



# SHARINGS

District 3, Greater Jacksonville, Florida

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April 2018 - Panel 58

## New Group Meeting

Durbin Crossing AFG meets on Tuesday nights at 7pm, at Mission Way Church, 14985 Old St. Augustine Rd, Unit 101. The church is located next door to Rebounderz. Meeting entrance is to the right of the auditorium. All members are welcome to attend.



## Heard At A Meeting

"It's not my problems that keep me coming back: Its my solutions."

## Events

North Florida Area Spring Assembly May 4-6, 2018, Altamonte Springs FL.

The next District 3 Business Meeting is May 12, 2018. At Arlington United Methodist Church, 1400 University Blvd. N, Jacksonville, FL 32211. Meetings are held in the Parlor; they begin at 9:45 am and the doors open at 9:15 am. Babysitting services are available at all District Business Meetings and Fun Day Events. All Al-Anon members are welcome.

Only three months left to make your arrangements to attend the Al-Anon International Convention. Special hotel room rates are available on a first-come, first-served basis. You will also need to register for the convention..

New Beginnings AFG will host the next District 3 Fun Day. Come out for fun and fellowship in July. It will be at Arlington United Methodist Church, 1400 University Blvd. N, Jacksonville, FL 32211.

## Members Share:

Monica, Yulee Group 

I started my journey in Al-Anon when my husband got sober. Since we move around a lot I was jumping in and out of the program because I was not an outgoing person and I have shut myself away from the world for a long time. When I moved here to Florida and found a home group and several other meetings that I enjoy attending, I really feel that I have found a home and with that a family. For a woman who moved around so much and never really felt at home anywhere in this world. I am so very grateful to this program of Al-Anon and all of you for the sense of belonging that it brings to me.



March Fun Day

This is a table centerpiece from the March Fun Day event. There was a delicious array of food and desserts for attendees to enjoy. Those who were brave enough raced in a shoe race. The rest of us tried to use our memory of the Steps and played Bingo. A speaker shared her experience of her Al-Anon journey and reminded us of the gift we have through our Al-Anon fellowship. See you next Fun Day.

**Friday July 6 – Sunday July 8, 2018**

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*Celebrating One Day at a Time*

**Al-Anon's International Convention 2018**

**Baltimore Convention Center**

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**Baltimore, MD 21201**

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## Conventions



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*“Every Al-Anon convention I’ve attended has reminded me that I am not alone. I feel friendship, compassion, and unconditional love. I look forward to seeing old and new members whose experiences help me accept myself. Attending conventions is the gift I give myself.” A grateful Al-Anon member*



The 13<sup>th</sup> Al-Anon Greek Convention with AA Participation will be held on May 11-13 at the Nautica Bay Hotel in Porto Heli, Peloponnese, Greece. For further information please contact the convention committee at: [alanongreekconvention@gmail.com](mailto:alanongreekconvention@gmail.com).

SHARINGS is asking members to share their 4th Step experience. Members who are taking their inventory for the first time are asking how other members did theirs. Some members want to use a different format to re-take their inventory and are also looking for ideas. E-mail your 4th Step experience to [newslettereditor@jaxafg.org](mailto:newslettereditor@jaxafg.org)