

Happy Birthday!! Clean Acres: Nov 7: Rick, Howard, Ken Nov 28: Larry Journey to the Top: Oct 28: Stewart LIVE Port McNeill: Nov 11: Bert AND Unity Group: Nov 7: Andy LET Nov 20: Destiny Line Numbered BT: LIVE Dec 4: Jennifer

NA History (taken from <u>BCRNA.ca</u>) The first NA meeting that took place in Canada was in late September of 1967. It was in Victoria, BC. James D and Bernard A began meeting weekly to help each other stay clean. The late 1960s were a time of struggle for the fellowship and in 1967 there were only 15 meetings world wide. In

WORKSHOP TOPICS: BUILDING A STRONG HOME GROUP & LEADERSHIP ROLES DATE: SUNDAY NOV. 12. 2023 LOCATION: 9300 TRUSTEE RD ORT HARDY @ 1-5 PM

the early 1970s the fellowship in Victoria began to stabilize and in 1973 the Victoria Area Service Committee was formed.

Scan the QR code to hear a short clip of James D. Talking about the beginnings of NA starting in Victoria.



Learning Days are Here: Upper Mall Port Hardy Nov 12, 2023 Doors open @ 12:00 Workshops start @ 1:00

Topic 1 - Building Strong Groups Topic 2 - Your Role as a Leader

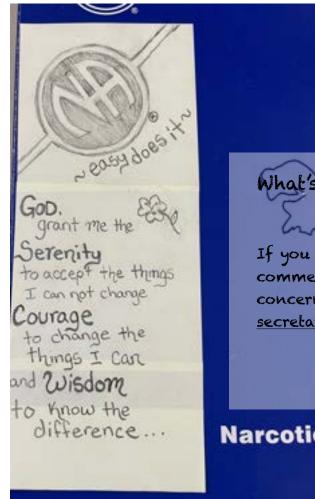
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| Committe | Committee |
| 2nd Sunday of the Month- | 3rd Tuesday of the month- |
| 10:15am | 6pm |
| www.zoho.com/ | <u>www.meet.zoho.com/</u> |
| GSOiS1THJp | XCzELGRKkj |
| Meeting ID: 1079529653 Password: cmalCF 543, 6th Street Courtenay (Alamo Club) | Meeting ID: 1064517905 Password: ePhj8e |
| secretary@vinprana.ca | prsecretary@vinprana.ca |
| Positions Open: RCM2 Treasurer | Positions Open: Literature distributors, phone line coordinator, Panel Leaders, Panel Members, Newsletter support |



"We admitted that we were powerless over our addiction, that our lives had become unmanageable."

What does unmanageability mean to me?

· Have I ever been arrested or had legal trouble as a result of my addiction? Have I ever done anything I could have been arrested for if only I were caught? What have those things been?

-Step One

- What trouble have I had at work or school because of my addiction?
- What trouble have I had with my family as a result of my addiction?
- · What trouble have I had with my friends as a result of my addiction?
- Do I insist on having my own way? What effect has my insistence had on my relationships?
- · Do I consider the needs of others? What effect has my lack of consideration had on my relationships?
- · Do I accept responsibility for my life and my actions? Am I able to carry out my daily responsibilities without becoming overwhelmed? How has this affected my life?
- · Do I fall apart the minute things don't go according to plan? How has this affected my life?
- · Do I treat every challenge as a personal insult? How has this affected my life?

What's going on at AREA?

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