

J.I.P. MEETINGS IN CANADA Committee Report

Since our last report in September, a new Prison starter kit was sent to the Fenbrook Institution in Gravenhurst, Ontario. We are in contact with the authorities to know more about this new meeting as the JIP Committee has not been contacted by anybody otherwise. Several institutions, especially in Quebec, were contacted and, although they have no request for a meeting presently, they know we exist and are ready to help. We have included the full meeting listing at the end of this report.

We have a weekly meeting in a man shelter in Montreal and the residents are coming more and more often to the GA meeting. A few have stayed around and are even going to regular meetings on other days.

We always need feed back from the different trustees in Canada about the JIP meetings in their area and we would also welcome any new member on the Committee, be it a current or past trustee or a member in any Canadian area. If you feel you could help, please do not hesitate to contact either the Chair, Jean-Marc L. or myself, André G., co-chair.

We also are still sending our current meeting listing to all Therapy facilities in Quebec so they can refer their patients to Gamblers Anonymous once the therapy is over.

We look forward to keep those meetings running smoothly and to bring a little hope to a compulsive gambler that still suffers be it inside the walls, in a shelter or in a therapy house.

Jean-Marc L.
Chair
Area 5B

André G.
Co-chair
Area 5B

J.I.P. meetings list in Canada (2009-04)

INSTITUT LECLERC

400 MONTÉE SAINT-FRANCOIS
LAVAL, QC. CANADA
H7C 1S7

Claude P. (Member in charge)

Inside contact : Daniel Jodoin

Meeting 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month between 7:00 and 7:30 p.m.

Opened 10/2002

(Federal medium security)

ÉTABLISSEMENT DE JOLIETTE

400 Marsolais
Joliette, Qc. Canada
J6E 8V4

Tel. 450-752-5257 ext 2904

Claude P./Johanne Q. (member in charge)

Inside contact : Danielle Berthiaume

Meeting every second and 4th Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

Opened 03/2008

(Federal multi level for women)

CENTRE FÉDÉRAL DE FORMATION

6099 Boul. Lévesque laval
Qc. H7C 1P1C

TEL : 450-664-1320 ext 4624 FAX : 450-661-9485

Claude P. (member in charge)

Inside contacts : Jean-Pierre Trépanier

Meeting every second Monday night at 7:30 p.m.

Opened 04/2006, presently inactive

(Federal minimum security)

INSTITUT LA MACAZA

321 Chemin de l'aéroport
La Macaza, Qc.
J0T 1R0

819-275-2315 / 7054

819-275-3079 FAX

Inside contact : Mme FANNY LESSARD

Starting kit sent 10/2002

(medium security)

(Presently inactive)

MAISON JEAN LAPOINTE

111 Norman
Montréal, Qc.
H2Y 2K6

514-288-2611

800-567-9543

Member in charge: Richard L.

Inside contact : Roger Lafrance

Meeting every Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

Meeting for patients and former patients of the therapy house

(Therapy house)

Centre de Détention de Trois Rivières

7600 Boul. Parent
Trois-Rivières, Qc. Canada
G9A 5E1
819- 372-1311 poste 303

Provincial prison

Inside contact : Isabelle Henry
Meeting last Wednesday of the month

MAISONNÉE DE LAVAL

Therapy house

2255 Bienville
Laval, Qc. Canada
H7H 3C9
Tel : 450-628-1011 Fax : 450-628-8383
Meeting every Thursday at 7:00 p.m.
Meeting now opened to all members.

MAISON DU PERE

Homeless shelter
(Reopened 2009-04)

550 René Levesque E.
Montréal Qc.
H2L 2L3
514-845-0168
MEMBER IN CHARGE : Michel B.
Inside contact : Fernand Levesque 514-528-6328
Meeting every Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

CENTRE DOMREMY

Therapy house

2931 Notre Dame
Pointe du Lac, Qc.
819-377-2441
Member in charge : Jean-Paul G.
Information meeting one Thursday a month at 3:00 p.m.

PAVILLON LE NOUVEAU POINT DE VUE

Therapy house

356 Notre Dame
Lanoraie, Qc.
JOK 1EO
450-887-2392
Meeting every Monday night at 7:30 p.m. now opened to all members

STONEY MOUNTAIN INSTITUTION

Federal medium security

P.O. box 4500
Winnipeg, Man.
R3C 3W8
204-344-5111
Member in charge: Mark V.
Meeting Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

ROCKWOOD INSTITUTION

Federal minimum security

P.O. Box 72 Opened 09-20-2007
Stoney Mountain, Man
ROC 3A0
204-344-3435
Member in charge : Mark V.
Meeting Thursday at 7:00 p.m.

Grande Cache Institution

P.O. Box 4000

Grande Cache, Alberta

T0E 0Y0

780-827-4200

Member in charge:

Inside contact: Sue Smith

Federal minimum security

Meeting presently inactive

Fenbrook Institution

2000 Beaver Creek drive

P.O. Box 5000

Gravenhurst, On.

P1P 1Y2

Member in charge:

Inside contact: Janet Harris 705-684-4031

Federal Medium security

Information on meeting to come