# 156 Club Newsletter

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# 156 Club – Recover with Us! A new beginning every day! The 156 Club is now fully open to indoor and outdoor meetings!

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For the most up to date meeting and other Club information, visit <u>156AAClub.org</u>.

**The 156 Club** is home to 27 AA, NA and Alanon meetings, either open or closed, for those in recovery and those with a loved one who is an alcoholic/addict or a recovering alcoholic/addict.



Providing a Safe Place for Recovery Since 1975

The 156 Club is administered by the Forest Lake Alano Society Board of Directors as a safe and encouraging place for 12 Step meetings and those in need of support for addiction recovery.

Step 6: "Were entirely ready to have God remove all these defects of character."

**Tradition 6:** "An A.A. group ought never endorse, finance, or lend the A.A. name to any related facility or outside enterprise, lest problems of money, property, and prestige diver us from our primary purpose."

2021 JUNE						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			
www.free-printable-calendar.com						

#### FLAS / 156 Club events:

- Club AA Meetings can be found at 156aaclub.org/schedule-1
- Next Speaker Meeting June 5<sup>th</sup> Spring Recovery Event!

Family BBQ, Music, Speaker:

- Fellowship & Family @ 3 pm
- Pulled pork & fixings @ 5 pm
- Speaker @ 7pm = Tyler
- Squad Leader / Fellowship Committee Meeting: Tues, June 8th, 7:30pm

Contact Rich M. for more info.

• FLAS Monthly Board Meeting
(all welcome, Zoom link avail from Dave G.)
Mon, June 28th, 7:00pm Upstairs
[Note: Board mtgs will be moved to
Monday @ 7pm from Jun to Nov]

#### Other AA events:

- St. Paul Intergroup Events and regional info:
  - https://www.aastpaul.org/
  - 24 hr AA call line: (651) 227-5502

# **News From 156 Club:**

# Fellowship News

156 Club is back to full in-person operations! The 156 Club, following the CDC and State guidance, reopened to full capacity without a mask mandate in mid May. This is great news for those of us in recovery! Living our 12<sup>th</sup> step with each other by attending meetings is crucial to our recovery. It is even more critical to those just beginning their recover journey. Please reach out to others who need the fellowship our AA meetings and the 156 Club can offer.

Thank YOU for your fantastic cooperation over the last 15 months!!! The FLAS Board and your fellow 156 Club attendees appreciate your discipline and understanding. To our knowledge, there have been no outbreaks or even infections directly attributed to any 156 Club meetings or events! This is ONLY possible because of consistent social distancing and mask use at the club. Let's pray we never have to go through this again!

June 5<sup>th</sup> BBQ and Recovery Event! Modeled after last October's successful Booya/Fellowship event, the FLAS Board, the Squad Leaders and the Fellowship Committee are hosting a spring recovery event! There will be fellowship and children's activities starting at 3pm, a BBQ dinner (\$5 suggested donation) served by your FLAS Board at 5pm along with music by Rudy B and Dave P! We will have a speaker at 7pm, followed by a bonfire (weather permitting). We'll have tents in case its wet, but we are hoping for a great evening! Please contact Rich M. with questions or to volunteer.

156 Club June 27<sup>th</sup> Golf Outing: Spring fever has also brought thoughts of other events. Chuck K and Paul S are organizing a 156 Club golf outing on June 27<sup>th</sup> at Tanners Brook Golf Course. The cost will be \$36 for 18 holes, including a cart. If you are interested please contact Chuck or Paul. (see the Board contact list below). Please sign up by June 13<sup>th</sup>.

## Please visit our website! 156AAClub.org

Send comments or questions about the site to Dave G. at 156AAClub@gmail.com.

## Club Service Opportunities

**Zoom Meeting Leaders wanted:** We have purchased a Zoom subscription that will be available for Club sanctioned AA meetings. Contact Dave G or Trever B for info.

**FLAS News:** Please consider an FLAS membership. The membership cost will remain at \$60/yr minimum or \$5/mo – a great value to support such an important program! Many members choose larger donations (up to \$5K).

#### Also Remember to:

- Take advantage of On-Line recovery resources
- Talk to your Sponsor and Use your Phone List to talk to others in your squad or find out about on-line video AA meetings.
- Join the Forest Lake Alano Society for \$5/month. This is a great way to strengthen your recovery with service! Look for pledge envelopes at the Club

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