

Al – Anon Alive

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AFG OF SOUTHEASTERN WISCONSIN
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WWW.ALANON -WI.ORG

Service Center Hours

Mon 10am-7:30pm
Wed/Fri 10am-4pm
Sat 9am-noon

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HOTLINE NEWS!

Would you like to volunteer, but can't because of your busy schedule? The phone Hotline is a way you can help from your home. We are now able to forward the Service Center phone to your home so you can take calls at your convenience when the Service Center is closed. The procedure is very simple, and you can set your own hours. Call Linda D. at (414) 257-2415 for details.

HOTLINE SCHEDULE

The Hotline is being hosted a few evenings each month.

Every Wednesday Evening – Anne Marie B.
2nd Thursday Evening – Franklin Serenity AFG
3rd Thursday Evening – No Saints AFG
4th Thursday Evening - Anonymous

We would like someone to host the hotline every day or evening that the Service Center is closed. This is an easy way to reach out to newcomers inquiring about Al-Anon.

If you would like to take calls from newcomers at your home, please call Linda at (414) 257-2415 for details. The process is simply rewarding.

SERVICE CENTER HIGHLIGHTS – OCTOBER 2006

By **Linda D.**

I really like October. It seems that we usually have an ‘Indian Summer’, then right around Halloween it turns chilly. I love seeing the beautiful Fall colors; feeling the warm sun and the cool breeze; hearing the fallen leaves scattering down the street in the wind. That’s when I know it’s truly Autumn. It reminds me to be grateful to my Higher Power for the 5 senses He has given me. Gratitude is a big part of my program. It helps me to get off the “pity pot” and be a more positive human being.

VOLUNTEER CORNER

The Service Center has been blessed with many volunteers sharing their time and talent. The volunteers are so vital to the daily operations of the Service Center. Without all of the volunteer help we receive, we would not be able to provide the level of service that we do now. Welcome back John S. and Mary B.K. We appreciate you!

Thank you very much to all the VIVs (Very Important Volunteers) who helped out in August.

Beverly S.	Rebecca T.	Erika S.*	Mary G.	Kathy G.	Mary K.
Sid J.	Maureen S.	Jaye R.	Liz O.	Debbie B.	Carole E.
Mar H.	Sandy B.	Karen P.	Jean G.	John S.	Mary B.K.

*These people volunteered more than once in the month

We need volunteer help on the 1st and 4th Saturdays of every month. Without someone at the Service Center, we may have to be closed on those days. If you would like an opportunity to serve the fellowship by helping at the Service Center, call Linda at (414) 257-2415. It’s fun, it’s easy; no experience needed!

NEWS

We recently found out that there is Milwaukee Metro Bus service to within 2 blocks of Summit Place. Route 76 runs along 70th Street, and stops at Washington Street.

The Service Center is open on Thursday evenings from 4:00 to 7:00p.m. We hope this is a convenient time for you to come in and purchase literature or drop off donations.

Medium size plastic shopping bags are needed at the Service Center. Please do not bring the extra large bags, as we can’t use that size.

Have a wonderful Autumn!

SERVICE CENTER REPORT FOR AUGUST 2006

Voice Mail Calls	62
Messages Left	39
Hotline Calls Received	1
New People to Al-Anon	8
Literature Packs Mailed	24
Directories Only Mailed	4
Calls From Members	47
12-Step Calls Delegated	2
Calls from Counselors/Schools	3
Calls referred to other programs	2
Business Calls Received	8
Faxes Received	None
Faxes Sent	4
E-Mail Received	62
E-Mail Sent	116
Literature Orders Sent	12
Beginner Meeting Attendees	68

Additional Service Center Hours
The Service Center will be open on Thursdays beginning September 7, 2006
4:00pm to 6:00pm
These hours are for a trial period to determine if there is interest having the Service Center open an additional evening each week.

MEETING NIGHT	<i>FACILITATOR/GROUP</i>	CONTACT PERSON	<i>PHONE</i>
First Monday	Franklin Serenity	Nancy D.	(414) 764-5897
Second Monday	Sunday AM Pass It On	Jaye R.	(262) 782-5727
Third Monday	Pewaukee Serenity	VACANT	
Fourth Monday	Mon. Morning New Attitudes AND Brookfield Courage To Change	Kathy M. AND Gail S.	Kathy M. (262) 366-6767 Gail (262) 513-1830
Fifth Monday, when there is one	Back to Basics	Julie	(262) 369-8391

9/01/06

SUMMIT PLACE PARKING

The Summit Place parking structure is open and available for visitor parking. The parking structure is 1 block East of Summit Place on the North side of Washington Street. We may park in any spot that is not "Reserved". There is a skywalk from the parking structure to the Summit Place building on level 3. There is also one row of outside parking on the East and West sides of the parking structure.

Additional parking is available in the following locations.

- The small lots in front of Summit Place on the East and West sides of the building,
- Across the street from Summit Place along the West side of the large white building.
- In the city lot at the East end of Washington Street.
- Parking spots are also available on Washington Street

We are not allowed to park in the large lot to the West of Summit Place, as that lot is for the West Allis Center building. Please observe parking signs, and do not park in lots assigned to businesses other than Summit Place. Cars parked by visitors to Summit Place may be ticketed or towed from lots that are assigned to other businesses.

BOOK COVERS AVAILABLE AT THE SERVICE CENTER

\$2.00 EA. FITS DAILY READERS

\$3.50 EA. FITS LARGE SIZE BOOKS

The Service Center is in need of more book covers. If you would like to make some, they will gladly be accepted. Fabric is available for you to use, or you can use your own.

Thank you!

JUST A NOTE - EASY DOES IT

The Al-Anon office will gladly accept your personal check or a money order for group donations and literature purchases. If you want to mail in your check for donations, instead of bringing in all those quarters and dollar bills, be sure to include your group name on the check so we can list it in the Al-Anon Alive. Checks should be made out to "AFG of SE Wisconsin." **THANK YOU!**

Messages From The Service Board

Please, Help Yourself...

When I hear these words, I envision a generous host at a gathering offering me the last morsel of food from the tray or my days in college when I came home to realize that Mom's home cooking was truly something special. These caring actions by close friends and family settled my hunger for a short time, but I came to realize that if I wanted to settle my hunger on a daily basis, I had better use the cooking skills that Mom taught me.

The same is true in Al-Anon.

When we get to Al-Anon, many of us are obsessed with trying to help others. Years of coping with alcoholics has convinced us that the daily discourse happening around us, that our misery has been caused by others, so naturally we attempt to help them. We so clearly see the faults of others, especially the alcoholic's, that we are happy to overlook our own faults in order to provide these poor people with the help that they so desperately need. Al-Anon teaches us that it is time to *learn how to cook*.

As we get healthier in our program, we learn to depend on people in a healthier way. Instead of feeling like a doormat, the mutual aid we provide helps us as much as it helps others. We realize what a wonderful resource we have in our literature. Our once distorted views begin to clear up and the promises of a more serene outlook and deeper feeling of self-worth start to become fulfilled.

In our little corner of the world, our cooperative of Al-Anon groups provides an awesome resource for self-help in our Literature Distribution Center/Service Center at Summit Place in West Allis. It is very close to the freeway (just a few blocks south of the 70th Street exit from I-94) and the new surroundings and café atmosphere in the atrium of Summit Place make this a very pleasant place to come and spend some time. If you have not been to the Service Center yet, the new hours on Thursday evenings and continued hours on Monday evenings along with daytime hours on M-W-F-Sa will hopefully make this possible.

The daily reading of conference approved literature has been instrumental to my recovery in Al-Anon and has helped me to improve my *cooking* skills dramatically. Find what your Al-Anon Service Center has to offer you. Oh, and please, help yourself...

I warmly invite you and your guests for Stepping Under the Stars, the Recovery Dinner (formerly the Spaghetti Dinner) and open speaker meeting at St. Mary's in Waukesha on October 28th. Good speakers, good friends, good food, and just plain good *cooking* are the forecast.

Grateful in Service,

Paul K.
Assistant Chairperson

NO Way - YA - Ways and Means

By Denise M

I want to first start out by saying I am very honored to be The Ways & Means Chairperson for The Al-Anon SE WI Service Center for the next two years. I will do my best in coordinating fund-raising events and activities to help support intergroup activities. With the first event just around the corner, I am very enthusiastic about how many groups are jumping in and volunteering to make the 2006 Recovery Dinner (aka the Spaghetti Dinner), a HUGH success. Flyers are available. See the Al-Anon Alive, our web site: <http://www.alanon-wi.org/>, your ISR or call the SE WI Service Office (414) 257-2415. With that being said I want to pass along the details I have so far.

What: 2006 Recovery Dinner - Stepping with the Stars

When: October 28th. 6:30pm dinner, 8:00pm speakers.

Where: St Mary's Parish, 225 S Hartwell Ave, Waukesha, WI

Cost: \$10.00 in advance, \$12.00 at the door. Alateens: \$8.00 in advance, \$10.00 at the door.

I am so thrilled about the speaker line up this year. I have had the pleasure of listening to all of their stories and each speaker has a GREAT message. Speaker tapes will be available.

Alateen: Brittany A, Chicago, IL

AA: Stuart T, Chicago, IL

Al-Anon: Geneva B, Chicago, IL

As we have had many groups step up to get this event off the ground. There is plenty of service work still available for any group/person looking to do service. Please contact me, if you care to join in. (414) 422-0533 or Denise_Marisch@efunds.com.

Main Course: Sunday Night Pewaukee Serenity. The main dish this year will be a Taco Bar.

Side Course: Waukesha 12 & 12

Dessert Table: Monday Night Brookfield Courage to Change

Coffee and Beverages: Franklin Serenity

Paper Products: Monday Morning Burlington - and lake Geneva Stepping Stones

Drawing Donations: Stilling Open for a Group to head up

Literature Sales: Service Board Literature Chairperson - Rachel L

Baby-sitting - Morgan S.

Dinner Ticket and Money Collection - Friends of Lois

Set up: East-side Monday Night

Clean up: Wales Hope and Recovery

Alateen Entertainment: Sunday Night Courage to be Me

A few fun tricks up my sleeve: Open and looking for accomplices.

Without even resting and taking a breathe, The 2007 Snow Ball is just around the corner. I will have some details to hand out to the ISR's at the next Intergroup Service Meeting on September 28th, 2006.

Lov'n Service

**Summary of Group Donations
8/1/06 Through 8/31/06**

Back To Basics	60.51
Brown Deer Monday Night	20.00
Bus Project 2006	270.17
CoffeeSoda	1.00
Enlightenment	50.00
Franklin Serenity	105.25
Friday Night Couples	100.00
Greendale Courage To Change	20.40
Hopefuls	5.00
How To Club	56.00
Intergroup	51.00
Key To Serenity	60.00
New Hope Jackson Park	5.00
No Saints	86.00
Pewaukee Serenity	159.75
Port Washington Friday	26.21
Service Center Beginners Meeting	43.00
Slinger Monday Night	40.00
Stepping Stones Lake Geneva	70.00
Steps of Hope	8.60
Sunday Morning Pass It On	60.00
Sunday Night Surrender	100.75
Thursday Afternoon Discussion	50.00
Tuesday Night Hales Corners	44.00
Twelve Steppers	96.00
OVERALL TOTAL	1,588.64

*** Income/Expense
8/1/06 Through 8/31/06**

INCOME

Coffee and Soda	2.00
Donations	1,628.64
Literature	4,901.01
Medallions	14.00

TOTAL INCOME 6,545.65

EXPENSES

Ads	1,550.00
Convention-Seminar Rep	40.00
Payroll	1,072.37
Postage and Delivery	152.53
Purchase Literature	2,533.02
Purchase Medallions	22.93
Rent-Office	892.60
Tax, Business	857.19
Utilities, Bus	128.94

TOTAL EXPENSES 7,249.58

OVERALL TOTAL -703.93

OCTOBER 2006

	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
Al-Anon Svc.Ctr Hours: Monday 10:00-7:30 Wed. & Fri. 10:00-4:00 Thurs 4:00 - 7:00 Saturday 9:00-Noon Telephone 414-257-2415 Please find a substitute if you are unable to come at your scheduled time. Thank You!	2 10:00 - 1:00 Kathy G. 1:00 - 4:00 VACANT 4:00 - 7:30 VACANT	3 CLOSED	4 10:00- 1:00 Beverly S. 1:00 - 4:00 VACANT	5 OPEN 4:00 - 7:00 Jaye R. and Mary N.	6 10:00 - 1:00 Cathy H. 1:00 - 4:00 Erika S.	7 VACANT
	9 10:00-1:00 Maureen S. 1:00-4:00 VACANT 4:00 - 7:30 VACANT	10 CLOSED	11 10:00-1:00 Mary K. 1:00-4:00 VACANT	12 OPEN 4:00 - 7:00 Jaye R. and Mary N.	13 10:00-1:00 VACANT 1:00-4:00 Erika S.	14 9:00-12:00 Karen P. and Sid J.
16 10:00-1:00 VACANT 1:00-4:00 VACANT 4:00 - 7:30 VACANT	17 CLOSED	18 10:00- 1:00 Carole E. 1:00-4:00 VACANT	19 OPEN 4:00 - 7:00 Jaye R. and Mary N.	20 10:00- 1:00 VACANT 1:00-4:00 Liz O.	21 9:00- 12:00 Debbie B.	
23 10:00-1:00 Jean G. 1:00-4:00 Dolores W. 4:00 - 7:30 VACANT	24 CLOSED	25 10:00- 1:00 Mar H. 1:00-4:00 VACANT	26 OPEN 4:00 - 7:00 Gini K.	27 10:00- 1:00p Sandra B. 1:00-4:00 Erika S.	28 9:00- 12:00 VACANT	
30 10:00-1:00 VACANT 1:00-4:00 VACANT 4:00 - 7:30 VACANT	31 CLOSED					

The Service Board for Al-Anon Family Groups of Southeastern Wisconsin, Inc. meets on the 4th Thursday (6:30pm) of every even-numbered month (Feb., April, etc.) Meetings are held at the Al-Anon Service Center at Summit Place, 6737 W. Washington St., 2nd Floor Conference Room, West Allis WI 53214 (off 70th St., between I-94 and Greenfield Ave.) Chairperson position is for up to two 1-year terms, all other Service Board positions are for a two-year term. The prerequisite for becoming a Service Board member is either one year as ISR or 2 years in Al-Anon with service at the group level.

Meeting Schedule

August 24, 2006
October 26, 2006
December 28, 2006

SERVICE BOARD MEMBERS

CHAIRPERSON	TRACY A.	(414) 704-0769
ASSISTANT CHAIRPERSON	JAYE R.	(262) 782-5727
SECRETARY	ANGELA B.	(262) 538-0771
AA LIAISON	CHRISTI C.	(414) 476-7418
<u>AL-ANON ALIVE ED.</u>	HOLLY L.	(262) 650-0364
ALATEEN COORD.	DANIELLE R.	(414) 745-7811
ALATEEN LIAISON	SARAH G.	(262) 650-0364
AREA LIAISON	SARAH S.	(414) 727-1110
INSTITUTIONS	VACANT	
LITERATURE	RACHEL L.	(262) 257-0192
PUBLIC INFORMATION	MICHAEL K.	(414) 727-4066
TREASURER	JUDY T.	(414) 476-9981
VOLUNTEER COORD	PENNY K.	(414) 587-8898
WAYS AND MEANS	MARY N.	(262) 894-5111
WEB COORDINATOR	GINI K.	(262) 547-4701

If you are interested in filling an opening, or if you have any questions about the Service Board, you may leave a message at (414) 257-2415.

Meeting Information

ALATEEN MEETING NEEDED!

THE ALANO CLUB WOULD LIKE TO HAVE AN ALATEEN MEETING THERE.
IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN STARTING AN ALATEEN MEETING, PLEASE
CONTACT OUR ALATEEN COORDINATOR, MELANIE M. AT (414) 475-1716.

AL-ANON MEMBERS WANTED!!

Please Join us!
East Hampton AFG
Fridays at 8:00p.m.
Roundy Memorial Baptist Church
4819 N. Ardmore (Off Hampton)
Milwaukee WI 53217

GREENDALE COURAGE TO CHANGE AFG

Invites you to join us for
Al-Anon Steps, Traditions and Topics

Every Sunday at 7:00P.M.

Greendale Community Church
6015 Clover Lane
Greendale 53129
(1 Block West of Loomis Rd. at Southway

SPANISH SPOKEN

NEW LOCATION and NEW DAY

Comenzar A Vivar
LATINO GROUP
THURSDAY 7:00P.M.
AND
SATURDAY 1:00P.M.
PRINCE OF PEACE CHURCH.
PARISH OFFICE
1138 S. 25TH ST. (at Scott St.)
MILWAUKEE 53204

The Papillion Al-Anon Group which meets

Sundays at 10:30 AM

at the Galano Club

315 W. Court St., Milwaukee 53212

could use some support.

The meeting is open to everyone and alternates between a step and a topic.

Please join us Sunday mornings.

NEW DAY AND TIME

PATH TO SERENITY NOW MEETS ON WEDNESDAY AT 10:00A.M.

**Trinity Presbyterian Church
3302 N. Sherman Blvd.
Milwaukee 53216**

**Enter the North Door on Barnard Place
Ring Church Office Bell**

STAYING ALIVE---STAYING ALIVE--STAYING ALIVE

**Sunday morning Staying Alive Al-Anon group needs your support!
(AA meets at the same time)**

Join us on Sundays at 10:00a.m.

**The Alano Club,
1521 N. Prospect
Milwaukee WI 53202**

**AL-ANON MEETING AT MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY!
SEPTEMBER 1 THROUGH MAY 7 ONLY**

**MARQUETTE COMMUNITY AL-ANON GROUP
EVERY WEDNESDAY 6:00P.M.**

MARQUETTE UNIVERSITY

**1442 W. WISCONSIN AVE.
MEMORIAL UNION RM 231
MILWAUKEE 53202**

8/06

**MEETINGS THAT
OFFER CHILDCARE**

EVERY SUNDAY

6:30p.m.
Sunday Night Surrender AFG
St. Johns Lutheran Church
20275 Davidson Rd.
Brookfield 53045

7:00p.m.
Pewaukee Serenity Al-Anon and Alateen
Galilee Lutheran Church
N24 W26430 Crestview Dr.
Pewaukee 53072

EVERY MONDAY

9:30a.m.
New Attitudes AFG
St. Matthias Church
111 E. Main St.
Waukesha 53186

EVERY TUESDAY

6:30p.m.
Franklin Serenity AFG
Faith Presbyterian Church
3800 W. Rawson
Franklin 53132

EVERY WEDNESDAY

7:00p.m.
Waukesha 12 X 12
Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
601 N. University Dr.
Waukesha 53188

7:00p.m.
Wales Hope and Serenity
Bethlehem Lutheran Church
470 N. Oak Crest Dr.
Wales 53183

DIRECTORY CHANGES

EFFECTIVE 10/01/06

PLEASE INFORM

THE SERVICE CENTER OF

ANY GROUP CHANGES

OR IF YOU ARE

NO LONGER MEETING

TUESDAY

NEW MEETING

Roaming Al-Anon Tuesdays 6:00p.m.
Meets in restaurants
In the South Milwaukee 53172 and
Cudahy 53110
Call Dolores at
(414) 764-0242
For weekly location

EVERY THURSDAY

10:00a.m.

**Into Action AFG
Lawrence Center
3011 Saylesville Rd.
Waukesha 53189**

1:00p.m.

Thursday Afternoon Discussion AFG
Gloria Dei Church
W180 N7863 Town Hall Rd.
Menomonee Falls 53051

7:00p.m.

Hartland How It Works AFG
Church of the Resurrection
W287 N370 North Shore Dr.
Hartland 53029

7:00p.m.

Twelve Steppers
Brookfield Presbyterian Church
1485 N. Brookfield Rd.
Brookfield 53045

EVERY FRIDAY

12:00 noon
Back To Basics AFG
Calvary Lutheran Church
1750 N. Calhoun Rd.
Brookfield 53005

8:00p.m.

No Saints AFG
All Saints Lutheran Church
9131 S. Howell Ave.
Oak Creek 53154

FRIDAY

DISBANDED

Port Washington Noon
No longer meets
Friday Noon
First Congregational Ch.
131 N. Webster
Port Washington 53074

SATURDAY

***NEW MEETING AND
NEW LOCATION***

Comenzar A Viver
(Latino Group)
Thursday 7:00p.m.
And
Saturday 1:00p.m.
Prince of Peace Church
Parish Office
1138 S. 25th St.
Milwaukee 53204

OPEN DISCUSSION MEETINGS

*AFG Guidelines suggest that
"if combined meetings are held,
they should be used as supplements to
regular Al-Anon meetings" (G-3).*

EVERY SUNDAY

7:00p.m.

Hales Corners Open Discussion
Emanuel Church
10627 W. Forest Home Ave.
Hales Corners 53130

EVERY FRIDAY

7:30p.m.

Couples Meeting (Al-Anon and AA)
St. Pius Church
2506 Wauwatosa Ave., Room 101
Wauwatosa 53213

5/05

Submission Guidelines:

All articles must be submitted by the 15th of the month prior to the month you would like article to appear. Articles must be in word document form and emailed to alive_editor@yahoo.com. If you have concerns or questions please call Holly at 262-650-0364.

Sunday Night Pewaukee Anniversary Dinner

Open Meeting

Pot Luck dinner at 5:30 - 6:30

Entertainment 6:30-6:45

Speakers at 7 - 8

AA

Alateen

Al-Anon

Food + Fellowship = Fun!

Galilee Lutheran church
N24 W26430 Crestview Drive (off Hwy G)
Pewaukee, WI

Contact person Amy G 1 262-594-2880

AL-ANON OPEN SPEAKER MEETING SCHEDULE

Note: If you know of any regularly scheduled Al-Anon Open Speaker Meetings not listed below, please contact the Al-Anon Service Center at (414) 257-2415 so we can list them.

Every 1st Week of the Month

1st Tuesday of March, June, Sept. and Dec.

6:30p.m. (no smoking; childcare provided)
Franklin Serenity AFG
Faith Presbyterian Church
3800 W. Rawson Ave.
Franklin 53132

Every 1st Wednesday of the month

8:00p.m. (no smoking)
Helping Hand AFG
Nativity Lutheran Church
(side door, upstairs)
6905 W. Bluemound Rd.
Milwaukee 53213

Every 1st Thursday of the month

7:00p.m. (no smoking; childcare provided)
12 Steppers AFG
Brookfield Presbyterian Church
1485 N. Brookfield Rd.
Brookfield 53045

2nd Week of the Month

2nd Monday of every even-numbered month

7:00p.m. (no smoking)
Stepping Stones – Milwaukee
Mother of Good Council Church
6924 W. Lisbon (enter on Lisbon)
Milwaukee 53210

Every 2nd Saturday of the month

7:30p.m. (no smoking)
Northwest Alano Club
Good Shepherd Church
N88 W17658 Christman Rd. (off Main St.)
Menomonee Falls 53051

3rd Week of the Month

3rd Monday of months with 5 weeks

6:30p.m. (no smoking)
Brookfield Courage To Change
St. John Vianney Church
1755 N. Calhoun Rd. (at Gebhardt)
Brookfield 53005

Use Parish Center door

4th Week of the Month

4th Thursday of

January, April, July & October

8:30p.m. (no smoking)
Tosa Thursday Night AFG
Underwood Baptist Church
1916 Wauwatosa Ave.
Wauwatosa 53213

5th Week of the Month

Every 5th Sunday of the month

7:00p.m. (no smoking; childcare provided)
Pewaukee Serenity AFG and Alateen
Galilee Lutheran Church
N24 W26430 Crestview Dr.
Pewaukee 53072

Every 5th Wednesday of the month

7:00p.m. (no smoking, childcare provided)
Wales Hope and Serenity AFG
Bethlehem Lutheran Church
470 N. Oak Crest Dr.
Wales 53183

Every 5th Monday of the month

9:45a.m. (no smoking; childcare provided)
New Attitudes AFG
St. Matthias Church
111 E. Main St.
Waukesha 53186

6:30p.m. (no smoking; childcare provided)

Eastside Monday Night AFG
North Shore Presbyterian Church
4048 Bartlett Ave.
Milwaukee 53211

Last Week of the Month

Every Last Friday of the month

8:30p.m.
Unity Club
1715 Creek Dr.
West Bend 53090

Open Meeting October 16, 2006

**Monday Night
Brookfield Courage to Change
6:30 pm**

St. John Vianney Church
1755 N. Calhoun Road
Brookfield

Al-Anon Speaker: Janice B.

*(Two 10 Minute Speakers will be
introduced prior to the main speaker)*

Open Meeting
November 15, 2006

Wednesday Night
Wales Hope and Serenity
7:00 pm

Bethlehem Lutheran Church
Wales WI
470 North Oak Crest Drive
(Just East of HWY 83 on HWY 18 Next to Kettle Moraine HS)

Al-Anon Speaker: Suzi W.

*(Two 10 Minute Speakers will be
introduced prior to the main speaker)*

Babysitting is available
Non-Smoking Meeting

WSO

(World Service Organization)

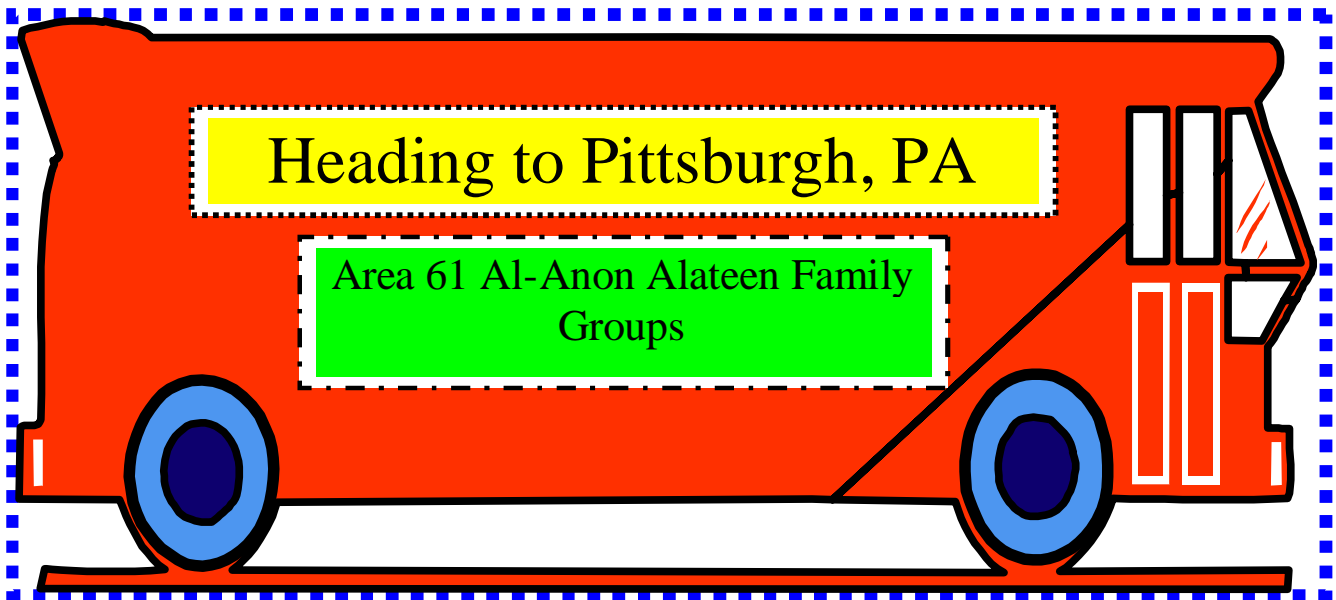
2008 Al-Anon's Fourth International Convention

July 4 to July 6

2008

Pittsburgh, PA

Would you like to travel by charter bus?

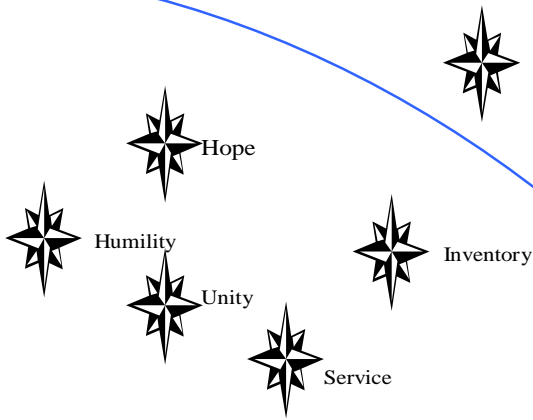


"The Wheels of Al-Anon/Alateen go round and round..."

*Details and sign up sheet will be provided at the
2006 Fall Assembly.*

It is a "ONCE IN A **BLUE MOON**" chance to go!!!

Stepping Under the Stars



Recovery Dinner Fundraiser
For Al-Anon Of SE Wisconsin



Saturday October 28th, 2006

Join us for fellowship, dinner, speakers and prizes!

Speakers

Al-Anon: Geneva B, Chicago, IL
AA: Stuart T, Chicago, IL
Alateen: Brittany A, Chicago, IL



Time: Doors Open @ 6:30pm, Speakers @ 8:00pm
Where: St Mary's Parish, 225 S. Hartwell Avenue, Waukesha, WI
Cost: \$10 in advance, \$12 at the door
Alateens \$8 in advance, \$10 at the door
Babysitting Available

Register in Advance for Stepping Under the Stars
Advance Registration Deadline October 20th, 2006

Fill out the form below and send it in soon!!! Please print clearly.

Name+Group _____

Name+Group _____

Name+Group _____

_____ Names X \$10 = Total amount Enclosed \$ _____

PLEASE DONOT SEND CASH

Please make check payable to & mail to:

AFG of SE WI, 6737 W Washington Suite 2125, West Allis, WI 53214

Late Edition

Greetings Al-Anon Friends of Southeastern Wisconsin!

In August, I began a 2-year term as Public Information (PI) Chairperson on the Intergroup Service Board. The PI is responsible for carrying the message of Al-Anon to the general public. Some of the ways this is done include:

- Providing speakers and/or literature to schools, churches, and other organizations within the community who request it
- Coordinating Al-Anon participation in community workshops, fairs, and conferences
- Utilizing local radio, television, and print media to make public service announcements

And speaking of utilizing local print media, former PI, Michael K., and many others were successful in launching a campaign to have signs giving the Al-Anon phone number and web site posted on Milwaukee busses. These busses are now rolling thru Milwaukee! The signs, in English and Spanish, have been posted on selected routes targeting the underserved populations in central Milwaukee. The signs were posted in mid-August and will be up for six months bringing our *message of help and hope* to many, many people. *Thanks to everyone* who contributed time or money or both to make the bus project possible!

Do you know which nine counties are served by Al-Anon Family Groups of Southeastern Wisconsin? They are:

Ozaukee	Jefferson	Walworth
Washington	Waukesha	Racine
Dodge	Milwaukee	Kenosha

Over the next two years, I look forward to serving the Southeastern Wisconsin area in helping to carry the message to those who still suffer. If you are aware of a specific need to carry the message in your community, please contact me. You can send email to: public_information@alanon-wi.org. You can also leave a message for the Public Information Chairperson at the Service Center office by calling: 414-257-2415

Yours in service,

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