



MAINE CHAPTER of eastern area intergroup

HIGHLIGHTS – March 2015

MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Highlights FROM FA MAINE CHAPTER – Providing Me/NH Meetings with Support in Reaching Newcomer:

➤ **From the Maine Chapter Chair:**

After prayer, and weighing and measuring the impact and options, the executive board felt the next right decision was to postpone Maine Meeting Support Day on March 15th. As you know, winter brings snow and we felt it is best to encourage everyone to spend the day safely at home rather than travel to Augusta during snow, rain and possibly freezing rain.

Who would have ever thought that this bunch of addicts could join together, work together, collaborate together, and create such an event. And who would have ever believed that, after a year of work and planning, that we could all simply let go and, without anger or resentment, accept that Meeting Support Day should be suspended. Who knew that coming into FA would be more than losing weight, that it would also be a place to learn to simply take the next right action - and do it with love, trust and gratitude.

- **We are pleased to announce the 8th Annual Meeting Support Day** has been rescheduled for May 17, 2015. Anyone who previously registered will receive an email explaining the new date and registration details. Others interested in attending can register by emailing meoffice@foodaddicts.org or on the signup sheet located on your literature table. The May 17 Meeting Support Day is being held at the University of Maine in Augusta. Registration begins at 8am, the event starts at 9am and ends at 3pm. This will be followed by an FA sharing meeting immediately after the close of Meeting Support Day. Tri-folds are available on your Literature Table. Come share your experience, strength and hope with FA fellows from all over New England.
- **Nominations for Chapter Secretary and Chapter Treasurer** will be accepted at the April Chapter Meeting. The positions requires two years of abstinence and completion of an AWOL. Elections for both positions will be held during Maine Meeting Support Day on May 17th.
- **From the 12th Step Committee:** If your meeting has a FA Fellow who is working with a sponsor and is in need of a home meeting due to illness, contact the 12th Step Committee to get more information about how to set this in motion. For more information email ME12thstep@foodaddicts.org or call Marina at 522-8999.

Please join us for the next Maine Chapter Meeting on Sunday, April 19th at 9:00am at the University of Maine Augusta. If cancelled due to weather a message will be place on the Information Line by 6am. FMI Contact Steve A. 207-767-3207, or email MEChair@foodaddicts.org.

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BUSINESS MEETING ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **FA Books** can be purchased at the Maine Chapter Meeting beginning in April. By purchasing the book at the Chapter Meeting your meeting can save shipping costs.
- **SERVICE OPPORTUNITY:** If you interested in helping others learn about FA recovery and have up to 30 minutes a week to do this, contact Arlene, PI Chair at [207-735-7956](tel:207-735-7956) to inquire about checking and answering voice mail messages left on the FA Infoline. You can also email Arlene at mepi@foodaddicts.org to find our more.

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