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Home of the 2010 International A.A. Convention

UPCOMING EVENTS

2008

July 03-07: Oklahoma City, OK
50th ICYPAA 2008, International
Conference of Young People In
Alcoholics Anonymous.
www.50thcypaa.org.

July 25-27: Temple, TX
SWTA 68 Summer Workshop, look
under AA Events at
www.aasanantonio.org.

Aug 4-8: Crested Butte, CO
25th Crested Butte Mountain Conf,
www.cbconference.org.

Aug 22-24: Kerrville, TX
Hill Country Round-up. Write: Ch., Box
293993, Kerrville, TX 78028-3993;
hroundup@gmail.com

Aug 29-31: San Antonio, TX
SA Roundup 2008, PO Box 12017,
San Antonio, TX 78212,
www.sanantonioroundup.com.

Aug 29-31: Austin, TX
36th Nacional Conv Hispanic. Inf:
Com. Org., Box 142661, Austin, TX
78714-2661;
convencion36@yahoo.com

Sept 5-7: Austin, TX
2nd SWTA 68 PI/CPC Conference,
for registration form, please see AA
Events at www.aasanantonio.org.

Sept 27: San Antonio, TX
A Day In Recovery with Bob D of Las
Vegas, NV. Call 821-6325 for info.

Oct 10-12: St Louis, MO
Southwest Regional AA Service
Assembly (SWRAASA) for info
www.swraasa2008.org.

Oct 17-19: Victoria, TX
SWTA 68 Fall Conference/Assembly.
More info to follow.

Oct 31-Nov 2: Austin, TX
TXSCYPAA 28, PO Box 91975,
Austin, TX 78709-1975.

Proceeds from Weekend in SA

Our largest fundraiser for the Central Service Office has always been the Weekend in SA with AA Conference, thanks to individual and group support. This year is no exception. I am happy to announce, after all expenses, this year's conference proceeds totaled \$36,326.82. A special thank you to Suzanne McR and the Weekend in SA committee for all their hard work. We are grateful for the privilege of having a Central Service Office in San Antonio to help us all continue to carry the message of Alcoholics Anonymous. Please see page two for further conference information.

Woman's Big Book

16th Anniversary

Wednesday, July 9th

Where: 825 Basse Rd
Alamo Heights Methodist Church

Time: 7:00pm

Speaker: Willard M of Devine, TX

We will have refreshments and cake along with lots of good fellowship.

Everyone welcome and babysitting available.

For further info call Nan at 829-0468 or CSO at 821-6325.

WINNER'S CLUB

4th of July Celebration

Starts at 2pm—?

Domino Tournaments, food, bingo...

Club supplies meat, please bring a covered dish.

5723 Kenwick/78238/680-5496

Discounts

For one year now we have been offering a 20% discount on the purchase of 20 or more of the Big Book of Alcoholics Anonymous, hard back and soft back (B-01 & B-30).

We want you to know this has been a success and we are pleased to be able to continue to offer this reduction in cost. This book carries our message of recovery and getting it into circulation in our community is of utmost importance. We are able to offer this discount to you because of your support of the Central Office. Thank you all for your continued assistance.

Questions about the 2010 International?

Please visit the San Antonio Central Office website home page at www.aasanantonio.org. Click on 2010 AA International Convention. Click on email to ask your questions, and the SA travel guide to find out about the city of San Antonio, including hotel information.

CSO CLOSED

July 4, 2008

THE NIGHTCAP IS ABOUT, BY AND FOR MEMBERS OF THE AA FELLOWSHIP. OPINIONS EXPRESSED HEREIN ARE NOT TO BE ATTRIBUTED TO ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS AS A WHOLE, NOR DOES PUBLICATION OF ANY ARTICLE IMPLY ANY ENDORSEMENT BY EITHER AA OR THE NIGHTCAP. (Exceptions: Quotations from AA books, pamphlets, and the 12 Steps and/or 12 Traditions are reprinted with permission of AA World Services Inc. The AA Preamble, slogans, etc. are reprinted with permission of The Grapevine, Inc.)

NEW GROUPS/MEETINGS:

None reported.

GROUP CHANGES/CLOSINGS:

See below for **Winner's Club** new schedule.

Sober in Southtown now has a speaker meeting the first Thursday of the month at 8pm, St Anthony Orthodox Church, 103 West Carolina.

The **Lambda Group's** Sunday meeting will now begin at 12:15pm, Madison Square Presbyterian Church, 319 Camden, 3rd floor, Rm #4. Saturday night's meeting has been changed back to 8:15pm.

↑ **The above additions and changes in group information are not listed in the new meeting directory, as they came in after the printing. Please make appropriate changes to your current directories.** ↑

Group Forum Page

**RUSH HOUR
SPEAKER MEETING**

*The Center @ San Antonio
8607 Wurzbach, Bldg P*

1st and 3rd Saturday

5:30pm

June Speakers:

07/05 Verne M (Rush Hour)
07/19 John G (Rush Hour)
08/02 Charles W (Club 12)
08/16 Vicki D (Rush Hour)
09/06 Tami S (Rush Hour)
09/20 Miguel P (Rush Hour)

CLUB/GROUP 12

102 Thames/344-8981

July

04 Office Closed

08 Group Conscience 6:45pm

12 Hollywood Party, dress as your favorite movie/TV star/celebrity, Costume Contest (Cash Prizes!) 8-12.

25 Birthday Night 7:30pm

26 Summer Dance 8-12

28 Board of Directors Mtg 6:45pm

Coming up—Club 12's 59th Anniversary Celebration, August 15-17—Mark your calendars! See page six for details.

New schedule for groups meeting at the Winner's Club

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78238

CLUB HOURS:

Everyday 7am – 9pm

MEETINGS ARE SMOKING.

7:00am O-Disc FIRST ONE TODAY (Everyday)

11:00am O-Disc MORNING AFTER (Mon-Sat)
(Sun @ 10am)

2:00pm O-Disc SPIRITUAL AWAKENING (Mon-Fri)

5:30pm C-Disc ABUNDANCE HAPPY HOUR
(Everyday)

7:00pm O-Disc FRESH START (Tuesday is O-BB)
(Everyday)

8:30pm O-Disc RIDERS FOR BILL W
(Mondays only)

NOTE: The last Saturday of the month is a Pot Luck Dinner @ 7pm and Birthday Celebration @ 8:15pm.

Winner's Club has **meeting space available:** Tuesday—Sunday at 8:30pm.

NOW IN STOCK IN DVD FORMAT:

*Bill's Own Story
Bill Discusses the 12 Traditions
Markings on a Journey
AA in Correctional Facilities
Carrying the Message Behind these Walls
Hope
Your AA GSO, The Grapevine &
General Service Structure
Young People and AA*

IN STOCK IN CD FORMAT:

*History of Service
Big Book-4th Edition
12 & 12 in English & Spanish
Living Sober
AA Comes of Age
Pioneers of AA
Three Legacies, by Bill
A Brief Guide to AA*

**SPANISH HELP LINE**

533-9770

Mon-Fri

1pm-5pm

Tuesday meeting space

available. St Matthew Methodist, 2738 E Bitters. Contact Hermey Rudloff at 822-0252. This location is on the North-east side of the city, and in District 17.

**May 2008
CONTRIBUTIONS TO CSO**

See insert for group contributions.

Birthday:	Pete P	\$113.15
	Total Birthday	\$113.15
Individual:	Office Kitty	\$16.00
	Board Meeting	\$11.00
	Total Individual	\$27.00
Memorial:	Total Memorial	\$0.00

District Meetings

District 01A: DCM-Pat S (834-9024)

Monthly meeting is held at 8600 Wurzbach, #702, Creekview Office Complex, the 2nd Sunday, 4:00pm. There is a mini-workshop at 3pm.

District 01E: DCM-Chuck O (649-2113) No district meeting information available at this time.

District 01F: DCM-Joe P (639-0997)

Monthly meeting is held at 3814 S. Flores, #2, the 2nd Sunday, 1:00pm, en espanol.

District 16: DCM-Cari C (887-6649)

Monthly meeting is held at Club 12, the first Sunday at 3pm. Meeting in front room.

District 17: DCM-Regan F (422-2315)

Monthly meeting is held at the Serendipity Group location, 10929 Nacogdoches, #5, the second Saturday of each month at 8:30am.

District 18: DCM-Joe L (421-8665) or tailgate5014@msn.com. District meets the 2nd Tuesday each month, 6:15pm. Meetings rotate location so please call for location info.

District 19: DCM-Michael B (254-6346)

Quarterly meeting is held the second Sunday each quarter (Jan, April, July, Oct) at St David's Episcopal Church, 1300 Wiltshire, 4:30pm.

District 28: DCM-Anastacio E (334-0503) Monthly meetings are held at 935 New Laredo Hwy, #2 San Antonio, TX 78211, the 2nd and last Thursday, 7:00pm, en espanol.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Central Office/Intergroup Reps:

Telephone After-Hours Service Committee: Coordinator: Mike W (233-6593). Alternate Coordinator: VACANT

Outreach Committee: Chair: Felipe T (241-0809)

CSO Archives Chair: Paul B (826-2571) Work has begun on preserving the documents at CSO, removing staples, making copies, preserving paper. The committee also needs individuals interested in making displays, carpenters who can make enclosed book cases, those interested in bulletin board displays, etc. Please contact CSO or Paul at the above #.

INTERDISTRICT/SAMSO:

The Interdistrict meetings are held the first Sunday of the month, 6:30pm, 8600 Wurzbach, #702. Members include DCMs, Committee Chairs, GSRs and all alternates.

Archives: Chuck K (492-3129) or ckautz@satx.rr.com.

CFC: John C-S (508-6039)

Grapevine: Andres M (875-3424)

PI/CPC: Jim L (695-5117) or jblarkin@swbell.net.

Treatment: Cynthia V (422-7248)

Bi-Lingual: VACANT

Newsletter: Doug F (508-7682) rfrey@wireweb.net

Special Needs: Regan F (temporary) 422-2315

Correctional Facilities in the local San Antonio Area

SAF II—Substance Abuse Treatment Facility-Bexar County Offender

Men & Women's Facility

Goyen Hall-State Hospital-711 S New Braunfels-South San Antonio

TX Dept of Criminal Justice Parole Division-Parolees Mtg

Men & Women Facility

2902 NE Loop 410 (near Perrin Beitel) by Rialto Theatre

Men & Women-6 months sobriety

Tuesday 6:45 (meeting 7:00pm) Room #115

Groups invited to take the meeting.

Bexar County Jail Annex-Women's Mtg

Woman's Facility

200 N Comal St

Women only

Tuesday, 5:00pm

Contact for information-Ardyn C 297-4900

Dominquez State Jail

Men's Facility

6535 Cagnon Rd-South of IH 90 on Loop 1604

Men & Women

Monday night 7:00pm and Thursday night 7:00pm

Mondays call Tom B

Thursdays call Cindy R 387-1228/Greg S 637-7203

Frank O 830-534-7522/Jeff M 630-9707

TREATMENT FACILITIES COORDINATORS

Co-Chairs:

Cynthia V 422-7248 & Trudi C 999-5665

TUESDAY

Laurel Ridge-Cyndi 422-7248

17720 Corporate Woods Dr
7:00pm

WEDNESDAY

Mission Vista-Danny 625-

2755 or Brad 364-0554

14747 Jones Maltsberger
7:00pm

University Hospital

Project Hope-6:00pm

4502 Medical Drive, Fl #9
Charles W. 884-3440

Transplant Hospital

8026 Floyd Curl—8:00pm

Floyd L—872-0664

17720 Corporate Woods Dr
7:00pm

Mission Vista-Joni 831-4606

14747 Jones Maltsberger
7:30pm

Transplant Hospital

8026 Floyd Curl—8:00pm

Jim L 695-5117

Audie Murphy VA Hospital

Banton D 882-7321

Villa Serena-4455 Horizon

Hill 7:00pm

SATURDAY

ARC—Ed B 849-2425

10290 Southton Road

8:15pm

We continue to seek members of the Fellowship that wish to Carry the Message. Please share our phone #s and email addresses with any member who needs to discuss service work through the Treatment Facilities Committee.

THURSDAY

Laurel Ridge-Cyndi 422-7248

Central Service Office Representatives Meeting Minutes Monday, April 21st, 2008, 6:00 P.M.

Opening: Casey B. opened with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.

Introductions: New COR's: Javier from Legal Profession Group, Kevin from Stay in the Solution Group

Approve Previous Month's Minutes: Change comment about sublease of office to "a portion of" instead of "½ of". Minutes approved as amended.

Announcements: See CSO website for announcements.

Financial Report: Expense to have Vicki and Vangie go to Intergroup workshop.

CSO Board Liaison Report: Weekend in SA had over 1100 in attendance. Broke previous attendance records.

Telephone Service Report: No report given by chair, however, committee is fully staffed and operational.

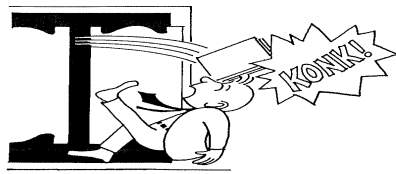
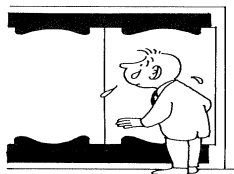
Archives Committee Report: Supplies are purchased and now need to get organized.

Outreach Committee Report: Casey B outlined a plan for a new Outreach Committee and requested volunteers.

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New Business:

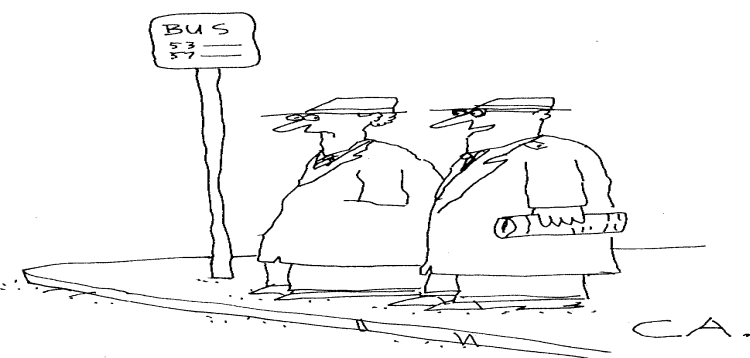
Passed the Seventh Tradition basket. Closed with the Lord's Prayer.



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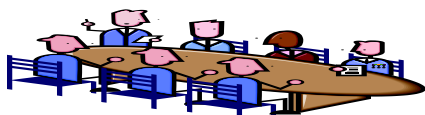


"I only go to one meeting a year, but it's an extremely good meeting."

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Your Central Service Office Board of Trustees—2008

-serving in love and service:



Brian K, Chuck K, Leeda R, Linda R, Matt M,
Terri W, and Vangie H

Group Conscience Meetings

Acceptance	Last Sunday	6:00pm
Colonies North...	1 st Monday.....	7:00pm
Goliad...	2 nd Sunday.....	11:15am
Group 12...	1 st Tuesday.....	6:45pm
Freedom...	3 rd Monday.....	7:15pm
Grupo Paz y Sobriedad	3 rd Wednesday...	TBA
Highland...	As Needed	
Keep It Simple	Last weekday each month	
Lackland Pyramid...	As Needed	
New Downtown...	1 st Saturday...	1:30pm
Rush Hour...	1 st Wednesday...	6:45pm
Sane and Sober...	As Needed	
Schertz/Cibolo...	Last Saturday...	1:15pm
Seeds of Grace	As Needed	
Serendipity...	Last Monday...	6:30pm
Stay in the Solution	Last Saturday	1:10pm
Universal City...	2 nd Monday	7:30pm
Walzem Road...	As Needed	
Woman's Big Book...	Quarterly-Last Wed.	6:30pm
Young and Done...	1 st Thursday....	9:30pm
Young and Golden Yrs...	As Needed	

Club 12 102 Thames/San Antonio, TX 78216
210-344-8981

59th Anniversary Schedule

Friday, August 15

6:00pm Welcome and Dinner
8:00pm Introduction of Club 12 staff
AA Speaker—Jane D—Tallahassee, FL

Saturday, August 16

9:00am Welcome and Breakfast
11:00am Al-Anon Speaker—Barbara A—Atlanta, GA
12:30pm Lunch
2:00pm Comedic Skit with audience Participation
(You won't want to miss this!)
Chaired by Roy H and Rhonda McN
5:00pm Dinner
7:00pm Introduction of Club 12 Board of Directors
AA Speaker—Dick A—Atlanta, GA
9:00pm Free Dance—DJ

Sunday, August 17

9:00am Welcome and Breakfast
11:00am AA Speaker—Chuck G—North Hollywood, CA
Noon Sobriety Countdown
Lord's Prayer and Closing

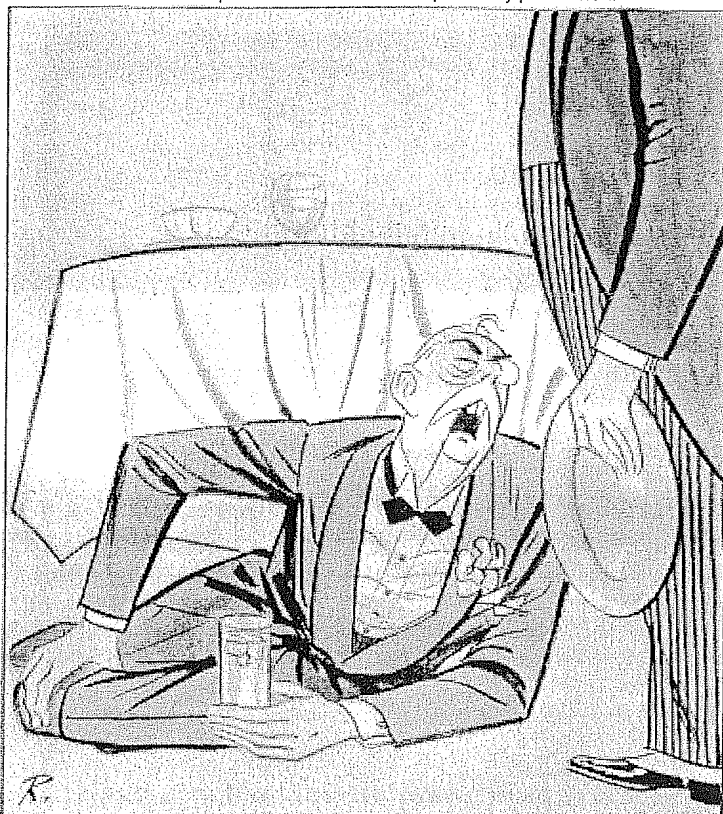
FYI!!!

Finally, we have information for you about our office expansion and what we will be doing with it. The Board of Trustees carefully looked at all options from sub-leasing to meeting space. I am so happy to report that the Board has decided we will keep the whole space as it is well within the budget discussed for a new office. Part of the space will be offered to the fellowship of Alcoholics Anonymous to use for committee meetings and/or A.A. meetings. No rent will be charged (at least that is the decision for now) however, in the spirit of the 7th Tradition and self-support, we ask that the basket be passed. If you're A.A. service committee, district meeting, etc, would like to use this space, we encourage you to contact the office (CSO/821-6325) and schedule your time. The time does not have to be just when the Central Office is open, as the facility has a separate entrance. I can also tell you there has been an increasing amount of interest in a noon meeting in this area, should there be someone interested in getting that started.

The office itself is currently being put together. We have more storage and elbow room. Please stop by to see what your support has done for our fellowship.

Again, we are thrilled to be offering this service to our A.A. community. God bless.

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"By gad, Elkins, how many times do I have to tell you? Only whiskey and soda—no ice!"



"So I'm powerless over alcohol! What makes you think my life has become unmanageable?"

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July Birthdays

Alamo Heights:

Carl B—1yr
Jim D—1yr
Jorge F—1yr
Tim G—1yr
Ruthie F—6yrs
Nash H—13yrs

Colonies North:

Andre M—1yr
Josh P—1yr
Ulises R—7yrs
Chuck R—8yrs
Rob W—9yrs
Steve h—11yrs
Cliff M—36yrs

Goliad:

Shorty—20yrs
Henrietta H—33yrs
Richard S—37yrs

Group Twelve:

1 year

Charles McM
Sam M
Lori L
Christine J
Samuel M
Kim D
Theodore G
Ashley S
Larry M
Rose R
Donald D
Kelly O'B
Patt T
James K
John M
Barbara M

2 years

Charlie Mc
Federico Z
Linda A
Doris K
Daniel W
Grace R
John G
Lisa H
Nancy C
Richard E
Barclay C
David S
Aaron Mck
Karen C
Leon H
Tonya F

3 years

Raphael M
Banton D
Shane L
Bryon P
Jamie H
Steve M
Anne H
Kim R
Carolyn R
Michael B
Kathalene V

Group Twelve (cont) **3 years (cont)**

Adrian E
John Y
Donna McC
Lise N
Tim C

4 years

Carlos F
Susan N
Kevin D
Michael D
Tyler T
Mark N
Dan S

5 years

Katie C
Jennifer O
Don G

6 years

Larrisa F
Laura M
Janice C
Charles W
Jerri P
Ryan B
Dylan P
Carol VN

7 years

Katie W
Billy S
Keith McC
Art M
Thomas S
Rodolfo S
James G
Wilson B
Debra C
Felipe L-DeC
Patrick S
Ricardo R
Sarah F

8 years

Shelby M
David B
Charles R
Thomas D
James B
Stuart P
Keith D
Joseph S
Eric C
Tommy McF
Daniel C
Leslie D
Richard K
Paul H
David H
Eddy M
David F
Mike M
Carrie H
William O'B
Davin K
Keith D
Sostenes R

Group Twelve (cont) **8 years (cont)**

Sherill H
Sarah R
Joe G

9 years

Linda C
Liz P
John B
Gwen A
Carlos H
Robert O
Rick M
Letty S
Tyler A
Chris E
Linda C
Lauri L
Mike F
Katherine G
Tony B
Don McG

10 years

Donnie S
Ken G
Michelle A
Simmons A
John S
William H
Ruben H
Gordy S

11 years

Rudy C
Howard R
Cari O
Kelli B
Kathie M
Paul N

12 years

Chris C
Randy C
Cathy L
Bill S

13 years

Ray P
Nash H
Valerie V
Jonathon S
Ervin C

14 years

Juliet E
Joan C
JR C

15 years

Sharon C
Jimmie R

16 years

Bill P
Michael S

Group Twelve (cont) **17 years**

Travis D
Beth H

18 years

Ralph McB
Deborah M

19 years

Lia S
Eleanor S
Ronald A

20 years

Andrew J

21 years

Barbara M
Bara M
Lauren C

22 years

George B
Dan F

23 years

Susan B

25 years

Melanie S
Paul P

26 years

Chic W
Marianne S

27 years

Maria K

29 years

T. Diane S
Dru D



30 years

Fritz H

32 years

Jeri K

33 years

Winnie N
Vangie H
Anthony J

34 years

Garland W

35 years

Ted N

38 years

Bill St.J
Mike Y

Schertz/Cibolo:

Lauren F—1yr
Adinal B—2yrs
Bob V—2yrs
Claudia T—3yrs
Sharon M—3yrs
Jeanette F—4yrs
Laura R—4yrs
Charles T—4yrs
Cris P—5yrs
Eric M—5yrs
Lisa G—5yrs
Marla B—8yrs
Sylvia B—19yrs
Dan M—34yrs

Spiritual Awakening:

Kevin F—3yrs

Woman's Big Book:

Melissa R—3yrs
Terri P—3yrs
Jennifer O—5yrs
Katie C—5yrs
Ruthie F—6yrs
Terri P—3yrs
Vicky F—10yrs
Juliet E—14yrs
Barbra M—21yrs

Keep It Simple:

Pat S—15yrs

Morning After:

Madeline M—17yrs

New Braunfels:

Vicky F—10yrs

GROUP BIRTHDAY NIGHTS

Last Sunday: Free at Last (Pot luck)

Last Monday: Alamo Heights, Freedom, Young and Golden Years (O-Spk)

First Tuesday: New Downtown (O-Spk) 7:30-9pm

Last Tuesday: Valley Hi, Windcrest, Santa Fe, New Acceptance, Life Support, La Vernia

Last Wednesday : Oblate, Woman's Big Book, Northwood, Stay in the Solution

Last Thursday: Goliad, Ft. Sam, North San Pedro, Stahl Rd, Acceptance, Universal City, Sane and Sober (Open)

Last Friday: Pearsall (Come As You Are), Colonies North, El Libro Grande, Rush Hour, Group 12, Marymont, HALT @ Tezel Road, SW Loop (4th Friday), Hondo, Seeds of Grace (open mtg-last Fri)

Last Saturday: Schertz-Cibolo, Lambda, Winners Club, Serendipity, Pleasanton

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