

The Nightcap

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UPCOMING EVENTS



Home of the International A.A. Convention

DEC 3-5: Mo Ranch, Hunt, TX
15th Woman's Journey. For more info
email: womansjourney@sbcglobal.net

JAN 7-9: Tyler, TX
Tyler 58th AA Anniversary. Phone:
Dave P. @ 903-520-2631, Kelly P. @
903-526-6777, or admin@tyler-aa.org.

JAN 14-16: Victoria, TX
SWTA Winter Workshop. Holiday Inn
Hotel, 2705 E. Houston Hwy, Victoria,
TX 77901, 361-575-0251.

JAN 21-23: Corpus Christi, TX
51st Coastal Bend Jamboree, PMB
482, 1220 Airline, Suite 130, Corpus
Christi, TX 78412.

JAN 21-23: South Padre Island, TX
6th Annual Jamboree. Write:
Fellowship Club, District 27, PO Box
3844, Brownsville, TX 78523.

Watch for the Broadway Group's
Anniversary Party
Saturday, January 8, 2005

SAMSO GENERAL MEETING & WORKSHOP

Special Guest Speaker—Brent D.

Special Presentation—
"What is SAMSO"

Open Sharing Session With All GSRs

Following the Treatment Com-
mittee's Sharing Session, Dec 12.

See page 4 for details

SERENDIPITY GROUP 14th ANNIVERSARY

10929 Nacagdoches, #5

December 18th

The potluck dinner will begin at 6:30pm.
Please bring a covered dish.

The speaker, Larry Y., will begin at 8:00pm.
Join us for lots of good food and fellowship.

For further info phone Emily at 590-5180.



The New Downtown Group 6th Anniversary January 1, 2005

(Saturday)
1501 E Commerce/223-0591

AGENDA

- 5:30pm O-Disc Meeting
- 6:30pm Barbecue Dinner
(accepting \$5 donations)
- 7:30pm Speaker Meeting
- 8:30pm Dance
(\$3 single, \$5 couple)
(Music provided by Carl B.)

CSO will be closed on the following days:

- Friday, Dec 24, Christmas Eve
- Friday, Dec 31, New Year's Eve
- Friday, Jan 21, For inventory

Holiday Open House

Central Service Office

8804 Tradway
San Antonio, TX
210-821-6325

Monday
December 13th
3pm-7pm

We invite you to stop by your
Central Office this day for re-
freshments and great fellow-
ship.

It is our wish to show appreci-
ation to our many volunteers
and your chance to thank them
for all their service.

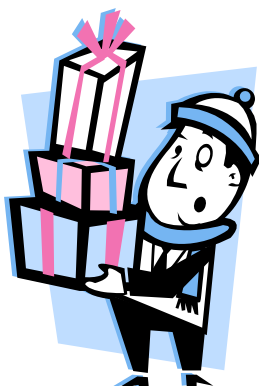
Directions: Go north on
Broadway outside Loop 410,
two traffic lights to Cee Gee,
turn right and go one block to
Tradeway. Left on Trade-
way—3rd office on the right.

Thank You

A special thank you to all those
groups who put forth an extra
effort for the Central Office
during November's Gratitude
Month. The extra contribu-
tions brought in from passing
the CSO cans are greatly ap-
preciated.

THE NIGHTCAP IS ABOUT, BY AND FOR MEMBERS OF
THE AA FELLOWSHIP. OPINIONS EXPRESSED HEREIN
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THE GIFT



When I first came to the rooms of Alcoholics Anonymous, I had no idea about the people I would find there. All I knew for sure is that I had hit my bottom hard and needed to find a way out.

I attended my first meeting where men and women shared their experience, strength, and hope, and I discovered that these people were once just as I was at that moment. The difference was I was going crazy with the obsession to use, and with them this obsession seemed to have been removed.

How, is what I wanted to know. Could I live a normal life and be as happy, joyous, and free as all of these people promised? There were the 12 Steps on the wall and that overwhelmed me. There was no way I could do all of that on my own. I began to panic and felt doomed. Was there no way out? What was I to do?

Then from across the room came a young man who greeted me. He shared his story and explained the only way he could keep his sobriety was to give it away. It seemed as if we talked for hours. He made me realize that I alone could not do this program. But, "We" together could accomplish this task. He explained how this Gift was given to him and he would love to give it to me.

At once we set out on a vigorous course of action and began working these Steps. At once the obsession was removed, and I found a sufficient substitute (*Alcoholics Anonymous, p.152*). It is a fellowship in Alcoholics Anonymous. There I found release from care, boredom and worry. My imagination was fired. Life began to mean something at last.

This gift was so freely given to me. It has become a new and wonderful way of life. Today, God has granted me this Gift and all I have to do is "Pass it along." This is a Gift that gives everyday.

by Eddy M. (Stay in the Solution Group)

APOLOGY

We apologize to District 2 for printing incorrect information about their workshop in November's Nightcap. We prayed for a successful event and sent the correct information out to as many as we could.

THINGS WE CANNOT CHANGE

Joe G. passed away on October 21st. He was an inspiration and mentor to us all at the Winners' Club, and will be missed always. Joe had 29 years of sobriety.

Debbie D. passed away October 28th. She was a member of the Serendipity Group. Debbie's courage and will to live was an inspiration to many.

Barb McN. passed away October 31st. She was a member of the Serendipity Group. Her love and laughter will be missed.

TREATMENT FACILITIES COORDINATORS

*Mary Ellen, Chairperson-683-6541
mes619@earthlink.net*

MONDAY 17720 Corporate Woods Dr
 Patrician Movement— Women at the Well-
 Ben H 473-8300 Patty T—601-5184
 mlb@gvtc.com 221 Post—7:30pm
 22 E Mitchell—8:00pm Mtg no longer open to
 outside groups

TUESDAY
 SASH—Pending Transplant Hospital—
 5800 S. Presa—7:00pm Pending
 8026 Floyd Curl—8:00pm
 Laurel Ridge—Sarah S
 826-8594 sshirley@coil.org
 17720 Corporate Woods Dr
 7:00pm
 Audie Murphy VA Hospital
 Oscar B—521-9968
 Villa Serena-4455 Horizon
 Hill 7:00pm

WEDNESDAY
 Samm Shelter—Don B
 744-8718 donb@stic.net
 910 W. Commerce—
 8:00pm
 Transplant Hospital—
 (Double Trouble Mtg)
 Charles C. 413-1690 or
 Brian B. 679-0982
 8026 Floyd Curl—8:00pm
 University Hospital
 Project Hope-6:00pm
 4502 Medical Drive, Fl #9
 Todd H 520-7479
 dcm1a@swbell.net

THURSDAY
 Laurel Ridge—Sarah S
 826-8594 7:00pm

SATURDAY

ARC—Ed B 355-6376
 10290 Southton Road
 8:15pm

Nix Hospital—Shawn L
 316-3047 10:30am
 sashawn@satx.rr.com
 4330 Vance Jackson

**We continue to seek mem-
bers 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 Fa-
cilities Committee.
Mary Ellen, TF Chairperson**

A.A. IN December-OVER THE YEARS

00/1943—*San Quentin News* reports “Mr. Bill” speaking to 300 inmates at their AA meeting.
00/1944—Australia is the first country outside the U.S. to have AA.
06/1979—*Akron Beacon Journal* reports the death of Henrietta Sieberling.
00/1940—St. Louis, MO. AA group is founded.
09/1939—Bill W. leaves New York to visit AA groups in Akron, Detroit, and Cleveland.
10/1975—”Birds of Feather,” the special interest AA group for pilots, begins.
11/1934—Bill W. takes his last drink and enters Towns Hospital in New York City.
12/1937—Bill W. meets with the Rockefeller Foundation hoping to raise money.
16/1982—Nell Wing, Bill W.’s secretary and AA’s first archivist retires, but continues as an ambassador-at-large for AA and a passionate advocate of AA history.
17/1995—The new AA Archives in Akron, Ohio is dedicated
00/1938—Bill W. begins writing the 12 Steps using Oxford Group ideas while “plugging the holes an alcoholic might wiggle through.”
20/1945—Rowland Hazard dies (he carried the Oxford Group message to Ebby).
00/1934—Bill and Lois W. start attending the Oxford Group meetings with Ebby T.
00/1949—Dr. Bob’s last visit to St. Thomas Hospital’s alcoholic ward, where he helped 1,000’s of drunks.
00/1893—Rev. Sam Shoemaker is born. He was Oxford Group’s head in U.S. and Calvary Church Pastor in NY. Ebby T. took Bill W. to Calvary’s Mission on 23rd Street, NYC.

CONCEPT OF THE MONTH

12. *The six warrantees of A.A. are: that we lead by example, funds are owned by A.A. itself, no conference member ever be placed in a position of unqualified authority over any others, that all important decisions be reached by discussion and vote, that no punitive actions be made nor public controversy be entered, and that A.A. remain democratic in thought and action.*

Our past is now our chief asset. “We were reborn.”

2005—TORONTO IT IS NOT TOO EARLY *June 30—July 3*

Registration forms are out for the International Convention in Toronto in 2005. For a copy, see your group’s GSR or stop by the Central Service Office.

Crossing the border into Canada: If a member is concerned about their eligibility to enter Canada, “clearing up the wreckage of your past,” related information can be found on the G.S.O. A.A. Web Site at www.aa.org, the Canadian Immigration Web Site www.cic.gc.ca, or by calling a Canadian consulate.

Hospitality Room needs help: The San Antonio 2010 SW Regional Hospitality Room in Toronto needs volunteers (*greeters/host/hostess/etc*) and donations for refreshments. To sign up or to donate, please contact Jim W. at jwllis257@aol.com.

Amtrak transportation: The San Antonio Central Office is teaming up with the Austin and Houston offices in getting the word out about riding the train/bus to Toronto. We have two Amtrak cars (144 seats) at \$254 each round trip. We will load in San Antonio with a pickup in Austin and Longview. Call CSO for a registration form. These are all the seats there are, so do not wait too long. 821-6325

Thank you for your gifts!

October 2004 CONTRIBUTIONS TO CSO

see insert for group contributions

Birthday:	Maggie W.	\$37.00
	Jimmy T.	<u>\$ 8.00</u>
	Total Birthday	\$45.00

Individual:	Office Kitty	\$24.00
	Board Mtg	\$14.00
	COR Mtg	<u>\$15.68</u>
	Total Individual	\$53.68

Memorial:
Total Memorial 00.00
Your contributions are greatly appreciated.

Cor Meeting Minutes Oct. 18, 2004 (Approved)

Joe L. chaired the meeting. The meeting began with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. Brad read the Twelve Traditions. The minutes from September were reviewed and a name correction was made. The assembled group then voted and approved the minutes from September's meeting.

Steve J. from the Board of Trustees was unable to attend to give the financial report. He will be attending the meetings on a quarterly basis. Char gave the monthly CSO financial report. Contributions were down for the month of September. Questions were asked about what the advertising/ publicity line item is used for and what the savings account consists of. Char explained that there is a monthly charge for a space in the Yellow Pages which constitutes advertising and that the savings account is made up of the operating reserve fund and the seed money for Weekend in S.A. Char then went through the list of all the monthly expenses and detailed what each one is for. It was confirmed that SAMSO had assumed the upkeep of the archives.

Mary E. gave the Trustee CSO Liaison report. The CSO will be closed the 25th of November and the 24th and 31st of December. On January 21st, the CSO will also be closed for inventory. Members were reminded to mark their calendars for the CSO Open House, which will take place December 13th from 3 to 7 PM. Volunteers are needed for phone service Monday through Friday from 9 AM to 1 PM and from 1 to 5 PM.

Andreas, the Event Services Coordinator for the Board of Trustees, gave a report of efforts being made for Gratitude Month, which is the month of November. Historically, November is the slowest month for contributions made to the CSO, so groups are asked to participate by circulating a second basket for contributions specifically for the CSO. The cans that Andreas had made were distributed to members. Andreas further expressed appreciation for being able to serve on the Board as well as the opportunity to learn about the inner workings necessary to keep A.A. going. He hoped that all would recognize the importance of supporting the CSO.

Kim was not in attendance to give the Telephone Service Committee report. Joe L. gave the report from their last meeting. Telephone shifts needing coverage include: Tuesdays from 5 to 10 PM, Friday nights from 10 PM to 9 AM, and Sunday nights from 10 PM to 9 AM. Please call Kim at 885-1383 if you would like to participate. The next meeting of the Telephone Service Committee will be held October 31st at 3 PM at the Goliad Group. Members were reminded to ask their groups if they would be able to volunteer for blocks of time. All of the days during the holiday months that the CSO will be closed (Nov. 25, Dec. 24, 31) will need to have volunteers covering duty from 9 AM to 5 PM. Joe encouraged phone service volunteerism.

It was reiterated that the CSO will be closed for inventory on January 21st. During that time, the CSO staff and a Board member will conduct an inventory.

Alicia from the Outreach Committee spoke. She encouraged members to recruit people from their groups to help out on the committee. Sheets were passed to take down names of people interested in volunteering. Part of their effort includes informing groups about the useful information found in the Nightcap. Char said that the Board had approved implementing new guidelines for the Meeting directory to assist in outreach and communication. The guidelines are aimed at ensuring that all meetings listed are active and updated to include a contact person and phone number. As yet, a meeting has not been scheduled for the Outreach Committee but Alicia is hoping to have one sometime during November.

The Nominating Committee submitted a partial list of six names as candidates for the Board of Trustee seats being vacated. They are: Steve J. from Acceptance Group, June V. and Mary Lynn H. from Group Twelve, Sylvia L. from Grupo El Libro Grande, Edward B. from Survivors Group and John M. from Freedom Group. Nominations are being accepted until October 30. Board members will be elected at the November COR meeting. Nominees must be present in order to be elected. Joe said that, according to the AA Service Manual, Board elections are to be determined by a quorum vote, which constitutes 75% of the active groups in the San Antonio area. Char clarified that there had been an amendment made to the bylaws which allows for only 10% of groups to be present in order for a vote to be considered valid.

Additional revisions to the September minutes were then made and voted on. They included the vote that COR meeting minutes be approved by COR members prior to publication in the Nightcap and assurance that there had been a quorum vote present when members voted not to conduct an annual audit of the CSO.

There was no Old Business.

In New Business, Vicky requested that members submit contributions to the "Experience, Strength and Hope" page that is published in the Nightcap. Contributions should be limited to 300 words and should be submitted to Char. The basket was passed in accordance with the Seventh Tradition. Char reminded members that she and the Board of Trustees Financial Advisor would be available to attend group business meetings and answer any questions. On November 1st, they will attend the monthly business meeting at the Colonies North Group. Joe said that the Tuesday and Saturday 8:15 PM meetings at the Goliad had been changed to "Non-Smoking" status. Andreas announced that there was a new 7 AM meeting at the 8607 Wurzbach location entitled "Wake-Up Call". It is an OD meeting. Charles from the Schertz-Cibolo group announced that their meeting had moved two doors down.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

CSO BOARD OF TRUSTEES *SERVING IN LOVE AND SERVICE*

Andres M., Arthur M., Lynn J., Mary E.,
Ray A., Steve J., & Sylvia L.

Congratulations to our newly elected Board of Trustee Members
(2005-2006)

John McK, Mary Lynn H. and Steve J.

NEXT COR MEETING IS 12/20/04

San Antonio Metropolitan Service Organization Minutes

The regular meeting of SAMSO was called to order at 7:00 p.m. 11/2/2004 by Chairman Chris E.

Absent: Liaison to CSO, Liaison From CSO; DCMs 17,19, 28, H & I, GV & Archive Chairs VACANT-DCM 1-E

Chairman's report: Chris E. Chris reported on the excellent participation at the Area assembly by SAMSO member districts and committees. No one could remember the last time all six committees were active at the same event! Chris reminded us that terms for SAMSO offices are up. We will have elections in December for the next year.

Liaison from CSO- CSO report given by Richard G- The Sponsorship workshop in Seguin is listed incorrectly in the Nightcap, it is on Nov. 7, not November 13. CSO will have an open house Dec. 13th from 1500-1900.

Treasurer's Report-Ed C. Group contributions were \$254.30. Expenses were 379.92. Balance 1098.55. Storage is paid for the next six months at a significantly reduced rate thanks to Tomi finding a new location.

Secretary's Report-Todd H. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved by non-contestation.

Committee Reports:

Archives: Tomi had an excellent display at the Area assembly.

Bilingual: Linda R. Linda is available for translation. She will be at the Hispanic State Conference in November to translate to English for those not speaking Spanish. She will also be at the Grupo Sante Fe workshop November 27th.

Corrections: Lefty The committee needs volunteers to carry the message. CFC donation cans are available. Lefty has new TDCJ volunteer forms with a new address. The committee meets the first Wednesday at Schertz/Cibolo group.

Grapevine: The Grapevine committee is no longer meeting due to lack of group reps. Mike is visiting groups.

Hospitals and Institutions: (report given from Mary Ellen by Todd) All locations are covered. H and I will have their quarterly sharing session at Serendipity at 1:30 PM on December 12.

PI/CPC: Richard G. The committee participated at a health fair last month. They had an excellent presentation at a local Jr. High with much interaction between students. Literature was severely depleted. More opportunities are available if we can get more volunteers.

District Reports:

1-A Todd Todd thanked all for helping with the Area assembly hosted by 1-A. Over \$1300.00 was raised for the area. Special thanks to Jere J and Kris S. Hospitality, drinks, coffee and raffle committees were a huge success. 1-A will be holding a workshop January 29th on meeting and group basics. 18 groups from the district participated at the Area level.

1-E Pleasanton Group will be have a get together for 1-E on November 6, hoping to move toward electing a DCM for 1-E.

1-F Laura G – 1-F is getting ready to help with the Hispanic State Convention, Nov. 12-14, to be held at the Clarion downtown. Volvo Viver is having an anniversary on Nov. 14th with a dinner and dance. Grupo Sante Fe is having a workshop on Nov. 27th, starting with an excerpt on the traditions at 10:00 AM.

16 Chris E. Group 12 is preparing for the annual Thanksgiving dinner, from 12-3 on Thanksgiving.

18 Ed C. There is a new meeting at 1443 S. St. Mary's on Thursdays at 8:00 PM.

Old Business:

Archives have been moved to a new location near CSO.

SAMSO website ad hoc committee still reviewing material.

New Business:

A proposal to change the name of SAMSO to reflect the fact that it is now an inter-district in line with AA service guidelines was made.

B) The quarterly SAMSO workshop and sharing session for December will be held in conjunction with the Treatment workshop on December 12th at Serendipity. We will check on having some Area officers come down to participate, perhaps Steve Y., alt. Chair, and Brent D. Area Corrections Chair. Todd will give a presentation on what an Inter-district is and what SAMSO does and needs. We will have a general meeting and sharing session between all GSRs, DCMs, and committee chairs. Todd will get info to the Nightcap.

Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 8:00

Minutes respectfully submitted—Todd H.

The next meeting will be at 7:00 p.m. on 12/7 at Club12.

(CONTACT INFO FOR ALL SAMSO COMMITTEES AND DISTRICTS IS LISTED IN THIS NIGHTCAP, page 3)

TREATMENT FACILITY'S SHARING SESSION

Where: Serendipity Group Meeting Place/10929 Nacogdoches Rd/ Space #5.

When: Sunday, December 12th, 1:30pm

WHAT WILL HAPPEN AT THE SHARING?

A.A.'s will come and share their experience with Twelve Step work at each of the treatment facilities in San Antonio. Ideas will be discussed that A.A. members think are pertinent! Fellowship will happen! We will meet other A.A.'s that are carrying the message! Literature and pamphlets will be

given to teams to use at meetings. Grapevines will be delivered to teams for distribution. Updates about activities occurring in treatment facilities will be given by the Chairperson. A time and place to sign up a new team or new team member...

SAMSO WORKSHOP TO FOLLOW

See page 1

Directions: North of Loop 410-one block South of Wurzbach Parkway-a few blocks North of Lady Bird Johnson Park.

Mary Ellen S.—683-6541

December Birthdays

Colonies North:

Frank G—1yr
 Ralphie F—7yrs
 Cheryl B—8yrs
 Miguel R—8yrs
 Robert M—8yrs
 Letty V—15yrs

Group Twelve:
 1 year

Christine W
 David H
 Shawna
 Carliton L

2 years

Jenny B
 Lori B
 Elizabeth V
 Jill S
 Jay D
 Joel D
 Susan W
 Mark K

3 years

Edward H
 Michael H
 John M
 Sara D
 George W

4 years

Sherryl C
 Varnes H
 Debbie H
 Peter H
 William K
 Dale H
 Richard H
 John S
 Anthony H
 Wendy F
 Julian C

5 years

Tlimothy E
 Nick C
 David G
 Valentino H
 Matthew B
 Shane M
 Frank C
 Erica F
 Thomas J
 Jimi K
 Frank W
 Darryl S
 Refugio A
 John P
 Kathy H
 Susan P
 Frank P
 Julie P
 Sam R
 Mary R
 Nolan S
 David S
 Randy F

Group Twelve (cont)

6 years

Claudia M
 Grace B
 Edward G
 Sully H
 Art A
 Aeamus C
 Bud C
 Michael S
 Skip W

7 years

Stephen G
 Sandy G
 Alfredo B
 Ralph F
 Richard G
 Lloyd S

8 years

Todd M
 Cheryl B

9 years

Laura T
 Robert N
 Donald B
 John K

10 years

Wesley D
 Dorothy T
 John F
 David A

11 years

Randall K
 John Y
 Constance S

12 years

Shannon W
 Sherry D
 Gary S
 Debbie M

13 years

Jim H

14 years

Ricardo L
 Cheryl C
 Bob C
 Richard L

15 years

Victor P
 William F
 Leticia V

16 years

Stephanie C
 Susan H

Group Twelve (cont)

17 years

Charles W
 James M
 Barbara H

18 years

Corky C
 Michael C
 Gerry G

19 years

Andrew L
 Char

20 years

Cynthia H

22 years

Hugh L
 Nancy F

23 years

Richard B
 Joseph M
 Marie H

24 years

Charles B
 Daniel B
 Joyce G

25 years

John McH
 Gene H
 William H
 Laurie C

26 years

Mel S

27 years

Barbara M

29 years

Nancy W

30 years

Jackie P

37 years

Randy C
 Margaret W

HALT:

Kansas City Bob—56yrs
 Charlie K—10yrs
 David F—11yrs
 Tom M—8yrs

Schertz-Cibolo:

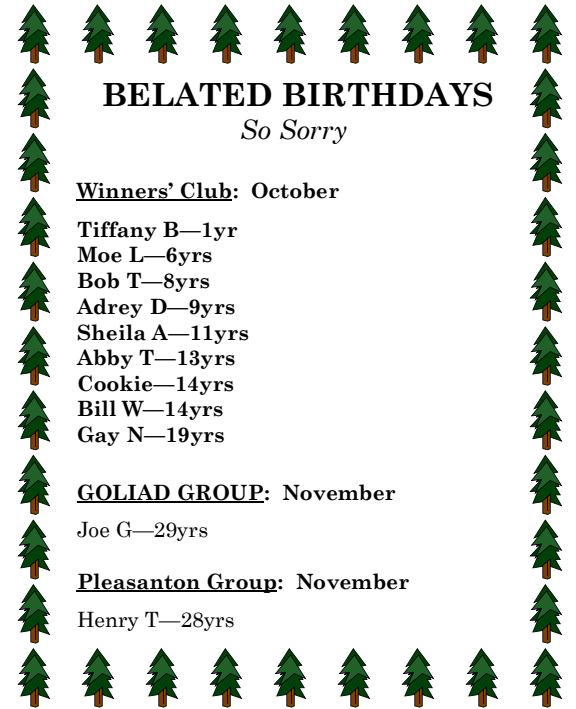
Jeannie G—1yr
 Tom D—1yr
 Phyllis H—2yrs
 Mary C—5yrs
 Charles C—7yrs
 Troy E—16yrs

Serendipity:

Byron P—3yrs
 Lucy J—5yrs
 Robert—5yrs
 Emily K—6yrs
 Lloyd S—7yrs
 Mike K—9yrs
 Scott J—14yrs
 Corky C—18yrs

Woman's Big Book:

Sarah S—4yrs
 Anne P—6yrs
 Char—19yrs



BELATED BIRTHDAYS

So Sorry

Winners' Club: October

Tiffany B—1yr
 Moe L—6yrs
 Bob T—8yrs
 Adrey D—9yrs
 Sheila A—11yrs
 Abby T—13yrs
 Cookie—14yrs
 Bill W—14yrs
 Gay N—19yrs

GOLIAD GROUP: November

Joe G—29yrs

Pleasanton Group: November

Henry T—28yrs

GROUP BIRTHDAY NIGHTS

Last Sunday: New Life (O-Spk), Free at Last (Pot luck)

Last Monday: Alamo Heights, Freedom

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

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

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

56 years

Kansas City Bob



Group Forum Page

NEW GROUPS/MTGS

Sober in Southtown is a new meeting on Thursdays at 8:00pm, San Antonio Mennonite Church, 1443 S. St Mary's, on the corner of St. Mary's and Eagleland. It is across the street from Brackenridge High School. Sober in Southtown is an open discussion meeting.

Ann's House is a new women's group that meets at 3031 West Woodlawn, 438-8108, Thursdays at 7:00pm.

Wake-Up Call is a new group that meets Mon-Fri, 7:00am at the Center, 8607 Wurzbach, Bldg P.

AA AA AA AA AA

GROUP CHANGES/CLOSINGS

The **Goliad Group** now has two non-smoking meetings. They are Tuesdays and Saturdays at 8:15pm. The Goliad meets daily at 537 Avondale/532-0371.

The **Schertz/Cibolo Group** has moved to 414 Bowie, one block east of Pat Booker, behind TexStar Bank Drive-In.

Group/Club Twelve December Activities

102 Thames / 344-8981

- 07 Grp Conscience 6:45pm
- 08 Membership Meeting 7:00pm
BOD elections
- 11 Dance 8:00pm-Midnight
- 17 Birthday Nite 7:30pm
- 19 Children's Christmas Pty 3-5pm
- 24-30 Seven Days of Christmas
- 28 B.O.D. 6:45pm
- 31 New Year's Eve Dance
9:00pm-1:00am

WHAT'S NEW AT CSO



Many gift items are available at your Central Service Office. Can't decide on a gift? Stop by and pick up a gift certificate.

Winners' Club Activities

5723 Kenwick / 680-5496

The **third Sunday** of the month is a BBQ Bingo that starts at 1:00pm.

The **last Saturday** of the month is a Potluck Birthday Night that starts at 7:00pm.

December 24: The Winners' Club stays open all night long with Marathon Meetings every 2 hours 'til dawn.

December 31: The Winners' Club stays open all night long with Marathon Meetings every 2 hours 'til dawn.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Central Office/Intergroup Reps:

Telephone Service Committee:

(Chair: Kim C. 885-1383)

Monthly meeting to be announced. Call Kim for details.



SAMSO/INTERDISTRICT:

Archives: Tomi B-A (364-1108)

CFC: Lefty (841-1636) meets the 1st Wed. each month, Schertz-Cibolo Group, 414 Bowie, 7:00pm. Interested in sponsoring by mail? Write: SA CFC, PO Box 65143, SA, TX 78265, or phone Elliott D. at 666-4126.

Grapevine: Mike A (658-1489) meets the 2nd Monday each month at CSO, 8804 Tradeway, 6:00pm.

PI/CPC: Richard G. (289-3204) meets the 3rd Sat every month, Winners Club, 10:00am. **There are great opportunities for service with this committee.**

Treatment: Mary Ellen S (683-6541). This committee will now meet quarterly (next mtg-December 12th, 1:30pm) at the Serendipity Group facility, 10929 Nacogdoches, #5. See page 6 for list of mtg coordinators.

Bi-Lingual: Linda R. (691-2687).

The New Downtown Grp Activities

1501 E Commerce / 223-0591

Dance: The first Saturday of every month. Next dance is December 4th.

\$3 Single and \$5 Couple

Marathon meetings at the New Downtown Group Christmas Day from 10:00am until 11:00pm.

See page one for group's
6th Anniversary.

District Meetings

District 01A: DCM-Todd H (520-7479) Monthly meeting is held at 8600 Wurzbach, #702, Creekview Office Complex, the 3rd Sunday, 4:00pm.

District 01E: Contact: Donna T (830-879-6347). No district meeting information available at this time.

District 01F: DCM-Laura G (639-9135) Monthly meeting is held at 3814 S. Flores, #2, the 2nd Sunday, 1:00pm, en espanol.

District 16: DCM-Chris E (213-9867) Monthly meeting is held at Club 12, 102 Thames, the 1st Thursday, 7:00pm.

District 17: DCM-Ed E (771-3324) Monthly meeting is held at Jim's Coffee Shop at Nacogdoches and 1604, the 2nd Saturday, at 8:30am.

District 18: DCM-Ed C (623-6655) Monthly meeting is held at the Goliad Group facility, 537 Avondale, the 2nd Wednesday, 6:15pm.

District 19: DCM-Kris S. (822-9329) Monthly meeting is held at 1300 Wiltshire Blvd, St David's Episcopal Church, the 3rd Sunday at 2:00pm.

District 28: DCM-Raul S. (673-5904) Monthly meetings are held at 935 New Laredo Hwy, #2 San Antonio, TX 78211, the 2nd and last Sunday, 1-4pm, en espanol. Office hours are Mon, Wed, Thur, & Fri 1pm-5pm and Tuesdays 9am to 5pm. 210-928-1251.

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