



The Augustine Fellowship of SLAA—Greater Delaware Valley InterGroup (GDVI)

"The strongest of all warriors are these two: time and patience." -Leo Tolstoy

Headline News

DECEMBER 2015 (PLEASE PRINT & SHARE AT MEETINGS DECEMBER TO JANUARY 2016)

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Your local InterGroup serves the Fellowship. Here's how!

■ We make meeting lists and distribute this lifeline of recovery to SLAA groups.

■ We provide the SLAA pamphlets and Basic Texts to area groups.

■ We support the SLAA website (slaadvi.org) to build a bridge to SLAA newcomers.

■ We run a telephone line, which can help answer questions newcomers may have about the program. Call: 609. 621.SLAA (7522)

■ We maintain 24/7/365 the Inspiration Line. Just call 215.574.2120 to hear daily recordings of strength and hope.

■ We organize recovery retreats that bring together SLAA's in all stages of their recovery for aid and support

■ We conduct outreach efforts to institutions, where we help sex and love addicts during their incarceration.

Next GDVI Meetings

Tuesday, December 8, 2015, at 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, January 12, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.

All are welcome!

Make a Service Resolution: Nominations for 2016 GDVI Volunteers Needed!

Though the calendar has not ticked over to the New Year, you're likely thinking about New Year's resolutions.

This year, consider making a resolution for doing service in the program.

GDVI needs people with at least 6 months of recovery to help the organization conduct planning and operations during 2016. Please submit nominations at the December 8 meeting or feel free to contact the GDVI Corresponding Secretary via:

www.slaadvi.org/contact-corresponding-secretary.html

Elections will follow on January 12, 2016.

You can nominate yourself, or someone else for any open position. Elected members will hold the position for one year. The following positions are for one year terms and are now open: Vice-Chair; Treasurer; Recording Secretary; Corresponding Secretary; Retreat Committee Co-Chairs (2

people); Inspiration Line Coordinator; Information and Meeting List Coordinator; Web Site Coordinator; Social Committee Chair; Institutions and Professional Outreach Coordinator; Annual Business Meeting Delegates (2 people). Learn more about each position, at: <http://www.slaadvi.org/gdvi-positions.html>

Make your New Year's resolution for doing service for GDVI and making it count in 2016!

Donate to the GDVI Scholarship Fund

In 2015, GDVI received more than \$1,000 in scholarship funding, which is the highest amount ever! SLAA members in need can request a partial or full scholarship to attend any of GDVI's retreats.

To donate, send a check or money order to Augustine Fellowship, PO Box 7437, Phila., PA 19101 and enclose a letter stating the contribution amount.

Individual SLAA meetings can ear-mark a scholarship

fund contribution with their 7th tradition donations, simply by enclosing a letter stating the amount of the scholarship fund contribution, along with the amount of their 7th tradition contribution, and mailing one check to the GDVI post office box address.

For more information about the fund or how to donate, please feel free to contact the DVI Chair at dvichairperson@slaadvi.org



Start the Year with Recovery

Come to the FREE New Year's Day Inspirational Recovery Event from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m., featuring speakers from MA, NJ, and PA. Join in the reflection, refreshments, food, fun, and fellowship. (It's a potluck!) It's hosted at 444 North 3rd Street, Suite 307 (3rd floor in Pro-Act Offices), Philadelphia, PA 19123

Stay Updated with SLAA GDVI Monthly InterGroup Meetings

When: The second Tuesday of every month, from 7:00 to 8:30 pm.

Where: 444 North 3rd Street, Suite 307 (3rd floor in Pro-Act Offices), Philadelphia, PA 19123, 3rd and Callowhill Streets in the Old City Section of Philadelphia. FREE parking!

Can't make the drive? Dial in using the conference call-in number 641.715.3287 (passcode: 542215#)