



Founders' Day Herald

91st Anniversary of Alcoholics Anonymous

June 12, 13, & 14, 2026 | Akron, Ohio | Birthplace of A.A.

FRIDAY ACTIVITIES

- A.A. 12 Step Panel • 10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Discussion of One Step Per Hour
Chaired by: Karen K.
- A.A. Early Bird Meeting* • 3:00 p.m.
Tom H. - Akron, OH
"Stepping Out Of The Grave"
Chaired by: Doug P.
- Actors Guild Play • 5:00 p.m. & 7:30 p.m.
"Six Tips To Surrender"
- A.A. Speaker Meeting* • 7:00 p.m.
Beth H. - Garden City, SC
"From I Got To" To "I Get To"
Chaired by: Greg E.
- Serenity Singers • 8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
- A.A. Speaker Meeting* • 9:00 p.m.
Aaron Z. - Molalla, OR
"God Is Love"
Chaired by: Aaron K.
- Junta en Español • 9:30 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.
Orador: Psicologo Carlos Escamilla
Tema: Las Heridas Del Alma

The Last Call Discussion • 11:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

- Actors Guild Play • 12:00 p.m. & 2:30 p.m.
"Six Tips To Surrender"
- A.A. & Al-Anon Dual Lead* • 12:30 p.m.
Speakers - David & Mary Ellen Y. - Rossiter, PA
"Never Give Up"
Chaired by: Jane M.
- Junta en Español • 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Orador: Psicologo Carlos Escamilla
Tema: Despertar Espiritual
- A.A. Speaker Meeting* • 2:00 p.m.
Carla R. - Tujunga, CA
"Spiritual Awakening/Human Experience"
Chaired by: Karen K.
- The History of Our Big Book • 4:00 p.m.
Presented by: Gail L. - Akron, OH
Chaired by: Doug P.
- A.A. Speaker Meeting* • 8:00 p.m.
Tom T. - Staten Island, NY
"The Most Satisfactory Years of Your Existence Lie Ahead"
UA Infocision Stadium**
Chaired by: Juanita W.

****Stadium Weather Contingency Plan for Saturday Night - See Web Site**

DANCE! DANCE! DANCE!
10:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.
Saturday Night

SATURDAY ACTIVITIES

- Bus Tours of Historic A.A. Sites
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
2 buses continuously - Bierce Circle
- A.A. Archives
Located in Akron Intergroup Office
(Stop on bus tour)
- The 12 Traditions • 9:00 a.m.
Bob D. - Las Vegas, NV
Chaired by: Jeanne R.
- Grapevine Meeting • 10:00 a.m. & 3:00 p.m.
Grapevine And LaVina
"AA's Multimedia Message"
Presenter: Chris C.
- Junta en Español • 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Taller De La Vina
- A.A. Long Timers Panel* • 11:00 a.m.
Topic: "A Design For Living"
Lillie H. - South Portland, ME
Avery M. - Atlanta, GA
Beth F. - Akron, OH
Chaired by: Jeanne R.

SUNDAY ACTIVITIES

- MOTORCADE TO DR. BOB'S GRAVE*
7:30 a.m.
Motorcycle procession and graveside memorial tribute to Dr. Bob & Anne S.
Kevin G. - Massillon OH
Chaired by: Greg E.
- A.A. Spiritual Panel Meeting • 9:00 a.m.
Topic: "We Stood At The Turning Point"
Jimmy R. - Akron, OH
Annamarie T. - Naples, FL
Greg K. - Brooklyn, OH
Chaired by: Mary K.
- A.A. Closing Speaker Meeting* • 10:30 a.m.
Harold L. - St. Louis, MO
"When Opportunity Meets Preparation, God Will Do The Introductions"
Chaired by: Tony T.

AL-ANON

FRIDAY ACTIVITIES

- Al-Anon Speaker • 1:00 p.m.
"History of Family Groups"
Vannoy S. - Denton, TX
Chaired by: Christina
- Al-Anon Panel • 2:30 p.m.
Topic: "Two Programs, One Journey"
Larry V. - Kinsman, OH
Jack H. - Westlake, OH
Steve L. - Akron, OH
Chaired by: Susan
- Al-Anon Sing Along • 4:00 p.m.

AL-ANON

SATURDAY ACTIVITIES

- Al-Anon Daily Reader • 9:00 a.m.
"Page of the Day And Meditation"
Chaired by: Bonny
- Alateen Panel • 10:00 a.m.
"Our Future of Recovery"
Chaired by: Gina S.
- A.A. & Al-Anon Dual Lead* • 12:30 p.m.
Speakers - David & Mary Ellen Y. - Rossiter, PA
"Never Give Up"
Chaired by: Jane M.
- Al-Anon Long Timers Panel • 3:00 p.m.
Topic: "Ask a Basket"
Regina - Cleveland Hts, OH
Martha G. - Pittsburgh, PA
Pat A. - Dover, OH
Vannoy S. - Denton, TX
Chaired by: Lynda M.

Al-Anon Speaker • 5:00 p.m.
Gordy B. - Seattle, WA
"Overcome Control Issues"
Chaired by: Jim K.

REGISTRATION

UA STUDENT UNION
CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED!
Friday 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.
Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Registrations must be picked up by 6:00 p.m. Saturday - **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
Package Plans must be picked up at designated dormitories. Check confirmation letter or e-mail.
Coffee & Fellowship Room Student Union
A.A. Literature Sales
Friday 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED!

* A.S.L. INTERPRETER

CLEAR BAGS REQUIRED SEE INSIDE FOR MORE INFORMATION

FOUNDERS' DAY IS A SERVICE OF THE AKRON AREA INTERGROUP COUNCIL OF A.A.
Name badges & ribbons must be worn for admittance to all meetings — **NO EXCEPTIONS!**