

District 48 September 2025

Newsletter

A.A. TRIVIA

- California's San Quentin State Prison was one of first prison groups started in 1942, 20 inmates attended.
- Akron A.A. members began meeting on Wednesday evenings in the early 40's at Akron's King School. The meeting was known as "Akron Group Number One"

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- There were no "official" sponsors when A.A. first began, but as A.A. developed, hospitals in both Akron and NYC began to accept alcoholics as patients, as long as an AA member agreed to "sponsor" that person, which meant visiting (usually daily) and taking the patient to a meeting after discharge. Sponsorship was born!

Source: A Visual History of Alcoholics Anonymous an archival JOURNEY

AUGUST 2025 A.A. ANNIVERSARIES

 KEEP COMING BACK...WORKS WHEN WE WORK IT!!! 

MARY S. 32 YEARS	CINDY M. 1 YEAR	MARY P. 42 YEARS
ERNIE F. 1 YEAR	DAVID 6 MONTHS	JOSH 60 DAYS
GARY 10 YEARS	LEO A. 6 YEARS	HILARY K. 1 YEAR
BRYAN 1 YEAR	HARRY M. 18 YEARS	TIM 12 YEARS
RUDY 31 YEARS	DANA 60 DAYS	CHELSEY 1 YEAR
MARK 6 MONTHS	BETTY 30 DAYS	ABBEY D. 17 YEARS

CONGRATULATIONS ON ALL ANNIVERSARIES :)

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Step Nine:

Made direct amends to such people wherever possible, except when to do so would injure them or others. (Big Book pg 59)



GOOD judgement, a careful sense of timing, courage, and prudence—these are the qualities we shall need when we take Step Nine. (12 and 12 pg 83)

A.A. HAPPENINGS

- ★ DISTRICT 48 PICNIC, SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 20, 2025; 11-? SPEAKER AT 1PM
- ★ TUESDAY NIGHT LIVE DUSHORE CELEBRATING 30 YEARS OCTOBER 28TH
- ★ 1st SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH, TRADITION MEETING AT PINE STREET UN METHODIST CHURCH 4PM

WE NEED YOU!!

- ★ ARCHIVES NEEDS ANY AND ALL INFORMATION ON GROUP HISTORIES
- ★ VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR UPCOMING PICNIC COME EARLY
- ★ MEN AND WOMEN WITH 1 YEAR SOBRIETY NEEDED TO SHARE AT LOCAL TREATMENT CENTERS
- ★ WOMEN WITH 2 YEARS SOBRIETY NEEDED FOR COUNTY JAIL AND PRC

Tradition Nine

"A.A., as such, ought never be organized; but we may create service boards or committees directly responsible to those they service." 12 and 12 page 174