

Announcements

- The information packet in last year's GSR workshop and the updated Policy Handbook are now posted on the New Dominion Area section of the rvana.org website (under 'service' tab, 'New Dominion' on the bottom) for anybody's reference at any time.
- Literature orders are serviced better with a **text message (910-742-6350)**, as emails can get buried!
- Electing Public Relations Chair next month. Please take this to your homegroups and see if anybody is interested.
- Join 'Gratitude' meeting September 4th Labor Day for a Cookout/meeting. Food at 6pm and meeting at 7pm. Bon Air Baptist - 2531 Buford Rd. Richmond VA 23235.
- New meeting starts September 15th Fridays @ 5:30pm, Parham Rd. Baptist Church called Friday Freedom.
- Rappahannock Area Convention Committee (RACC) is holding a Dinosaur/Newcomer Speaker Jam and Pig Roast this Saturday the 19th from 12-6pm at St. Georges Episcopal Church, 405 Princess Anne St. Fredericksburg VA 22401.
- Rappahannock Area Convention Committee (RACC) is holding a convention RACNA I: From Desperation to Passion on September 8th & 9th @ Hospitality House Hotel, 2801 Plank Road Fredericksburg, VA 22401

Motions

Motion #8-17-1

Motion: To put in bid for 37th AVCNA in January 2019. This to be delivered to VRCC meeting in September

Intent: To carry the message to addicts.

Mover: Anthony G.

Seconder: Zach T.

Outcome: Back to Homegroups

Note: Kate G., as acting ASC Chair on 8/13/17, appointed an ad-hoc committee to start proceeding with items that need to be dealt with over the next month to get us closer to the timeline necessary when completing a large project like this. She appointed Anthony G. Chair to start looking for hotel rates and getting the necessary items moving over the next month until we have the group conscience and vote next month ASC. If the area decides to not move forward with the event, the ad-hoc subcommittee will be dissolved. Its only purpose is to get started on these items over the next month, just in case we decide to put in a bid for the AVCNA at VRCC.

!!!Celebrations!!!!

- Addict by the name of Russell B. celebrates his first year in recovery Monday August 14th at MFS @ 8pm
- Matt H. will celebrate 2 years August 15th at Basic Text Recovery
- Ed C. celebrates 33 years on August 16th at Into the Light
- John S. celebrates 35 years clean Wednesday 16th at TAPS
- August 17th Kelly D will celebrate 1 year at Let the Healing Begin
- Jay will be celebrating 2 years August 18th at I Can't We Can
- Richard S, the founder of It Works How & Why, will celebrate 27 years the 20th
- Samantha G. is celebrating 2 years August 24th at Without Parallel
- An addict named Chris C. is celebrating 11 years August 27th at H.O.W.
- Addict named James will celebrate 8 years on the 27th of August at It Works How & Why
- Tucker W. celebrates 30 years on August 30th at Into the Light
- An addict named Marty is celebrating 25 years (a quarter of a century!!) Sat September 3 at Raw Recovery
- Sandy celebrates 2 years on September 23rd at Spiritual Connections