

*today**To Carry the Message***Unity****Tradition 9- Long Form**

Each A.A. group needs the least possible organization. Rotating leadership is the best. The small group may elect its secretary, the large group its rotating committee, and the groups of large metropolitan area their central or intergroup committee, which often employs a full-time secretary. The trustees of the General Service Board are, in effect, our A.A. General Service Committee. They are the custodians of our A.A. Tradition and the receivers of voluntary A.A. contributions by which we maintain our A.A. General Service Office at New York. They are authorized by the groups to handle our overall public relations, and they guarantee the integrity of our principal newspaper, the A.A. Grapevine. All such representatives are to be guided in the spirit of service, for true leaders in A.A. are but trusted and experienced servants of the whole. They derive no real authority from their titles; they do not govern. Universal respect is the key to their usefulness.

GROUP ANNIVERSARIES

- Fri. Sept 4th Johnston- **MAKING THE CHANGE**-St Rocco's Church, 927 Atwood Ave.
7PM **18th Anniversary Guest Speakers and Italian Buffet**
- Tue. Sept. 15th Middletown- **HANG 12**- Y.A.N.A. Club, 770 Aquidneck Ave., Hy-Brid
Zoom ID: 843 8908 8466 Password: 164800. **8th Anniversary.** Guest Speakers & Food/ Refreshments
- Wed. Sept. 16th Seekonk-**H.O.W.**-Seekonk Congregational Church (Woodworth Hall),
600 Fall River Ave. 7:00PM. **51st Anniversary.** Guest Speakers & Buffet
- Wed. Sept. 30th Warwick -**SURVIVAL** -Warwick Central Baptist Church,
3270 Post Rd., 7PM. **50th Anniversary.** Guest Speaker/Snacks

CHANGES

No Providence- **REFLECTIONS IN SOBRIETY**- has changed their meeting night They will now meet at Allendale Baptist Church, 545 Woonasquatucket Ave., **Wednesdays at 7:30PM**

Dartmouth, MA- **FRIDAY NIGHT** – Open Speaker St Mary's Church, 783 Dartmouth St. has changed their start time. They will now meet on Fridays starting at 6:30PM

DISBANDED

Lincoln- **FOOTPRINTS**– Lincoln Woods State Park, Daily at 7AM

Dartmouth, MA- **FRIDAY NIGHT BEGINNERS**- St Mary's Church, 783 Dartmouth St. Fridays at 6PM

Service**ATTENTION ALL GROUPS and INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS**

RI CENTRAL SERVICE Treatment & ACCESSIBILITIES Committee will once again provide [AA meetings for both the Detox Unit and the Dual Diagnosis Unit at Roger Willams Hospital](#). Any Groups or Individual members willing to provide AA Speakers for a monthly commitment please contact the Office

RI Central Service is always in the process of updating our **12-STEP LIST**. Anyone willing to be added to the list should contact their Group Secretary or call Central Service. "When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help,

I want the hand of AA always to be there
and for that I am responsible"

The next regular meeting for **Central Service Delegates** will be held Via Zoom
on Wednesday, September 16th, 2026, at 7:00 PM
Zoom Meeting ID: 312 255 2726 - Password RICS1
Meeting ID and links will be sent to all registered RICS Delegates and will also be available on website

We need volunteers to help with our **monthly mailing** - takes less than one hour. The next mailing will take
place at Central Service, 1005 Waterman Ave, E. Providence on
Wednesday, September 23rd, 2026, at 9AM.

EXPECT A MIRICLE group will host a **District 6 JOY OF SERVICE**
St Paul's Lutheran Church, 389 Greenwich Ave., Warwick
Friday, September 18th at 5PM
Theme: **What's a Committee?** – Bingo game for Prizes

RISCYPAA will hold it next **Hy-Brid Business Meeting**
Sunday, August 30th, 2026, 1PM- 3PM
at RI Area 61 Office, 3649 Post Rd., in Warick- Zoom ID 859 5568 6770 password AREA61
with Fellowship to Follow

AREA 61 will be conducting a **AREA INVENTORY**
A survey for AA members in **AREA 61**
We need your perspective to better serve our Area
To participate go <https://aainri.com/the-delegates-corner>

*****Please note the deadline for submitting any information for the next *today* is**
Friday, September 18th, 2026

Please Note the RI Central Service Office Will Be Closed on Monday, September 7th
to Celebrate Labor Day

RECOVERY

RI Central Service will sponsor a monthly virtual “**OPEN MIC NIGHT NITE**” Saturday September 5th –
Starting at 8PM. Zoom Meeting ID: 856 8703 0297 Passcode:891419 Anyone interested in performing or
needing more information should contact Austin D Email: 1wholestep@gmail.com

RISCYPAA will host a **RETREAT 2026**
Camp Fuller, 619 Camp Fuller Road, South Kingstown
September 11th thru September 13th
Weekend Registration \$100 / Saturday Day Pass \$35/ Meals included
Register at <https://form.jotform.com/260648053575159>

The **BROKEN ELEVATOR** group will sponsor the 16th Annual Rhody Recovery Big Book Weekend
Camp Fuller, 619 Camp Fuller Rd, Wakefield, Friday Sept 25th to Sunday Sept.27th
Registration - \$100, 2-nights Camping w/Meals -
Workshops and Guest Speakers,
Visit www.RHODYRECOVERY.com

THE NINTH CONCEPT OF SERVICE:

We serve by being a personal spiritual example of good leadership. We seek advice. We accept criticism and disagreement. We compromise. We take tough stands. We exercise vision.