

Eastern Massachusetts Area 30

Pre-Conference Assembly

Hosted by District 1 & 2



- When:** Sunday, April 1, 2012
10:00am - 4:00pm (Orientation begins at 9:30am)
- Where:** Yarmouth Senior Center
528 Forest Road, West Yarmouth, MA 02673
- Who:** All GSRs, DCMs, Area 30 Officers, Committee Chairs, and Alternates are responsible to attend. All Interested AAs are welcome and encouraged to attend!
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"Anonymity: Our Spiritual responsibility in the Digital Age."

The purpose of the Area Assembly is the same as the purpose of an AA group:

to carry the AA message to the still suffering alcoholic.

The General Service Representative (GSR) has the job of linking his or her group with AA as a whole. The GSR has experience with the group and represents the voice of the group conscience. The GSR also attends the Area Assembly as part of the larger group conscience. Here the GSR has the opportunity to share their group's concerns and ideas with the Area 30 Delegate (who passes them on to the General Service Conference).

The Area Assembly is the voice of the group conscience, guardian of the 12 Steps and 12 Traditions, perpetuator of general and world service of our society (from the *Area 30 Handbook*, September 13, 2009 Revision).

*TENTATIVE AGENDA:

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| 9:00 - 10:00am Registration | 12:00 - 1:00pm Lunch (Served by hosting district) |
| 9:30 - 10:00am Orientation for new GSRs and DCMs | 1:00 - 3:30pm Workshops |
| 10:00 - Assembly Opens | 3:30 - 4:00pm Report Backs |

Driving Directions

From Worcester: Take Rte 495 South to Rte 25 to / just prior to the Bourne Bridge take exit to US-6E go around roundabout and go under Bourne Bridge. Travel for approximately 3.5 miles to the Sagamore Bridge take ramp toward Hyannis and **go over bridge and travel to exit 8 on the Mid Cape Highway (approximately 20 miles). At the end of the ramp turn right. And go .7 mile to 2nd traffic light - turn right and go .6 mile on Old Town House Rd and then left onto Forest Rd. for .2 mile. Senior center is on the left the entrance is around the back for the Assembly**

From North: Take 93S to 3S to 6E & follow **bold** directions above.

From Boston: Rte.3 to Sagamore Bridge & follow **bold** directions above.

From P-Town: Go to Exit 8 and turn left at end of ramp and follow directions above in **bold** from turn @ end of the ramp.