

What's new in Intergroup – April 2017

Working & Living the Program Events

April 21 – New OA Meeting starting in Bridgewater

April 22 - One Day Retreat sponsored by Edison Sunday Night

May 5 – Jackson Anniversary Mini Marathon

August 25-27 – TWC Retreat, Easton, PA

Meeting News –

No Meeting Easter Sunday at Scotch Plains.

**New Meeting starting in Bridgewater at the North Branch Reformed Church Friday 4/21
7:30PM**

Lawrence Harbor Meeting is closing as of 4/26

- **Chair Report.** There is a new website for Lifeline www.oalifeline.org. You can sign up for E-lifeline and have this available to you on your PC or mobile devices 24/7.
- **One Day Retreat** – there are still some spaces available for this retreat. Give yourself a gift of a day of fellowship and great speakers.
- **TWC Retreat** – We are already receiving registrations for our August Retreat. This “Weekend Walk Through the Steps” is being facilitated by a member who has given this retreat about 30 times in the US and Canada. It will be a wonderful opportunity to recharge your program.
- **Join our Jackson group Friday May 5** for their Mini Marathon - **100 Years of Recovery**
- Please join us next Intergroup – May 12 - to help us develop our **goals** for the rest of 2017.
- **CJI officer positions are needed:**
 - **We need a new Treasurer** – 6 months abstinence and 6 months of service to CJI are the requirements for the position. Our current Treasurer will be able to fill you in on the duties if you have an interest.
 - **Nominations for Chair are open** – 1 year of abstinence and 1 year of service to CJI are the requirements.
- Registrations are open for **R7 Convention**. You can register online at <http://oaregion7.org/events/2017convention/>
- **CJI Outreach Committee** - In March they made a presentation to the RWJ 2nd year Medical Residents and attended the wellness fair at Carrier Clinic. There will be an Outreach Committee phone call Wednesday 4/12. If you would like more information, please contact Mike J. at manda254@comcast.net or cell 201 519 2816.
- **Our new Program T-shirts** are available. This long sleeved shirt is navy with yellow lettering. The cost is \$20.00. They have a nice variety of sizes. If you would like a shirt please email Ross at teveenutt@yahoo.com
- **New Fundraiser – Handmade Recovery Greeting Cards** will be available at our larger events. A good way to recognize an anniversary or thank someone for their support. Priced at \$3.00 or 4/\$10.00.

- **Website Committee** – Please visit our website www.oa-centraljersey.org Send us your writings, “Heard at a Meeting” quotes, sponsor’s wisdom or create a poster to let people know about your meeting.
- **Today Newsletter** –Our Editor needs content for our next newsletter. Please send her your writings at TodayNewsletter@gmail.com.

Congratulations to our Meetings celebrating Group Anniversaries: Saturday Flemington 4/26/2001 16 years, Tuesday Eatontown 5/23/2008 9 years, Sunday Edison 6/05/1986 31 years, Saturday Cranford 6/11/1981 36 years

If your group would like to plan an Anniversary meeting, please reach out to Intergroup. We would be delighted to help you.

Next IG Meeting: May 12, 2017 – 7:30PM Raritan Bay Medical Center – Old Bridge
Please join us to help us create our future together!
Best Regards,
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