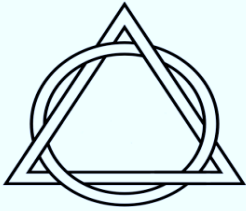


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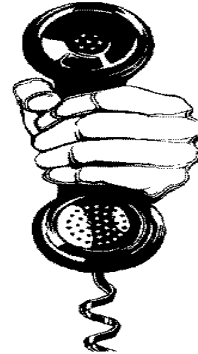
***** Come check out what District is all about... Meetings held @ 2:30 pm on the 4th Sunday of each month! Contact us for the locations! Or look on the front of an up-to date meeting schedule!!! There are still a few service positions available!*****

Second Sunday Amana Speaker Meeting Ronneburg Restaurant, Amana IA



April 10th: Scott N. from
Des Moines
No Meeting for May
June 12th: Carrie C. from
Dubuque
July 10th: Sarah from Corning
8 am Breakfast
9 am Speaker

We would like to welcome our NEW INTERGROUP LIAISON, Gus G.



Don't let the most important call of someones life go unanswered.
Volunteer to take part in the Intergroup answering service!
Please contact Ann T.@ 319.621.4041

Want to share your Experience, Strength, and Hope?

Submit your personal story to dis13aanews@gmail.com for possible publication in the next newsletter! Please keep it to 400 characters or less. We look forward to hearing your story of recovery!

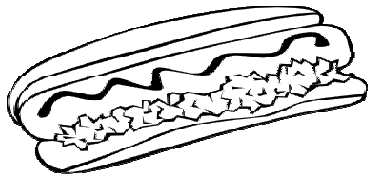
*****Cut off date for any newsletter submissions is June 20th. Thanks.**

View a meeting schedule online @ <http://www.aa-ic.org/>

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ANNUAL SPRING
FLING PICNIC!!!!!!

MAY 15th

Ask your groups GSR
for details!



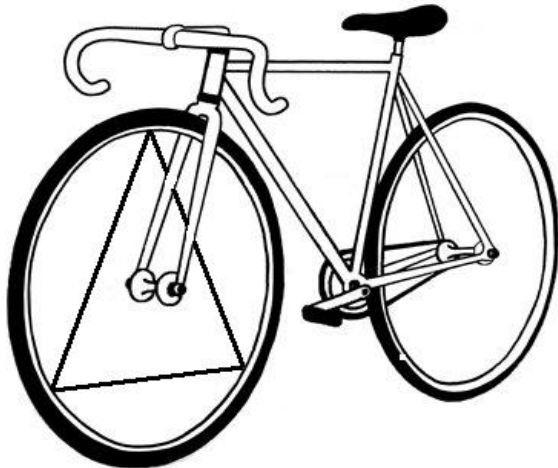
Washington Spring Dance

April 30th 5-10pm

*family welcome! lets have
FOOD & FUN!

\$5 @ door

Marr Park Conservation Bldg.
HWY 92



**Welcome RAGBRAI Riders in
Recovery!**

Open , NS Meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous

Coralville Public Library

Meeting Room @

7 p.m. Friday, July 29.

brought to you by IC Melrose groups and Coralville
groups.

CORRECTIONS UPDATE!

Did you know that 1 in every 100
Americans is currently incarcerated.
Inside the boundaries of AA District 13
there are three county jails and a prison.
Have *YOU* ever committed a crime
punishable by incarceration? Are you
grateful that your not locked up and have
free access to AA meetings? I have
attended prison meetings from both sides,
and it is an experience that should not be
missed! - Preferably as a volunteer ...For
more info on service opportunities
contact me by E-mail:

SHAUNW@AOL.COM

CONT. FROM PG.1

New Business:Area 24 is currently in need of
a new Treasurer and Secretary.

Motion made for Spanish translators to be
added to conference guidelines (PASSED)

Motion for \$1970.00 to be paid to secure site
for 2012 Spring Conference. (PASSED)

Yours in love and Service,

Beth Fisher , Evidently49@hotmail.com

319 339-4556

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IOWA CITY INTERGROUP PRESENTS THE ANNUAL



SPRING BANQUET

SATURDAY, APRIL 16TH, 2011
OUR REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH
2301 EAST COURT STREET IOWA CITY, IA

5:30PM - DOORS OPEN

6:00-7:00PM - CATERED DINNER (CHEF MICKEY'S)

7:00-7:30PM - WELCOME & SOBRIETY COUNTDOWN

7:30-8:30PM - SPEAKER (TBA)

8:30-8:45PM - RAFFLE

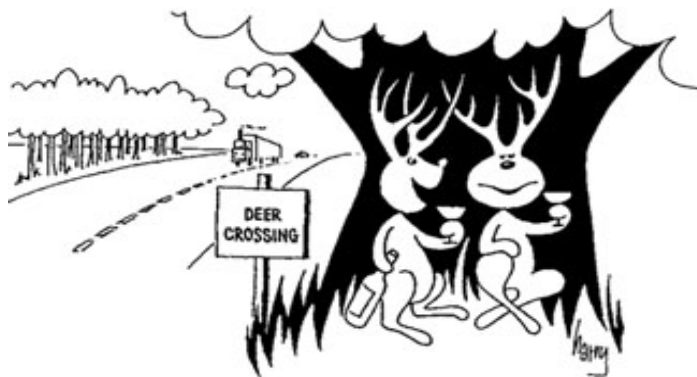
8:45PM - FELLOWSHIP & CLEAN-UP

MEAL TICKETS ARE \$10/PERSON. TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED FROM INTERGROUP MEMBERS.

AS ALWAYS YOU ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE EVENT WITHOUT EATING. CHILDCARE WILL BE PROVIDED DURING THE SPEAKER PORTION ONLY.

Sober Stuff to DO!!!

- Metro 2011 Spring Anniversary, 4/29-5/1 ; UAW Hall 2615 Washington, Waterloo IA for info: (319) 404-2082
- St. Cloud Roundup's Celebration of Recovery, Sat. May 21st. Waite Park, MN Info: (320) 274-3180
- Spring Assembly, June 10th-12th, @ Ramada/Five Sullivan, Waterloo
- Area 40, Local Forum; June 18 & 19th. Contact Scott W: (406) 670-4094 for more details.
- Keyway Lodge Group 20th Anniversary Party, Sat. June 18th. Contact Terry C: (563)552-2395
- Area Committee Meeting, August 14th. @ Best Western Regency, Marshalltown
- 15th Annual National AA Archives Workshop, Sept 22-25th. Helena, MT Contact Gerry R. (406) 933-5342
- Sioux City Tri-State Roundup 9/30-10/2, to be held @ the Sioux City Convention Center.
- Area 24 2011 Fall Conference, Oct. 7th-9th. @ Ramada Inn, Des Moines



"Last time I ran across the road, I got hit by a Mack truck, but I KNOW it will be different THIS time!"

Got a Burning Desire...

COME TO THE MISFIT'S BONFIRE!

BBQ & Potluck @ 5pm

Bonfire meeting @ 8:30

May 14th, 4532 Oakcrest Hill Road



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