



**MAY - JUNE 2025**

**At A Glance  
Dates To Remember**

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**Cut-off date for  
July – August 2025 News:  
June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025  
Mailing: June 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

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**Note to Secretary**

Be sure to check out the flyers and Latest News on the [aa87.org](http://aa87.org) website. There you will find announcements that could not be included in the print version.

Looking for news on conventions and other events, as well as Area 87 committees? They are back in the Écho Echo Eco newsletter.



**MARK YOUR CALENDAR !**

**Area Committee Meeting**

Saturday, May 10<sup>th</sup>

This meeting starts at 9 a.m.  
Early-bird buffet on site from 8 a.m.

On the Zoom platform:  
ID 984 9889 7228 - PW 1234

In person:

ASO: 3920 Rachel St. E. ♿  
Montréal (Québec) H1X 1Z3

This meeting is specifically for Area Committee members (DCMs, Coordinators and their assistants, and members of the Steering Committee), however, G.S.R.s and A.A. members who are curious about and interested in the 12th Step work through our area service structure are welcome to attend. This meeting is, like all service meetings, closed to AA members only.

**Area Assembly**

**Delegate's Conference Report**

Saturday, June 14<sup>th</sup>, at 9 a.m.

In person only :

Centre Roger-Rousseau ♿  
7501 Av. Rondeau  
Anjou H1K 4Y3

Participants at this assembly are GSRs and members of the Area Committee (DCMs, Coordinators and their alternates and the Steering Committee members). However, all AA members curious and interested in the work of our General Service Conference are welcome to attend. This is a closed meeting, for AA members only.

## WARNING!

For real-time up-to-date information, consult the Meeting Guide application on your smartphone or the list of meetings on our website [aa87.org](http://aa87.org).

The Helpline is also available between 9 am and 10 pm at 514-350-3444.

## MEETING NEWS

**Peace et la sérénité** – Thursday – 8:30 p.m. – St-Brendan's Church Hall – 5740, 15<sup>th</sup> Avenue – Montreal H1X 2V2 **Permanently closed.**

**Young and Restless** – Sunday – 4:30 p.m. – St. Augustine's of Canterbury Church – 5323, Notre-Dame-de-Grâce av. – Montreal H4A 1L2 – **Permanently closed.**

## ANNIVERSARIES

Mon. May 19<sup>th</sup>



**You'll Never Walk Alone** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary – 7:00 p.m. – Lakeshore Trinity United Church – 98, Aurora av. – Pointe-Claire H9R 3G7 – Food donations accepted

Thur. May 22<sup>nd</sup>



**Greenfield Park** – 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary – 8:00 p.m. – Saint Marys Parish – 125, Grove Street – Greenfield Park J4V 2X2 – Buffet – Come celebrate with us!

Fri. June 13<sup>th</sup>



**Châteauguay Friday Night** – 72<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary – 8:00 p.m. – St. Andrew United Church – 46, Dupont Street West – Châteauguay J6J 1G1 – Cake – Potluck-style meal – Food donations – Join us to celebrate 72 years of hope, healing and recovery!

## 2025 General Service Conference Delegate's Report Tour

Here are the when and where to hear the Conference report by our Delegate:

**May 14:** District 87-14 (French) – 19:00 – Centre récréatif Au fil des ans – 3225 Rue Courchesne – Sorel-Tracy J3R 3A7

**May 21:** District 87-21 (French) – 19:00 – Centre communautaire Richard-Goulet – 170 Rue St-Antoine Nord – Granby J2G 5G8

**May 28:** District 87-27 (French) – 19:00 – Centre Multisports André-Chagnon – 3093 Bd de la Gare – Vaudreuil-Dorion J7V 9R2

**June 1<sup>st</sup>:** District 87-32 (Spanish) – 16:00 – 7105 Rue St-Hubert – Local 106 – Montréal J2S 2N1 (*Subject to change*)

**June 4:** District 87-06 (English) – 19:00 – St. Andrew's and St. Mark's Church – 865 Ch du Bord-du-Lac-Lakeshore – Dorval H9S 2C7

**June 14:** District 87-17 (Bilingual) – Area Assembly – 9:00 – Centre Roger-Rousseau – 7501 Av. Rondeau – Anjou H1K 4Y3

Other dates may be added at the request of groups or districts.

## NEW GROUPS

### End of the Line (87-06)

Sunday – 7:00 p.m. – Église de la Presentation – 665 de l'Église Ave – Dorval H9S 1R4 – Open speaker meeting.

### Heavy Drinkers (87-19)

Saturday – 8:00 p.m. – Maison de l'amitié de Montréal – 120, Duluth av. East – Montréal H2W 1H1 – Open meeting – Discussion on the 12 steps and 12 traditions.

### Laurentian Big Book (87-08)

Wednesday – 7:30 p.m. – Shawbridge United Church 1264, Principal St. – Entrance and parking on de la Station St. – Prevost J0R 1T0 – Close meeting – Big Book Discussion.

### Luz y Verdad (87-32) (Sólo mujeres)

Saturday – 1:00 p.m. – Punto de encuentro de Alcohólicos Anónimos – 106-7105 Rue St-Hubert – Montréal H2S 2N1 – Open meeting –

**Women only.** ♿

### Nouveau Chapitre – New Chapter (87-02)

Thursdays – 7:30 p.m. – Paroisse Saint-Esprit – Bélanger room – 5442, 6<sup>th</sup> avenue – Montréal H1Y 2P8 – Bilingual.

### Svet (87-19)

Sunday – 6:00 p.m. – Una Luz en Montreal – 29A Shamrock Av. – Montreal H2S 1A3 – Open **Russian Language** AA Discussion Meeting.

### Verdun 1 to 12 Men's Group (87-18)

Monday – 7:00 p.m. – Unity Church – 3455, Girouard Avenue – Montreal H4A 3C5 – Open meeting – Big Book Discussion – Meditation – For Men only.

### Wakefield AA Awakenings (87-08)

Tuesday – 7:00 p.m. – Église La Pêche – 889 Chemin Riverside – Wakefield J0X 3G0 – Closed meeting – Discussion – Open speaker last Tuesday of the month.

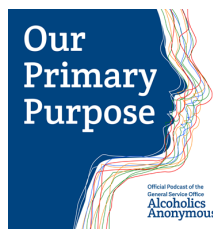
**Gratitude night for Riverside group** – Sunday June 8<sup>th</sup> – 8:00 p.m. – Saint Willibrord Parish – 320, Rielle Street – Verdun H4G 2S7 – Food donations accepted – Welcome All!

## Spotlight on...



### Our Primary Purpose Podcast

Now streaming, the new podcast from GSO.



The podcast offers listeners a behind-the-scenes look at how GSO supports A.A. groups and members in their efforts to carry the message of recovery to those seeking help for their drinking problem. New episodes available each Tuesday. "Our Primary Purpose" is available on major podcast streaming platforms.

Or on [www.aa.org/gso-podcast](http://www.aa.org/gso-podcast)

# BULLETIN BOARD

## AA South Shore Trilingual Convention

With Al-Anon/Alateen participation

### Between Us – 2025 Edition

May 16, 17 & 18

Centre Socioculturel Alphonse-Lepage  
7905 Av. San Francisco - Brossard J4X 2A4

Tickets : \$10

In-person and by Zoom

All details @ [www.congressaarivesud.com](http://www.congressaarivesud.com)

## Spring into Sobriety

St. Matthias Annual Spring Fling

**May 8<sup>th</sup> – 8:00 p.m.**

Speaker followed by a potluck  
(Food donations are welcome)

St. Matthias' Church  
131, Chemin de la Côte-Saint-Antoine  
(corner of Metcalfe Street)  
Westmount H3Y 2J1

Come celebrate Spring with us!

## The Group Services Committee

**Invites you to**

### The Twelve Concepts Workshop

**Sunday June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025**

**From 1:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

**Exclusively on Zoom:**

**MEETING ID: 910 8777 9314 - PW: 1234**

To register, call Area 87 Service Office, at:  
514 374-3688, extension 3 (voicemail).

## SPRING INTO ACTION

### Eastern Ontario Spring Conference

With Al-Anon participation

In English and French

**Speakers :**

Joe C., Florida – Arlene B., Toronto – Sylvain L., Montreal

**Saturday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025**

Hellenic Centre  
1315, Prince of Wales Drive  
Ottawa, Ontario

Tickets: \$15 in advance, \$20 at the door, \$75 for the banquet  
Contributions welcome

e-Transfer: [treasurer@ottawaaa.org](mailto:treasurer@ottawaaa.org)

Credit card: <https://ottawaaa.org/conferences/>

## SAVE THE DATE!

### District 18

Annual Welcoming the Newcomer

Sunday, June 1<sup>st</sup>  
12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Girouard Park for food and fellowship,  
then head to Unity Church for a meeting and  
discussion.

## Catch the Spirit – A District 87-19 Event

You are invited to the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual District 87-19 event  
featuring Area 87's numerous Service Committees

**Saturday, June 21<sup>st</sup>, 2025**  
**10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

**St. Philip's Anglican Church**  
**25, Brock avenue North**  
**Montreal-West H4X 2G1**

**Free admission – Buffet + refreshments**  
**provided by the district**

## The Way Out

### 49th Annual West Island Spring Roundup

June 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>  
Saturday 4:30 pm & Sunday 9:00 am

Pre-registration and at the door : \$30  
Sunday lunch included (chicken or vegetarian)

Out of Town Speakers – Saturday Night Comedy

Sarto Desnoyers Community Centre  
1335 Lakeshore Drive  
Dorval H9S 2E5

Registration & Information : [wiroundup@gmail.com](mailto:wiroundup@gmail.com)