



**Public Outreach Meeting
Tuesday October 3, 2017**

Public Outreach Co-Chair Service Position: starting 2018.

If you are interested please contact Kathe at D3CTPO@ctalanon.org for more information.

RECAP: 6 wonderful members arrived to help Stuff and Stamp School letters - Thank you!

- **Schools** - Stuff and stamp letters to 54 schools/175 letters. Mailed Thurs 10/5.
 - Included October open Alateen meetings flyer
 - Facts about Alateen
 - Bookmark - Girl in the Bottle
- **Hospitals** - **Connecticut Mental Health Center (CMHC) - Family and Friends**
 - **Alanon Spoke October 5th, 5pm-7pm** Very well received from the audience, approx 30. Lots of questions and comments. Speakers Cindi, Ron, Carol B. -Thank you! The Assistant Professor, Psychiatry Yale School of Medicine is now interested in having Al-Anon speaking to the staff. Following up.
 - looking into putting pamphlets in 3 Yale satellite facilities
- **Attracting Young People** - Lorraine
 - Posters to be placed at locations in Yale and Gateway. Al-Anon poster will include the Thursday Noon New Haven Trinity Church meeting specifically.
- **Police Stations:** Best contact person is the Community Resource Officer.
 - West Haven - Kathe follow up. She wants more pamphlets. (order? \$)
 - In the process of contacting:
 - Bethany, Orange, Woodbridge, East Haven, North Branford, North Haven New Haven main stations, New Haven 3 sub-stations, 17 additional stations - **Volunteers Needed**
- **Public Service Announcements** - **Volunteers Needed** contact D3CTPO@ctalanon.org
- Contact program directors to have PSA aired. 9 Radio & 2 TV stations
- **2018 Al-Anon Faces Alcoholism (AFA's)**. 400 English, 100 Spanish, have arrived. Take for your group. Everyone can do Public Outreach by leaving an AFA for someone to find.
- **Libraries** - Al-Anon pamphlets still in place, all libraries within District 3.
 - Will be leaving 4-5 AFA's during follow up visits
 - Ordering Detachment to be added.

NEXT Meeting November 7, 2017. with George. **6PM - 7PM** FOR THIS DATE ONLY **CHANGE OF LOCATION:** FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST 5 Meetinghouse Lane, Woodbridge, CT (REAR ENTRANCE 2ND FL)

Thank you to all who attend and participate in Public Outreach. We can't do it without you!
For more information Contact: D3CTPO@ctalanon.org

AREA PO Events:

Contact **Mary Ann T.** email: ctpublicoutreach@ctalanon.org

- **NEW Public Outreach Page** located in the Members site of the CTALANON.ORG website.
Username: higher, Password: power. Detailed information for Area PO opportunities can be found there.
- **Speaking Opportunities**
 - CT Valley Hospital. Al-Anon speakers every 6th Thursday. Sign up for 2018.
- **Volunteers needed to staff Al-Anon table.** sign up with Mary Ann for specific days and hours at the following events:
 - Total Life Expo **Oct 21st**, Mohegan Sun Uncasville, 10:00-3:00
 - CT Women's Expo **Oct 21st-22nd**, Hartford Convention Center 10:00-5:00