

THE SOBER TIMES NEWSLETTER

Intergroup Office hours are Tuesday 10-4, Wednesday 10-4,
Thursday 10-4 and Friday 10-3:30

Notes From The Editor

And just like that, another month has rolled in here on the Cape. My name is Mike M., and I've recently stepped into the Office Administrator role for Intergroup on an interim basis following Chuck's retirement to Florida. We're grateful for his thirteen years of steady service to our fellowship and wish him all the best in this new chapter.

Over the past couple of months I've been settling into the office, learning the systems, and working to update our meeting and contact information so everything stays accurate and helpful for the fellowship. Thank you all for your patience and support during this transition. It's been a busy stretch, but I'm grateful for the opportunity to help. Please continue to reach out with meeting updates, questions, or anything Intergroup can assist with. Wishing everyone a safe and connected month ahead as we keep moving forward together.

Mike M.

CAPE COD INTERGROUP

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Just what is Intergroup doing for your group?

How does your group benefit from Intergroup?

How can your group have a voice in what Intergroup does?

Why not invite us to share with your group at your next business meeting and answer these questions?

A member of our Steering Committee will be glad to make a presentation at your business meeting.

**Contact us today.
508-775-7060**

Your Intergroup is not a governing body and does not attempt to, nor can it, rule any AA Group.

Its sole purpose is to act as a clearinghouse for the convenience of members and groups desiring assistance, and to extend the Twelve Step Work of "carrying the message."



Service Committee Meetings

Intergroup Reps Meeting

Every 1st Tuesday at 7:30 on the Zoom platform. Meeting ID: 833 6954 2618

General Service Districts 1&2

Every 2nd Tuesday at 7:00 pm at the Cape Cod Covenant Church, Setucket Rd. In Brewster. District Zoom ID is 508 487 9451

It is suggested the 1st Tradition be read at each meeting in January:

"Our common welfare should come first; personal recovery depends on A.A. unity"

Did you.....

- Begin your morning with prayer?
- Talk with another alcoholic?
- Call your sponsor?
- Are you doing service work? for your group?

Newly elected GSR's are requested to meet at Cape Cod Covenant Church every 2nd Tuesday At 6:30 pm for a welcoming orientation.

Barbara F. is contact for District 1 & 2 774-836-8830 www.capecodaa.org

The Intergroup Steering Committee meets the last Monday of the month at 7:30 P.M. On Zoom. Meeting ID 872 2028 8723 Text Constance S. 508-274 7797 for password

MEETING UPDATES

Meeting Changes

District Zoom has been updated. 508 487 9451 no password is needed.



Would you like to serve your group?

AA gives us many ways to be of service to our fellowship. One of those is to represent your group as an Intergroup Representative (IGR).

Does your group have an IGR? If not, why not volunteer to represent your group? Volunteer to serve at your next business meeting.

Does your group have a General Service Representative? (GSR) The GSR is the link between your group and AA as a whole.

Your Intergroup Office is always looking for volunteers to staff the office during, illness, etc. Please contact the office if interested.

Tradition Three - The only requirement for AA membership is a desire to stop drinking.

1. In my mind, do I prejudge some new AA members as those who likely will not make it?
 2. Is there some kind of alcoholic whom I privately or publicly do not want in my AA group?
 3. Do I set myself up as a judge of whether a newcomer is sincere or not?
 4. Do I let language, religion (or lack of it), race, education, age, sexual identity or other such things interfere with my carrying the message?
 5. Am I overimpressed by a celebrity, a doctor, a clergyman, an ex-convict? Or can I just treat this new member simply and naturally as one more sick human, like the rest of us?
 6. When someone turns up at AA needing information or help (even if he can't ask for it aloud), does it really matter to me what they do for a living? Where they live? What their domestic arrangements are? Whether they have been to AA before? What their other problems are?
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Is Cape Cod Intergroup a part of A.A.?

Cape Cod Intergroup is entirely dependent on the AA groups and individuals for its continuing operation.

Your group can participate by selecting an Intergroup Representative to represent your group.

IG Reps meet on the 1st Tuesday of every month. Any AA member can attend.

We Have Increased our Inventory of Books And Supplies to Serve You Better

Do you have a special anniversary coming up? Does your group need a bulk order of books or other materials? Would you like to order from the comfort of your home or meeting space? Well, look no further. We have increased our inventory and are now pleased to offer painted medallions and 24-hour bronze medallions. Send us your email orders. There is no limit on books or other merchandise. No order too big or too small. If you are looking for specialty items, we will be happy to order them for you. Come in and check us out. We would love to see and get to know you. We always try to have coffee available and have time for good conversation. Also, feel free to check out the website for info on meetings and other related information.

AS OF JUNE 4TH INTERGROUP WILL NOW BE CHARGING FOR SHIPPING COSTS.

We only will charge the actual shipping rate and we will endeavor to utilize the cheapest shipping rate available. It is unfortunate that we have to do this but rising operating costs are forcing our hand. We appreciate your support.

Changing Times

I think it is important for people to understand what Intergroup does for the local A.A. community. Our main purpose is to help the still sick and suffering alcoholic. At Intergroup we do that in a multitude of ways. We create and publish, both in print and online a comprehensive local meeting list. We provide a 24hr a day seven days a week dedicated hotline for those in need to reach out. We operate a local bookstore that sells all conference approved literature as well as medallions and other special store items. All of these services are available right here on Cape Cod. We know a lot of groups buy their products online. We try and be competitive with those markets but it's difficult. We would appreciate it if you purchased locally and supported your Intergroup. We are approaching a crossroad. It's going to come down to what A.A. on Cape Cod wants to have for local services and if they can and will fund it. Our only revenue source is you. If you can possibly help just a little more we would be greatly indebted to you. This is **YOUR** Intergroup.

