



THE BROWN PAPER BAG

District 4 Newsletter

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Upcoming District 4 Events

Monroe Bid for LASCYPAA is having a free Traditions Workshop on Feb 10th @ 3pm led by Brent T at 1900 Club in Monroe.

LAYPAA City Committee of Monroe is holding a Mafia event on Feb 23rd at 401 Hilton St in Monroe.

Food/Fellowship @ 1pm, Three Legacy Panel (Leila M, Sarah H, Chris D) @ 2pm, Sweet Tooth Auction & 50/50 Raffle @ 4pm, Mafia @ 5pm-?

District 4 is holding a Big Book Workshop. It will be March 30th from 9am-4pm at First United Methodist Church on Loop Rd in Monroe.

Pre-register for Round Up for \$20, or registration & t-shirt for \$35.

Find up to date meeting list at district website

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Monthly Mediation

Tolerance expresses itself in a variety of ways: in kindness and consideration toward the man or woman who is just beginning the march along the spiritual path. . .and in sympathy toward those whose religious ideas may seem to be at great variance with our own.

Without some tolerance we might tend to become a bit smug or superior. . . No one of us wishes to do anything which might act as a deterrent to the advancement of another--and a patronizing attitude can readily slow up this process.

-- Dr. Bob



Keep It Simple

KIS holds open meetings @ 12pm Mon- Fri. There is also a closed meeting Tues & Fri @12pm. Melvin G. leads a BB study on Tuesday at 6 2101 Forsythe, Monroe

Miracles

Mon—Fri 11 am & 5:30 pm 1900 Pine St, Monroe

Café Recovery

Mon-Fri 6:30am Birthday Breakfast last Fri, 12 & 12 1st Wed 1900 Pine St

We Care

8pm Mon-Sat 7pm Sun 1900 Pine St, Monroe

MYPG

Meets every Friday at 8pm Christmas Party 1st Friday of this month. 3605 DeSiard St, Monroe

Traditions

Meets Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 5:30pm. 3rd Monday is BB Study 3400 Forsythe Ave, Monroe

Winnsboro 24 Hour Group

Tues, Thurs & Sun @ 7pm. B-day night is last Tues with speaker & meatballs. Sundays are book study 1101 8th St Winnsboro

New Freedom

Meets Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri and Sat at 8 pm 1403 Wellerman Rd, West Monroe

Twin City Group

Monday 7pm (Business 1st Mon @ 5:30) Tuesday 12pm & 7pm (1st Tues Speaker) Wednesday 7pm (12 & 12 Study) Thursday 12pm & 7pm Sat 11am & 5:30pm (BDay Eating Last Sat 11am) Sunday 7pm 220 Claiborne, West Monroe

Monroe Thurs Night Group

BB Study every Thursday @ 6:30pm. 3900 Loop Rd, Monroe



The Groups

Hope Heads

**Meets Tuesday,
Thurs & Sunday
at 7:30pm
Rayville**

Women Do Recover

**Back to Basics
BB Study
Fridays @ 4:15
610 N 3rd St
Monroe**

Garden District Group

**Meets Mon &
Thurs @ 7pm.
Speaker Meeting
the last Thurs of
the month
1001 Forsythe Ave,
Monroe**

Committee Chair News

**We have chair
positions open for
District**

- *Archives**
- *Answering Service**

**District meets every
3rd Tuesday @ 6 pm
at the 1900 Club**

**Come see how AA
works!**

**Have something you
would like to see or
share in the
newsletter?**

**Please contact Sue R
@ 318-439-0236**

Area Assembly Information

**Next Area Assembly is April 6th @ 8am-April 7 @ 12pm at 2301
N MacArthur Dr in Alexandria, LA**

District 4

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A.A. Preamble

Alcoholics Anonymous is a fellowship of men and women who share their experience, strength and hope with each other that they may solve their common problem and help others to recover from alcoholism.

The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking. There are no dues of fees for A.A. membership; we are self supporting through our own contributions. A.A. is not allied with any sect, denomination, politics, organization or institution; does not wish to engage in any controversy, neither endorses nor opposes any causes. Our primary purpose is to stay sober and help other alcoholics to achieve sobriety.

12x12

Step 2

“Came to believe that a Power greater than ourselves could restore us to sanity.”

Tradition 2

“For our group purpose there is but one ultimate authority- a loving God as He may express himself in our group conscience. Our leaders are but trusted servants; they do not govern”

Our Twelve Steps, when simmered down to the last, resolve themselves into the words “love and service”- Dr. Bob