



Events in April

Tuesday 17th Apr 8:00pm **Information Night with Glen B**
 Alcoholism - Mental and Physical effects
See next page Warragul Uniting Church
 210 Sutton St, Warragul
 Peter 0457972199

Thursday 19th Apr 7:30pm **Inner City District Public Information Subcommittee Meeting**
 Chris Gahan Centre
 Corner Greville and Gratton St, Prahran

Thursday 19th Apr 8:00pm **Oakleigh Group 62nd Anniversary**
 Oakleigh Hall
 142-144 Drummond Street, Oakleigh

Friday 20th Apr 10:00am **12 Step Mini Series Starts**
 Salvation Army Hall
See next page 87 Robert St, Bentleigh
 Series continues through to 6th July
 Based on the book "12 Steps and 12 Traditions of AA"
 David 0419 139 849

Friday 20th Apr 7:30pm **Beginners Steps Discussion Meeting**
 Topic: What old ideas did we need to let go?
See next page St Johns Anglican Church
 1 Burgundy St, Heidelberg
 (Near cnr Rosanna Road)
 Group Contact Number: (03) 9028 2212

Saturday 21st Apr 9:00am - 6:00pm **Frankston AA Steps Day**
See next page All day Illustrated Steps Presentations & Guest Speakers
 Brotherhood of St Laurence
 24-26 High Street, Frankston
 Registration: \$10.00 for the day includes light lunch & beverages
 For Info: call Gary 0430 139 846

Saturday 21st Apr 7:00pm **AA'S Biggest Trivia Night**
See next page Fundraising for AA's 12 Step Office
 St. John's Anglican Church Buxton Hill
 68 Clendon Road, Toorak
 \$25 per person
 Pre-register now! 0432493034

Sunday 22nd Apr 6:30pm **Beginners Steps Discussion Meeting**
See next page Topic: What happened when we tried to control our drinking?
 Mount Street Neighbourhood House
 Carpark and entry at 5 Panoramic Grove, Glen Waverley
 (Extra parking at 6 Mount Street)
 Group Contact Number: (03) 9028 2212

Sunday 22nd Apr 7:00pm **Steps in Rosanna Group New Series - Step One**
See next page Join us for the start of a new 13 week series
 Rosanna Fire Station Community House
 232 Lower Plenty Road, Rosanna

Tuesday 24th Apr 7:30pm **Arch to Freedom Group - Next Series of Workshops Starts**
 Uniting Church, 44 Blackburn Road
 (Enter via The Avenue)
Meets every Tuesday for 8 weeks
 Information: Ricky B 0466 606 483

Events in April (cont)

Friday to Sunday 27th to 29th Apr **ANZAA - Trans Tasman Woodstock**
 Keller Hall, Burns Lane, Caringbah, Sydney
 Join us as Guest Speakers from New Zealand & Australia Unify to trudge through the AA 12 steps of recovery
 Weekend registration \$60
 Rangi 0400 423 913,
 Sharon 0416 152 657

Saturday 28th Apr 9:30am **Roxburgh Park AA Daily Reflections 8th Anniversary**
 Homestead Community & Learning Centre
 30 Whiltshire Drive, Roxburgh Park
 Followed by BBQ Breakfast

Friday 4th May 11:00am **McCrae Friday 11am Meeting 28th Anniversary**
 St Katherine's Anglican Hall
 Bartels Street, McCrae
 Please bring a plate

Friday to Sunday 4th to 6th May **East Gippsland Round-up Incorporating Lakes Entrance 38th Anniversary**
 With AI-Anon Participation
 Lake Tyers Caravan Park
 558 Lake Tyers Beach Road

Friday to Sunday 4th to 6th May **2018 Gold Coast Rally - 'A New Freedom'**
 Albert Waterways Community Centre
 Hooker Blvd & Sunshine Boulevard,
 Broadbeach Waters, Queensland
 Registration is free

Monday 7th May 7:30pm **Inner City District Meeting**
 Group GSRs encouraged to attend
 Chris Gahan Centre
 Corner Greville and Gratton St, Prahran

Saturday 12th May 11:00am **AA Helpline Volunteer Workshop 12th Step Volunteers**
 Sacred Heart Church Hall
 9 Newcastle Street, Newport
 Open to all AA members

Sunday 13th May 7:00am **Hampton Sunrise 31st Anniversary Meeting**
 Castlefield Community Centre
 505 Bluff Road, Hampton

Thursday 17th May 11:00am **Gully Primary Purpose Group 25th Anniversary**
 Uniting Church Hall
 8 The Avenue, Ferntree Gully
 (Opposite Fire Station)

Meeting Changes

Frankston	Saturday 2:00pm	Hearing Other Peoples Experience Group Change of Venue (Was Brotherhood of St Laurence High St) Frankston Baptist Church, Rear Entrance, 56 Yuille St, Frankston (Next to the Frankston Sth Post Office/General Store)
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AA Times

Alcoholics Anonymous Events in Victoria, Australia

16th April 2018

Available online at

www.aatimes.org.au

ANZAA

Trans Tasman Woodstock



Come and join us as Guest Speakers from New Zealand & Australia unify to trudge through the AA 12 steps of Recovery

FRI 27th - SUN 29th APRIL 2018
Keller Hall, Burns Lane, Caringbah, Sydney
WEEKEND REGISTRATION - \$60

DOORS OPEN 5PM FRIDAY 27TH
SEATING LIMITED AT 250

CONTACTS: RANGI 0400 423 913 SHARON 0416 152 657

For more information and to register please visit
WWW.ANZAA.COM.AU

BENTLEIGH FRIDAY MORNING BOOKWORMS GROUP OF ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

present a

12 Step Mini Series

Commencing Friday 20th April until
Friday 6th July

- 10am Bentleigh Salvation Army
87 Robert St Bentleigh (off Centre Rd)
 - "One Step per Week"
 - A friendly introduction to the 12 Steps
- Enquires: David 0419 139 849



Working With Others AA Group

Beginners Steps Discussion AA Meeting

Mount Street Neighbourhood House
Enter through 5 Panoramic Grove
Glen Waverley
(Alternative entrance 6 Mount Street)

**6:30pm Sunday
22nd April 2018**

Topic:
What happened when we tried to control our drinking?

Group website: www.aagroup.org.au



Frankston AA Steps Day

Hosted by the Frankston Peninsula Mini-Con Group

Saturday 21st April 2018

Brotherhood of St Laurence, 24-26 High Street, Frankston

All day Illustrated Steps Presentations & Guest Speakers

Program	
9.00am	Registration
9.30am	Step One
11.15am	Steps Two & Three
12.45pm	Lunch Supplied
1.30pm	Step Four
3.15pm	Steps Five to Nine
5.00pm	Steps Ten to Twelve
6.00pm	Finish

Bring: Big Book, 12 x 12, Highlighter, Pen, Pencil

Registration: \$10.00 for the day includes light lunch & beverages
For Info: garyamaranth@yahoo.com.au or call Gary on 0430 139 846



Come Along and learn about the simple and powerful Alcoholics Anonymous Twelve Step program of recovery from the disease alcoholism.
With Visual presentations by Chris and David and sharing from experienced AA guest speakers.

Alcoholics Anonymous Working With Others Group

The Late Meeting

Fridays 10:00pm
St John's Church
1 Burgundy St, Heidelberg

West Gippsland AA Groups

An Invitation

Glen B (38 years experience as a Councillor in the field of the treatment of Alcoholism) will be presenting the second in this current series of talks-

Alcoholism - Mental and Physical effects

8pm.

Tuesday, April 17th.

Warragul Uniting Church

Sutton Street, Warragul

(same place as Warragul Monday AA meeting)

More information: Peter 045792199

AA'S BIGGEST TRIVIA NIGHT

SATURDAY
21ST APRIL
7PM 2018



FUND RAISER FOR THE
AA 12 STEP OFFICE

\$25.00 Per Person
Includes Light Dinner

PRE-REGISTER YOUR
TABLE OF 10 NOW



ST JOHN'S ANGLICAN
CHURCH
BUXTON HALL
85 CLENDON ROAD
TOORAK VIC. 3142

CONTACT FAB.W
events@aamelbourne.org.au
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STEP ONE

JOIN US FOR THE NEW SERIES @ STEPS IN ROSANNA

SUNDAY 22ND APRIL @ 7PM
1 OR 2 STEPS PER WEEK OVER 13 WEEKS

ROSANNA FIRE STATION COMMUNITY HOUSE
232 LOWER PLENTY ROAD
ROSANNA

Arch to Freedom

The Steps the way of the early AAs

1. We admitted we were powerless over our alcoholism—that our lives had become unmanageable.
2. Came to believe that a Power greater than ourselves could restore us to sanity.
3. Made a decision to turn our will and our lives over to the care of God or of the Higher Power we understood.
4. Made a list of all persons we had harmed, and became willing to make amends to such persons wherever possible.
5. Admitted to God, to ourselves, and to another human being the exact nature of our wrongs.
6. Were ready to admit our defects and character flaws to God, to ourselves, and to another human being.
7. Humbly asked God to remove our defects and character flaws.
8. Made a list of all persons we had harmed, and became willing to make amends to such persons wherever possible.
9. Made direct amends to such persons wherever possible, except when to do so would injure them or others.
10. Continued to take personal inventory and when we were wrong, admitted it.
11. Sought through prayer and meditation to improve our understanding of God's will for us, and to have His will done in our lives.
12. Having had a spiritual awakening as the result of these steps, we tried to carry that out.

Next series of workshops starts
April 24 2018

www.archtofreedom.com.au

Information: Ricky B 0466 606 483