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From Janet's Point of View

The Bowl n' Lunch event, on Sunday, February 18th, provided an opportunity to have fun with friends and other singles and to learn the skills of bowling. We were small in numbers, but we were a mighty force. LaVern had the highest score; Fran came in second, (way to go girl!); Fred came in third; Annabelle, our President, came in fourth; and of course me, -- I came in last. Oh, well, what can I say? Better luck next time? You bet! In fact, it's something I would definitely do again, and would also like to encourage you to do too! Even if it is your first time. It's a lot of fun! (By the way, bowling wasn't all we did.) Afterwards, we had lunch Mexican style, at a local restaurant, which was really good. We were having such a good time visiting with each other; we ended up staying longer, brainstorming about future events for ASAM. We came up with a whole host of things we could do. I can't wait to share them with you. I am really excited about the "up-and-coming events," that are being planned! (Look for future events in our newsletters and at <http://www.asamchesapeake.com>)

Calendar of Events

◆ March 11, Snow Tubing

We would like to open this event to singles and families. Meet at Frederick Seventh-day Adventist Church at 9 AM to carpool to the Whitetail Ski Resort. The cost is \$18 for two hours of fun. We will visit a restaurant in Frederick, Maryland for lunch. Contact: LaVern, Tel: 301-802-4169; 301-854-6910. Here are the addresses:



Frederick SDA Church 6437 Jefferson Pike Frederick, MD 21703	Whitetail Ski Resort 13805 Blairs Valley Road Mercersburg, PA 71236 Tel. 717-328-9400
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◆ **March 17, Paddy's Potluck, Evening Party, 5 PM**
Chesapeake Conference, lower level
6600 Martin Road
Columbia, MD 21044-9988

We will have vespers, meal and social. Forest Randall will be our speaker. A musical group from Westminster Seventh-day Adventist Church will provide music for a sing-along; their names are: Paul Hutchins, Frank Hardy, and Carl McNeave. Please bring some food to share for Paddy's Potluck. You may want to dress in green.

RSVP Janet:
Tel. 301-325-3924, dwellerinthelane@hotmail.com

◆ **March 31, Singles Day & Potluck at Reaching Hearts International SDA Church**
Church meets at the Cedar Ridge Community Church
2410 Spencerville Road, Spencerville, Maryland 20868

Reaching Hearts Singles invite all the Chesapeake Conference singles to join them for church and potluck immediately after the service at the new church property: 6100 Brooklyn Bridge Road, Laurel, MD 20707-2639. Please bring a dish to share. Sabbath School starts at 10 AM; church is at 11 AM, and the potluck will start at around 1:30 PM. For directions or more information, contact: Pat Klosky, Tel. 240-416-5122, pklosky@yahoo.com

◆ **April 21, Singles Day & Fellowship Meal at Berkeley Springs Seventh-day Adventist Church**
3606 Valley Road, Berkeley Springs, WV 25411
Tel. (304) 258-6620

Berkeley Springs is the church home of our webmaster, Ron Patterson and Pastor Roger Coon, who will be one of our speakers for the Fall Retreat. There will be time to share about Adventist Single Adult Ministries and provide special music for the services. There will be a question & answer time at lunch and activities in the afternoon. Please bring a dish to share. More details soon.

◆ **May 5, Cinco de Mayo, Evening Social, 5 PM**
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This will include vespers, haystack potluck and social. Let Janet know what you will bring. Tel. 301-325-3924, dwellerinthelane@hotmail.com