

# News – Area 87

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### CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAYS

#### *The Service Office and the Literature Counter*

*will be closing on Thursday, December 21<sup>st</sup>, 2006 at 7:00 p.m.*

*Reopening on Wednesday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2007.*

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### **An event you should not miss!**

***DCM Welcome meeting:*** The next welcome meeting will take place on **Saturday, January 13<sup>th</sup>, 2007 at 8:30 a.m.** at Centre communautaire, 5365 St. Laurent Blvd., Ville Ste-Catherine, J5C 1A6. Participants to this service meeting are members of the Area Committee (DCM, Coordinators and their alternates and Steering Committee members). All A.A. members, curious and interested in 12<sup>th</sup> Step work through our Area Committee, are welcome to attend. This meeting is, as are all service meetings, closed for A.A. members only.

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### **Anniversaries**

#### **January:**

**Thu. 18** **Serendipity** – 37<sup>th</sup> Anniversary – Cedar Park United Church – 204 Lakeview Ave. (West of St. John's Blvd.) – Pointe-Claire – 8:30 p.m. - Food donations appreciated – *No beginners' meeting for this night only.*

**Sun. 21** **West Island Sunday Breakfast** – 39<sup>th</sup> Anniversary – Elizabeth Russell Center – 750 Dawson Ave. (at Dorval Ave.) – Dorval – 10:15 a.m. – Food donations appreciated – *Open speaker meeting for this day only.*

## Meeting News

**Blue Monday** – Monday – 8:00 p.m. – St. Margaret’s Church Hall – 8505 de Teck St. (corner Lebrun Ave.) – Montreal – No meeting on January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2007.

**Knowlton Serenity** – Sunday – 10:30 a.m. – New address: New Brome Lake Community Centre – 270 Victoria Avenue – Knowlton.

**Wednesday’s Mid-Weekers** – 7:30 p.m. – United Church – 335 Springfield Ave. (near Churchill Blvd.) – Greenfield Park – As of January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2007 the meeting will be on Tuesday instead of Wednesday and change it’s name to Springfield Unity.

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## Convention News

**January 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>, 2007**

**31<sup>st</sup> Annual St. Jerome Closed Conference** - St. Jerome Jesuits Monastery – St. Jerome

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## Other events

**January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2007**

**15<sup>th</sup> Annual Toronto Winter Round-up** – Novotel North York – 3 Park Home Ave. - Toronto – The speaker will be Clancy I. from Venice, California  
Registration starts at 7:45 a.m.

**March 3, 2007**

**Mid-Winter Round-up – District 87-08** - Saturday – 12:00 p.m. until 11:00 p.m. – St. Laurent Community Center – 1375 Grenet St. – St. Laurent – Speaker – Lunch – Dance - Al-Anon participation – Tickets: \$15.

### Why live in isolation – get involved in your group and district as a G.S.R

One day at a time 2007 is dawning upon us. A new year in, which our personal recovery continues, but as we know this recovery depends upon A.A. unity and the common welfare of A.A., comes first. Does your group have a general service representative (GSR) or are you wondering what’s the point? Do you feel that your home group is part of A.A. as a whole and do your group’s decisions and actions reflect that? Each group linked to the local general service structure is automatically a part of the “group conscience” of A.A. through their GSR’s participation in district meetings and the Area Assembly. Why live in isolation – get involved in your group and district!

All groups in District 08 of Area 87 are invited to send their group representative to the first meeting of 2007, 8:00 p.m. Thursday, January 25<sup>th</sup> at the Service Office – 3920 Rachel St. East. We look forward to seeing you then.

DCM & Alternate DCM of District 08 – Tedd D. & Brian L.

## New Groups

The following groups have requested  
registration within Area 87

### Hudson Monday Night (87-06)

St. Thomas Aquinas Church – Corner of Main Street &  
Cameron Ave. – Hudson – Monday - 8:00 p.m. - Closed  
meeting – Open Topic/Discussion.

### Let's Talk (87-06)

St. George's Anglican Church – Perrault Ave. & St.  
George St. – Ste-Anne-de-Bellevue – Friday - Midi –  
Open meeting – No smoking – Wheel-chair access –  
*Starting January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2007.*

### New Horizon (87-18)

Westminster Ave. & Curzon St. (side door) – Montreal Tuesday – 8:00 p.m. – Closed meeting – Wheel-chair access.

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The **SERVICE OFFICE** is open Monday to Friday at the following hours:

<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>08:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.</b> <b>01:00 p.m. to 04:00 p.m.</b>
<b>TUESDAY to FRIDAY</b>	<b>08:00 a.m. to 07:00 p.m.</b>

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However, please note the following hours for the **LITERATURE COUNTER**.

The hours are:

<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>CLOSED</b>
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>11:00 a.m. to 07:00 p.m.</b>
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>11:00 a.m. to 07:00 p.m.</b>
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>11:00 a.m. to 07:00 p.m.</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>11:00 a.m. to 07:00 p.m.</b>

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