



State of the State - Area 70 Vermont  
December 2022-January 2023



**Upcoming Events – Open to all AA members:**

- Christmas Eve Alcathon – December 24, 6pm-12am, Turning Point Center, 7 Morgan St, **Springfield**
- Christmas Alcathon – December 24 6pm-12am / Dec 25 9am-6pm, Trinity Church, 85 West St, **Rutland**
- Holiday Alcathon – December 24 9am-9pm / Dec. 25 9am-7pm, Turning Point, 39 Elm St, **Brattleboro**
- Christmas Day – December 25, 10am-6:30pm, Unitarian Universalist Society, 152 Pearl St, **Burlington**
- Christmas Alcathon – December 25, 8am-10pm, Dr. Bob Group, 114 North Main St, **Barre**
- New Year’s Eve Alcathon – December 31, 6pm-12am, Turning Point Center, 7 Morgan St, **Springfield**
- New Year’s Eve Alcathon – December 31, 6pm-2am / January 1, 7am-2pm, Unitarian Universalist Society, 152 Pearl St, **Burlington**
- New Year’s Eve Alcathon – December 31, 9am-9pm, Turning Point, 39 Elm St, **Brattleboro**
- New Year’s Day Gratitude Meeting – January 1, 1pm-3pm, Trinity Church, 85 West St, **Rutland**
- Area Committee Meeting – January 15, 2023, 1pm, Gifford Medical Center, **Randolph** (\*hybrid)
- Area Committee Meeting – February 19, 2023, 1pm, Gifford Medical Center, **Randolph** (\*hybrid)
- Northeast Regional AA Service Assembly (NERAASA), Feb 23-26, 2023 – **Albany, NY** ([www.neraasa.org](http://www.neraasa.org))
- Pre-Conference Sharing Session / Full Area Assembly, March 2023 (date and location TBD)
- 58<sup>th</sup> Annual Vermont State Convention – April 21-23, 2023, Equinox Resort, **Manchester** ([www.aavt.org](http://www.aavt.org))

\* Check [www.aavt.org](http://www.aavt.org) for more information

**D.C.M.s**

- District 1 ..... John P
- District 2 ..... LaVerne F
- District 3 ..... (Open)
- District 4 ..... Dave B
- District 5 ..... Skylar A
- District 6 ..... Marc M
- District 7 ..... Margaret M
- District 8 ..... Eileen F (Alt)
- District 9 ..... Katie Z
- District 10 ..... Tim B
- District 11 ..... Janet A

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\*Combined Public Information / Cooperation with the Professional Community

Our annual Pre-Conference Sharing Session is coming up in March, and all are encouraged to participate. This is the forum where Area 70 forms a group conscience regarding the General Service Conference agenda items. It’s open to every AA member in the state, and everyone has an equal voice. Our Delegate will have plenty of information to share with the groups in advance, and he will want to know our thinking on these topics before he heads to New York in April. Between now and February, GSRs should plan to attend all of their district meetings, bringing back info each month to their group, so more of our membership is aware of what is going on in AA, and of their right to participate. GSRs are a vital part of our service structure – each member has a voice and each group has a vote, and they rely on their GSR to keep them informed.

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After 3 long years, Area 70’s 58<sup>th</sup> annual statewide convention will be held April 21-23, 2023 at the Equinox in Manchester! Go to [aavt.org](http://aavt.org) for registration and hotel information. Feel free to share this with all AA members, both in Vermont and from other areas. We often have friends attend our convention from all throughout the Northeast region – and beyond!

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Now that we’re getting back to holding service events in person around Vermont, consider encouraging your sponsees or alternates to join you at your next district or area meeting. Sometimes a personal invitation makes all the difference, and we need everyone’s participation!

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