

VA Area 057-002 District Representative Report
5/13/23

District Name & Number: Springfield Annandale District 057-002

Meeting Status: Nine active meetings, eight active groups—one group has two meetings. We have two in-person, three hybrid, two permanent online, two temporary online, and one meeting in-person first Tuesday of the month, then online for the remainder.

Events/Projects since last Assembly:

- **Hug and Cookie Workshop:** The District organized and led a successful hybrid Spirituality Workshop (A Hug and a Cookie) with over 60 in-person and 7 online attendees and AA, Al-Anon, and Alateen speakers.
- **GR coffee meetup** on 28 January to check-in on groups.
- **Successful breakfast jointly sponsored** by Arlington and Falls Church/McLean/Vienna on 23 October to facilitate face-to-face relationships and foster greater interest in service.
- **Two groups** transitioned to permanent online meetings.
- **Pizza social** jointly sponsored by Arlington and Falls Church/McLean/Vienna on 17 March at St. Barnabas Church, Falls Church VA.

Events or projects the District/Group is planning:

- **Late summer/Fall workshop** planning initiated tentatively scheduled for late August/September.
- **Summer/Fall** Support to NVSC Gratitude Lunch in November 2023.

Challenges/Things that need attention:

- Fostering a culture of service: filling permanent DR position, four GR positions, District Secretary, District Outreach coordinator.
- Encouraging Alateen sponsorship.