

# The Nightcap

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## UPCOMING EVENTS 2003

### **JAN 10-12: Tyler, TX**

56<sup>th</sup> Tyler AA Anniversary. Phone: David M. (903) 571-6295 or Rob G. (903) 882-7754.

### **JAN 10-12: South Padre Island**

Serenity by the Sea Jamboree.  
Phone: 956-233-8640.

### **JAN 10-12: San Antonio, TX**

SWTA Winter Workshop Park Inn International 2131 IH 35  
(210) 527-9674.

### **JAN 17-19: Galveston, TX**

41<sup>st</sup> SETA Convention, PO Box 79053, Houston, TX 77279-9053.

### **FEB 7-9: McAllen, TX**

Correctional Facilities Conference,  
e-mail: larryandminga@yahoo.com  
or maramal@aol.com.

### **FEB 13-16: Seattle, WA**

39<sup>th</sup> International AA Women's  
Conference, PO Box 50493, Bellevue,  
WA 98015-50493.

### **FEB 14-16: Corpus Christi, TX**

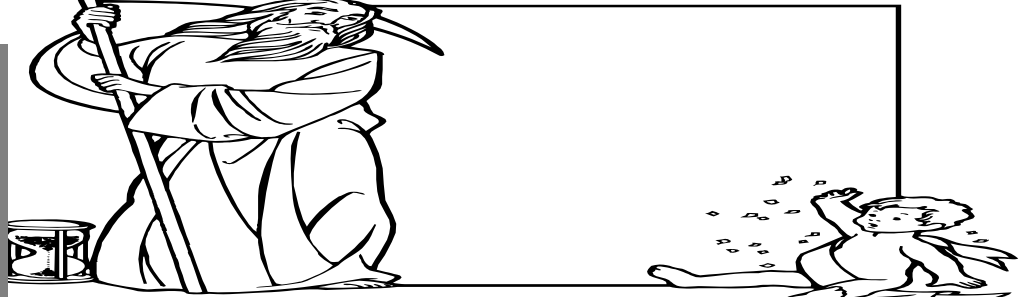
49<sup>th</sup> Coastal Bend Jamboree,  
e-mail for info: [mgt5@hotmail.com](mailto:mgt5@hotmail.com).

### **MAY 9-11: San Antonio, TX**

Weekend in SA, Villita Assembly Hall.  
More info: 210-821-6325.

### **JUNE 13-15: Austin, TX**

TX State Convention, Double Tree,  
I-H 35 & 290. More info to follow.



## SERVICE THE THIRD LEGACY

AA's Twelfth Step, carrying the message, is the basic service that our fellowship gives; it is our principal aim and the main reason for our existence. A.A. is more than a set of principles; it is a society of recovered alcoholics in action. We *must carry* A.A.'s message; other-wise we ourselves may fall into decay and those who have not yet been given the truth may die. This is why we so often say that *action is the magic word*. Action to carry A.A.'s message is therefore *the heart* of our Third Legacy of Service.

Yet some of us are still a bit confused about A.A.'s Third Legacy, We still ask, "Just what is this Third Legacy business anyhow? And just how much territory does 'service action' take in?"

The answer is simple. An A.A. service is anything whatever that legitimately helps us to reach fellow sufferers. As we have seen, the Twelfth Step call is the greatest of A.A.'s services. But the publicity that caused the prospect to get in touch with us, the car we rode in, the gasoline we paid for, and the cups of coffee we bought him—all of these aids were necessary to make our call possible and effective, And this is only the start.

Our services involve meeting places, hospital cooperation, intergroup offices, and pamphlets and books. Services can require committees, delegates, trustees, and conferences. They include small voluntary money contributions so that the group, the area, and A.A. as a whole can function. They range all the way from the cup of coffee up to A.A.'s General Service Headquarters for national and international action. The sum of *all these* services is A.A.'s Third Legacy. Such services are utterly necessary to A.A.'s existence and growth. Yearning for simplicity, we often wonder if we could not do away with many of A.A.'s present services. Wouldn't it be wonderful to have no bother, no politics, no expense, and no responsibility! But this is only a dream about simplicity; it would not be simplicity in fact. Without its essential services, AA. would soon become a formless, confused, and irresponsible anarchy.

Regarding any particular service, we need to ask only one question: "Is this or that service really needed?" If it is not, then let it be eliminated. But if it is needed, then maintain it we must or fail in our mission to those who want and seek A.A. AA Comes of Age Pages 139-140

## The Highland Group's 52<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary!!

Wednesday  
January 15, 2003

8:15 p.m.

Aldersgate United Methodist  
Church 502 Kayton  
(Corner of Kayton & Palmetto)

**SPEAKER : DRU D.**

FOOD - FUN - FELLOWSHIP  
**SEE YA THERE**

## BROADWAY ANNIVERSARY

Please join the Broadway Group in celebrating 30 years of carrying the message.

(First Anniversary Celebration).

**Saturday, January 4th, 2003**  
**Christ Lutheran Church,**  
**6720 Broadway**

**TIME: 6:30 pm** Barbeque dinner.  
**Speaker: 8:15 pm** Lorna K.  
(Author of "The Camel Knows the Way")

Bring a covered a dish.

"Together  
lets welcome in the  
New Year"

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## G.S.O.'s Most Asked Questions

In the June edition of the Nightcap there was a letter to the editor about inappropriate fundraising. The following is a response from G.S.O. on the topic.

**Q: Okay, then what is an A.A. event?**

**A:** As far as we are concerned, any event which is run by A.A.s, about A.A., and for A.A.s is an A.A. event. Some are under the auspices of regions, areas, or districts; others of central offices or Intergroup or even groups; and still others of a committee of A.A. members. Al-Anons are included in many of the events. Many of the events are service-connected, others are purely for A.A. sharing and fun.

**Q: We are putting on an A.A. event, and some A.A. members are saying that since we are charging a registration fee for attendance to an A.A. function, we are not acting in accordance with A.A. Tradition.**

**A:** There is a big difference between "no dues or fees for A.A. membership" and a registration fee for an A.A. event. The word "free" is a strange one in a self-supporting Fellowship, and someone has to pay the bills! There are many, many A.A. conventions and conferences and in most cases, registration fees are charged to cover the expenses of the event. Often a special event, such as a banquet, is put on for the purpose of raising additional funds to support a central office or the work of an institutions committee.

**Q: Is it okay to have a raffle as a fund raiser?**

**A:** Past General Service Conferences have asked if raffles are within A.A. Traditions. The Conference has not come forth with a recommendation in regard to raffles. A show of hands usually indicates that about half the delegates think they are all right and about half think they should be discouraged. So the best we can do when asked is to reply that it is up to the group conscience. Of course this reply is referring to raffles within A.A. Selling raffle tickets to people outside A.A. is not within the spirit of the Seventh Tradition, which reminds us that every A.A. group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions.

**Q: We are planning to hold an A.A. event in our city, and wonder if it's okay to ask the groups for seed money?**

**A:** This can be answered only by the group conscience of the groups concerned. However, if the group agrees to take a collection at its meeting to support the event, a separate basket for this specific purpose should be passed for those who wish to give, rather than take money from the group funds

**Q: Is it okay to hold a dance (no meeting) as a fund raiser for an A.A. function?**

**A:** See the answer above regarding raffles as fund raisers. If tickets for the dance are sold within the Fellowship, it's up to the group conscience; if they're sold outside, it's a clear

**AFTER HOURS PHONE DUTY  
NEEDED**

**650-4808**

Volunteers are also needed for after hours phone calls The requirement is one (1) year or more of sobriety. The after hours phone duty schedules are 5pm to 10 pm and 10pm to 9 am. For more information call the above number.

## CSO BOARD OF TRUSTEES

*currently serving in love and service*

Char David A. Gail Mc John C-S Larry K. Lynn J. Paul B  
*Welcome new members January 2003*

Group Contributions		October 02
GROUP		YTD
Acceptance		194.62
Alamo Hts		200.00
Back to Basics		50.00
Broadway		292.41
Colonies North		753.00
Community Group		127.65
Cork in the Jug	100.00	100.00
District 28		2.00
Entire Abstinence	40.00	40.00
First One Today		40.00
Families In AA		150.00
Fort Sam		36.00
Free at Last	2.00	131.00
Freedom Group		208.00
Fresh Start		30.00
Generic		100.00
Goliad	40.00	280.00
Grupo Unidad	10.00	60.00
Grupo Libro Grande		20.00
Grupo Gozo y Paz		70.00
Group Twelve	360.00	3,600.00
Highlands		290.87
Hondo		150.00
Halt on Tezel	90.00	360.00
Lackland/Pyramid Grp		50.00
Laurel Hts		60.00
Life Support		20.00
Last Call Grp		70.00
Marymont	10.00	55.00
Morning After Grp	10.00	10.00
New Downtown		26.00
New Life		30.00
North East		100.00
North San Pedro	48.00	519.62
Oak Hills		975.05
Pleasanton		45.00
Road of Happy Destiny		205.00
Rush Hour	44.91	640.04
S.A North Women		30.00
Serendipity		30.00
Staying in Solution		15.00
Survivors		148.00
Sunrise		150.00
SW Loop		20.70
Tezel Rd Women		86.00
Travis Park		386.07
Turning Point		225.00
UC-TGIF		30.00
UC M-Thur		280.00
Valley Hi Group		50.00
Windcrest		90.00
Women's Big Book		185.36
Woodlake		115.00
	<b>AREA</b>	
Boerne Noon		673.00
New Braunfels		60.00
Breathe Easy		20.00
Kerrville Group		34.00
BIRTHDAYS		633.00

INCOME	Oct 02	Oct 01	YTD 02	YTD 01
Sales	4,528.10	5,688.57	61,939.55	58,540.92
Nightcap Contributions	6.00	15.00	1,330.00	453.00
Group Contributions	849.91	3,758.95	12,922.24	20,295.63
Memorials	00	00	207.00	75.00
Individual Contributions	00	979.20	643.19	2,404.20
Birthday Contributions	00	00	633.00	74.00
Total Income	5,457.26	9,666.97	77,855.17	82,831.20
Cost of Sales	2,282.64	2,098.35	31,760.48	30,927.79
Gross Profit	3,174.62	7,568.62	46,094.69	51,203.63
<b>Operating Expenses</b>				
Advertising	00	00		449.00
Accountant	550.00	00	1,915.00	1,947.00
Contract Labor	0	100.00	90.00	100.00
Creditcard /Bank fees	46.46	42.34	876.88	791.91
Depreciation	125.00	250.00	1,250.00	1,250.00
Entertainment	0	0	100.00	0
Storage / Equip-lease	360.86	376.34	5,063.22	2,554.84
Nightcap Print& Postage	0	286.04	1,655.81	2,206.48
Office Supplies	0	00	1,063.44	2,213.21
Postage and Freight	36.30	145.00	722.977	1,447.07
Rent Office	912.00	912.00	9,120.00	9,006.00
Repairs / Maintenance	82.00	541.64	2,116.43	2,752.86
Salaries	3,291.28	2,901.66	32,202.77	28,595.32
Supplies	82.99	286.00	3,439.14	1,449.60
Payroll Taxes	244.90	558.96	2,527.95	1,963.48
Travel Allowance	00	0	1,366.60	0
Telephone	221.00	491.70	2,696.63	2,639.00
Utilities	234.97	388.62	2,477.93	2,684.22
<b>TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE</b>	<b>6,096.86</b>	<b>7,084.91</b>	<b>69,941.68</b>	<b>63,063.69</b>
<b>NET INCOME FROM OPNS</b>	<b>(2,922.24)</b>	<b>483.71</b>	<b>(23,846.99)</b>	<b>(11,861.28)</b>
<b>NET INCOME YTD</b>	<b>(2,922.24)</b>	<b>1,005.28</b>	<b>(8,237.98)</b>	<b>5,264.23</b>

**POC David B 655-6644**  
TREATMENT FACILITIES MTGS

**Monday**  
8pm O-Disc Patrician Movement,  
222 E. Mitchell Phone: 213-4561

7:30 pm O-Disc Southton Juvenile,  
3621 Farm Rd. Juvenile Hall

**Tuesday**  
8 pm O-Disc Transplant Hospital,  
8026 Floyd Curl  
Phone: 358-4000

7 pm O Disc S.A.S.H, 5800 S.  
Presa Phone: 532-8811

8 pm O-Disc Salvation Army,  
1324 Flores Phone: 223-6877

7 pm O-Disc Laurel Ridge 1604 &  
Redland Rd. Colorado unit  
Phone: 534-5124

**Wednesday**

8 pm O Disc NIX Hospital, Detox Unit  
4330 Vance Jackson,  
8pm O-Disc S.A.M.M Shelter,  
910 W Commerce  
Phone: 224-5838

**Thursday**

8:15pm O Disc Audie Murphy V.A.,  
7400 Merton Minter  
Phone: 617-5300

8 pm O Disc Women At The Well,  
221 Post, Phone: 472-2787

8 pm O Disc Transplant Hospital,  
8026 Floyd Curl,  
Phone: 358-4000

7 pm O- Disc Laurel Ridge,  
1604 & Redland Rd.

**Saturday**

8:15pm O Disc A.R.C, 10290  
Southton Rd Phone: 633-0201

## COR Minutes for November 17, 2002

**In Attendance:** Tommy W. (Colonies North), Joe S. (Schertz/Cibolo), Teri W. (Women's' Big Book), Pat B. (First Things First), Carolyn M. (San Antonio Women's' North), Jason G. (Group Twelve), David A. (COR Liaison), Steve G. (Road of Happy Destiny), Jarrod S. (Marymont), Mike K. (Oblate), David P. (Acceptance), David W. (Oasis), Dean B. (Rush Hour), and Roy H. (Highlands)

**Meeting Opened:** The COR Meeting was opened by Chairperson Roy H. at 5:30 p.m. with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.

**Previous Meeting Minutes:** The minutes of October 20, 2002 were read and the motion was made by David A. to accept the minutes and seconded by Tommy W. The minutes from October 20, 2002 were approved.

**Phone Duty Report:** There is an urgent need for a new Phone Duty Coordinator. Mike K. (Oblate) volunteered to take the duty for December. At the December meeting, the COR's will elect a new Phone Duty Coordinator. Persons wishing to volunteer should contact their COR's.

**Board of Trustees Report:** The Chairman of the CSO Board of Trustees, Corky, stated that the CSO is in a financial plight. Although the sales at the CSO are up and the Weekend in SA was a success, the financial condition is in very bad shape because contributions have been extremely low. Larry, from the CSO Board of Trustees, also stated that in October of 2001 the contributions to the CSO were \$3,400 and that the contributions for October of 2002 were \$879. At this point, contributions are down by over \$7,300 from last year's total. It was reported that the financial condition has deteriorated to the point that the CSO has not been able to pay some of its bills to the New York office. All members from all groups are being asked to think about helping to alleviate this financial situation and to contemplate on our 7th tradition of being fully self-supporting.

**New Business:** There were 7 candidates for the 3 CSO Board of Trustee positions present at the meeting. They were Lynn J. (Acceptance), John C. (Broadway), Mary E. (Goliad), Paul B. (Life Support), Trent W. (Group 12), Jesse G. (Group 12), and Richard S. (New Life). Each candidate briefly described his/her reasons for wanting to be of service on the CSO Board of Trustees. After two rounds of voting, the three new Board members elected by the COR's were Lynn J., John C., and Paul B.

The terms for the COR chairperson, recording secretary, and phone duty coordinator are expiring at the end of December. Elections will be held in December so that the persons elected can start in January. David A. volunteered to do the mail-out notices to the COR's for December.

Once again all AA members are encouraged to come by the CSO at 8804 Tradeway and say hello and have a cup of coffee.

**Meeting Adjourned:** The meeting was brought to a close at 6:10 p.m. by Roy H. and ended with the Lord's Prayer.

### Spirit of Rotation

"AA. as such ought never be organized." My sponsor and I have joked about this Tradition a lot. Being disorganized ourselves, it seemed familiar. But, in my opinion, the true meaning of this Tradition, at least to me personally, lies in the long form. "Each A.A. group needs the least possible organization. Rotating leadership is the best." This helps me to keep my ego in check. I have chaired a few committees in A.A., and because I had the example of my sponsor to follow, I learned that this is not an honor of pride, but rather an honor of service.

To be truly effective heading an A.A. committee, we serve the fellowship best by leaving behind something that can be built upon. The most rewarding way to serve as the head of a committee is to sponsor someone to replace me who can do an even better job than I did. To have someone say that the person who follows me "is not as good" as I means that I did not do a sufficient job in sharing my experience, strength and hope. In the "spirit of rotation" it is an honor to have someone who follows me do a better job than I was capable of doing.

"They derive no real authority from their titles, they do not govern." I think this pretty much says it all. My experience has shown me that to be effective, must not command things of people. My experience in A.A. and the experience that has been passed down through our literature and stories show that preaching has seldom worked with us alcoholics. The inverse must also be true. The only real way to make an impact on someone is to try to set an example that they can understand and follow.

"Universal Respect is the key to their usefulness." I believe that this means respect for the action and the initiative. I know that when I have served on an A.A. committee, it was when I felt I was least effective that I garnered the most respect. It wits my willingness to suit up and show up and to perform the task to the best of my ability that seemed to impress. I was told that no matter how I served A.A., I probably wouldn't truly understand my job until it was time to rotate out of my position. It was then my duty to help the person who followed. It is my hope that no one denies themselves the rewards of service out of fear. It is not our talents, but our love of carrying the message and serving the fellowship that makes us most effective as A.A. "leaders."

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**SAN ANTONIO METROPOLITAN SERVICE ORGANIZATION**  
MINUTES OF THE OCTOBER 20, 2002 MEETING

**IN ATTENDANCE:**

**District 1A DCM(Alt) – Chuck**      **District 1F DCM(Alt) – Ramiro A.**      **District 16 DCM - Chris E.**  
**District 17 DCM(Alt) – Ed E. (Secretary)**      **District 19 DCM (Alt) – Cleo T. (Treasurer)**

**Archives Chair – Bob C.**      **Bilingual Chair – Jose G.**      **Hospitals / Institutions Chair – David B.**  
**Correctional Facilities Chair – Paul B.**      **Central Service Office Liaison to SAMSO – Gayle**  
**Public Information/Cooperation with the Professional Community Chair – Brad B.**

**ABSENT:**

**District 1E DCM – Vacant**      **District 18 DCM – Mona W.**      **District 28 DCM – Henry G.**

**Grapevine Chair – Vacant**      **SAMSO Liaison to Central Service Office - Vacant**

Meeting called to order by **Cleo T.** at 6:30 PM with Moment of Silence and the Serenity Prayer.

**Ardyn C.** - Read the Traditions. - - - New GSRs: **Todd H. altH** – DCMs: 1F Pedro C. - Alt 1F Ramiro A.

**Announcements:**

- \* \* **STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING for SAMSO will be 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday at 3PM at Club 12**

**Presentations:** Mary from CSO was present with new service manuals and meeting schedules –

She is serving as the Chair for AA in SA “Living the Undreamed rewards, gifts and blessings” May 9-11, 2003.

**Central Service Office Liaison to SAMSO – Gail**– Contributions down \$4400 for year – Nightcap subscriptions are \$6 per year.

**SAMSO Liaison to Central Service Office – Vacant**

**Chairman’s Report – Cleo T. – – None -**

**Secretary’s Report – Ed E. –** Asked if there were any corrections to the minutes as published - Motion to approve made with corrections by **Ron G.**, *seconded* by **Chris E.** - All approved.

**Treasurer’s Report – Cleo T. – Submitted** report for Sept. - Donations for September were \$1222.00 - with expenses of \$51.00 for a balance of \$4191.94 on 09/30/02 - Projected expenses \$900.00 – Available Balance \$3291.94 - Motion was made by **Doug S.** and *seconded* by **Matt P.** to accept the report as given. All approved.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**Archives – Bob C. –** No report – Contact **Bob** at 379-1959 with questions or to help. - **Committee will meet 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday at 5 P.M. at St. Andrews Episcopal Church.** -

**Correctional Facilities – Paul B. –**820-0689 Get your applications, for entrance to facilities in Guadalupe County, Bexar County and /or to the great state of Texas - to any CFC committee member. We’ve found the applications are more likely to get to the right people if someone hand-carries them rather than mails the paperwork **Medina Base Correctional Facility** - Taking meeting Friday 1:30PM – contact **Tom M.** 219-2946 - - **Bexar County Jail Annex Women’s Units** – 3 women taking meetings need more volunteers - **Marvin Q. 365-9973** reports a good turnout for the meetings he heads up in Cotulla. **Liddy –**495-1234 takes meetings to Gatesville every month and **Bill T- 828-7865 heads down to Beeville every six weeks- Pink Cans** – Don’t forget to pass the CFC pink cans around in meetings *every penny* goes to carrying the AA message by purchasing Conference approved literature (including Big Books), for prisoners. At the last CFC meeting everyone who attended reported they had stayed sober the previous month **Correction Facilities Committee meets at 7PM the first Wednesday of the month at Club 12.**

**Grapevine – Vacant** – Chair person needs two years sobriety.

**Hospitals / Institutions – David B.** Filled all open meetings for Nov - contact **David B.** for information – 473-8802

**Hospitals/Institutions Committee holds its meetings on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of month at 11 AM at the Winner’s Club (Snack Bar Area).**

**Public Information/Cooperation with Professional Community – Brad B. –** monthly meeting changed - - If interested in serving on this critical committee contact **Brad B.** 416-7295 -**PI/CPC Committee meetings 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of month at 7PM at Club 12 Freedom Rm.**

**Bilingual – Jose G. –** Absent– Questions contact Jose at 655-5661 -

**Bilingual Committee meetings on 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month at Jim’s at 410 and Perrin-Beitel at 4:00PM.**

**DCM REPORTS**

**District 1A – Chuck (Alt) –** Planning workshop Jan/Feb -**Dist Meeting 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday 5PM at St. Andrews Episcopal**

**District 1E – Vacant -**

**District 1F – Ramiro A. –** Groups doing well – 7 groups and 2 working committees – contact 732-2335

**District 16 – Chris E. –** Group 12 – new 10PM non-smokers meeting every night – Last Call Fri & Sat – District trying to help treatment facilities by the District signing up for a meeting each month and encouraging different groups to chair –

**Dist Meeting 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday 5:30PM at St Andrews Episcopal**

**District 17 – Lucian D. -** Groups doing well. Planning for workshop in 2<sup>nd</sup> weekend in November – Assisting District 28 with Winter Workshop -**Dist Meeting – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday 5PM at Jim’s on Bandera & 410 –**

**District 18 – Mona W. –** Absent–

**District 19 – Cleo T. –** “Day in Recovery” very successful – Stimulating district about sharing and carrying the message -

**Dist Meetings 1<sup>st</sup> Monday 7:00 PM at Ft Sam Group -**

**District 28 – Henry G. –** Absent – -**Dist meetings - two per month - 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday and the last Sunday of the month 12 – 3PM**

**District 28 is sponsoring the SWTA Area 68 Workshop in January 2003\*\*\*** – Chairperson for workshop Henry G. *He needs all groups to help.* - - Please contact him if your group would like to help!

Old Business – Reminder all members of upcoming SWTA Area Assembly – Read proposals to be voted on -

New Business – None -

Adjourned – 7:30 PM with the Lord’s Prayer Respectfully Submitted: **Lucian D.** – SAMSO Secretary

**1YR** Seamus C  
 Lorraine G Grace B  
 Alonzo G Maxine B  
 Sara D Art A  
 Brian K Edward G  
**2YRS** Claudia M  
 Clark C Michael S  
 Wendy F Bud C  
 Bryan P Emily H  
 Dale H **5YRS**  
 Anthony H Charles C  
 John S Lloyd S  
 Richard H Stephen G  
 James H Sandy G  
 Debbie H Richard G  
 William K Ralph F  
 Julian C **6YRS**  
**3YRS** Cheryl B  
 Frank W **7YRS**  
 Frank C Laura T  
 Julie P Robert N  
 Timothy E John K  
 Randy F Donald B  
 Erica F Mike K  
 David S **8YRS**  
 Matthew B Dorothy T  
 John P John F  
 Nick C Wesley D  
 David G David A  
 Valentino H **9YRS**  
 Darryl S Randall K  
 Kathy H Constance S  
 Nolan S Tom McG  
 Thomas J John Y  
 Mary R **10YRS**  
 Jimi K Sherry D  
 Sam R Gary S  
 Frank P Shannon W  
 Susan P **11YRS**  
 Shane M Jim H  
 Refugio A **12YRS**  
 Robert B Cheryl C  
 Lucy J Scott J  
**4 YRS** Ricardo L  
 Sully H

Richard L  
 Debbie M  
 Bob C  
**13YRS**  
 William F  
 Leticia V  
 Victor P  
**14YRS**  
 Bill M  
 Susan H  
 Susan C  
**15YRS**  
 Barbara H  
 James M  
 Charles W  
**16YRS**  
 Michael C  
 Gerry C  
 Corky C  
**17YRS**  
 Char  
 Andrew L  
**18YRS**  
 Cynthia H  
**20YRS**  
 Hugh L  
 Richard B  
**21YRS**  
 Joesph M  
 Marie H  
**22YRS**  
 Joyce G  
 Daniel B  
 Charles B  
**23YRS**  
 Gene H  
 William H  
 Laurie C

John Mc H  
 David E  
**24YRS**  
 Mel S  
**27YRS**  
 John A  
**28YRS**  
 Jackie P  
**35YRS**  
 Margaret W  
 Randy C  
**54YRS**  
**Kansas City Bob**



**AMENDS CORNER**

Birthdays are due by the 15th of the month we will publish late arrivals as amends  
 Joe O'P 21 YRS

# BIRTHDAYS

**BIRTHDAY NIGHTS**

- Last Sunday: New Life Group (open speaker), Free at Last (Pot luck)
- Last Monday: Alamo Hts. Freedom
- First Tuesday: New Downtown Group O-Spk 7:30-9PM
- Last Tuesday: Valley Hi, Windcrest, Santa Fe, New Acceptance, Life Support
- Last Wednesday :Oblate, Women's Big Book, Northwood
- Last Thursday: Goliad, Devine, Ft Sam, North San Pedro, Stahl Rd, Acceptance Group
- Last Friday: Pearsall (Come as you are), SW Loop Colonies North, El Libro Grande, Rush Hour, Group 12, Marymont

**THIS IS A REALLY GOOD DEAL**

Please remember that a subscription to the Nightcap only \$6.00 What a great gift to give to someone you sponsor as an anniversary gift, or to give as a gift to someone whose sharing has touched your life. It is a meeting in print and a source of information for all of the activities happening in our area.



# Group Forum

## NEW GROUPS NEW CHANGES

### **NEW: LIVE AND LET LIVE**

O-Disc 7pm Fridays  
319 Camden @ Lexington Madison Square Presbyterian Church 3rd floor, Rm 1

### **NEW: CORAZON NUEVO**

Mon and Fri 5:30pm O-Disc N/S  
1918 Palo Alto Road  
Saint Bonaventure Community Education Building

### **NEW: GROUPO SOLED**

O-Disc Bilingual  
Mon thru Fri 5-8pm  
2105 Appreson  
POC: Ramon (210) 436-7336

### **NEW: ONE HEART ONE MIND**

Saint Victors Pavilion  
Lake Hills, TX 78063  
Tue O-Disc 7pm Thur C-Disc 7pm  
POC: (830) 6122822

### **NEW: PARITA A.A. GROUP**

O-Disc 8:15 on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday  
Of every month at the Cover Community Center, 8899 Knowlton Rd  
POC: Jim C (210)649-1213

### **CHANGE: ENTIRE ABSTINENCE**

O-Disc N/S Greater Good News  
Missionary Baptist Church, Upstairs  
1226 E-Highland, now meets on  
Saturdays, Noon to 1pm

### **CHANGE: RIDERS FOR BILL W.**

O-Disc 2401 Broadway  
Big Mikes Custom Cycle Shop  
The group meets Mon, Thur and now  
Sat at 8:15 POC: 991-1129

## CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES COMMITTEE

Join CFC

1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month Club 12,  
Al-Anon Room, 7:00pm.

FOR MORE INFORMATION  
call Paul at (210) 820-0689

## TREATMENT FACILITIES COMMITTEE

Formerly know as the Hospital and Institutions Committee (H & I) meets every 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday, 11:00am at the Winners Club (5723 Kenwick). For more info contact David B. at 655-6644 and/or e-mail: [dboyle@milx.net](mailto:dboyle@milx.net).

## PI-CPC

The Public Information and Cooperation w/the Professional Community Committee meets every third (3rd) Tuesday at 7pm in the Freedom Room at Club 12.

### The next meeting will be Dec. 17th.

If you enjoy working with the public, please come to a meeting and find out how to get started.

For more information please call Brad at 830-216-4708 or (cell) 210-416-7295.

## ARCHIVES COMMITTEE

Just getting started. Needs help! Meets every third Sunday at 5pm at Andrew Episcopal Church, 6110 NW Loop 410. For more info phone call Bob at 379-1959 or e-mail [bobcook407@yahoo.com](mailto:bobcook407@yahoo.com)

## Club 12 Activities

- Dec 3rd** Group Conscience 6:45
- Dec 11th** Board Elections 7:00
- Dec 14th** Dance 8pm-12am
- Dec 15th** Children's Xmas Party
- Dec 20th** Birthday Night 7:30

**Dec 23rd-30th** 8 Days of Christmas.  
Dinners 6:30-8pm Xmas dinner Noon-2pm

- Dec 27th** Speaker Meeting moved to 8:30
- Dec 29th** Board Meeting
- Dec 31st** New Years Eve Dance 9pm-1am  
Tickets 12.00 advance \$15.00 at door

## NOTICE

It is our intent to publish an informative & timely newsletter. To do so, we need all newsletter items into the Central Service Office **by the 15<sup>th</sup>** of the previous month. (Example, January's Nightcap items are due by December 15<sup>th</sup>)  
Thank you for your cooperation.

## GOLIAD CHRISTMAS DINNER

December 15th

Santa will be there for the children 4-6pm

Dinner at 6 pm.

Donations being accepted for toys

Call (210) 532-0371 for details



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