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Note to Secretary

Be sure to check out the flyers and Latest News on the 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, September 13th
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 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,

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Area Elections Assembly

Saturday, October 18th
10 a.m.

In person only:
CRCS Saint-Zotique
75 Square-George-Étienne-Cartier
Montreal H4C 3A1

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.

At a Glance Dates to Remember

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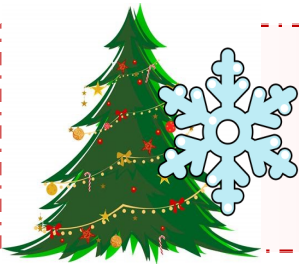
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REMINDER

Announcements published in News - Area 87 must conform to the Traditions of Alcoholics Anonymous and relate exclusively to the activities of this association. They should be brief and to the point and should preferably be sent in writing, by email to news@aa87.org or via the web form on aa87.org/en/, section **Our Area / forms**, with the name, email address and telephone number of the sender. Ads may be revised as needed.



A Message from Your ASO

If you plan to close during the holidays or if you are planning special activities during this period, please notify the ASO:
before October 1st for the November-December 2025 News
 or **before November 1st** for the special holiday newsletter.

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

MEETING NEWS

Gates of Hell / Les portes de l'enfer – Friday – 8:30 p.m. – bilingual – New address : Centre de loisirs multiethnique St-Louis – 3555, St-Urbain Street – Montreal H2X 2N6.

Heavy Drinkers – Saturday – 8:00 p.m. – La Maison de l'amitié – 120, Duluth Avenue East – Now in the basement – Montreal H2W 1H1 – No longer accessible to wheelchairs.

Sunlight of the Spirit – Monday – 6:30 p.m. Wesley United Church – 5964, Notre-Dame-de-Grâce Avenue – Montreal H4A 1N1 – Closed September 1st and October 13th.

ANNIVERSARIES

Sat, Oct. 18th



A Room of our own – 25th Anniversary – Noon – 120, Duluth Avenue East – Montreal H2W 1H1 – Hybrid: 168666593 – Password: 7666685 – Speaker – Potluck – Come all!

Mon, Oct. 20th



Sunlight of the Spirit – 10th Anniversary – 6:30 p.m. – Wesley United Church – 5964, Notre-Dame-de-Grâce Avenue – Montreal H4A 1N1 – Pizza and cake will be served – Come celebrate with us!

Thu, Oct 23rd



Work It – 3rd Anniversary – 7:30 p.m. – Royal Canadian Legion – 5455 Blvd. De Maisonneuve Ouest – Montreal H4A 1Z7 – Come celebrate our 3rd anniversary! Speaker meeting with potluck dinner.

Thu, Oct. 30th



Montreal North – 8:00 p.m. – 63rd Anniversary – Notre-Dame-de-la-Consolata Church – 1700, Jean-Talon Street East – Montreal H2E 1T2 – Buffet – food donations – cake – Come and enjoy fellowship and a great meeting with an inspiring speaker.

NEW GROUPS

End of the Line (87-06)  – Sunday – 7:00 p.m. – Église de la Présentation – Parking lot entrance – 665, de l'Église Avenue – Dorval H9S 1R4 – Open meeting – **Registered.**

Freedom (87-06) – Monday – 1:00 p.m. – Saint Veronica's Church – 1300, Carson Avenue – Dorval H9S 1M6 – Open meeting – **Registered.**


Friday Dorval Live (87-06) – Friday – Noon – Chalet Saint-Charles – 90, Saint-Charles Avenue – Dorval H9S 3T3 – Open meeting – **Registered.**

La sainte paix (87-05) – Monday to Friday – 4:00 p.m. – On Zoom only – ID 5145041819 – Zoom link <https://zoom.us/j/5145041819> – Open meeting – **bilingual.**

NDG Tuesday Nighters (87-18) – Tuesday – 8:00 p.m. – 88, Ballantyne Avenue North – Montreal West H4X 2B8 – Mixed.

New Chapter / Nouveau Chapître (87-02) – Thursday – 7:30 p.m. – Paroisse St-Esprit-de-Rosemont – Bélanger room – 5442, 6th Avenue – Montreal H1Y 2P8 – Open meeting – **Registered.**

Svet (87-19) – Sunday – 6:00 p.m. – Una Luz en Montreal – 29-A Shamrock Avenue – Montreal H2S 1A3 – Open Russian meeting – **Registered.**

You'll Never Walk Alone (87-06)  – Monday and Thursday – 7:00 p.m. – Lakeshore Trinity United Church – 98, Aurora Avenue – Pointe-Claire H9R 3G7 – Open meeting – **Registered.**

Experience – Strength – Hope – South Shore Round-Up

Saturday September 27th
10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

St. Mary's Parish
125 rue Grove
Greenfield Park J4V 2X4.

Inspiring speakers
& newcomer panel

Fellowship, lunch and bake sale.

Bring your sponsor, sponsees,
family and friends!

No admission fee – 7th
Tradition.

BULLETIN BOARD

Area 87 Convention

October 24th from 6:00 p.m. to midnight
October 25th from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 a.m.
October 26th from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

De Maisonneuve College (paid parking only)
2701, Nicolet (Joliette metro)
Montreal, H1X 2A2

Experience, strength and hope
Speakers, Panels et Workshops
A.A. and Al-Anon Literature available

Participation:

French, English and Spanish Communities,
including Area 87 Committees and MONQYPAA,
with Participation of Al-Anon and Alateen

Music Friday Night
Dance Saturday from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.

Free coffee, muffin sale (\$2), and water (\$1)
Tickets: \$20 in advance, \$25 at the door

The Group Services Committee invites you to :

GSR Workshop:

Saturday, September 20th
1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

In hybrid mode

At the ASO: 3920, Rachel Street East,
Montreal H1K 1Z3

Meeting ID: 910 8777 9314 – Password: 1234

A.A. Structure & Service Seminar:

Saturday, October 4th
9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

In Hybrid mode

At the ASO: 3920, Rachel Street East,
Montreal H1K 1Z3

(exceptionally using other Zoom information:)

Meeting ID: 924 7313 7786 – Password: 1234

To register: 514 374-3688 extension 3
(voicemail)

Spotlight on...



Montreal North Group

Notre-Dame-de-la-Consolata Church
1700 Rue Jean-Talon Est
Montréal H2E 1T2

Looking for a home group? Ours might be THE one!
Over the last 63 years, Montreal North Group has
carried the message of experience, strength and
hope.

We organize two meetings every week:
Tuesday Big Book Study meeting;
Thursday speaker meeting.

Both meetings start at 8PM.

Join us for our anniversary on **October 30th!**

*“Each night I pray that
when the alarm clock goes
off in the morning, I’ll have
a spiritual awakening”*

“Distilled Spirits”, St. Louis, Missouri, June 1999
AA Grapevine.
Daily Quote from August 4, 2025