



33rd Annual McHenry's Soberfest

Nov. 18 - 20, 2022

"We Have to Live It"

A.A. • Al-Anon • Alateen
Grand Geneva Resort
Lake Geneva, WI.

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1. We admitted we were powerless over Alcohol – that our lives had become unmanageable.
2. Came to believe that a Power greater than ourselves could restore us to sanity.
3. Made a decision to turn our will and our lives over to the care of God as we understood Him.
4. Made a searching and fearless moral inventory of ourselves.
5. Admitted to God, to ourselves, and to another human being the exact nature of our wrongs.
6. Were entirely ready to have God remove all these defects of character.
7. Humbly asked Him to remove our shortcomings.
8. Made a list of all persons we had harmed, and became willing to make amends to them all.
9. Made direct amends to such people wherever possible, except when to do so would injure them or others.
10. Continued to take personal inventory and when we were wrong promptly admitted it.
11. Sought through prayer and meditation to improve our conscious contact with God as we understood Him, praying only for knowledge of His will for us and the power to carry that out.
12. Having had a spiritual awakening as the result of these steps, we tried to carry this message to alcoholics, and to practice these principles in all our affairs.



“WE HAVE TO LIVE IT”

“The spiritual life is not a Theory. We
have to live it.”

**Alcoholics Anonymous
(AA’s Big Book 4th ed.)
Chapter 6, ‘Into Action’ P.83**

Our 2022 logo lies within the readings
for the 9th step of this program...

“...So we clean house with the family,
asking each morning in meditation that
our Creator show us the way of
patience, tolerance, kindness and
love.

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WELCOME To Your 33rd Annual McHenry's Soberfest 2022

- ❖ We are only responsible for providing you with an opportunity to celebrate your sobriety.
- ❖ All meetings are Open Meetings.
- ❖ **Registration Times:**
 - Friday, 2:00pm to 9:00pm
 - Saturday, 8:00am to 9:00pm
- ❖ Absolutely **NO SMOKING INSIDE**, of the Grand Geneva Resort Facilities (this includes e-cigarettes). Smoking will be allowed outside ONLY and not within 20 feet of any entrance.
- ❖ An Audio/Visual monitor will be available in Maple Lawn A for speakers on Friday and Sunday.
- ❖ We are deaf and hard of hearing friendly. ASL Interpreters will be provided at conference.
- ❖ Courtesy Shuttle services will be available throughout the grounds from 6:00am to 2:00am.
- ❖ Recordings of major sessions will be available outside the Grand Ballroom.
(In The Forum foyer Saturday evening only.)
- ❖ All children must be registered. Children under 8 years old are free.

**For assistance at any time,
Please see a Committee Member.
(Look for "committee" name badge)**

Additional Information

CONFERENCE ROOM LOCATIONS:

Literature & Archives	Linwood A & B
Step Study Workshop	Maple Lawn C
Alcathon	Evergreen I & II
Al-Anonathon	Evergreen III
Meditation Room	Loramoor A, B
Hospitality	Room 4211
Vendors	Galewood A,B,C & D
Overflow	Maple Lawn A

Archives & Literature Room Hours:

(Closed during main speakers)

Friday	2pm-11pm
Saturday	8am-11pm
Sunday	8am-9:30am

Hospitality Suite

Room 4211

(Closed from 1am-7am)

Open Game Room:

Westgate A

ALL WEEKEND LONG!!!

All Main Speakers:

Grand Ballroom (Except in Forum Sat. Night)

Overflow (Friday & Sunday) in Maple Lawn A

Saturday Night:

Banquet & Main Speaker in The Forum.

**The Shuttle will pick up between
9pm & 10pm on Saturday after the Banquet**

Dances:

Friday: Superheroes theme in Loramoor

Saturday: Roaring 20's theme in Maple Lawn

SPEAKER SCHEDULE

Grand Ballroom

(Except Sat. Night in the Forum)

Time

Friday, Nov. 18th

6:45pm

Invocation: Rich H

7:00pm

AI-Anon Speaker Linda Q.

– Nashville, TN

8:30pm

A.A. Speaker

Clif G.–Oklahoma City, OK

Saturday, Nov. 19th

9:30am

A.A. Speaker

Karl S. - Baton Rouge, LA

1:00pm

AI-Anon Speaker Lori G.

– Oklahoma City, OK

3:00pm

Step Workshop, Steps 8&9

Karl S. & Carolyn W.

6:30pm

Invocation: Bonnie R.

6:45pm

Banquet (Forum)

8:00pm

A.A. Speaker (Forum)

Quincy W. Agoura Hills, CA

Sunday, Nov. 20th

10:00am

A.A. Speaker

Carolyn W. Surrey, BC

Canada

11:00am

Conference Closing

Mike G. & Angela M.

Friday Night – Nov. 18th

After the Friday Night Speakers:

Dance in Loramoor

Theme: Superheroes!

Pool Party @ Grand Geneva Pool

Saturday Night – Nov. 19th

Panels in Swinghurst

1pm to 3pm – “AA’s 3 Legacies”

Hosted by: District 11

3pm to 5pm – “Young at Heart”

Hosted by: ISCYPAA

Banquet and Speaker

The Forum

6:00pm to 9:00pm

Saturday Night Dance

In Maple Lawn

Roaring 20’s Theme

(After the Speaker)

DJ Jimmy B

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11th Step

Prayer & Meditation

Doors will close 5 minutes after the hour.
No admittance while meditation is in progress.

Loramoor A

FRIDAY, Nov. 18th

- 5:00pm- Guided Meditation: Loving Kindness (20min)
- 6:00pm- Guided Meditation: Letting go (10min)
- 7:00pm- CLOSED FOR MAIN SPEAKER & DANCE

SATURDAY, Nov. 19th

- 7:00am- Beginner/intermediate Sunrise Yoga
- 8:00am- Guided Meditation: Deep Relaxation (20min)
- 9:00am- CLOSED FOR MAIN SPEAKER
- 11:30am- Guided Meditation: Body Scan (10min)
- 12:00pm- Guided Meditation: Forgiveness (25min)
- 1:00pm- Guided Meditation: Returning to Now (20min)
- 2:00pm- Guided Meditation: Saying yes to life (25min)
- 3:00pm- Guided Meditation: Releasing Anger (20min)
- 4:00pm- Guided Meditation: Calming Anxiety (25 min)
- 5:00pm- Guided Meditation: Gratitude (10 min)
- 6:00pm- CLOSED FOR MAIN SPEAKER & DANCE

SUNDAY, Nov. 20th

- 7:00am- Beginner/intermediate Sunrise Yoga
- 8:00am- Guided Meditation: Being Present (20min)
- 9:00am- Guided Meditation: Loving Kindness (25min)
- 10:00am- C LOSED FOR MAIN SPEAKER

Loramoor B

FRIDAY, Nov. 18th

- 5:00pm- Candle lighting for those no longer with us
- 6:00pm- Open Silent Meditation, prayer, reflection
- 7:00pm- CLOSED FOR MAIN SPEAKER & DANCE

SATURDAY, Nov. 19th

- 6:00am- Open for silent meditation
- 9:00am- CLOSED FOR MAIN SPEAKER
- 12:00pm- Open for silent meditation
- 6:00pm- CLOSED FOR MAIN SPEAKER
- 10:00pm- Open for silent meditation

SUNDAY Nov. 20th

- 6:00am- Open for silent meditation
- 10:00am- CLOSED FOR MAIN SPEAKER

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Step Workshop

“Every Step of the Way”

Saturday, Nov. 19th

Maple Lawn C

8:00–8:50am	Step 1
9:00–9:50am	Step 2
10:00–10:50am	Step 3
11:00–12:30pm	Steps 4 & 5
1:30–2:20pm	Steps 6 & 7

Saturday, Nov. 19th

Grand Ballroom

3:00pm–4:30pm Steps 8 & 9

**Presented by A.A. Speakers:
Karl S. and Carolyn W.**

Sunday, Nov. 20th

Maple Lawn C

7:00–7:50am	Step 10
8:00–8:50am	Step 11
9:00–9:40am	Step 12

Soberfest Hospitality

Suite 4211

Friday, Nov. 18th

- 3:00pm- Soberfest Hospitality Committee
- 5:00pm- Flying Geese-CLAC (Sat 7am)
- 7:00pm- Friends of Bill W. – The Other Side
(Thur 7:30pm)
- 9:00pm- TBD
- 11:00pm- TBD

Saturday Nov. 19th

- 7:00am- Design for Living (McHenry Wed 7pm)
- 9:00am- BYOC Group (Daily 7:30am)
- 11:00am- Father Berger Hall (Tues 7pm)
- 1:00pm- Berner Woods Wanderers (Tues 7pm)
- 3:00pm- Soberfest Alanon Committee
- 5:00pm- Stop the Chaos Relapse Prevention MTG
(Sun 7pm)
- 7:00pm- Serenity Group McHenry (M/W/F 7pm)
- 9:00pm- ISCYPAA – CL Bid
- 11:00pm- Winners & Beginners (Wauconda Sun 9am
Mon & Thur 7pm)

Sunday Nov. 20th

- 7:00am-9:00am Worldwide Primary Purpose Group
(Daily Online)

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Evergreen III

Friday, Nov. 18th

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
5:00pm	Love
6:00pm	The 3 C's
7:00pm	Closed
10:00pm	Acceptance
11:00pm	Let it Begin with Me
12:00am	Attitude

Saturday Nov. 19th

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
6:00am	Choices
7:00am	Courage to Change
8:00am	Motives

9am to 11am Closed for Alanon Speaker

11:00am	Service
12:00pm	Keep it Simple

1pm to 3pm Closed for Alanon Speaker

3:00 pm	Powerless
4:00 pm	Willingness
5:00 pm	Al-Anon as a Way of Life

6pm to 10pm Closed for Banquet Speaker

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
10:00pm	One Day at a Time
11:00pm	Honesty with Self
12:00 am	Gratitude

Sunday, Nov. 20th

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
7:00am	Sponsors
8:00am	Serenity

Alcathon

Evergreen I

Friday, Nov 18th

Time

3:00pm
4:00pm
5:00pm
6:00pm
7:00pm

Topic

Past Chair – Eric E
Chair – Mike G
Past Chair – Paul H

Joy Lutheran

8am to 10am Closed for Speaker

Time

10:00pm
11:00pm

Topic

Marilyn
Design for Living

Saturday, Nov 19th

Time

12:00am
1:00am
2:00am
3:00am
4:00am
5:00am
6:00am
7:00am
8:00am

Topic

Ellen R.
Ellen R.

9am to 11am Closed for AA Speaker

11:00am
12:00pm
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Winners & Beginners
St. Martha's Step Meeting
St. Paul's beginners Meeting
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8pm to 10pm Closed for Banquet

10:00pm
11:00pm

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Sunday, Nov 20th

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
12:00am	_____
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4:00am	_____
5:00am	_____
6:00am	_____
7:00 am	_____
8:00 am	_____

Evergreen II
Friday, Nov. 18th

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
3:30pm	Angela Co-Chair
4:30pm	_____
5:30pm	_____
6:30pm	_____

7:30pm to 9:30pm Closed

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
9:30pm	_____
10:30pm	Old Town Beginners
11:30pm	Wanders 12

Evergreen II **Saturday, Nov 19th**

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
12:30am	_____
1:30am	_____
2:30am	_____
3:30am	_____
4:30am	_____
5:30am	_____
6:30am	Denise H.
7:30am	_____
8:30am	Half Measures

9:30am to 10:30am Closed

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
11:30am	Solutions
12:30pm	Tom C
1:30pm	Solutions
2:30pm	Morning Big Book
3:30pm	Find God or Die
4:30pm	Basement Dwellers
5:30pm	Primary Purpose
6:30pm	_____

7:30pm to 9:30am Closed for Banquet

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
9:30pm	_____
10:30pm	_____
11:30pm	_____

Sunday, Nov 20th

<u>Time</u>	<u>Topic</u>
12:30am	Ellen R.
1:30am	_____
2:30am	_____
3:30am	_____
4:30am	_____
5:30am	_____
6:30am	_____
7:30am	Linda

Vacant Spots Open for Sign-Up

Grand Geneva Resort Room Locations

Main Level:

Registration

Grand Café & Café Gelato

Grand Ballroom & The Forum

Maple Lawn C

Step Study Workshop

Maple Lawn A

Speaker Overflow

Linwood A&B

Archives & Literature

Upper Level:

Galewood A, B, C & D Vendor Rooms

Evergreen I & II

Alcathon

Evergreen III

Al-Anonathon

Hospitality Room

Room 4211

Lower Level:

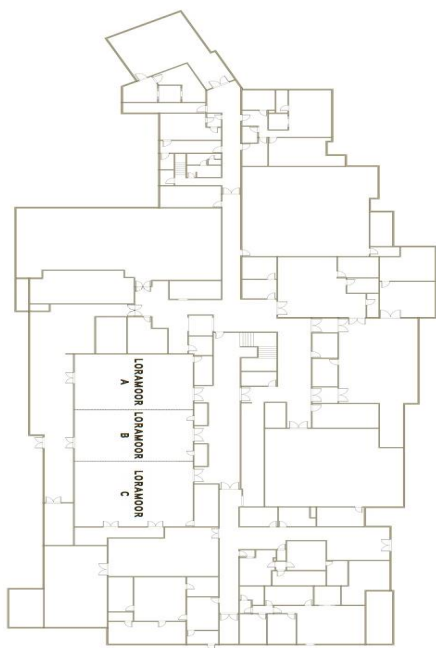
Loramoor A & B

Meditation Room

*SATURDAY EVENING SPEAKER WILL ALSO BE
BROADCAST TO THE GRAND BALLROOM.*

**THERE WILL BE NO ADMITTANCE TO THE
BANQUET WITHOUT A BANQUET CARD.**

**The Shuttle will pick up between
9 & 10pm on Saturday after the banquet.**

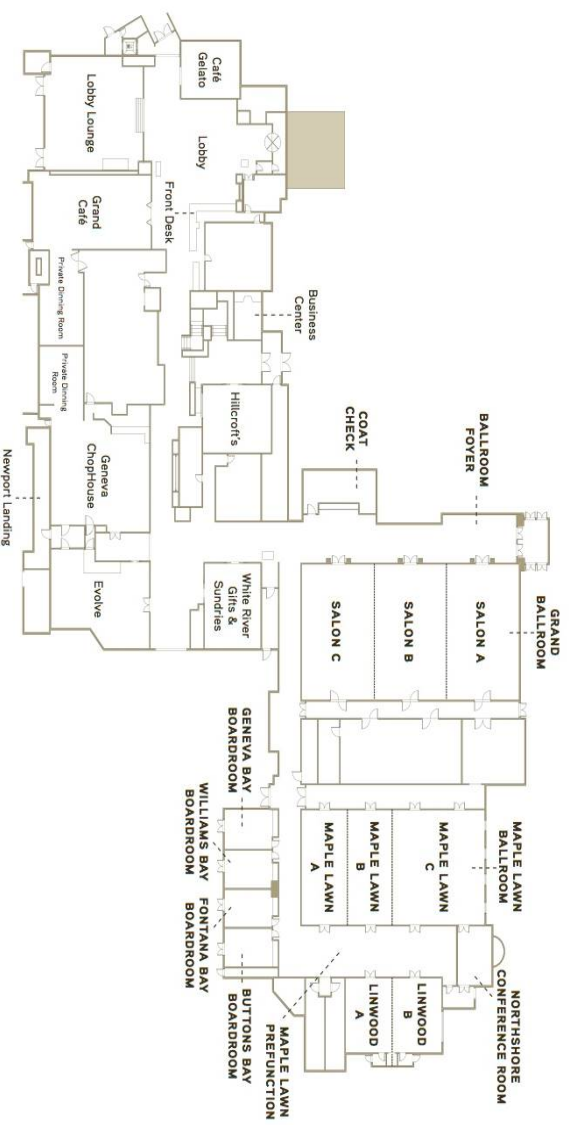


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