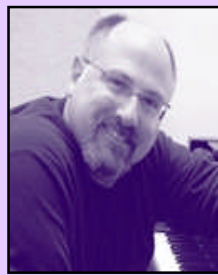




April to June of 2009  
**Like What You See—Join MOAR !**



- **MOAR** statewide Alcohol Awareness Forum highlighted our partnership with coalitions to prevent underage drinking and opioid overdoses. People left as positive change advocates.
- **MOAR** cochaired a successful Campaign for Addiction Prevention, Treatment, and Recovery educating policymakers to repeal the sales tax exemption on alcohol purchased in stores.
- **MOAR** participated in, and will participate in The Commonwealth CORI Coalition & MA Bar Association Drug Policy Task Force supporting Criminal Justice Reform.
- **MOAR** facilitated policymaker education with Metrowest Center for Healthy Communities, EAPA and partnered with MHSACM for 3 Public Policy Education Institutes creating new voices for addiction prevention, treatment, and recovery. Many have given testimony at Oxycontin Commission Hearings
- **MOAR** facilitated a DPH sponsored Conference “Aging with Dignity” session, & 65 people learned they can improve services.
- **MOAR** Peer-to-Peer Educator Ron Budd gained Recovery Coach skills from a MA Council on Compulsive Gambling training.
- **MOAR** helped participants walk away from New Bedford, Fall River, Worcester Opioid Overdose Prevention Coalition Forums and Allston Brighton Underage Drinking Prevention Town Hall Meeting with policymaker education facts, stats, strategy!
- **MOAR** participated in The Legal Assistance Corporation of Central Massachusetts “Know Your Rights” training.
- **MOAR** Western MA members, Jared and Justin, Phoenix House completers, shared their voices at a national government sponsored Pathways to Recovery focus group.
- **MOAR** & Learn to Cope Parent Support Group participated in a National Family Dialogue reinforcing a united voice for addiction coverage in National Healthcare Reform.



**Woody Giessmann, Right Turn Founder**

As someone living in recovery, I know that music can be an outlet for people’s feelings. In 2003, I founded Right Turn, an organization that helps artists enhance their creativity by learning to live free from alcohol and other drugs. My own recovery helped me to become a drug addiction clinician. I believe that a treatment approach that includes creative expression and brings people together into a safe haven to preserve their creative gifts can be successful.

I am committed to spreading the value of addiction recovery through this program and want to help others the same way I was helped. Right Turn is how and where the healing begins.

I am inviting you to share in Right Turn’s  
 “3rd Celebrating John Belushi Event”  
 7:30 p.m., Saturday, November 1, Regent Theatre,  
 7 Medford St., Arlington

I am a MOAR Board Member with the same passion. Join me at  
 “MOAR Recovery Month events, &  
 2nd MOAR Celebration Fundraiser, “  
 October 10, Saturday, Right Turn, 299 Broadway, Arlington

*Take a Right Turn, and Get MOAR Involved.*

**MOAR MISSION**

*Our mission is to organize recovering individuals, families and friends into a collective voice to educate the public about the value of recovery from alcohol and other addictions.*

**MOAR VISION**

*MOAR envisions a society where addiction is treated as a significant public health issue and recovery is recognized as valuable to our communities.*

**Join MOAR !**

**MOAR membership financial support helps pay for mailings, scholarships and activities. MOAR has a Student/Volunteer Category because we understand that students and anybody can experience financial constraints. MOAR Volunteers help plan and support projects. MOAR membership drives the MOAR Mission and Vision.**

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**MOAR Membership Categories**

**Organization \$75 ☀ Founder \$50 ☀ Student/Volunteer \$0 ☀**  
**Individual \$20 ☀ Family \$25 ☀**

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