

ANNIVERSARIES

Cranberry Wednesday Night Anniversary ~ July 11th food and fellowship at 6 p.m. speakers at 7 p.m. covered dishes are welcome please join us.

Celebration of the 31st Anniversary formation of the Mayfair

AFG/AC Meeting ~ July 17, Room 176, Westminster Church (near Fellowship Hall)

7-8pm food and fellowship, 8-9pm speaker, side dishes/snacks/desserts appreciated but not required.

Understanding Ourselves AFG will celebrate their 4th Anniversary ~

Thursday, July 26th. Food and fellowship at 6PM with Al-Anon and AA speakers at 7PM. Covered dishes welcome. Please use fellowship hall entrance. 1182 Ashland St., Greensburg. Hope we see you there!

Sunday July 29th ~ Burgettstown AA & Al-Anon will celebrate their **5th Anniversary.**

Potluck dinner at 6:00pm AA & Al-Anon speakers at 7:00pm Covered dishes/desserts welcomed. Hope that you will join us for this beautiful evening of hope & recovery.



Saturday, August 11, 2018 ~ Join Southside Saturday Morning as we celebrate our **29th Anniversary** with finger foods & fellowship at **9:30am** and **“Gifts of the Program” Meeting at 10:00am.** Hot Metal Bridge Faith Community, 2700 Jane St, Pittsburgh, PA 15203, Entrance & parking @ rear of the bldg.

MEETING CHANGES

Carrick AFG Wednesday Night 7:30pm meeting is cancelled on July 4th.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Penn Hills Back to Basics will have their **4th of July picnic on July 10th at their Tuesday night meeting.** Food at 6:00PM and meeting at 7:00 PM with a speaker. Cover dish and Desserts are welcome.

The Fox Chapel Adult Children Meeting on Thursday at 7:30 can use support.

The Saturday Six O'clock Serenity Group at Memorial Park can use support.



UPCOMING EVENTS

The ISR Meeting and Picnic is August 25, 2018 at the Harmar Shelter in North Park, located near the pool and Pie Traynor Ball Field. The **ISR meeting is scheduled to begin at 10:30 am. Please arrive by 10 am to register and get situated.** The **picnic begins at 12:30 pm**, and will include games, AA & Al-Anon speakers, basket auction, raffles, and talent show! The area is handicapped accessible, with lots of parking, indoor restrooms, walking trails and a playground nearby. The shelter accommodates 150 people, so plan to attend and bring family and friends to enjoy the day and learn about Al-Anon.

SAVE THE DATE: District 17 Fall Workshop, September 22 “Dancing in the Rain”. Flyer to follow

Come and join us for a weekend of fellowship at the 30th Annual PAACC Conference - October 12th thru 14th. See flyer enclosed.

PLEASE NOTE: The November ISR meeting is scheduled for Saturday, November 17th at 10:30AM, located at St. Aloysius Church, 3616 Mt Troy Road, Pittsburgh PA 15212.

The new day & time is to encourage attendance from groups outside the Pittsburgh metropolitan area, and to allow attendance from members whose busy lives or physical limitations prevent night time participation in Al-Anon service. Please plan to attend and encourage your group to send a representative. Looking forward to seeing you there!

KEY SUBMISSION GUIDELINES:

Announcements

1. **Announcements pertaining to new, disbanded and permanent meeting time or location changes WILL NOT be placed in *The Key* unless they are properly processed using a WSO Al-Anon Registration- Group Change Form (GR-1). Group Changes require a **GR-1 Form signed by the District Representative**. The District Representative will forward the form to: AIS & STATE. AIS will forward the form to: KEY EDITOR, MEETING LIST CHAIR and SECRETARY. STATE will forward the form to: WSO.**
2. *The KEY* will be mailed to the name on file at the local AIS Office. Any changes must be submitted to the AIS Office using the "**ISR Change Form**". This form can be mailed to the AIS Office or SCANNED & EMAILED to: aisboardmembers@gmail.com AIS will forward to KEY EDITOR and SECRETARY.
3. Announcements pertaining to Al-Ateen **must be accompanied by the Group ID**.
4. Submit items **by the 10th of the month** for the next month's issue of *The Key*.
5. Send written notice to:
pittkeyeditor@gmail.com or the AIS Office.

Flyers:

E-mail a PDF of the flyer to pittkeyeditor@gmail.com. We will have them printed and folded for *The Key* mailing. **(Black & White Copies Only Please)**

Cost: \$13.50 for single sided flyers
\$25 for double sided flyers

Make checks payable to: *AIS of Greater Pittsburgh Area, Inc.* to cover postage and/or printing costs. Include a copy of the flyer with your check.

GR-1 Forms are available from your District Representative, the AIS Office or www.pa-al-anon.org – under “resources” click on “forms and other documents”. **ISR CHANGE FORMS** are available from the AIS Office & can be sent via email. Contact aisboardmembers@gmail.com

MEETING LISTS:

\$7.00 per 25 ~ includes postage when mailed
\$4.00 per 25 ~ when picked up at ISR Meetings

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Mail to: *AIS Office, Attn: Meeting Lists*

Looking for a meeting? Go to www.alanonpgh.org or www.pa-al-anon.org click "find a meeting"

The Key is available for printing at www.alanonpgh.org website or www.pa-al-anon.org click on 'publications' under "Resources"

LITERATURE DEPOT:

Support your local AIS Office by purchasing literature locally. Simply contact the AIS Office and request an order blank. **Checks Only - No Cash!**

AIS Office Hours

Sunday 12 PM – 3 PM

The AIS office is handicap accessible.

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***Happiness cannot be traveled to,
owned, earned, worn or consumed.
Happiness is the spiritual
experience of living every minute
with love, grace, and gratitude.***

Denis Waitley

Start planning your act today for the

AIS Picnic Talent Show - Great fun,

Talent optional - Saturday, August 25,

North Park, Harmar Pavilion

*JULY 21ST - AIS INFORMAL
WORKSHOP - SEE FLYER*