Typical CR Meeting Format

6:30 pm—Large Group Meeting

There is music, sharing of success stories, & teaching on important recovery issues. Men & women are both part of this large group.

7:30 pm—Open Share Groups

These are gender specific groups where people are free to share their journeys of recovery. These groups have sharing guidelines which promote personal safety, respect & confidentiality. These are self help groups. There is no counseling done in these groups, nor are there lectures or book referrals. Individuals simply share their own

8:30 pm—Solid Rock Café

experience.

This is a time for socialization & refreshment. Café time is wonderful for the deepening of new friendships & the enjoyment of a snack together.

Participation in CR is <u>free</u> & there are no regular dues. We are however self-supporting, so periodic donations are helpful, <u>not</u> mandatory.

CR Meeting Location:



Cobourg Community Church 59 Ballantine Street

Cobourg, ON, K9A 5G8

Phone: (905) 372-3832 Fax: (905) 372-1229

CR Meeting Time:

Tuesdays from 6:30 pm to 9 pm



Note that our facility is wheelchair accessible

Contact Information:

Cobourg Community Church (905) 372-3832

Cobourg Community & Family Services:

(905) 373-9440

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www.sallyann.ca

www.celebraterecovery.ca

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Celebrate Recovery[®]



Celebrate Recovery is a Christ centered 12 step program for those who are ready to embark on a journey of real and lasting change.

Newcomers are always welcome!

Read on to discover....

- □ If CR is right for you
- □ What the program includes
- □ What a typical meeting looks like
- Meeting time, location, & contact information

Is CR right for you?

If you can check one or more of the following boxes, then CR is a program that can help.

Do you ever do the following too much?

Work	Lose control
Exercise	Worry
Owe money	Drink
Spend	Smoke
Lust	Obsess
Sleep	Diet
Fantasize	Seek excitement
Grieve	Depend upon others
Gamble	Yell or scream
Eat	Play video games
Use illicit drugs	

Do you find yourself **often** feeling in the following ways:

Overwhelmed	Afraid
Worthless	Rushed
Hopeless	Angry
Envious	Bitter
Anxious	Envious
Used	Jealous
Greedy	Sad
Guilty	Lonely

The only requirement for participation in CR is a desire for lasting positive life change. Overcoming hurts, habits, & hang-ups can be hard work, but it is worth it!

<u>Real Life Change is Possible for:</u>

Hurts: psychological, relational, physical, emotional, & sexual abuse

Hang-Ups: co-dependency, anger, self-harm

Habits: food, smoking, alcohol, drug, & sexual addictions

Feedback from CR participants:

"CR is a safe place to discuss real life issues without fear of being judged or condemned."

"Because of CR I know that I am not alone."

"People don't stop liking me even though they know all my issues!"

"Things are confidential at CR & I know that whatever is said there stays there."

"CR has changed my life."

"I wouldn't be here today if it wasn't for CR."



The Serenity Prayer

God, grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, the courage to change the things I can, and the wisdom to know the difference. Living one day at a time, enjoying one moment at a time; accepting hardship as a pathway to peace; taking, as Jesus did, this sinful world as it is: not as I would have it; trusting that You will make all things right if I surrender to your will; so that I may be reasonably happy in this life and supremely happy with You forever in the next. Amen **Reinhold Niebuhr**