

THE NIGHTCAP

EDUCATION ARTICLE by Sarah B.

August

Blessed to be sober

My name is Portia, I am 49 years old. I am an alcoholic. I am writing to you from my Pod in a detention center. I am blessed to be sober since May 22, 2020, that is the day my life changed. I got locked up July 21, 2021, for my third DWI and violating my probation. This experience has given me time to think and to get my mind right with my Lord. I take it one day at a time and every Sunday if we have Sunday school I go and I always thank the Lord for that day because I am supposed to be dead or in a coma, thank God! I am here thinking about what I have done and what I can do to better myself. On Wednesday I go to A.A. and talk about my first drink and my first, second, and third DWI's and the blessing I have received. Since May 22, 2022, I have been sober and I have been doing time since July 21, 2022. I get out September 6, 2023, and I have learned from my mistakes. I lost my job, apartment and my car, no kids. I upset my family, but I do have the good Lord watching over me, blessing me in so many ways, with A.A. meetings, the Big Book, my family and friends. I love myself more. I have peace, faith, and strength, and also respect for myself and others. I talk to and try to help others if I can, to help me stay focused and keep a level head, not drink or do foolish things. I feel great each day and I am taking it one day at a time. Thanks for letting me share my story. — **Portia B. Southeast Region**

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About The Nightcap:

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

Chairperson's Corner

Weekend in SA with AA - October 28, 2023

"We Enjoyed Peace Of Mind"

Register Online - \$30 Pre-registration- www.aainsa.org

San Antonio Shrine Auditorium, 901 N Loop 1604 W, San Antonio, TX 78232

The website is up and running with information and registration links for the Golf Scramble, the Art Auction and Weekend in SA <https://aainsa.org/>

There is also a **"CLICK HERE TO VOLUNTEER"** for various service roles, like set-up, art show, greeters & hospitality.

Bunco Night – Suzanne C

This event was SUPER successful and fun!!! A **BIG** thank you to Suzanne C and her **AWESOME CREW** for chairing this great CSO & Weekend in SA event!

Weekend in SA Pre-registrations help tremendously in raising seed money to put on this event. Since 1984, this has been the largest fundraising event benefitting the Central Service Office of San Antonio. If you will be attending, please consider Pre-Registering **NOW**. These funds help provide some of the food, facilities, decorations, speaker flights and hotels and more.

Cowboy Breakfast – We need a Chair for this Great Start to the Day at Weekend in SA. We have a volunteer to Emcee this fun Taco Breakfast with a side of SHARING. The last chair took FANTASTIC NOTES on the process!!!

Club 12 Table for Pre-registration – We are looking for someone to chair coverage of the table at Club 12 during the big meetings to sell preregistration – 11am, 2:30pm and 5:30pm beginning mid-August.

Art Auction Show

Please start spreading the word about the art auction. The art show flyer is on the website. Types of art we are looking for: photography, paintings, sculptures, drawings, pottery, jewelry, etc. All art can be dropped off beginning now. See the flyer for details.

Group visitation

Our Group visitation Chair has a group of people ready to start visiting meetings. They will start mid-August, after the Club 12 anniversary. Be on the lookout for them at your group!

Spanish Intergupo

The Spanish groups will have their own breakout room again during the event and we have a great new chair organizing. He is also going to translate the flyer to Spanish.

Split the Pot

Our Split the Pot Chair will be ready to go at Club 12 selling Split the Pot tickets after their anniversary Aug 4-6. Buy your tickets soon!!!

WEEKEND IN SA WITH AA
presents the

20th ANNUAL

GOLF SCRAMBLE

a Central Service Office Fundraiser

This event will kick off our
40th Weekend in SA with AA Conference
Saturday, October 28, 2023
San Antonio Shrine Auditorium.



THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2023

FORT SAM HOUSTON GOLF COURSE

1050 HARRY WURZBACH ROAD, SAN ANTONIO, TX 78234

\$ 100

INCLUDES:
Cart, Green Fees, & Lunch



Registration
Putting Contest
Range Practice
& Lunch

11:00am



Shotgun "Scramble" Start

1:00pm



Register at www.aainsa.org

Call, text or email with questions:

Todd R - (210) 478-0312

Sean L - (210) 328-2419

golf@aainsa.org



SAN ANTONIO WEEKEND IN S.A. WITH A.A.

40th Weekend in SA with AA

Saturday, October 28, 2023

Alzafar Shrine Temple - San Antonio

“We Enjoyed Peace of Mind”

“As we felt new power flow in, as we enjoyed peace of mind,
as we discovered we could face life successfully,
as we became conscious of His presence,
we began to lose our fear of today, tomorrow or the hereafter.
We were reborn.”

Alcoholics Anonymous, page 63

Speaker List

Renee E, AA - Frisco, TX

Mike E, AA - Lake Kiowa, TX

Karen E, Al-Anon - Lake Kiowa, TX

Shane S, AA - Chattanooga, TN

Tapers - James & Norma - Plano, TX

Recovery - Unity - Service

Art Show & Silent Auction

Barbeque

Breakout Rooms

Cowboy Breakfast

Group Banner Competition

Live Auction

Split the Pot

Pre-Register - www.aainsa.org



40th Weekend in SA with AA
Saturday, October 28, 2023
San Antonio Shrine Auditorium
Volunteer to help with Art Auction at aainsa.org

Art Auction

CALLING ALL:
artists
art collectors
art downsizers
art donators

We need your art!

Fill out submission form at
www.aainsa.org, print a copy and drop off
original, previously owned, or new artwork
for Weekend in SA's Silent Art Auction

DELIVER ARTWORK to:
16607 Blanco Road, Suite 401
San Antonio, TX 78232

DEADLINE for DROP-OFF
Friday, October 27, 2023



Glenn A
glennardskynnard@gmail.com
(512) 632-3329

Rebecca P
merahynns24@gmail.com
(210) 708-6461



CSOR INFORMATION

PLEASE READ AND SHARE WITH YOUR GROUP.

Our CSOR meetings are always the Third Monday of the Month. Our next meeting is Monday, August 21, 2023. The meeting time and place have changed. The time is 6:30PM and the location is Alamo Heights United Methodist Church, 825 E. Basse Road and on Zoom.

Zoom codes are listed below. We had to move the meeting to 6:30PM to allow everyone time to get to the Church.

Enter the west end door, facing Treeline Blvd, Room # W100.

We will email CSOR packets the Friday before the meeting. We will have hard copies available at the CSOR meeting. If you are attending via Zoom and want a hard copy, please come to CSO, 8804 Tradeway, SA, Tx 78217 to pick one up.

Please respond when you receive this by email or call Virginia or Jim 210-821-6325.

Yours
Virginia and Jim

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86897801022?pwd=Z0h2MStkR0NDVTB1T2pMSFFBaUN1Zz09>

Login: 868 9780 1022

Passcode: 115723

END OF AN ERA!!!

The CSO Staff person who has been here longer than anyone in history of CSO has decided to leave us in November!

Virginia will be missed

However, life goes on and we need to hire someone to fill her shoes.

If you are interested in a full or part time position. We are considering both. This is a full time 40hr position with additional time for monthly CSOR and Board meetings, events that support CSO, weekends for workshops and AASA. We pay overtime or allow comp time.

QUALIFICATIONS

1. Must be proficient in all Microsoft products, Excel is a must.
2. Great People skills
3. A.A. member with 5 years sobriety
4. Ability to learn new software (QuickBooks)
5. Ability to lift 40 lbs. (case of Big Books)
6. Great phone skills, must be able to deal with alcoholics on the phone.
7. Great personal communication skills, must deal with alcoholics in person.
8. Knowledge of WordPress a major plus
9. Ability to assist Groups with variety of problems.

Salary \$32,000 per year. \$200 per month insurance assistance

Paid Vacation and Sick Leave

Applications end Sept 10th; Job starts Sept 15th.

If interested, please email Jim B
manager@aasanantonio.org

Carry The Message Workshop

Saturday Sept. 9th

St. Francis Episcopal Church

4242 Bluemel

10:30 – 1:30

**Everyone is invited to come learn how we carry the message of
recovery to the**

Metropolitan San Antonio Area !

**Presented by your Central Service Office
& your Inter Service Committees**

Great Food and Fellowship



from the comfort of your home

Central Service Office 24-hour phone line

helping someone find the solution

Contact Beverly R.

210-410-9764



YOUNG AND GOLDEN 30 TH ANNIVERSARY

Monday 28 AUGUST

**Please join us for a celebration of 30 years of service
Dinner 7:00 pm Birthday's 7:45 pm**

Speaker 8:00pm

Wendy G

25 years from Club 12

St Brigid Catholic Church

6907 Kitchener St 78240

Parish Hall

Info. Jimmy Ramos 2103173514

CLUB 12'S 74TH ANNIVERSARY "KEEP ON THE FIRING LINE"

Door Prizes! Food! Fellowship! Bingo! Speakers!

Friday August 4th

6:00pm - Dinner

Provided by 5:30pm meeting

7:15pm - Anniversary Kickoff

8:00pm - Speaker Shannon C. (Nashville, TN)

Saturday August 5th

8:00am - Breakfast

Provided by Earlybird meeting

11:00am - Speaker Kara B. (Austin, TX)

12:30pm - Lunch

Provided by 9:30am Women's meeting,

Served by Anniversary Committee

3:00pm - 5:00pm BINGO

5:30pm - Dinner

Provided by 2:30pm Beginners meeting

7:00pm - Speaker Brad S. (West Palm Beach, FL)

9:00pm - Dance with the Burning Desires

Sunday August 6th

8:00am - Breakfast

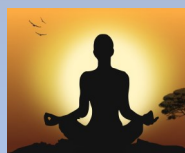
Provided by 11:00am meeting

11:00am - Speaker Cary B. (San Antonio, TX)

Club 12 ~ 102 Thames ~ San Antonio, TX 78216

Seekers Group Los Patios Meeting Room 2015 NE Loop 410 San Antonio, Tx 78217 Meditation and Discussion

Wednesday



2 PM



Start Date 8/9/2023

NORTHEAST SUNRISE
GROUP

Has Added a Wednesday Meeting

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, & FRIDAY @ 6:30AM

Madison Hills Baptist Church
15413 O'Connor Rd.



Open
meeting

Topic:
Daily
Reflection

Club Twelve Bingo Bonanza!



Join us for an exciting afternoon of Bingo at Club Twelve!

Date: Saturday, August 5th
Time: 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM

- Get ready to daub those numbers and win fantastic prizes!
 - Admission: \$5 per sheet (includes 6 cards)
- Delicious snacks and refreshments available for purchase

Prizes:

- 1st Game: \$50 Gift Card
- 2nd Game: \$100 Gift Card
- 3rd Game: \$150 Gift Card
- 4th Game (Blackout): \$200 Gift Card

Don't miss your chance to win big and have a blast at Club Twelve! Invite your friends and family for an afternoon filled with fun, laughter, and exciting games of bingo!

Limited seating available, so arrive early to secure your spot. We can't wait to see you there!

For more information contact John Carr-Shanahan at Shanahani@yahoo.com or 210-508-6039

Informative Presenters

AREA 68 PICPC CONFERENCE

"To Be Helpful Is Our
Only Aim" p89 BB

**Fri-Sat
August 4-5**

McKenna Center
801 W San Antonio St
New Braunfels, TX

\$10
Conference
registration
incl meals;
Fri PM-Sat;
Luncheon
11:00
Friday \$25

For registration & further information
www.area68district2.org
For Faust Hotel Reservations:
830/625-7791 Group Code SWTA68

Doors open at: 11:00am
Professionals Luncheon
Followed by Speakers, Fun, and
Fellowship

Or Register here →




*Presentadores
Informativos*

AREA 68 IP/CCP CONFERENCIA

"Ser servicial es
nuestro único
propósito."
Pg 83 LG

**Viernes-Sabado
Augusto 4-5**

McKenna Center
801 W San Antonio St
New Braunfels, TX

\$10
Registración
de la Conferencia
incl. comida
Viernes pm -
Sabado
Almuerzo
11 am
Viernes \$25

Para registración y más información
www.area68district2.org
Reservaciones: Faust Hotel
830-625-7791 Clave: SWTA68

Puertas abren a las: 11 am
Almuerzo de los Profesionales
Seguido por oradores, diversión, y
compañerismo.

o registracion aqui →




47TH ANNUAL Hill Country Round Up



ROCKETED INTO A FOURTH DIMENSION

Inn of the Hills - Kerrville, TX
August 18 - 20, 2023

SCHEDULE

Friday, August 18

4:00 PM - Registration & Hospitality
6:00 PM - Dinner in the Tent
7:30 PM - Opening Ceremony
7:45 PM - Raffle
8:00 PM - AA Speaker : Troy N. Austin TX.
9:15 PM - Ice Cream Social & Karaoke in the Tent

Saturday, August 19

6:30 AM - Seekers Meditation & Prayer in the Tent
7:00 AM - Breakfast Tacos - Hospitality Suite
7:15 AM - Sunrise AA Meeting
8:30 AM - Al-Anon Meeting
9:45 AM - Workshop: Sponsorship
10:45 AM - Raffle
11:00 AM - AA Speaker : Jason O. Austin TX
12:00 PM - Lunch Break - "On your own"
1:30 PM - Workshop: Spirituality
2:30 PM - Al-Anon Meeting
4:00 PM - Al-Anon Speaker: Danielle O. Austin, TX
5:00 PM - Dinner in the Tent - BBQ by Bills
6:30 PM - AA "Old Timers" Meeting
7:45 PM - Raffle
8:00 PM - Sobriety Countdown
8:15 PM - AA Speaker : Dawn F. League City, TX
10:00 PM - Dance to: "The Flashbacks"

Sunday, August 20

6:30 AM - Seekers Meditation & Prayer in the Tent
7:00 AM - Breakfast: Hospitality Suite
7:15 AM - Sunrise AA Meeting
8:30 AM - Sunrise Al-Anon Meeting
9:45 AM - Raffle
10:00 AM - CA Speaker : Larry Mo. Kerrville TX
12:00 PM - Round Up Concludes

Questions? - Email us
info@hillcountryroundup.org

RESERVATIONS



800-292-5690

1001 Junction Hwy.
Kerrville, Texas 78028

REGISTRATION

Register Online @
www.hillcountryroundup.org



WWW.HILLCOUNTRYROUNDUP.ORG

11th ANNIVERSARY DINNER
August 19, 2023

CHICAGO GROUP

SHAVANO BAPTIST CHURCH
5047 DEZAVALA RD

SPEAKER: Stacy S. - SHOOK BIG BOOK

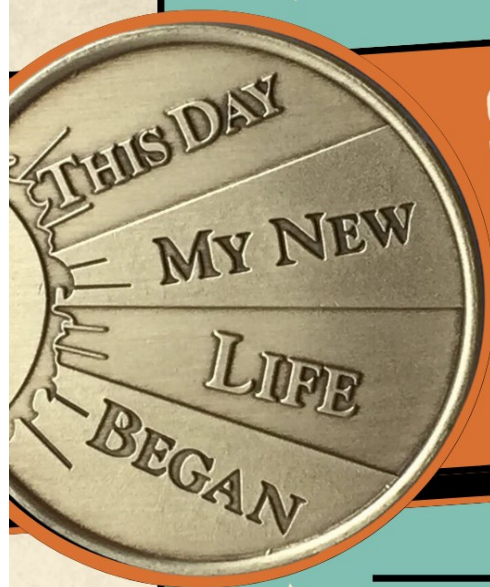
Volunteer info: Charlotte F. 210-771-6635
Ruben V. 210-382-9845

5:30 pm Opening
6:00 pm Dinner
7:00 pm Speaker
8:30 pm Closing

Main Dish provided
Potluck-Please bring a side or dessert

PRESENTED BY SCHERTZ-CIBOLO GROUP OF AA

SATURDAY, SEPT 9, 2023



SCHERTZ-CIBOLO GROUP 40TH ANNIVERSARY & GRAND OPENING

AGENDA

5 - 7 PM: FOOD AND FELLOWSHIP

7 PM: SPEAKERS MEETING

8 - 9:30 PM: SOBER STANDUP AND KARAOKE

CHICKEN, SAUSAGE & DRINKS PROVIDED

PLUS POTLOCK

LOCATION

1201 OAK STREET, SCHERTZ TX 78154

COME CELEBRATE WITH US!

<https://aasanantonio.org/meetings/schertz-cibolo-group-29/>



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ASAMBLEA HISPANA DEL SUR DE TEXAS

ALCOHOLICOS ANONIMOS
A.A. SENDAS A LA ESPIRITUALIDAD

10, 11 y 12 DE NOV. DEL 2023
SAN ANTONIO, TX.



HOTEL: 1-888-728-3031
CLAVE RESERVACION:
AA ASAMBLEA

CORRESPONDENCIA
P. O. BOX 10453
SAN ANTONIO, TX. - 78210

Hotel Double Tree by Hilton
San Antonio Airport
611 Northwest Loop 410 - San Antonio, Tx. 78216

Hispanic Intergroupal



Grupo Oasis of Seguin, Tx
1st Anniversary
2365 Huber Road
Seguin, Tx
August 5th
2:00 PM

Grupo San Antonio
3rd Anniversary
2150 Cincinnati Road
San Antonio, Tx
August 12, 2023
7 PM to 10 PM



Grupo Gratitude
26th Anniversary
Saint Monica's
501 North Street
Converse, Tx 78109
In the Parish Hall at 3:00 PM
For information call: 210-557-9567

GRUPO VOLVER A VIVER
20TH Anniversary
October 28th, 2023

WANT TO BEAT THE HEAT OF THE THE DAYS OF SUMMER?

JOIN US @ THE GOLIAD GROUP
FOR THE SATURDAY SPEAKER
MTGS. @ 6:15PM

AUGUST SPEAKER LINE-UP

- 8/5/23: Frank G. - The Goliad Group - 2 1/2 years
- 8/12/23: Lindsay L. - Sisters In Action - 2 years 8 months
- 8/19/23: Sarah C. - Lambda - 7

CLOSED MEETING



SINGLENESSE OF PURPOSE GROUP

Hope Lutheran Church
5714 Callaghan Rd
San Antonio, TX 78228

Every Thursday @7pm

As Bill
Sees It

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Turning Point Group

St. Thomas Episcopal Church
1416 N Loop 1604 E
San Antonio, Tx 78232
Portable Bldg. # 5
7:00 P.M.

Friday Speaker List

8/4	Cecily K	7/13/2019	Young & Done Group
8/11	Pat W.	5/27/1989	Sober over Sixty Group
8/18	Mike L	2/1/2016	Rule 62 SA Group
8/26	Birthday Night w/Cake		



JAYWALKERS YOUNG PEOPLES AA MEETING

EVERY MONDAY
AT 7:30PM

@

UNIVERSITY UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH
5084 DE ZAVALA RD,
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78249
3RD FLOOR 'LOFT'

SAAIS Serenity Celebration

Banquet

\$25/person

Dessert
Auction

Speakers

AA -Jimmy D. - Dallas

Al-Anon - Ellen C. - Addison

September 10, 2023

FOR MORE INFO

Please contact:

Lynn S. at

gl_singleton@msn.com

or 970/270-2215

or

Mary H. at

maryalicehaynes10@gmail.com

or 210/608-1260

Cana Ballroom

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church

202 W. Kronkosky St Boerne, TX 78266

Event begins @ 5:00 PM - (doors open @ 4:30 PM)

Contact your GR for tickets - Available 4/15/23

Seating is limited, so don't delay.

Please register early.

Deadline for Registration is 8/13/23

Please specify, at registration, if you would like to sit together as a group. We will do our best to honor your request.

Please remember, Cash or Checks only for Auction Items.

GENERAL SERVICE OFFICE OF ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**2025 INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS****1. When and where will the 2025 International Convention take place?**

The 90th anniversary of Alcoholics Anonymous will be celebrated at the 2025 International Convention in Vancouver, BC, Canada, July 3 – 6, 2025.

2. What is the theme of the 2025 International Convention?

The theme of the 2025 International Convention is “90 Years – Language of the Heart.”

3. Have A.A. International Conventions been held in Canada before?

Yes. There have been International Conventions in Toronto (1965), Montreal (1985), and Toronto (2005). As you may know, the Responsibility Statement was adopted at the 1965 International Convention in Toronto.

4. Are there any restrictions or regulations affecting travel to Canada in 2025?

Yes. The U.S. and Canada each have restrictions and regulations that apply to citizens and visitors who travel from one country to the other. Border crossing into Canada has significantly changed, particularly in the last two years. (For more information: access links to Canada Border Services Agency website (CBSA) provided below question #6)

5. Who will have to process forms and applications to gain admission to Canada?

It is suggested that those who believe they have some past legal incident, such as a DUI or felony that could inhibit their attendance at the 2025 International Convention, seek assistance/information by accessing the CBSA links provided below question #6.

6. What Canadian travel information is currently available?

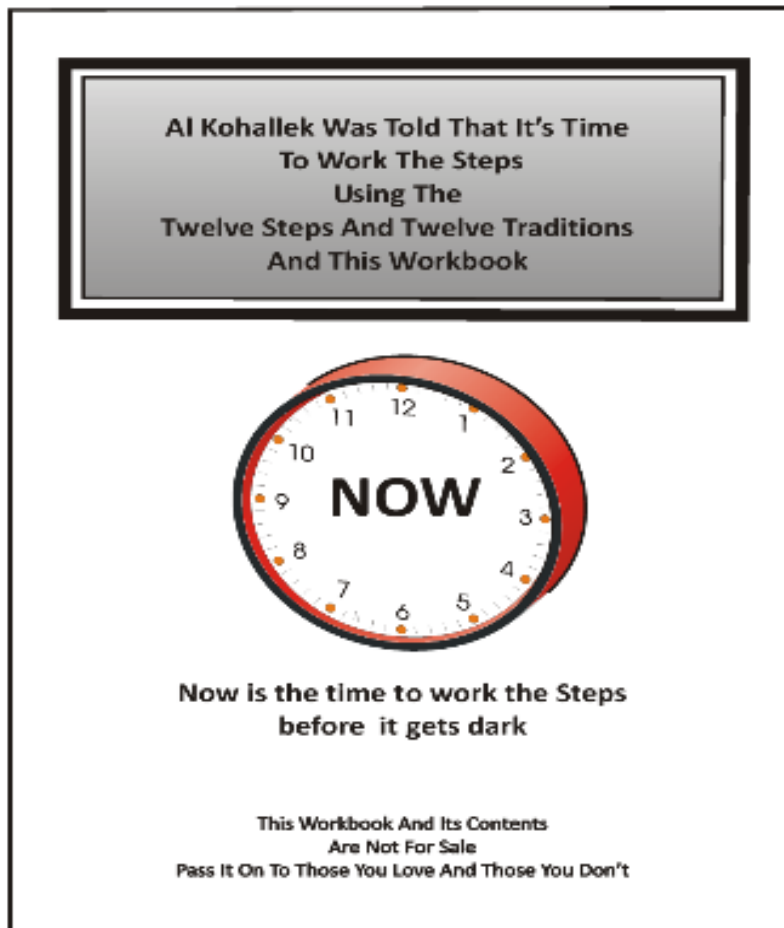
The International Convention assignment at GSO is not yet up-and-running. However, below is a resource to aid members in making plans to attend the 2025 International Convention (most questions can be answered by connecting to the links below). Also, a good travel book on Canada will provide valuable information on needed documents and border crossing requirements, as well as vacation tips.

Information for those who may have entry issues due to past criminal history:

<https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/immigrate-canada/inadmissibility/overcome-criminal-convictions.htm>

<https://www.canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/corporate/contact-ircc/offices/international-visa-offices.html>

NEW WEEKLY STEP STUDY MEETING



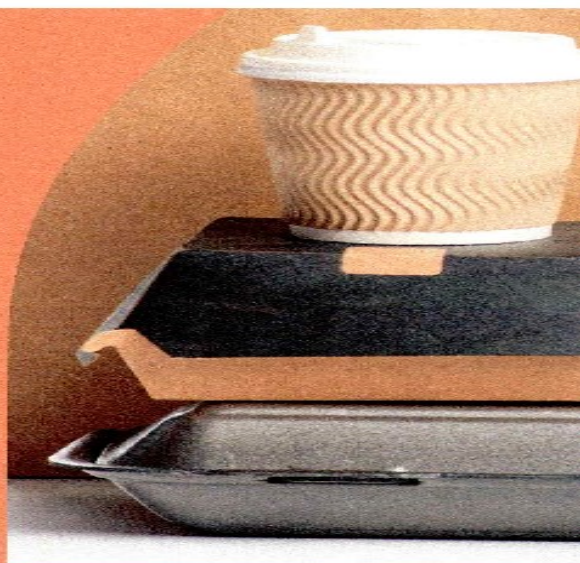
WE ARE STARTING WEEKLY STEP STUDY MEETING
TUESDAY 27, 2023 – FROM 1:30PM TO 2:30PM
WE WILL BE USING THE TWELVE STEPS AND TWELVE TRADITIONS BOOK
AND
OUR TWELVE STEPS AND TWELVE TRADITIONS WORKBOOK

PICK UP A WORKBOOK – TO ENJOY THE PREP-WORK - KICK-START
16607 Blanco Road Building 4
210 601 8205 – email – jwillis257@aol.com

Bring your
Lunch &
we provide
the
meeting
and coffee

Helotes Nooners open
Monday-Friday 12-1

*Lunch and
AA to
finish your
Day!*



Friday Special
Big Book Discussion Mtg

Forest Hills Presbyterian
13200 Bandera Road

WOMEN OF COURAGE AA MEETING

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS
6:30PM

13200 BANDERA ROAD
FOREST HILLS PRESBYTERIAN

BOOK BASED DISCUSSION MEETING
BRING YOUR TWELVE AND TWELVE

FIRST MEETING JUNE 14TH



Welcome Everyone As...
Area 84 Hosts The 2023 NAAAW
Holiday Inn, Sudbury Ontario (Canada)



Looking Back.... Looking Forward!

"Stay tuned. More will be revealed"

www.naaaw.org or archivist@area84aa.org

**2023 Fall Conference & Voting Assembly****October 20 – October 22, 2023****Hosted by District 5****Conference Location****Hilton Garden Inn Temple Medical Center****1749 Scott Blvd****Temple, Texas 76504****(254) 773-0200****Room Prices: \$125.00 (1 King or 2 Queens) Block Code: SWTA****Other Nearby Hotels if Hilton is Full:****Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott****1402 SW H K Dodgen Loop, Temple, Texas 76504****(254) 771- 3030****Candlewood Suites Temple****1850 Scott Blvd, Temple, Texas 76504****(254) 773-8342****\$20 Registration Fee****Payable to District 5 PO Box 2876, Harker Heights, Texas 76548****Badge Name:** _____**Circle 1: Voting member: DCM or ALT DCM GSR OR ALT GSR or Non-Voting Member (Reminder only 1 voter per District and Group)****Full Name:** _____**Address:** _____**Email:** _____**(Transmitelo)****Conferencia de Otoño y Asamblea de Votación****Octubre 20 – 22, 2023****Anfitrión: Distrito 5****Hilton Garden Inn Temple Medical Center****1749 Scott Blvd****76504, Temple, Texas****(254) 773-0200****Precios de las habitaciones: \$125.00 (1 King o 2 Queens)****Clave para reservacion: SWTA****Otros hoteles cercanos si Hilton está lleno:****Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott****1402 SW H K Dodgen Loop, Temple, Texas 76504****(254) 771- 3030****Templo de Candlewood Suites****1850 Scott Blvd, Temple, Texas 76504****(254) 773-8342****Registracion \$ 20****District 5 PO Box 2876, Harker Heights, Texas 76548****Placa de identificación:** _____**Circule 1: Miembro con derecho a voto: MCD o ALT MCD RSG O ALT RSG o Miembro sin derecho a voto (Recordatorio de solo 1 votante por distrito y grupo)****Nombre completo:** _____**DIRECCIÓN:** _____**Correo electrónico:** _____

Things We Cannot Change

Ardyn C.

Sobriety Date 03/02/96

Home Group Universal City Group

Also active in FROGG

Funeral: 10:30AM, Saturday, August 5th @ Christ the
King Lutheran Church, 1129 Pat Booker Rd. UC, TX.

Celebration of Life to follow: 12:30 PM – 6 PM,
1065 Williamsburg Dr.
Schertz, TX.

Lord make me an instrument of your peace,

Where there is hatred let me sow love.

Where there is injury, pardon.

Where there is doubt, faith.

Where there is despair, hope.

Where there is darkness, light.

And where there is sadness, joy.

O divine master grant that I may
not so much seek to be consoled as to console;
to be understood as to understand;

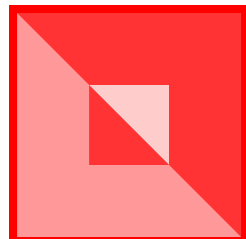
To be loved as to love

For it is in giving that we receive-

it is in pardoning that we are pardoned.

And it's in dying that we are born to eternal life.

Amen



CSOR Minutes

June

2023

CSO Service Office hybrid meeting held 7/17/2023 at 6:30pm

Chair Ben F. opened the meeting with Serenity Prayer.

Virginia B. led roll call for the CSO representatives and asked everyone for any updates or changes from the groups.

Reminder for all groups: Review your meeting information on-line for accuracy. Please EMAIL CHANGES

OR CORRECTIONS TO CSOSA1285@ATT.NET *** Please let the CSO office know of any celebrations or events to be posted in the Nightcap***

Minutes from last month's meeting approved with adjustments.

Virginia B. did roll call for Committee Chairs and Board Members.

Committee Representatives and their reports for the month of June

Galen G- Financial Report - Group contributions and office sales down this month. State convention brought in \$3,000, otherwise month would have been much worse. Total income for month below average. Total expense \$13,283. Net loss for month of \$7,809. Reserve fund is okay, need increase in group contributions. Financial report accepted.

Mike I. - SA Inter-service Report - Needed increase in group participation with grapevine committee, last meeting only 5 groups present. Treatment committee is still looking for groups to bring in meetings to Pay it Forward, Haven for Hope and SOBA Treatment Center on the West side of town. If your group is interested, please contact Jeff S. at sainterservice.org. SA Inter-service meeting will be July 30th at 3:15 instead of the 23rd to avoid conflict with Area 68 workshop. Meeting is at Saint Francis Episcopal Church, 4242 Blumel Rd, also able to attend via zoom, information on Inter-service website.

Daniel V. - Archives Report - They have new archivist candidate, Cheryl; they still need board approval. Additional committee members needed; meeting is 1st Thursday of the month at 6pm at Club 12. Display will be put up for Club 12 anniversary as well as WISA. Contact Archives for group recordings. Preparing for fall Workshop, no date set yet.

Richard G.- Hispanic Intergroup Report- Located at 3814 S. Flores. 210-533-9770 (office number, 12-5pm) 210-409-8524 (24-hour help line). Group meets twice a month, 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month. Group Tres Legados having workshop on the three legacies on July 30th from 10-12pm.

Jim B.- Office Manager's Report - Contributions, both group and individual are down but office is not in trouble, keeping expenses down. Rearranging office for more shelf space to accommodate new Grapevine books and others that have been requested the office carry. Phones are not as busy as they used to be, people still staying home, meeting guide app replacing calls looking for meetings. Virginia is leaving office, currently taking applications.

Several representatives requested meeting minutes be emailed prior to next CSOR meeting to receive in time for their group conscious meetings.

Ben F. adjourned meeting with Serenity Prayer.

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EACH GROUP HAS BUT ONE PRIMARY PURPOSE
- TO CARRY ITS MESSAGE TO THE ALCOHOLIC
WHO STILL SUFFERS.

TRADITION 5

GET INVOLVED IN 12-STEP WORK

Grapevine & La Vina (our meeting in print)

Treatment (carry the message to those in local treatment centers)

Corrections (carry the message to those behind the walls)

PI/CPC (carry the message to the professional community)

Help us Carry the Message
Visit www.sainterservice.org or contact Chris at
sainterservice@gmail.com

GROUPS MEETING ON LINE

11th Step Meditation Meeting	Love and laughter Ladies Group
12th Steps of Recovery A A Group	Morning Grace Group
AA Sisters Seeking Serenity Group	Mostly Agnostics of SA Group
Acceptance Group	New Braunfels Women's Group
Bill W Group	Nooners Zoomers
Boerne Noon Group	North San Pedro Group
Breathing Easy Group New Braunfels:	Oasis Noon Group
Bulverde Group	On Awakening
Cameo Group	Out and About AA Group
Campwood Group	Quarry Step Study Group
Colonies North Group	Rush Hour Group
First Things First Group	San Antonio Interservice
Foxhall Speaker's Meeting (Virtual) Bellevue, NE	San Antonio North Women's Group
Freedom Group	Saturday Morning 9am Meeting
FROGG Group (Fully Rely on God Gals)	Saturday Morning Mens Meeting
God & Whiskey	Serendipity Group
Grace of God Group	Sisters in Sobriety Group
Group 12 (Club 12)	Sober over Sixty Group Hybrid
Grupo Renacer	South Austin AA Online Group
Guilbeau Group	Spring Branch Group Noon Zoom
Halt Group	Survivors Group
Happy Destiny Group	The Beacon Hill Group
Helotes Nooners Group	The Recovery Group of AA
Laurel Heights Group	Tuesday Night Big Book Group
Leakey	Turning Point Group:
Live the Solution	Young & Done

**For times and Login Codes please go to our website
www.aasanantonio.org and click on local online meetings.**

AND A FINAL THOUGHT:

The program fixes it so we don't have to 'suffer' from insanity anymore; now we can 'enjoy' it!

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS- July 2023 and YTD 2023

Name	YTD	July	Name	YTD	July
Acceptance Group	325.24	275.35	Leon Springs Group	1,203.37	640.00
Alamo Heights Group	150.00	50.00	Life Support Group	200.00	
Bandera Group	250.00		Love & Laughter Ladies Group	27.51	
Blanco Group	250.00	150.00	Love & Laughter Ladies Group-	73.99	25.00
Board of Trustees-CSO	58.00	25.00	Marymont Group	30.00	
Boerne AA Zoom Meetings	149.00		Midtown Noon Group	247.20	
Boerne Hwy Group	270.00	45.00	Morning Grace Group	847.00	200.00
Boerne Noon Group	1,032.41		New Braunfels Group	2,060.93	126.03
Boerne Sunday Nite Group	300.00		Nooners Zoomers Group	360.78	
Boerne Womens Group	228.08		Northwood Group	200.00	
Broadway Group	300.00		On Awakening GR	243.89	
Bulverde Group	100.00	100.00	Road of Happy Destiny Group	200.00	
Castroville Group	100.00	100.00	Rule 62 Group (San Antonio)	126.00	25.00
Chicago Group	130.00		Rule 62-Devine Group	42.00	
Colonies North Group	660.00	300.00	Rush Hour Group	376.00	
Comfort Group (Comfort)	150.00		San Antonio North Women's Group	87.00	
Cork In The Jug Group (Helotes)	18.00		Saturday Morning Men's Meeting	190.00	
CSO-CSOR's	39.00	2.00	Schertz/Cibolo Group	240.00	
Design For Living Group	25.00		Secular AA of San Antonio Group	397.51	237.46
District 12	240.00	120.00	Seeds of Grace Group(Spring Branch)	105.00	
Evandale Rd Group	30.00		Seguin Oasis Group	100.00	
Far West Traditional BB Study	73.69		Seguin Primary Purpose Group	30.00	
First One Today Group	300.00		Share The Light Group	104.59	
First Things First Group	3,167.00	1,662.00	Shook Big Book Group	332.00	76.00
Friday Night Fix Group	136.56		Sisters in Sobriety Group	635.08	135.54
FROGG Group	229.74		Sisters Seeking Serenity Group	92.91	
Generic Group	393.00		Sober Over Sixty Group	208.50	
Goliad Group	350.00	50.00	Solutions Group-(Canyon Lake)	660.00	
Group Twelve	524.10	169.10	Spring Branch Group	300.00	
Gruene Road Group	625.00		Starlite Group- Callaghan Rd	600.00	150.00
Grupo El Mensaje 2	5.00		Stay in the Solution Group	1,425.30	209.99
Grupo Renancer	82.00		Survivors Group	187.00	
Grupo Unidad	30.00		Texas State AA Convention	2,000.00	2,000.00
Halt @ Tezel Road Group	256.10		Three Legacies Group	20.00	
Helotes Nooner Group	1,050.00		Tuesday Night Big Book Study Group	594.97	114.64
High Rise AA Group	17.00		Turning Point Group	3,580.16	1,204.00
Jaywalkers Group	135.00	135.00	Universal City Group	295.00	
Keep It Simple Group	171.00		Valley Hi Group	10.00	
Kirby Group	65.00	10.00	Woman's Big Book	175.00	
La Vernia Group	250.00		Women of Wonder Group	103.20	
Lambda Group (SA)	500.00		Work in Progress Group (Castroville)	45.00	45.00
Laurel Heights Group	285.00	50.00			

Group Contributions	32,206.83	8,432.11	Individual Contributions	9,569.67	213.00
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Spirit of the Pines Weekend Retreat

When: **October 20-22, 2023**
(4pm Oct. 20 to 12pm Oct. 22)

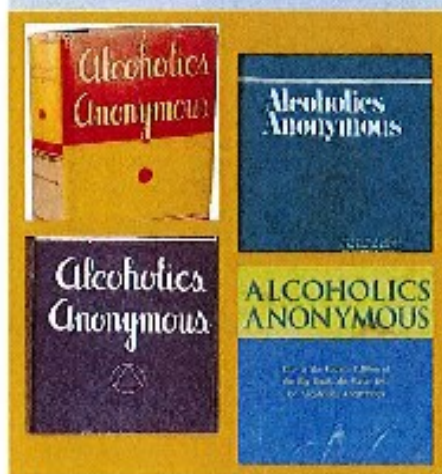
Where: Camp Olympia in
Trinity, TX

Cost: **\$130*** includes cabins and all meals

*A \$5 discount is available for mail-in registrations,
which are printable from the web site

Registration opens in September at
www.spiritofthepines.org

For more information contact:
Phyllis A. 337-794-8851
Angela P. 972-672-2965



Additional info:

- A/C & heated cabins
- Foam mattress in bunks
- Showers, sinks, paper towels available
- Ice, water, coffee, tea, lemonade
- Cabins are men only and women only
- Retreat is "open"
- No childcare available
- Pets not allowed
- Smoking in designated area only

Available Activities:

Meetings: Big Book, Al-Anon, Meditation, Birthday, Bonfire & more

Outdoor: Zip line, Kayaking, Giant Swing, Mini Golf, Fishing (all dependent on number of registrants)



Aug 2023



Check out Flyers @ aasanantonio.org/"NightCap" or in "What's Happening"

Aug 1st	Dist 1E Meeting- 9:30am- Braden Keller Center - Castroville
Aug 2nd & 23rd	Intergrupala Hispana - en español - 8pm - 3814 S Flores A-2 -San Antonio 78214 -210-533-9770
Aug 3rd	CSO Archives Committee Mtg - 6 pm, Club 12 -102 Thames
Aug 4th	Club 12 74th Anniversary-weekend of Speakers, food and other events
Aug 9th	District 1F Meeting-2nd Wed - 8pm -3814 S Flores San Antonio -78214
Aug 10th & 31st	District 28 Meeting - 2nd & Last Thursday - 8pm - 935 New Laredo Hwy - San Antonio - 78211
Aug 13th	District 12 Meeting - Contact DCM- district12@aa-swta.org (2nd Sun)
Aug 13th	District 2 Meeting -Contact DCM- district2@aa-swta.org (2nd Sun)
Aug 14th	Service Manual Study Mtg- Zoom ID 883 7997 5724 PC 598201 8PM- 12conceptsstudy@gmail.com
Aug 16th	Central Service Office Board of Trustees Meeting - Central Service Office - 6pm
Aug 19th	Chicago Grp 11th Anniversary-Shavano Baptist Chrch 5047 DeZaVala Stacy S
Aug 21st	Central Service Office Representative (CSOR) Meeting – HYBRID new In person: 6:30 PM-Alamo Heights UMC 825 E Basse Rd Rm W100- Hybrid ID: 868 9780 1022 PC: 115723
Aug 27th	SAIS - 3 PM - St Francis Episcopal Church 4242 Bluemel- Hybrid 836 7071 4994/ PW SAIS
"	Correction Facilities Committee - 12:15 pm Odd #'d months - Sinterservice@gmail.org for information
"	Communications Committee - Not Meeting
"	Grapevine Committee - 2:15pm - calvertglenj@yahoo.com
"	Public Information / Cooperation w/Professional Community - 1pm- cmte.pipcp@gmail.com
"	Treatment Facility Committee TFC- 1:15pm -(Hybrid option available)
Contact DCM for Info	Dist 1A Mtg - Contact DCM-district1a@aa-swta.org; Dist 16 Mtg -Contact DCM-district16@aa-swta.org
Contact DCM for Info	Dist 17 Mtg - Contact DCM-district17@aa-swta.org; Dist 18 Mtg -Contact DCM district18@swta.org
Aug 28th	Young & Golden 30th Anniversary-7pm Speaker Wendy G- St Brigid Catholic Church 6907 Kitchener St 78240



2023 San Antonio Future Events

Sept 9th Carry the Message Workshop 10:30-1:30 St Francis Episcopal Church 4242 Bluemel- SA Interservice & Central Service Office

Covers information for all Service opportunities

Sept 9th Schertz-Cibola Grp-40th Anniv & Grand Opening-5-8pm-Food, Fellowship-Speaker-1201 Oak St , Schertz- SEE FLYER

Sept 29th Walzem Rd Group- 24th Anniversary-6p Pot Luck Bring fav dish-Speaker 7p Paul L- Church of Resurrection 5909 Walzem Rd

Oct 26th AA in SA Golf Scramble- Fort Sam Houston Golf Course- See Flyer

Oct 28th Weekend in SA w/AA "We Enjoyed Peace of Mind"

Nov 10th XXIV Asambleas Hispana Del Sur Texas- SA Airport Double Tree 611 NW Loop 410-Write for information POBox 10453 SA TX 78216

2023 Events Out of Town

Aug 4th SWTA 68/District 2 PI/CPC Conference - www.area68district2.org -New Braunfels McKenna Center

Aug 18th 47th Hill Country Round Up - Inn of the Hills- Info@hillcountryroundup.org

Sept 7th-10th 26th National AA Archives Workshop Sudbury Ontario Canada archivist@area84aa.org

Sept 7th-10th Bridging the Gap Workshop Weekend-Register on line- www.BTGWW.org for details

Sept 10th SAAIS Serenity Celebration-Cana Ballroom St Peter the Apostle Catholic Church 202 W Kronkosky- Boerne SEE FLYER