

What's new in Intergroup – May 2016

Working & Living the Program Events

June 11 – Saturday Cranford Anniversary – 35 years

Sept 1-4 – World Service Convention , Boston, MA

- **From the Chair:** We had some great workshops in April - Jackson hosted an Anniversary meeting for the Wednesday and Friday groups and the Thursday Freehold group hosted its Mini Marathon. They were both wonderful mornings of recovery and fellowship. May 7 Edison held its Annual 1 day retreat. It was a good day of workshops and sharing. Thank you to these groups for planning and providing these workshops for our CJI members.
 - **Speaker files** for the Mini-Marathon have been posted to our CJI website
- Intergroup will be working on a **Sponsor Information/Forum** to make information on sponsoring tools and techniques for people considering stepping up to sponsorship or answer questions for people that are currently sponsoring others. **If your meeting would be interested in hosting this Sponsor Training/Forum one time, please reach back to me.**
- **Our Health Outreach Committee** is having their next committee meeting Saturday June 4th at Noon in Old Bridge after the Old Bridge meeting. Join us to find out more about how our Public Information committee is working to carry our message of recovery. . **If you would like more information on Outreach, please contact Mike J. at manda254@comcast.net or cell 201 519 2816.**
- **Congratulations to our Meetings celebrating Group Anniversaries** - Tuesday Eatontown 5/23/2008 8 years, Sunday Edison 6/05/1986 30 years, Saturday Cranford 6/11/1981 35 years, Monday Schrewsbury 7/09/2010 6 years, Monday Matawan 7/19/1978 38 years, Monday Princeton 7/22/1988 28 years, Saturday Old Bridge 7/24/1977 39 years, Tuesday Matawan 7/30/1996 20 years, Saturday Red Bank 8/01/1979 37 years, Thursday Red Bank 8/08/1986 30 years, Thursday Highland Park AM 8/16/2007 9 years, Tuesday Metuchen 8/26/1985 31years
 - **If your group would like to plan an Anniversary meeting, please reach out to Intergroup.** We would be delighted to help you.
- **Today Newsletter** – **Our Editor is needs content for our next newsletter.** Please send her your writings at TodayNewsletter@gmail.com .
- Our **Website Committee is looking for some new members.** No programming experience is necessary. Bring your ideas and creativity and help us keep the website relevant for our members. Please check our CJI Website – www.ia-centraljersey.org for meeting and event information.
- **Reports from our Region 7 Reps and World Service Business Conference Reps** service at the Region Assembly and World Service Business meetings are attached and have been posted to our Intergroup Documents page on the CJI Website. Please take a moment to read about their experience and service.
- **Fundraiser** – CJI needs to develop a fundraiser for this year. We will not be having our Fall Retreat because it is too close to the World Service Convention Date. Our meeting donations are down as of this month. We need to find a way to bridge the gap so that we can continue to provide the same level of service we have been providing over the last few years. **Come to next month's intergroup meeting to help us brainstorm for a solution.**

Next IG Meeting: June 10, 2016 – 7:30PM Raritan Bay Medical Center – Old Bridge

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