

7th Edition July 2023

AAversaries!

4 years Farmer Ed Tiffin Monday Night Group

CONGRATULATIONS!

IMPORTANT INFORMATION If you want your sobriety birthday featured in our future newsletter, there are simple rules: Years only, 1st name, last initial, home group. To

<u>iadistrict13newsletter@gmail.com</u> by 15th of the month. If you want to receive this newsletter, send an email to <u>iadistrict13newsletter@gmail.com</u>.

We are not a glum lot.

How many Alcoholics does it take to change a light bulb?

None. The light bulb must want to change.

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What makes recovering addicts good bankers?

They have a lot of experience with withdrawals.

What do law students and recovering alcoholics have in common?

They both have to pass the bar.

Cheesy. I know.

AREA 24 AA

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The Twelve Rewards of Alcoholics Anonymous

- 1. Hope instead of desperation
- 2. Faith instead of despair
- 3. Courage instead of fear
- 4. Peace of mind instead of confusion
- 5. Self-respect instead of self-contempt
- 6. Self-confidence instead of helplessness
- 7. The respect of others instead of their pity and contempt
- 8. A clean conscience instead of a sense of guilt
- 9. Real friendships instead of loneliness
- 10. A clean pattern of living instead of a hopeless existence
- 11. The love and understanding of our families instead of their doubts and fears
- 12. The freedom of a happy life instead of the bondage of an alcoholic obsession

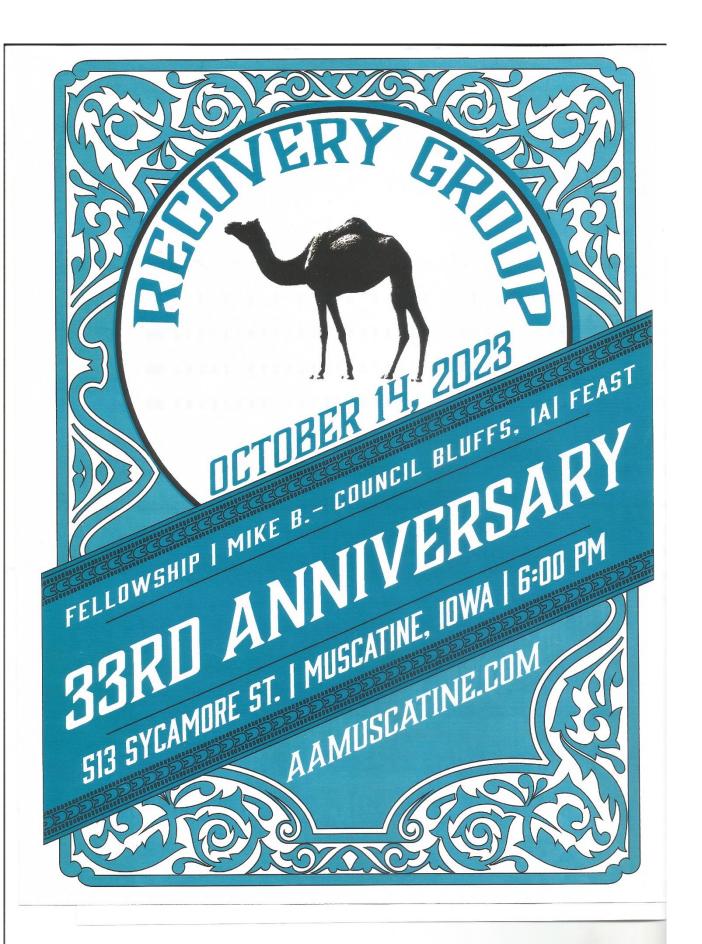
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UPCOMING EVENTS

Notice: The **District 13 Meeting** will be held **Sunday, July 23rd, 2023**, at 2:30 PM at Our Redeemer Lutheran Church, corner of Court St. and1st Ave. Iowa City. We meet on the 4th Sunday of the month alternating between Our Redeemer Lutheran Church and 704 S. Houser, Muscatine.

The Iowa City Intergroup meets online on the first Saturday of the month at 10 am. Go to aaiowacity.org for Zoom information.

August Area 24 Business Meeting August 13, 2023, starting at 9 am. It will be held at MACC 709 S Center St., Marshalltown, Iowa 50158





October 13 – 15, 2023

Hosted by District 11 at

Best Western Plus Dubuque Hotel & Conference Center

3100 Dodge Street, Highway 20 W, Dubuque, IA

Pre-registration \$18 – due Sept. 13, 2023 – \$20 at the door Registration includes all speakers, meetings and workshops

Hotel rooms at Best Western Plus Hotel & Conference Center: \$169 + tax per night, includes hot breakfast on Saturday and Sunday morning.

Call 563-557-8000, **press 2** for registration of Group Block rate. Ask for Area 24 Fall Conference rates.

Hotel reservation must be made by Sept. 13, 2023, to receive this special rate.

Additional hotels on back of flyer.

Questions?

Email – area24fall23@gmail.com or call Erin L. 563-543-0946 or call Brad H. 563-260-7129

Spanish speaking interpreters and ASL interpreters are available by request. Requests due Sept. 13.

Alateen must present Iowa Consent and Release form at the registration table for admission to the conference. Find the consent form at: ia.al-anon.alateen.org.



Register one of these three ways:

- 1. Scan the QR code
- 2. Online https://area24fallconference2023pre-register.cheddarup.com
- 3. Mail Fill out and mail the form below to P.O. Box 3043, Dubuque, IA 52004.

Area 24 Fall 2023 Conference Pre-registration Due by Sept. 13, 2023

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Pre-registration*	\$18.00	\$5.00
Sat. Lunch	\$19.00	\$19.00
Dinner Banquet	\$29.00	\$29.00
TOTAL		

^{*\$20.00} at the door.

Please make checks payable to Area 24 Fall 2023 Conference Mail to: PO Box 3043 Dubuque, IA 52004