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# The Nightcap

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At Club 12 - New Years Eve

\$10.00 Advance ticket \$15.00 at Door

Ticket includes: Full Service Buffet, Dance (DJ) and a chance to win the \$500.00 prize.

Hours: 8:00 PM to 2:00 AM.

Best dressed couple wins \$50

### Highlands 64th Anniversary

Saturday, January 17th

6pm 7pm

Free Dinner Highlands famous enchiladas

St. George Episcopal Church - 6904 West Ave.

# El Grupo Cuarta Dimensión Enero del 2015

7pm

Invita a todos los alcóhoicos del area de San Antonio a su junta de ompartimiento, la cual se llevara a cabo el 17 enero del 2015 a las 7pm en su local ubicado en 7575 Tesel Rd.

Tendremos la paticipación de Victor F. De Las Vegas Nevada y quien tiene 32 años de sobriedad. Victor es un miembro de AA que viaja por todo Estados Unidos y parte de México por invitaciones recibidas or parte de los grupos de AA.

Al final del compartimiento el Grupo Dimensión ofrecerá una comida a todos los asistentes, esperamos contar con tu presencia.



Speaker: Gay N.

Young People's Speaker Meeting

Invites You To Our 1 Year Anniversary

January 24, 2014

Potluck dinner 6:00 PM Speaker: Willard M. 7:15 PM Karaoke/Game Night

Following Speaker
St. George's
Episcopal church 6900 West Ave San Antonio, TX 78213 Literature Drive for Haven for Hope Bring:
Big Books
12x12

- Pass It On Dr. Bob & The Good Oldtimers
- AA Literature
- Monetary Donation

For More Info Or To Help Contact Ali Moos (713) 419-5334

### Things We Cannot Change

Arley H.

Arley passed away December 2, 2014. He had been sober since January 31, 1965, was an active member of Stahl Rd. Group and Schertz-Cibolo Group. He moved to Houston and joined the Westchase Nooners Group.

Arley carried the message into many correctional facilities for many years for the Corrections committee.

Memorial Service:

Sunday, January 26th (3-5pm) Stahl Road Group St. Margaret's Episcopal Church  $5310\;Stahl\;Rd$ San Antonio, TX 78247

And

January 11th at 3pm Christ Servant Lutheran Church 2400 Willcrest Houston, TX 77042

Jerry S.

Jerry passed away on Monday December 22nd., 2014.

Jerry was a long-time member of the Schertz-Cibolo Group. He was an active service member of the SAMSO Committee for several years, and was a DCM for District 17 and then for District 18.

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Lloyd S.

Lloyd passed away on December 16th., 2014. He had been sober since December 8, 1997.

Lloyd served the Central Service Office as co-manager with his wife Char for many years. Many members remember his smile and sense of humor.

Lloyd was a long-time member of the Serendipity Group. He will be missed by his Home Group and all of those who visited the Bookstore and the Office, and his "At-home Group".

## Telephone Committee Shares

### **Monday Night** January 19th

7pm

Fellowship Room, 8802 Tradeway, San Antonio, TX 78217 (next door to Central Service Office, CSO)

### Join us!

Information on the "helpline" Sharing by Volunteers who do this service work Ask all the questions you have wanted to ask Sign up to Volunteer

Schedule your "training" session





We provide training if you need it! How to answer the "helpline" 101. On your own phone or in our Office

Call us... sign-in today! 210-821-6325 CSO

### WEDNESDAY IS "VOLUNTEER DAY"

at the Office

and Bookstore.

No qualifications required other than to be sober!

9AM TO 4PM

### Audio / Visual

The Speaker CD's section in the bookstore has over 40 different AA members stories on CD, as well as the Big Book, Twelve & Twelve, and the Grapevine Stories.

You never have to travel alone. Take a member with you, on your CD player or cassette player.



### Grapevine Book Buy-Back

At Central Service Office Return a book after you read it!

Receive 50% back of your original purchase price if returned within 60 days in good condition, and with your original sales receipt. Only available on Grapevine books.

Ask about this program at the Bookstore.

Good condition defined: no writing, torn pages or stains. No major defects.



### DEPOSITORY ACCOUNT

### For Groups

A depository account at the Central Service Office is a special account for groups. Groups choose to set up this account with the Central Service Office.

### How does it work?

A group will deposit money at the Central Service Office to be used by the group to purchase books and/or other items at the Bookstore. This allows a group the opportunity to send members to the Bookstore for supplies and not have to send money with the member.

The group decides on the amount to deposit, who will be allowed to purchase items on this account. The group maintains ownership of the funds and may request that the funds be returned to the group at any time. It is easy to set-up the account. A statement may be requested at anytime.

### How to set up the account

Bring cash or check (no credit cards) to the Bookstore. Bring a list of persons names that you want to be able to charge against this account. Bring contact name and telephone number. That's it!

### \$1 While Supplies





\$2.85 greeting card

\$1.50 ea



### Senior in Sobriety (SIS) AA Meeting

A rapidly growing number of alcoholics who are now seniors have surfaced in San Antonio. Other cities have Groups that are geared towards seniors.

If you haven't heard of SIS, don't feel bad since not many people are aware of the ever growing need for Alcoholics Anonymous meetings geared towards Seniors. SIS had its beginning as part of the special needs committee work in Southeast New York in 1990 and has grown into a dynamic, much needed resource for AA members and Newcomers alike. It is never too late or to early to be happy, joyous and free!

Dallas has the first SIS meeting in Texas. It was well attended and a desire chip was given to a new member.

San Antonio does not have a Senior in Sobriety Meeting. There is time and space available in the Fellowship Room next door to the Central Service Office on Saturdays (any hour), and week days (7-9am) for early morning meetings.

If you are interested in starting a Senior in Sobriety Meeting call our office and speak with Tomi or Virginia - 821-6325.





Women's Big Book
<u>Babysitting</u>
New Years Eve—NO

# Closed Meetings in San Antonio

### First Things First Group - Mon.-Fri. 7AM

St. Frances Episcopal Church - 4242 Bluemel, Educational Bldg. San Antonio, TX 78240.

#### Turning Point Group - Tues & Thurs 8pm / Sun 8pm Men's

St. Thomas Episcopal Church -1416 N.Loop 1604 East, Portable Bldg #3 behind sanctuary. San Antonio, TX 78232.

### San Antonio North Women's Group - Sat 10am

7400 Blanco Rd. #129, San Antonio, TX 78216

### Schertz-Cibolo Group - Everyday 8:30AM

414 Bowie, Universal City, TX 78148

### New Beginnings Group (SA) - Thursday 8:30am - Women Step Study

Christ Episcopal Church, 510 Belknap #226 , San Antonio, TX 78212

### **Highland Park AA Group**

### **Altersgate United Methodist Church**

502 Kayton

San Antonio, TX 78210



Monday - 8:15pm

open discussion

**Southeast San Antonio** 

### **Big Book Sunday Study**

10AM ~ Open ~ 8607 Wurzbach Bldg. P ~ 210.392.8326

of Dallas' study guide.

Now at beginning of book,
start "Dr.'s Opinion" Jan. 4th.

### **Mostly Agnostic Group**

### **First Unitarian Universalist Church**

7150 Interstate 10 (frontage rd)

San Antonio, TX 76571



Monday - 8pm

open discussion

**Southeast San Antonio** 

### CSOR Meeting is the Third Monday of each month at 6:00 pm at CSO

Fellowship Room - 8802-8804 Tradeway, San Antonio, TX 78217

The term of office for a group Central Service Office Rep is two (2) years; however, each group may determine the term of office for its representative. Each group may also elect an alternate Central Service Office Rep. All AA members are welcome at a Central Service Office Representative meeting.

### On the agenda in January

Financial report - Tom. C. Board of Trustee Board Report

The Central Service Office Rep serves as a vital link in maintaining two-way communication between the group and CSO. The Central Service Office Rep takes the responsibility for keeping the group informed on CSO matters, and provides CSO with up-dated information of a group contact name and phone number.

CSOR and their alternate are encouraged to learn more about the operations of the Central Service Office.

Each AA group elects a Central Service Office Representative who attends a monthly meeting. The purposes of this meeting are to keep the groups informed of the Central Service Office activities; to allow the Central Service Office Rep to voice the opinion(s) and/or inquiries of his/her group; and to be involved in outreach activities as desired. Does your group have a CSOR?

Central Service Office Representatives Minutes November 2014

Opening: Eric opened with a moment of Silence and the Serenity Prayer

12 Traditions: Read y Brian

Introduction of New CSOR'S: No new CSOR'S Introduction of all CSO Representatives Announcements:

CSOR's are to sign name and check out gratitude boxes for their groups. Family fun Fair is November 8, 2014, and CSO needs volunteers to work booths.

Introduction of Guests: Tammy K. SAMO Liaison shared that translator are attending their meetings; PCI Committee has made numerous presentations and are getting good turnout; Treatment Facilities Committee needs a contact for the Nix Hospital.

Minutes: Minutes were approved and accepted by Vicki and Conrad seconded the acceptance.

**Board Liaison Report:** 

Financial Report: Tom C. (Board of Trustees) Reported that gross profit is ahead for the year; travel has over expenditures but will break even by years end.

Board Report: Doug F. (Board of Trustee): Board did not have anything to vote on and no new items.

Office Manager Report: Encouraging groups to share Holiday Plans that their home groups are offering; CSO will be hosting an Open House November 17, 2014, from 12: 00 PM-8:00 PM: There will be events throughout the day and cake will be served at the CSOR Meetings as thy Elect New Officers for the Board of Trustees. The new meeting directories are available for \$1.00.

Committee Reports: Election committee for Board of Trustees reported that there are 3 nominations at this time.

Telephone Committee: No report

Old Business; None New Business: None

7th Tradition Basket passed

Closing: Lord's Prayer

Officers: Chairperson: Eric Q. Alternate Chairperson: Nelson W. Secretary: Chesney

### **From The Archives**

San Antonio Archives

Tami S., Archivist

Archives Committee meets monthly at 5:30—Fellowship Room

"Group of the Month"
On Display

Located at Central Service Office 8804 Tradeway, San Antonio, TX 78217 Open Monday thru Friday—9am—5pm

The Committee meets monthly second Monday at 5:30pm - 8802 Tradeway, San Antonio, TX 78217

### The San Antonio Archives

The mission of the San Antonio A.A. Archives and Archivist is to collect and document permanently the work of Alcoholics Anonymous in the San Antonio Metropolitan Area and the AA districts it serves, to make the history accessible to A.A. members and other researchers, and to provide a history for our members . To preserve the A.A. message and carry it to other alcoholics. To cooperate with and support other A.A. archives and archivists working within A.A.'s service structure and the 12 Traditions.

### **Purpose**

Consistent with A.A.'s primary purpose of maintaining our sobriety and helping other alcoholics to achieve recovery, the San Antonio A.A. Archives will:

- Receive, classify and index all relevant material, such as administrative files and records, correspondence, and literary works and artifacts works considered to have historical import to Alcoholics Anonymous in San Antonio, Texas metropolitan area and the AA districts the Central Service Office serves.
- Hold and preserve such material;
- Provide access to these materials, as determined by the archivist in consultation with the Archives Committee and Board of Trustees, to members of Alcoholics Anonymous and to others, who may have a valid need to review such material, contingent upon a commitment to preserve the anonymity of our members.
- Serve as a resource center.
- Provide information services to assist the operations of Alcoholics Anonymous in the San Antonio area.
- Promote knowledge and understanding of the origins, goals and program of Alcoholics Anonymous in the San Antonio area.

# Things Me Cannot Change



# The AA Archives Committee needs **YOU**

# Ongoing Project!

We're collecting **Photos** and **Stories** of AA members who have passed on,

Contact Archivist: Tami S.

at tamicsoarchives@gmail.com

For information about archival contributions to this project.

### Locations interested in housing AA Groups

Facility contact information available by calling the Central Service Office and talking with Virginia or Tomi.

### **Springhill Apartments**

4830 Ray Bon Drive San Antonio, Texas 78218

Northeast San Antonio

Off of IH35N and Eisenhauer Rd English speaking meeting

### **Church of the Resurrection, Episcopal**

5909 Walzem Windcrest, Texas 78218

Northeast San Antonio

Off of IH35N English speaking meeting

### **Buena Voluntad Baptist Church**

1602 W. Martin St. San Antonio, Texas 78207

(near Haven for Hope)

Off of IH35S(5 blocks from Brady Green Clinic)

Bi-lingual meeting preferred

Lifetime Recovery Speakers Meeting Saturday a8:15pm

Groups may volunteer their members To speak at this Group.

Contact Jeff R.
Call CSO for the contact information

To submit your Speaker Meeting and who your speaker will be, contact the CSO office at csosa@dslextreme.com

# Speaker Meeting



### **Rush Hour Group**

At The Center

8607 Wurzbach - Bldg. P, San Antonio, TX 78240

Speaker Meeting 1st & 3rd Saturday of each month at 5:30pm

### **January Speakers**

3rd Ashley T. 17th Ray A.

### Tradition One (long form)



Each member of Alcoholics Anonymous is a small part of a great whole. A.A. must continue to live or most of us will surely die. Hence our common welfare comes first. But individual welfare follows close afterward.

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

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### Interview With the Author of "Physician, Heal Thyself!

Fourth in a series of articles on authors of Big Book stories

### DR. EARLE

Dr. Earle's story "Physician, Heal Thyself!" appeared in the Second and Third Editions of the Big Book. Dr. Earle was interviewed by telephone at his home in California by a Grapevine staff member.

### Continued from December 2014 Nightcap

What happened?

I talk about it some in my Big Book story. The only thing I knew about AA was what I'd read in Jack Alexander's article [Saturday Evening Post, March 1941]. It said that one of the founders, Dr. Bob, was a doctor, and I'm a doctor--I'm a gynecologist and I'm also a psychiatrist--so I identified with that. On the last day of my drinking, I talked to a friend of mine about AA. My friend gave me a piece of paper and there were twenty-four or twenty-five statements on it directed toward the drinker who's planning on stopping. Now that wasn't me. I didn't plan on stopping. In fact, I thought I had the problem licked--once again. I had gotten a concoction that I thought wouldn't get me drunk--vodka over ice. Plus, I hadn't ever considered myself alcoholic. I hadn't used that phrase. A drunk--yes. I couldn't stop drinking and stay stopped--yes. But in those days we used the word alcoholic to mean somebody on skid row, and I wasn't on skid row.

I don't recall leaving my friend's house (I wasn't totally blacked-out that day--I was kind of browned-out), but I do recall being on my deck in Mill Valley trying to make out what this piece of paper said. I was just so drunk I couldn't read it. So I asked my wife to read it to me and she did. And she read one thing that said, "Don't stop drinking for anybody else except yourself." That made a very deep impression on me; to this day I've no idea why. And the next thing she read was, "Don't consider yourself a martyr because you stopped drinking." I've forgotten what the other statements were, but those two just hit me across the face like a baseball bat. I broke down and cried. Of course crying was par for the course in those days. Bing Crosby was popular then and I'd listen to his songs and I'd cry, or I'd be driving along and I'd look up at the sky and I'd see a lovely cloud and I'd cry. I'd look at my wife and daughter and cry, and I suspect they looked at me and cried too.

Well, that evening my wife patted me on the back and went into the house, and I sat there and I'd never felt so depressed in my life. Now, I'm a reasonably happy guy. I have my downs, like everybody does, but in general I kind of radiate above the line. But this was the deepest I'd ever felt. I was feeling just terrible. I don't know how long I sat there--for a long time. Finally I looked at my watch and I realized it was time to ascend my stairs--we lived on the side of a mountain--and go up to the barbecue area and make the fire for dinner. I remember going up those stairs and being so drunk I was afraid I'd fall. There were no handrails on those stairs. I got to the top stair and I looked at my drink and I had just a little bit left in the bottom of the glass, and I thought, "This small amount won't do any good, I'd better go down to the kitchen and make a big drink and bring it back up." So I turned around, just feeling terrible, down and depressed, and all of a sudden a very remarkable thing happened to me. It was as though an explosion occurred inside of me. I felt pain in every segment of my body. I have no idea why this happened. At that instant I heard the words, "This is your last drink." Well, I certainly hadn't planned on this. *This is your last drink!* 

# Group Contributions to CSO



### Group Contributions November 2014 Total 1,854.64

Airport Group SA	6.00
Alamo Heights Group	200.00
Boerne Hwy Group	30.00
Canyon Lake South Group	122.25
Coker Group	40.00
Goliad Group	50.00
Grupo Paz Y Sobriedad	10.00
Into Action Group (Lockhart)	20.00
Kirby Group	70.00
Laurel Heights Group	35.00
Monte Vista Group	80.00
New Braunfels Group	51.88
Road of Happy Destiny	90.00
Schertz/Cibolo Group	390.00
Serendipity Group	101.85
Sisters in Sobriety	70.23
Survivors Group	151.51
Travis Park Group	155.00
Turning Point Group	115.92
Universal City/Sunday Group	50.00
Young & Golden Years	4=
Group	15.00

### Contributions to Central Service Office During the month of November

**Total** 

1,854.64

Fellowship Room Contributions	\$ 90.50
Individual Contributions	36.00
ICYPAA Contribution	106.72
In-Kind Contributions	300.00
Total Contributions	\$ 527.22

### 2014

### Group Contributions: January - November 2014 Total \$39,735.50

A Work in Progress Group	100.00	Keep It Simple Group	500.00
Acceptance Group	111.65	Keystone Group	40.80
Airport Group SA	123.00	Kirby Group	358.00
Alamo Heights Group	325.00	Lambda Group	2,150.00
Amistad Group	100.00	Las Moras Group	29.00
Big Book Sunday Study	74.00	Last Call Group	515.00
Boerne Hwy Group	300.00	Laurel Heights Group	338.00
Boerne Noon Group	530.00	Legacy Group	56.00
Boerne Sunday Nite	300.00	Legal Professions Group	50.00
Bookmarks Group	59.67	Live & Let Live Group	145.00
Broad Highway Group	250.00	Love & Laughter Ladies Group	120.00
Broadway Group	600.00	Medical Professions Group	30.00
Buda 2nd Chance	141.50	Monte Vista Group	120.00
Buda Big Book Grp	168.50	Morning After Group	225.00
Callaghan Road Group	75.00	New Braunfels Group	1,725.80
Canyon Lake South Group	162.25	New Vision Group	25.00
Castle Hills Group	741.00	North San Pedro Group	143.11
Chicago Group	143.25	Oasis Group	1,055.00
Coffee Pot	266.98	River Group	275.00
Coker Group	141.38	Road of Happy Destiny	420.00
Colonies North Group	540.00	Rosedale Group	200.00
Community Group	175.00	Rule 62-Devine Group	114.00
Cork In The Jug Group	145.75	Rule 62 Group (San Antonio)	48.97
County Line Group	60.00	Rush Hour Group	368.47
Cuarta De Dimension	632.15	San Antonio Women's North	168.00
Cypress Group Bandera	300.00	Saturday Night Live Group	84.64
District 12	75.00	Schertz/Cibolo Group	3,007.39
District 1F	5.00	Seguin Primary Purpose Group	40.00
First One Today Group	157.00	Serendipity Group	307.56
First Things First Group	5,973.00	Sisters in Sobriety	172.71
Free at Last Group	100.00	Sober In Southtown	100.00
Freedom Group	580.00	Solutions Group/Canyon Lake	35.00
Ft. Sam Houston Group	117.65	Spring Branch Group	694.27
Generic Group	400.00	Stahl Road Group	59.57
Goliad Group	550.00	Starlight Group	30.00
Gruene Road Grp.	739.24	Stay in the Solution Group	1,560.46
Grupo 3 Legados	60.00	Survivors Group	253.51
Grupo Paz Y Sobriedad	110.00	The Solution Group (SA)	194.00
Grupo Primer Vez	29.70	Travis Park Group	155.00
Grupo Santa Fe	45.00	Tuesday Nite Big Book Study	796.55
Grupo Soledad	15.00	Turning Point Group	3,136.92
Grupo Unidad	135.36	Unity Group	20.00
Grupo Volver A Vivir	30.00	Universal City Group	146.90
Halt @ Tezel Road Group	3,251.72	Universal City/Sunday Group	50.00
Helotes Nooner Group	250.00	Woman's Big Book	59.50
Hope Group SA	45.00	Women's Solution-NB	65.00
Into Action Group (Lockhart)	120.00	Young & Golden Years Group	126.50
Jourdanton AA	40.62	Young and Done	24.50

Financials are given at the monthly CSOR Meeting on the 3rd Monday of the month. We encourage our Groups to send a representative from their Group to hear the financials read, to hear what is happening across the city, and ask questions. It is nice to have CSOR's that come each month on a regular basis to support the operations of the office and The Bookstore. Currently there are about 22 Groups participating monthly. This is good. However, your group can send a representative without their being a CSOR. The representative can sit in on meetings and does not have to come each month.

# What's happening at your group?

Email: csosa@dslextreme.com



### **January Events in San Antonio**

Jan4th District 16 Meeting – 3pm

Grapevine Meeting (SAMSO) – 1pm Treatment Facilities Meeting (TFC) – 5pm

District 2 Meeting
District 12 Meeting
District 01F Meeting

Jan 5th Archives Meeting – San Antonio – 5:30pm

Service Manual Meeting – San Antonio

Jan 11th SAMSO (general membership) Meeting

District 17 Meeting

Jan 14th Presentation to the Professionals- San Antonio – 10:30am

Jan 15th Central Service Office Board Meeting

Jan 17th Highlands Group Anniversary

Jan 18th District 1A Meeting

District 18 Meeting

Jan19th Central Service Office Representative (CSOR) Meeting

Jan 25th PI/CPC Committee Meeting (SAMSO Committee)

### **Future Events In San Antonio**

TBA Broadway Anniversary

May 8th Weekend in SA at San Antonio Shrine Auditorium

### **Future Events Out Of Town**



### Flyers for these events are available at the Central Service Office Fellowship Room

Jan 23rd 61<sup>st</sup> Coastal Bend Jamboree – Corpus Christi, TX
Jan 27th District 27 Jamboree 2015—South Padre Island, TX

Jan 30th SWTA 68 Winter Workshop – Fulton, TX

Feb 20th Freedom From Bondage (SWT 68 Correctional Facility Conference) Marble Falls, TX

May 22nd 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Gathering of Eagles – Dallas TX
March 27th SWTA Pre-General Service Conference 2015

July 2nd 2015 International Convention – Atlanta, GA

July 17th SWTA 68 Summer Workshop,

Aug 14th Texas State Convention 2015 - Midland, TX
Aug 21st 40<sup>th</sup> Hill Country Roundup - Kerrville, TX
TBA Capital of Texas Conference – Austin, TX

TBA Stateline AA Retreat – Las Vegas

Oct 16 SWTA 68 Fall Voting Conference, Victoria, TX





GSRs

DCMs

Group Committee Chairs

### "SouthwestTexasArea68"

### 2015 Winter Workshop - Jan 30 - Feb 1, 2015

Fulton Convention Center 402 N. Fulton Beach Road Fulton, TX 78358

Hotel: Inn at Fulton Harbor 215 N. Fulton Beach Road Fulton, Texas 78358 361-790-5888



Info: chairperson@aa-swta.orgrWorkshop

District Meetings are listed on the Calendar. Any member may attend their District meeting.

### The Service Manual Meeting

January 5th 7pm Stay In The Solution Group location

St. Francis Episcopal Church 4242 Bluemel, Eductional Bdlg

San Antonio, TX 78240

Concept One:

Chapter One



Men and women are needed to carry the message into a Bexar County lock-up facility on Applewhite Rd. South of the city.

See CFC Committee for more information

Bill H. Chairperson

### **MEMBERSHIP**

San Antonio DCMs (District Committee Members), the GSRs (General Service Representatives) or Group Representative (in lieu of GSR), and the standing Service Committee Chairs, or their alternates. Former DCMs and former GSRs remain non-voting members of SAMSO.

### Send your Group to SAMSO and learn about service work in the city.

Monthly meeting is held the 2nd Sunday of the month, 4pm at 8802 Tradeway, San Antonio, TX 78217. Members include DCMs, Alt. DCMs, Committee Chairs, GSRs and all alternates. All AA members are invited to attend.

http://www.samsoaa.com

telephone information for chairperson is available by calling CSO at 821-6325.

CFC: Bill H. - Chairperson - hollowayenterprise@sbcglobal.net

Meets every other month at 5:30pm: February - April - June - August - October - December

Fellowship Room, 8802 Tradeway, San Antonio, TX 78217

Contributions Mailing address: PO Box 33866, San Antonio, TX 78265

Grapevine: Deborah T. - Chairperson - Djtinney@gmail.com

Meets the 1st Sunday of every month at 1pm, Fellowship Room, 8802 Tradway, San Antonio, TX 78217

PI/CPC: Louise L. - lluther@att.net

Meets the 4th Sunday of every month at 1pm, Fellowship Room, 8802 Tradeway, San Antonio, TX 78217

Treatment: Mark Z. - mfzoller@gmail.com

Meets the 1st Sunday of the month (quarterly) at 5pm: April - July - October

Fellowship Room, 8802 Tradeway, San Antonio, TX 78217

### PUBLIC INFORMATION AND COOPERATION WITH THE PROFESSIONAL COMMUNITY

Linda D., area 68 Chairperson for the PI/CPC Committee will be at the January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2015 meeting of the PI/CPC Committee, @ 1 p.m. in the CSO Fellowship Room. We have asked her to share ideas from Area to help our San Antonio Committee betbetter organize and manage projects we have undertaken.

All interested members are invited to join in to learn more about PI/CPC activities and share ideas you may have with our committee to better carry the message and to best work with professionals who deal with the still suffering alcoholic in their jobs.

If you have questions or need more information contact Louise L. - lluther13@att.net



"I am responsible. When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there. And for that I am responsible."

This goes hand in hand with the Fifth Tradition. The Long form says "Each Alcoholics Anonymous group ought to be a spiritual entity having but one primary purpose-that of carrying its message to the alcoholic who still suffers."