

# The Nightcap



For complete information on events please check out 'Events' at [www.aasanantonio.org](http://www.aasanantonio.org)

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### The Broadway Group

Christ Lutheran Church

6720 Broadway, San Antonio, TX 78209

46<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration

When: 7:30 pm, Saturday, February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019

*This is our twelfth suggestion: Carry this message to other alcoholics!*

*Alcoholics Anonymous, page 89*

**Refreshments provided & Desserts gratefully accepted**

Join us for an evening of fun, fellowship and recovery!

### Dates To Know

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### Family Fun Fair

May 18<sup>th</sup>

San Pedro Park

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Will your Group Participate?

### HIGHLANDS GROUP

#### 69<sup>TH</sup> Anniversary

St. George Episcopal Church

6904 West Ave., San Antonio, TX 78213

Free Dinner 6pm to 7pm

**Speaker at 7pm - David B. (Austin)**

**Saturday**

**February 9<sup>th</sup>**

**6pm to 8pm**

### Goliad Group

537 Avondale

San Antonio, TX 78223

Family Friendly-Children Welcome

**February 9<sup>th</sup>**

**Speaker: Mary Louise (Goliad)**

**Dance: D.J. Johnny**

Finger food provided



### Speaking From The Heart: Grapevine Party

Saturday, February 9<sup>th</sup>: 1-3pm

Hosted by Acceptance Group

3460 Roy Richard Dr., Schertz, TX 78154

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# More Events

**There is a NEW Monthly Event  
in Town**

**It's a City Wide Event**

What's it called?

**"A Design For Living Speaker Meeting"**

**Held on the 2nd SATURDAY  
Of each month at 7pm**

**Where?**

University Presbyterian Church  
300 Bushnell  
San Antonio, TX 78212

Open Speaker meeting  
**February Speaker: Danny B  
(Spring Texas)**



**"HOW TO KEEP THEM COMING BACK"  
CHAIRING WITH PURPOSE**

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This workshop, hosted by the Coffee Pot Group, will address some common practices and pitfalls associated with chairing an A.A. meeting.

**Guest Speakers:**

Cathy H.-Area 68 Panel 68 Chairperson  
James H.-Area 68 Panel 64 Past Delegate with  
Mike A.-Past Alt. GSR-Coffee Pot

**When:** February 10th, 2019  
1:30 to 3:00 p.m.

**Where:** The Center  
8607 Wurzbach Bldg. P

**For More Information Contact:**  
John C.-Alternate GSR-Coffee Pot

"Our primary purpose is to stay sober and help other alcoholics achieve sobriety"

**"Technology" Workshop.**

**Date: February 16, 2019**

Hosted by District 17

**Held at the Serendipity Group Meeting House**

10929 Ste 5 Nacogdoches RD  
San Antonio, TX 78217.

Two blocks North of Lady Bird Johnson Park.  
One block South of Wurzbach Parkway

All AA members are welcomed to attend

**Topics to discuss**

- Traditions and the Web**
- Carrying the message on-line**
- Respecting anonymity**



## What's Happening at Groups

Send your Groups information and let other members know what's happening in San Antonio A.A.

### Seeds of Grace Group

St. Joseph Catholic Church-Honey Creek  
Education Building  
25781 Hwy. 46 West  
Spring Branch, TX 78070



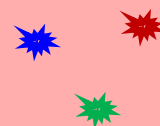
**Tuesday at 8:30 am**  
open discussion  
topics from The Books

St. George Episcopal Church

### Community Group

St. David's Episcopal Church, 1300 Wiltshire Ave  
San Antonio, TX 78209

Meets at 8:pm on Sunday - NOW an open discussion



### Grupo Mensaje II

**Has moved to:**

3231 El Paso - Room 5  
lunes y Viernes 8am - sabado 4pm

**Reunion en Espanol**

**Grupo Libertad  
has folded**

### Southwest Loop Group

St Vincent De Paul Catholic Church  
4222 SW Loop 410  
San Antonio

**has folded**

### Leon Springs Group

Leon Springs Presbyterian  
Church  
Leon Springs, 78257

**Added**

A new meeting

**Thursday**

**At 6pm - open discussion**

### CHICAGO GROUP

#### SPEAKER MEETING

Shavano Baptist Church  
5047 De Zavala Rd  
San Antonio, TX 78249

**Saturdays at 7pm**

**February**

- 2nd - David C.**  
Stay in Solution Group
- 9th - Mike**  
Turning Point Game
- 16th - Patrick H.**  
Halt Group
- 23rd - Rod**  
Turning Point Group

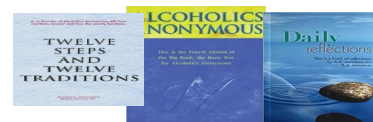
### Goliad Group Speaker Meeting

537 Avondale  
San Antonio

**Saturdays**  
6:15 pm

- 2nd Buckarro - Goliad**
- 9th Mary Louise - Goliad**
- 16th Anita M.**  
Tuesday Night Big Book

***"Come join us in the  
Fellowship"***



### Rush Hour Group Speaker Meeting At The Center

8607 Wurzbach San Antonio, TX 78240

**5:30pm**

**February: Carol S.**  
County Line Women's Group

### Good News In The Deep South Group

Good News Lutheran Church

11020 Old Corpus Christi Hwy, San Antonio TX 78221

**Meets at 8pm**

**open discussion**



**Friday morning shift available  
9am-1pm**

Answering the "Helpline" at the Office desk .

Call: 210-821-6325 and speak with Virginia



**Virginia will train you on answering the phone.** You are never left by yourself at the Office. Help is always right there. Tag teams are also welcomed. Find a friend and volunteer together.

# Things We Cannot Change

**Lorri M.** a beloved member of AA recently passed away just days after her 13th AA birthday. She cofounded the Ladies First 164 Group and sponsored many women in the program. She will be greatly missed.

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**Jeff A.** passed away on January 19th. A long time group member of Group Twelve. His friends will miss Jeff .

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**Lonnie R.** a group Twelve member passed away in January.

[https://www.aa.org/pages/en\\_US/hope-alcoholics-anonymous](https://www.aa.org/pages/en_US/hope-alcoholics-anonymous)

**This is a MUST SEE video. Copy this URL ADDRESS to your browser. Click on the "Play Video"**

# ACCESSIBILITIES

## can you do?



**Suggested activities for the Accessibilities Committeer.**

**Help arrange for American Sign language interpreters at AA meetings.**

Accessibilities Workbook  
Page 10



**There Are Openings:  
Tuesday & Friday**

*These Volunteers work at the cash register. Handling money and working in QuickBooks. No experience necessary. Training is available. This is a commitment for one scheduled day a week on a specific schedule. Must be able to count money. Must have one year of sobriety, a Home Group, and be currently attending AA meetings regularly. This is a non-paid Volunteer position.*

# Special AA Volunteers



## From the San Antonio Central Service Office Board of Trustees

Hello / Goodbye

Please stop by the CSO from 10:00am - 2:00pm on February 21st and 22nd to welcome the new CSO Manager, Jim B., and say thank you to Tomi B-A. for her 6 years of service. There will be light snacks & beverages available.

*It is our privilege to introduce the new manager of your Central Service Office: Jim B.*

*Jim comes to us with decades of sobriety and extensive AA service experience, to include chair and past delegate for Area 68. He understands the AA general service structure and how the CSO can continue to support the fellowship in those efforts.*

*He is extremely suited to the manager position. After a fast-paced career, Jim recently committed to driving a school bus for special needs students. He successfully handled not just the children, but the parents as well. With this experience, dealing with San Antonio alcoholics should be no problem.*

## ***PUBLICATIONS AVAILABLE***

**What's  
Happening  
In San Antonio  
and surrounding towns  
& Birthday Club**

**February Issue**

**The Nightcap**

**If you could tell 9,000 alcoholics about Alcoholics Anonymous and the AA meetings in San Antonio, would you do that?**

The goal of the CSORs was to collect 3,000 email address' of AA members

To distribute the Nightcap and the What's Happening. Knowing that our AA members would share each Nightcap and What's Happening with at least 3 of their closest friends, there would be 9,000 alcoholics reached.

Help us achieve the goal of 3,000 emails. Submit your email to the list and pass out the information for your AA friends to sign up.

We need: name: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_



# Bookstore & Office

Central Service Office - 8804 Tradeway, San Antonio, TX 78217 (off Loop 410 & Broadway)  
210-821-6325 - Staff: Tomi & Virginia

**Bookstore Hours: Monday 9am to 6pm—Tuesday through Friday 9am to 5pm**

## Sales item

### The Golden Books by Father John Doe

Buy one book or buy the entire set

Individual Book by Topic \$4.95

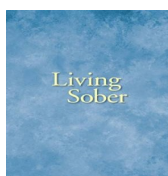
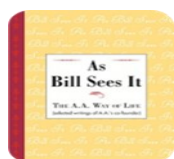
The entire Set of Books

**\$49.95**



**BRONZE  
POCKET COIN**

The camel each day  
Goes twice to his knees  
He picks up his load  
With the greatest of ease  
Walks through the day  
With his head held high  
and stays for that day  
Completely dry



### **SOME OF THE BOOKS AT THE BOOKSTORE**



**Desire Chips** - Buy one for 45 cents or buy a roll of 25 for \$9  
**All aluminum sobriety date chips** are 45 cents each  
Bookstore carries a chip for every month  
Month one (30 days) through month eleven ( 11 )

#### Books from AA World Services on sale at your Bookstore Now

Item	Description	Price	Item	Description	Price
B01	Alcoholics Anonymous - hard cover	9.50	B17	Twelve & Twelve (soft pocket)	6.50
B01A	Alcoholics Anonymous (hard cover) ..75th Anniversa	15.00	B18	As Bill Sees It (soft cover)	9.00
B01F	Alcoholics Anonymous (hard cover) ..Various foregin	10.00	B19	Daily Reflection (large print)	12.00
B02	Twelve & Twelve (hard cover)	9.50	B20	Experience, Strength & Hope	8.00
B03	A.A. Comes of Age	12.00	B24	Alcoholics Anonymous (large print) abridged	9.00
B05	As Bill Sees It (hard cover)	9.50	B25	Living Sober (large print)	7.00
B06	Came to Believe	6.00	B26	Came to Believe (large print)	7.00
B07	Living Sober	6.00	B27	As Bill Sees It Lg print (large print)	10.50
B08	Dr. Bob & the Good Oldtimers	12.00	B30	Alcoholics Anonymous (soft cover)	9.00
B09	Pass It On	12.00	B35	Alcoholics Anonymous (pocket edition)	5.50
B12	Daily Reflections	11.00	BB06	Best of Bill Soft cover	7.50
B13	A.A. In Prison	3.75	BB07	Best of Bill	8.00
B14	Twelve & Twelve (large print)	10.00	BM31	A.A. Service Manual	4.50
B15	Twelve & Twelve (soft cover)	9.00	BM32	Twelve Concepts of WS	4.00
B16	Alcoholics Anonymous (large print)	12.00	BM33	A.A. Service Manual (large print)	10.00

## Struggle

to make strenuous or violent efforts in the face of difficulties or opposition

Big Book, Into Action (Chapter 6), page 86.

“We relax and take it easy. We don’t struggle.”

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**Wednesday is Volunteer Day  
at the Central Service Office  
9am to 4pm**



### **Secretary and Treasurer**

#### **Suggested Guidelines**

A handbook created by AA members in San Antonio during a round table discussion last year.

A free copy is available at the Bookstore. Ask for one when you come to the Bookstore.

Free... but donations are appreciated to cover cost.

**"Faith":** "Faith And Action, p.93

“To be vital, faith must be accompanied by self sacrifice and unselfish, constructive action.

*Page 93 "Working with Others" Big Book, reprinted with permission from AA World Services, Inc.*

### **Twelve Step**

#### **Volunteer Chairperson**

The Office needs a member who is willing to volunteer to co-ordinate the Twelve Step Volunteer Committee.

#### **What does the Twelve Step Volunteer Chairperson do?**

- The Chairperson works with the twelve step volunteers
- To contact volunteers on a regular basis
- To keep volunteers information current with the Central Service Office. To recruit new volunteers on an ongoing basis



### **Speaker Meeting Information**

Send your meetings' Speaker Meeting information if your Group would like to have visitors come to your group.

Speaker meetings are great AA meetings for newcomers who are not sure if they are alcoholic.

Email:  
csosa1285@att.net

### **Tradition Two (long form)**

For our group purpose there is but one ultimate authority—a loving God as He may express Himself in our group conscience.

.....  
**Did you know that the long form of the Twelve Traditions is in your Twelve & Twelve on page 189?**

**Central Service Office Representatives  
Monthly General Membership Meeting (CSOR Meeting)  
Meets on Monday, February 18th at 6pm**

**Officers (January - June 2019 )**

Chairperson: Chad Johnson. (Group Twelve)  
Alt. Chairperson: Kevin G. (Northwood Group)  
Secretary: Bruce T. (Alamo Heights Group)  
Alt Secretary: JoAnn B. (Stay in the Solution Group)  
Greeter: Kyle F. (Halt at Tezel Group)  
  
Board Liaison: Chad J. (Group Twelve)

**On the Agenda in February - Greet and Welcome the new CSO Manager**

**Central Service Office Representatives (CSORs)  
NEW Meeting Location**

**The Youth Barracks**

**At The Episcopal Church of Reconciliation**

**8900 Starcrest, San Antonio, 78217**

**Directions:** Take Starcrest Rd. off of Loop 410 East – Go North on Starcrest for two blocks. The church is on the corner of Starcrest and Barrington. The Youth Barracks is to the left of the church building all the way to the rear of the church property. There is parking by the Youth Barracks and there is church parking on the corner of Starcrest and Barrington.

**CSOR Agenda Calendar for 2019**

**January of each year:**

Elect a nominating committee to serve for one year

Elect a financial review committee to review The Central Service Office financial records.

**November of each year:**

Elect Board of Trustees as required in by-laws

**Every six months: January and July**

Elect new officers



## **Central Service Office Representatives - Meeting Minutes Monday, December 17, 2018**

**Opening: Serenity Prayer**

**12 Traditions – Tradition 12 read**

**Introductions: All CSO reps introduce themselves and share something about their group**

**Reminder: Check your information is correct on sign-in sheet. Be sure to sign in before or after meeting. New CSOR's pick up Handbook and contact form for new CSORs.**

**Announcements: Any group information may be given to Tomi or Virginia to include in the What's Happening and The Nightcap. Flyers to share may be picked up here as well.**

**Minutes of previous meeting in November: Approved unanimously**

**Board Liaison Report: Melissa W., Board of Trustee, announced that Tomi has tendered her resignation. Daniel, Webmaster, will be receiving a plaque and a check.**

**Board Financial Report: Regan F., Board of Trustee, gave financial report. Regan will be stepping down as chief financial officer.**

**Elections – Board of Trustees**

**Justin B., Alternate Chair conducted elections**

**Counters introduced**

**Nominees: Tamara A.  
Susan H.  
Patrick L.  
Patrick T.**

**Committee Reports:**

**San Antonio InterDistrict: Sydney C., gave report**

**Archives Chairperson: Cathy K., gave report**

**Office Manager's report: Tomi announced her retirement**

**Old Business: None**

**New Business: Officers elected for CSORs**

**Chairperson – Chad J.**

**Alternate Chairperson – Kevin G.**

**Secretary – Bruce T.**

**Alternate Secretary – Jo Ann B.**

**Greeter – Kyle F.**

**A run-off vote conducted for Board of Trustee**

**Tamara Admonson and Susan Holbert elected to CSO Board of Trustees**

**7<sup>th</sup> Tradition Basket**

**Closed with The Lord's Prayer**

**Respectfully submitted,  
Karen H**

# GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS

**December \$1,600.58**

Boerne Noon Group	200.00
Broadway Group	150.00
Colonies North Group	100.00
Cork In The Jug Group (Helotes)	125.00
County Line Group	80.00
First One Today Group	100.00
Goliad Group	50.00
Laurel Heights Group	15.00
Midtown Noon Group	48.90
New Braunfels Group	53.68
Oblate Group	150.00
Primary Purpose Group (San Antonio)	100.00
Rush Hour Group	370.00
Schertz/Cibolo Group	53.00
Soledad Group	5.00

## Pamphlets that are popular at the Bookstore

- P-03 (Is A.A. for You?)
- P-15 (Questions & Answers on Sponsorship)
- P-02 (Frequently Asked Questions)
- P-42 (Brief Guide to A.A.)
- P-24 (Newcomer Asks)
- P-35 (Problems Other Than Alcohol)
- P-01 (This is A.A.)
- P-16 (A.A. Group)
- P-36 (Is A.A. For Me?)
- P-46 (If Your Are A Professional)
- P-84 (Many Paths to Spirituality)
- P-43 (Twelve Traditions Illustrated)
- P-13 (Do You Think You Are Different? )
- P-05 (A.A. for the Woman)
- P-32 (Gay/Lesbian Alcoholic)
- P-11 (A.A. Member-Medicines & Other Drugs)
- P-30 (Is There an Alcoholic in Your Life?)

# Technology in A.A.

## ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

aaonlinemeeting is an English speaking Skype based online Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) meeting.

Skype AA meetings operate similarly to face-to-face meetings. Our purpose is to carry the message of recovery to the alcoholic who still suffers. We use a Skype conference call, audio only, *no video*. Like AA meetings everywhere, there are a wide variety of members. Being Skype based, participants log on from all over the world. We have AA meetings every day.

All meetings are open meetings (anyone may come and listen, but please do not share if you are not an alcoholic).

<http://www.aaonlinemeeting.net/>

**2019**

## National AA Technology Workshop

**2019 - National AA Technology Workshop**

**September 20-22, 2019**

**in Bowling Green, KY**

**[Register for the Workshop online now!](#)**

**Hotel Registration info.**

**Holiday Inn, University Plaza,  
Bowling Green, KY**

**Your Room Reservation Counts!**

# Group Contributions

**January-December \$ 40,193.32**

Abundance Happy Hour Group	115.00	Ladies First 164 Group	50.00
Acceptance Group	452.07	Last Call Group	161.78
Airport Group (San Antonio)	40.00	Laurel Heights Group	430.00
Alamo Heights Group	380.00	LaVernia Group	120.00
Bandera Group	150.00	Legal Professions Group	200.00
Beginner's & Newcomers Group	100.00	Live & Let Live Group (SA)	60.00
Big Book Sunday Study Group	150.00	Love & Laughter Ladies Group	240.00
Boerne Hwy Group	360.00	Lytle Group	116.00
Boerne Noon Group	1,700.00	Marymont Group	375.00
Boerne Sunday Nite Group	300.00	Midtown Noon Group	189.30
Boerne Womens Group	151.50	Monte Vista Group	125.00
Broadway Group	825.00	Mostly Agnostics Group	230.00
Buda 2nd Chance Group	75.25	New Braunfels Group	396.43
Buda Big Book Group	505.83	New Hope Group (SA)	366.00
Buda Group	38.00	New Vision Group	100.00
Canyon Lake Group	300.00	Northwood Group	120.00
Castle Hills Group	339.00	Oasis Group	350.00
Coffee Pot Group	50.00	Oblate Group	150.00
Colonies North Group	643.36	Primary Purpose Group (San Antonio)	1,630.00
Common Solutions Group	25.00	Rigorous Honesty Men's Group	200.00
Community Group	200.00	River Group	75.00
Cork In The Jug Group (Helotes)	477.00	Road of Happy Destiny Group	200.00
County Line Group	167.00	Rule 62 Group (San Antonio)	22.75
District 01A	250.00	Rule 62-Devine Group	70.00
District 12	60.00	Rush Hour Group	670.00
District 28	50.00	Saturday Morning Men's Meeting	20.00
First One Today Group	221.54	Saturday Night Live Young Peoples Group	164.33
First Things First Group	4,650.00	Schertz/Cibolo Group	1,203.00
Freedom Group	472.00	Seguin Primary Purpose Group	30.00
Friday Big Book Study Group (Boerne)	100.00	Serendipity Group	752.01
Friday Night Fix Group	274.50	Share The Light Group	82.00
Garden Ridge Monday Women's Step Study	208.00	Shook Big Book Group	25.00
Generic Group	335.00	Sisters in Sobriety Group	358.16
Goliad Group	350.00	Sober In Southtown Group	50.00
Group Twelve	201.81	Sober Over Sixty Group	293.59
Gruene Road Group	665.65	Soledad Group	38.75
Grupo Paz Y Sobriedad	90.00	Solutions Group-(Canyon Lake)	100.00
Grupo Tres Legados (Monterray)	25.00	Spring Branch Group	437.00
Grupo Unidad	60.00	Starlite Group- Callaghan Rd	200.00
Guilbeau Group	200.00	Stay in the Solution Group	2,216.51
Halt @ Tezel Road Group	3,469.75	Stone Oak Big Book Group	186.00
Helotes Nooner Group	1,000.00	Survivors Group	180.00
Highland Park Group	30.00	Tuesday Nite Big Book Study Group	718.43
Hope Group (San Antonio)	60.00	Turning Point Group	3,850.02
Into Action Group (Lockhart)	70.00	Universal City Group	300.00
Johnson Street Womens Group	116.05	Utopia AA Group	8.89
Jourdanton AA Group	23.90	Woman's Big Book	218.25
Keep It Simple Group	340.00	Women of Wonder Group	200.00
Kirby Group	610.00	Women's Solution Group (New Braunfels)	241.00
		Work in Progress Group (Castroville)	80.00
		Young & Golden Years Group	40.00
		Young and Done Group	75.91

# What's happening in A.A.



Email: [csosa@dslextre.me](mailto:csosa@dslextre.me)

Flyers are available on the website: [www.aasanantonio.org](http://www.aasanantonio.org)

We would like to have your groups special events on website and in the calendar, and in the handout "What's Happening". Easy to do.

Send a word or pdf. Document to [csosa1285@att.net](mailto:csosa1285@att.net)

## February

- Feb 7th** Archives Committee Meeting - 6:00pm - Club 12
- Feb 6th & 20th** Intergrupal Hispana - en español - 7pm - San Antonio (the first & third Wednesday of each month)
- Feb 9th** Grapevine Workshop - Acceptance Group - Schertz
- Feb 9th** Highlands Group 69th Anniversary - San Antonio
- Feb 9th** Goliad Group Valentine's Dance - San Antonio
- Feb 10th** District 28 Meeting - 2nd Sunday at 11am  
District 12 Meeting  
District 1E Meeting
- Feb 10th** How To Chair A Meeting Workshop - Coffee Pot Group meeting location - San Antonio
- Feb 11th** District 2 Meeting
- Feb 14th** **Central Service Office Board Meeting - 6pm (Central Service Office)**
- Feb 14th & 28th** District 1F Meeting-2nd & last Thursday - 8pm
- Feb 16th** Technology Workshop - District 17 - Serendipity Group meeting location - San Antonio
- Feb 16th** Broadway Group 46th Anniversary - San Antonio
- Feb 18th** **Central Service Office Representative (CSOR) Meeting – 6pm**
- Feb 24th** San Antonio Inter-District 3:15pm - St Francis Episcopal Church  
District 1A Meeting - 2pm - St Francis Episcopal Church  
District 16 Meeting - 2pm - St Francis Episcopal Church  
District 17 Meeting - 2pm - St Francis Episcopal Church  
District 18 Meeting - 2pm - St Francis Episcopal Church  
Communication Committee Meeting (San Antonio Inter-District) - 1pm  
Correctional Facilities Committee (San Antonio Inter-District) meets at 1pm on even months  
Treatment Facilities Committee (San Antonio Inter-District) - 1pm  
Grapevine & La Vina Committee (San Antonio Inter-District) - 1pm
- Feb 25th** Sisters In Sobriety Group 12th Anniversary - San Antonio
- Feb 26th** Golden Ticket 2nd Anniversary - San Antonio

## 2019 San Antonio Future Events

- May 18th** **Family Fun Fair - San Pedro Park - San Antonio**
- May 24th** LVII Asamblea Estatal Hispana Del Estado De Texas Alcoholicos Anonimos - San Antonio
- Aug 1st** Club 12 70th Anniversary - San Antonio
- Sept 14th** Day In Recovery - San Antonio
- Nov 9th** **Weekend in SA with AA - !!! NEW LOCATION !!!**

# Events Out Of Town

<b>Feb 15th</b>	Southwest Texas Area 68 Correctional Facility Conference - Killeen
<b>Mar 10th</b>	Leon Springs Group 1st Annivesary - Leon Springs
<b>Apr 5th</b>	Southwest Texas Area 68 Pre-General Service Conference- Seguin
<b>Apr 26th</b>	Girl-A-Palooza Women's Conference - Dallas
<b>June 7th</b>	Texas State Convention - Houston
<b>Jul 26th</b>	Southwest Texas Area Summer Workshop - Bastrop
<b>Sept 20th</b>	National AA Technology Workshop - Bowling Green KY
<b>Oct 11th</b>	Southwest Regional Forum - Houston
<b>Oct 18th</b>	Southwest Texas Area Fall Conference & Voting Assembly - San Antonio

## SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

**SA Inter-District exists ONLY to support our service committees:**

Cooperation with the  
Professional Community (PI/CPC)  
[cmte.picpc@gmail.com](mailto:cmte.picpc@gmail.com)

Treatment Facilities (TFC)  
[cmte.tfc@gmail.com](mailto:cmte.tfc@gmail.com)



Public Information/

Grapevine (GV)  
[cmte.grapevine@gmail.com](mailto:cmte.grapevine@gmail.com)  
Correctional Facilities (CFC)  
meets 12:30pm—January 27th  
[cmte.cfc@gmail.com](mailto:cmte.cfc@gmail.com)

**InterDistrict Meets**  
**4th Sundays at**  
**3:15pm**  
**4242 Bluemel**  
**San Antonio**  
**next meeting**  
**February 24**

### Step 12

Having had a spiritual experience  
as the result of these steps, we tried  
to carry this message to others,  
and practice these principles  
in all our affairs.

### Ways to get involved with the Correctional Facilities Committee

- Be a CFC representative from your Home group.
- Take meetings into Texas State Prisons.
- Take meetings into Bexar County Jail.
- Write an inmate in prison or jail.
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- Connect released inmates to AA on the outside.
- Support the CFC Literature Fund.

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT ANY  
OF THESE WAYS...

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### Correctional Facility Conference February 15 - February 17 2019

Hosted by District 5  
At the Courtyard by Marriott

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Reservations: 254-616-2000

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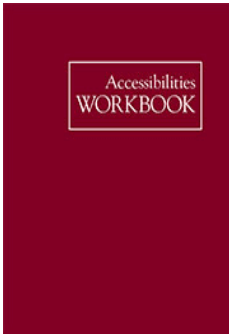
**To gain experience from other groups in this city, attend your District Meeting each month. There you will find information.**



# Service Committees in A.A.

## Accessibilities Committees

Accessibilities Committees assist A.A. members who have a variety of challenges in accessing the A.A. message in A.A. meetings, Twelve Step work and other A.A. service. The pamphlet [Serving All Alcoholics](#) provides an overview of opportunities to serve on this committee.



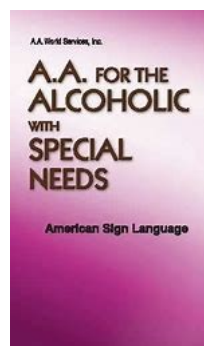
### 48i - Accessibilities Workbook

This service material is intended as a guide for A.A. members involved in Special Needs/Accessibilities work.

## ACCESSIBILITIES COMMITTEES RESOURCES

*Alcoholics Anonymous*, the Big Book, and *Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions* on A.S.L. and in audio formats.

Access the pamphlet, *A.A. for the Alcoholic with Special Needs* in audio format and A.S.L.



## **ACCESSIBILITIES CHECKLIST For Meetings and Groups**

### **Service Material from the General Service Office**

#### **THE MEETING ROOM:**

Are chairs set up with adequate aisle space for a wheelchair?

Is the lighting adequate?

Is there a designated section for members who are Deaf or Hard-of-Hearing? If so, is there adequate space for a sign language interpreter to sit with easy access to that group?

Is someone available to provide information about the meeting space — where the restrooms are, where the best seating might be, noting any obstacles, etc. — for people with disabilities when they first arrive at the meeting?

Is the meeting set up with the same configuration each time to help people who are Blind or have low vision become familiar enough with the layout to navigate without assistance?

If the meeting is set up differently, is someone responsible to alert attendees who may have difficulty navigating the space?

Is the coffee service accessible to a person in a wheelchair or with another type of mobility device?

Is A.A. literature available that addresses the needs of people with disabilities?

Does the local intergroup/central office know that the meeting space is available to people with diverse accessibility needs?

#### **RESTROOMS:**

If there are restrooms for the general public, are wheelchair accessible restrooms in the same location? If not, is at least one fully accessible restroom available (one for each sex or unisex) within reasonable proximity?

Are the stall doors operable?

Is there adequate space for a person in a wheelchair to maneuver within the stall? (44" for forward movement and a 5-foot diameter or T-shape of clear space to make turns.)

Are there grab bars on the walls behind and to the side nearest the toilet?

Can the faucet be operated without grasping, twisting, or turning?

#### **ENTRANCE:**

Does the entrance have steps, a threshold, or other physical barriers?

If so, is there a ramp, lift, or an alternate entrance that is accessible?

Is the ramp excessively steep? Does it have railings?

Is the lift in good working order? If the lift is operated by a key, does someone on location have possession of the key or know where the key is kept?

Is there signage indicating the location of the alternate accessible entrance?

Does the entrance door have adequate width (32") and clearance to accommodate a wheelchair?

Can the doors be opened by someone in a wheelchair or would he or she need assistance?

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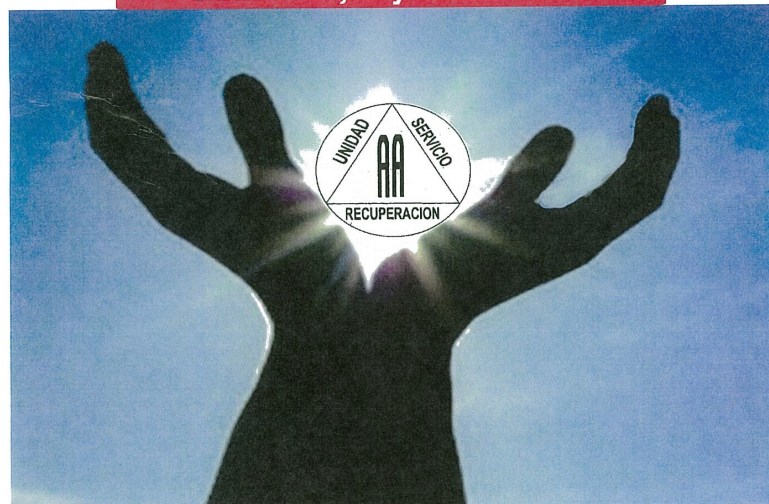
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