevine & Lit. 10 am Ferndale Unity
11	12	13 Detox- St. Joe's- contact Rob H. 360-305-2909	14 Visions- District 11 GSR Mtg. 6:30 at OPP	15 Detox- PI/CPC Mtg- 5:30 at NW Group	16	17 Detox- OPP Picnic 12-5pm Ferndale Unity Picnic and Anniversary 1-4
18	19	20 Detox- St. Joe's- contact Rob H. 360-305-2909	21 Visions	22 Detox- C&T Meeting- 5:30 at NW Group	23 3rd Legacy Campout	24 Detox- 3rd Legacy Campout
25 3rd Legacy Campout	26	27 Detox- St. Joe's- contact Rob H. 360-305-2909	27	29	30	For information about quarterly committee meetings and area events go to www.area72aa.org