

The Nightcap

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On Thursday night, after you pick up your Convention Kit at the Convention Center, enjoy the "Block Party" right outside the Convention Center and all along Nicollet Mall. Gotta dance? Start right there at the Convention Center. For the young and young at heart, there are other dances at the Hilton and the Hyatt. Friday night at the Metrodome Stadium is the Flag Ceremony and Opening A.A. Meeting; Saturday night an Oldtimers A.A. Meeting; and Sunday morning the Closing A.A. Meeting. Join us as we dance at the Stadium after Friday and Saturday nights' A.A. meetings.

Pre-registration Fee: \$85. US
\$125. Canadian

Pre-registration Deadline: May 15, 2000
FOR MORE INFO-SEE PAGE 3

GOLIAD GROUP
will celebrate their
35th ANNIVERSARY

Sunday October 17th, 1999

1 pm - AA Speaker-Garland W

3 pm - Dinner

5 pm - Al-Anon Speaker- Roger B

7 pm - Dance

537 Avondale

for more info call: 532-0371

COR Meeting -- Minutes (08/15/99)

Opening: Dewey opened with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. Bill read the Twelve Traditions. Virginia read the COR Guidelines. The sign-in sheet was passed around. Two new CORs present: Nancy for Group Twelve and Jeff for the Stahl Road Group. Lou made motion to accept the minutes from the last COR meeting as printed in the Nightcap. Seconded by Alan. Motion carried.

Financial Report: Wayne not present, so report given by Dewey. According to the income statement, there was a \$430.92 loss last month. However, we are right on budget at this time. Question from Alan about why \$856 net income from AA in SA was budgeted for the month. Dewey, Virginia and Kim explained that in figuring the budget, the AA in SA income from last year was divided by 12 to make it appear in the budget as a monthly item, but the income actually comes in as a lump sum. Items are budgeted as spread out over the 12 months of the year. Alan suggested a column for budget variance. Virginia will pass that on to Wayne. There was no further discussion over the financial statement.

The Nightcap Committee Report: Bill reported that there will be a Nightcap subscription booth at the Club Twelve Anniversary Party over the entire weekend. He needs help manning the booth. Anyone wishing to help should contact Bill or just show up. He asked if everyone received their Nightcap. Everyone did, and the majority had received it early. Bill passed out subscription blanks and requested that everyone take some back to their groups and encourage people to subscribe.

Telephone Service Committee (TSC) Report: Kim reported that we desperately need help covering the phones for August and September. There are still many open timeslots in August. Everyone was asked to remember that there is a holiday in September (Labor Day) where the phone will need to be covered all day, so we need extra people. There will be an article on responsibility in the Nightcap reminding us that we are all responsible as individuals, to see that the AA phone is answered 24-hours. New phone packets are out with the updated Twelfth Step List. Kim will write up some suggested qualifications for the duty of TSC Chairperson to be discussed at the next Board meeting. Input from the CORs is most welcome. More discussion next month on these qualifications. Anyone wishing to volunteer for telephone service work, please call Kim C at 522-0488.

COR Participation Committee: Not present, no report.

Old Business: None.

New Business: Jim B is the chairperson of the Nominating Committee to find nominees for the Board for the next election. Four members are rotating off the Board (Dewey, Wayne, David, Ronnie), so we need at least eight nominees. Jim has formed a committee and is being careful to search for candidates that represent all parts of the city. If you would like to nominate someone to serve on the Board, call Jim at 490-2695 or 804-7753. Elections are to be held in November. Nominations should be made by October so a slate of candidates can be presented to the CORs. Requirements to serve on the Board are that a person must have at least five years of sobriety, not be affiliated with a treatment center, and not have served on the Board previously.

Announcements: Bill announced that Club 12 is having it's 50th Anniversary on the weekend of the 21st. That Saturday, there will be a skit on the history of Club Twelve. Virginia announced that the delegate to New York will speak at 6pm immediately following tonight's COR meeting.

Closing: Dewey passed the hat. Charles made a motion to close. Virginia seconded. Motion carried. Closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Attendance:

CORs: (8 present): Mike G (Ft. Sam Houston), Alan W (Goliad), Michael W (New Downtown Group), Jeff M (Stahl Road), Lou S (Women's Big Book), Michael S (alt COR; Valley Hi Group), Charles W (Freedom Group), Nancy S (Group 12)

Board Members: (4 present): Dewey S, Virginia B, Bill H, Kim C

Visitors: None.

Submitted by: Kim C



CSO has these Hazelden
POCKET POWER
booklets on sale for
\$1.25

other titles include:
WHEN DOORS CLOSE
FREEDOM FROM FEAR
GRATITUDE
HUMILITY
JUST FOR TODAY
LETTING GO PATIENCE
PRAYER & MEDITATION
REACHING OUT TO OTHERS
SERENITY ACCEPTING CRITICISM
UNDERSTANDING REJECTION
and more

GROUP CHANGES, NEW GROUPS & MORE

HOPE Group that met at 1535 W Summit has folded.

Last month's NIGHTCAP had a note about the new Wesley Group. The Group name should have been **GRUPO GOZO y PAZ** which meets Monday-Friday at 1406 Fitch in the gym behind the Wesley Center. Open Discussion at 6:30p.m.

The **CHESNEY** group which meets in Floresville, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 3190 State Hwy 97E in the Brush Country Council facility. 7p.m. Open Discussion.

KEYSTONE Group has cancelled their Friday, 6:30p.m. meeting. Sunday still O.K.

PEARSALL Group has cancelled their Saturday meeting. Still meet Mon-Fri at 8p.m. at 655 E Medina behind old jail. Tuesday and Thursday are bilingual.

GRUPO ESPERANZA has changed all of their 11a.m. meetings to NOON effective Aug 30.

COLONIES NORTH group has changed their Sunday meeting from Big Book Study to Open Discussion.

LAMBDA Group schedule changes are as follows:

Sun	8:15p.m.	Closed
Mon	8:15p.m.	Closed- Beginners
Wed	6:30p.m.	12 x 12
	8:15p.m.	Closed
Fri	8:15p.m.	Closed



WOODLAKE COUNTRY CLUB

Sunday, Sept. 26th, 1999

6500 Woodlake Pkwy

Shotgun Start: 11 am

Your \$50. entry fee includes golf, food and lots of prizes! Send check to: John McH., 7507 Lincoln Village Dr. SA, TX, 78244. For more info call: 662-7200.

CLUB 12 ACTIVITIES

Sept 4	9 pm-1 am	Dance
Sept 11	1-4 pm	Workshop
		Leadership in the Fellowship
Sept 18	9 pm-1 am	Dance
Sept 24	7:30 pm	Birthday Night

Sunday - Sept 26th - 5:30 pm

District 19 - 5th Annual...

"Everything You Ever Wanted To Know About AA...But, Were Afraid To Ask..."

Fun-Shop with the 8th Anniversary of the Community Group. St David's Episcopal Church at 1300 Wiltshire. SWTA Delegate, Roger L, will give the Conference Report and answer questions. District 19 GSRs will give reports. Covered dish dinner. For more info call: Mary Lynn H at 1-800-828-8017 or Tom H at 210-696-5228.

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION 2000

Minneapolis, Minnesota

CSO has received some pre-registration forms with info attached. GSO cannot mail enough for everyone. CSO will be able to provide 2 copies to everyone, if you want more, you can have copies made.

HAPPY SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAY!

1 YEAR
 Stayce Y
 John L
 Joe B
 Steven B
 Tony C
 Scott B
 Seamue C
 Shelton W
 Alice D
 Jeffery W
 Erica F

2 YEARS
 Tom T
 Mark H
 Francesca C
 James B
 David M
 Micheal F
 Thomas H
 CJ P
 Kathy R
 Ned S
 Patrick K
 Delia P
 Mark A
 Rudolpho B
 Charles S

3 YEARS
 Mary Alice S
 Charlotte R
 Suzette P
 Wayne G
 Dennis M
 Greg M
 Brian W
 Anne G
 Ron M
 Martha H

4 YEARS
 Ted G
 Elliott B
 Tony B
 Patrick Mck

5 YEARS
 Jerrod S
 Rick L
 Sandy McF
 Jason H
 Beau J

6 YEARS
 Gilbert C
 Clyde L
 Leon M
 Dennis D
 Pamela McB

7 YEARS
 Patricia L

8 YEARS
 Turner A
 Robert R
 Terry K
 Billy V Z
 Morris K
 Clayton M
 Bill H

9 YEARS
 Jon G
 Glenn C
 Karen I
 Debbie L
 Boyce J

10 YEARS
 Danny M
 Jim McL
 Bee V

12 YEARS
 Phillip P
 Jackie S
 Jerry D

13 YEARS
 Debbie M
 Jim D

14 YEARS
 Patsy McG
 Lois C

15 YEARS
 Jerry W
 Kerry O'T

16 YEARS
 Diana B
 Sylvia O
 Sonny H
 Mary H

17 YEARS
 Henry M

21 YEARS
 Alice L

22 YEARS
 Bill H

23 YEARS
 Mae W

24 YEARS
 Joe G

27 YEARS
 Fran R
 Julian F
 Tom R

29 YEARS
 Bill St. J

32 YEARS
 Nick M

34 YEARS
 Patty H

37 YEARS
 Roger D

40 YEARS
 Mary Nell H

42 YEARS
 Gordon N

49 YEARS
 Dabney R

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The Birthday Plan

Many AA members across the country are currently sharing their Anniversary Celebrations with others by giving a Dollar or Two for each Year of their Sobriety to the Intergroup Office.

This insures that the same help they received will be available to others. Start this year and make it an annual event. Individuals may give up to \$1,000 to A.A. in any one calendar year. It's not how much you give that's important. It's thinking of others on your Special Day, that makes it Special. This is a wonderful way to express your Gratitude by helping others.

H & I SCHEDULE SEP 1999

MONDAY

8pm	O-Disc	Patrician Movement 222 E Mitchell	Open
7pm	O-Disc	Drug & Alcohol Center 10975-A Applewhite Rd Zero Tolerance Unit	Goliad
7:30pm	O-Disc	Juvenile Center Bexar County 3621 Farm Road	Open

TUESDAY

8:15pm	O-Disc	Alpha Home 419 E Magnolia Rubel Center	Abundances HH
8pm	O-Disc	Salvation Army 1324 S Flores	Acceptance
8pm	O-Disc	Community Hospital 8026 Floyd Curl	Open
7pm	O-Disc	Laurel Ridge 1604 @ Redland Rd Ask for F.A.O.	Group 12

WEDNESDAY

8pm	O-Disc	Baptist Hospital 111 Dallas St 5th Floor--Room 5A	New Life
7pm	O-Disc	Drug & Alcohol Center (DAC) 10975-A Applewhite Rd	Men Women Goliad Goliad

THURSDAY

8:15pm	O-Disc	V.A. Hospital 7400Merton Minter	Marymont
8pm	O-Disc	Women at the Well 221 Post	Oak Hills
8pm	O-Disc	Community Hospital 8026 Floyd Curl	Oblate
7pm	O-Disc	Laurel Ridge 1604 @ Redland Rd Ask for F.A.O.	Serendipity

SATURDAY

8:15pm	O-Spk	ARC 10290 Southton Road	Colonies North
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DAC & Zero Tolerance: Photo I.D. required.
 Nothing "in" or "out" (Letters, cards, etc.)
 Proper attire required. Big Book is permitted.
 SHAWN S. - H & I CHAIRMAN - 308-1050
 The H & I Committee holds it regular meetings on the
 2nd Saturday of each month at the SERENDIPITY GROUP
 10929 Nacogdoches #5.

IT'S NOT MY JOB!

Since August was month in which many groups studied the Eighth Tradition, now might be a good time to debunk a myth that I still sometimes hear around AA locally. There seems to be the mistaken belief that the Central Service Office (CSO) is, or should be, responsible for answering the AA telephone both during the day and after-hours. According to the Eighth Tradition, however, AA "should remain forever nonprofessional, but our service centers may employ special workers." The role of CSO and telephone service work has been misunderstood.

The job of CSO is to make Twelfth Step work possible. To be paying CSO staff to answer the AA phone would be asking them to take money for doing Twelfth Step work in violation of the nonprofessionalism of the Eighth Tradition. In the by-laws and the list of functions of the CSO that are handed out at every COR meeting, it is stated that CSO must maintain a telephone for anyone in the local area to contact AA (our "AA Hotline"). CSO is required to make telephone duty possible. It was never the intention to make CSO staff members paid, professional AA members; particularly after-hours.

So, how does the AA phone get answered? **Volunteers!** Non-paid, non-professional, everyday members of AA are the ones responsible for answering the phone. During the day, CSO needs volunteers to man the phones. Often, the staff does have to pick up the slack because no volunteers for day "phone duty" are there. CSO is open weekdays from 9am to 5pm. Outside of those hours, the after-hours phone volunteers take over. The last three months, the number of these volunteers has dwindled and it's getting harder and harder to find them. There are a faithful few who are answering the after-hours AA phone on behalf of all of us. But as AA members, we are *ALL* responsible for being there when someone reaches out for help. Even back when we had a non-alcoholic telephone answering service, it *STILL* fell to volunteers to be there so the operator could hand off the call to an AA member. There were even fewer volunteers then than there are now, often leaving non-alcoholic operators to deal with callers.

Telephone service work is not for everyone. Some folks live out of town or do not have a phone, or just plain don't like talking on the phone. What I'm hoping to convey here is that whether or not you can do phone duty, it is a vital part of front-line Twelfth Step work that often goes unnoticed and misunderstood. There is the feeling that "someone else is doing it." And all too often, the opinion is that the responsibility for the AA phone is solely that of the CSO staff or Board members.

The responsibility for answering the AA telephone, as with any Twelfth Step work, belongs to the individual AA members. If you cannot do phone duty yourself, perhaps you can encourage sponsees or other group members to get involved. I answer the phone out of gratitude for the people who answered the phone when, not long ago, the sick alcoholic calling for help was ME.

Let's keep this facet of Twelfth Step work on a nonprofessional level. If you would like to volunteer, or need more information, please call Kim C (522-0488) or the CSO (821-6325).
--Kim C.

HAVE THE PROMISES COME TRUE FOR YOU?

Share your experience with others....write a paragraph and send it to the NIGHTCAP....at
CENTRAL SERVICE OFFICE
8804 Tradeway - SA, TX 78217
or FAX to 210-822-4491

Little Jewels

- Listen to the talk. Trust the actions.
- No amount of self-discipline can heal us of resentments.
- To make God laugh, tell Him YOUR plans.
- My history need not be my destiny.
- Happiness is a sensation we achieve by being too busy to be miserable.
- Here's a test to determine whether your mission on earth is finished; if you're alive, it isn't.
- If you always do what you always did, you'll always get what you always got!!
- A.A. doesn't teach us how to handle our drinking, it teaches us how to handle our sobriety—which is what none of us could handle in the first place, and that's why we drank.

THE CAMEL

(Sobriety Symbol)

The camel each day
Goes twice to his knees
He picks up his load
With the greatest of ease
He walks through the day
With his head held high
And stays for that day
Completely dry.

District 16 Workshop
LEADERSHIP IN THE FELLOWSHIP
Saturday, Sept. 11, 1999 1-4:30 pm
Club 12 - 102 Thames

**SAN ANTONIO METROPOLITAN SERVICE ORGANIZATION
MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 15, 1999 MEETING**

In attendance:

District 1 A DCM - Ed D.	District 1 E DCM - Ed K.
District 16 DCM - Glenn C. (Secretary)	District 18 DCM - Gil C.
District 19 DCM - Mary Lynn H. (Treasurer)	Corrections Chair - (Oscar L.) Humberto
Archives Chair - Mark R.	Grapevine Chair - Mary S.
Hospitals / Institutions Chair - Shawn S.	SAMSO Liaison to Central Service Office - Lynne G.
Central Service Office Liaison to SAMSO - (David W.) Virginia B.	
Cooperation with Professional Community / Public Information Chair - (Lin P.)	

Absent:

District 1 F DCM - Joe G.	District 17 DCM - John S. (Chairman)
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Meeting called to order by Ed D. at 6:00 PM. Roger L., Southwest Texas Area Delegate, was introduced.

Presentation: Roger handed out copies of and spoke in depth as to the New York Conference report to the San Antonio Fellowship in attendance. Question and answer period followed.

Ed thanked Roger, and the Business Meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM. Ty V. read the Traditions.

New GSR's: Tylyn (Ty) V. - Women's Big Book - New DCM's: (None.)

Announcements: Mary Lynn H. stated that due to rotation that we would need a Chairperson, Co-Chair, Secretary, and Treasurer for the Southwest Texas Area Winter Workshop which will be held in San Antonio on the weekend of January 21 - 22 - 23, 2000. She said that she had called the all of the past DCMs, and that Virginia B. and Cita C. were present and had expressed their willingness to serve in this capacity. Mary Lynn made the motion that we accept them to serve. Lynne G. seconded the motion. All approved.

Central Service Office Liaison to SAMSO - (David W.) - Asked that Virginia B. report as he was not at the last Board meeting. - Due to rotation of members of the Board at CSO, they will have (4) four vacancies, and will need a minimum of (8) eight nominees at the time of elections. Some of the qualifications are that a Board Member must have (5) five years sobriety, and not be currently working for or servings as a board member of a treatment facility or an AA club. Jim B. will be serving as the chair of the nominations committee, and he can be contacted at 490-2695. Also in the spirit of rotation, the telephone committee is seeking persons willing to stand for election to chair their committee. The Central Service Office will be closed, Labor Day, September 6TH, and telephone volunteers will also be needed to cover this day. Please call Kim at 522-0488 to volunteer for this, and to fill in the other open telephone duty slots. The TTY machine for the hearing impaired is now on line, and employs the same telephone number as they use for the fax machine (822-4491).

SAMSO Liaison to Central Service Office - Lynne G. - stated she did not go to the Board meeting, but did call Bonnie to notify her of the change in the location of the SAMSO Steering Committee Meeting from the Winners Club, and as to information about the Correctional Facilities Conference which will be held in San Antonio in February.

Chairman's Report: Ed D. - said that he was acting chair as John had called saying that he was unable to make it.

Secretary's Report - Glenn C. - Asked for a motion to approve the minutes as printed in the *Nightcap*. Chuck K. made the motion to approve them as printed; seconded by Shawn S. All approved.

Treasurer's Report - Mary Lynn H. - Copies of the Treasurer's report through August 14TH were made available on table. Donations \$113.33 - Expenses \$(46.90) - Balance \$2669.60. Made note and provided copies of the final expense(s) for the mass mailing. Total pieces mailed: 5,252 - Printing, envelopes, inserting, mail preparation: \$1395.00 - Medical labels: \$65.00 - Postage \$558.00 - TOTAL: \$2018.00 (or \$0.384 per each). Costs for response mailings postage: \$22.11. Lynn asked as to number of responses. There have been (33) thirty-three to date. An expense of \$5.99 for the PI display of the mailing, and secretary reimbursement of \$26.32 for a printer cartridge were also noted. She also asked that the minutes reflect the Groups who had made contributions. These are: Group 12; Morning After; Oak Hills; and Young and Golden Years. Motion by Lynne G. and seconded by Rocky S. to approve the report as made. All approved.

Archives - (Mark R. - Not present - No Report).

Correctional Facilities - (Oscar L.) Humberto as CFC liaison reported that the CFC Committee is active and doing well. At their meetings they discuss the unit being covered, and how the meetings are going. They need help with news members to attend, and have clearance applications at all meetings. Most have a requirement of (1) one year sober. The CFC Committee holds its meetings on the 1ST Wednesday of the month Club 12 at 102 Thames at 7:00 PM.

Grapevine - (Mary S. - Was present, but had to leave - No Report). The Grapevine Committee holds its meetings on the 3RD Friday of the month Earl Ables at 7:30 PM.

Hospitals / Institutions - Shawn S. - In the spirit of rotation they will be electing a new chair. If any Group is having an Anniversary or Workshop and would like to have a Hospitals and Institutions display, please call. In keeping with their goals, they currently have (14) fourteen members serving on the Committee and have made several presentations to facilities as to the First Contact Program. He read the list of service slots indicating the openings, and most were filled. As many of the GSRs had left due to the time, he will be calling to get the remainder filled. They hold their regular meetings at the Serendipity Group, 10929 Nacogdoches #5, on the second Saturday of each month at 2:00 PM.

Cooperation with Professional Community / Public Information - (Lin P.) - Pat reporting for Lin said that the Committee is doing well, and has fulfilled all of the CPC/PI commitments to date. She again showed the mailing display for all those who had not been in attendance at the last meeting. They hold currently their meetings on the 2ND Wednesday of the month at Jim's at Blanco and Loop 410.

District 1 A - Ed D. - The District is looking into holding a Workshop in the first or second week in November. They will be holding elections at their next District meeting which is held prior to the regular SAMSO Meeting on the third Sunday of the month at 5:30 PM.

District 1 E - Ed K. - Nothing new to report except the Jay, the GSR for the Devine Group is in poor health, and could use our prayers.

District 1 F - Joe G. - (Not Present - No Report)

District 16 - Glenn C. - District will hold a "*Leadership in the Fellowship*" Workshop on Saturday, September 11TH from 1:00 - 4:30 PM to be held at Club 12. Fliers available on the table. Group 12 GSR, Rocky S., announced the details of the Group 12 / Club 12's 50TH Anniversary on August 20TH through 22ND. He stated that there will be many events covering the three days with breakfasts, dinners, Alanon and AA speakers, a "*Reliving the Past*" presentation on Saturday afternoon, and a free dance that night. A complete breakdown is in the *Nightcap*, and fliers were provided.

District 17 - John S. - (Not Present - No Report)

District 18 - Gil C. - said that he is getting out to visit all of the Groups in the District, and that on October 17TH the Goliad Group will celebrate its 35TH Anniversary.

District 19 - Mary Lynn H. - The District is alive and doing well. District 19 will hold its 5TH Annual "*Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About AA...but were Afraid to Ask*" - Fun Shop on Sunday, September 26TH at 5:30 PM at St. David's Episcopal Church, 1300 Wiltshire where Roger L., SWAT Delegate, will give his Conference report, and the District 19 GSR's will give reports and answer questions. At 8:00 PM the Community Group will hold a candlelight meeting. Fliers on the table. They hold their regular meetings on the first Friday of each month at Earl Ables.

Old Business - Item 1: Proposal for tape library - Lynn G. Asked if these were not the same tapes as used by the committees. Shawn S. pointed out that they were. Mary Lynn H. Said that this were so then the committee chair could obtain one, and if a Group desired to have it shown then that chair could be invited to the Group to do a presentation. Lynn G. made a motion that it be left up to the committee chairs, and it was seconded by Shawn S. All approved.

Item 2: Guidelines as to committee reimbursement(s) and reporting. - Ed D. brought forward the responsibilities of the Committee Chairs to the Groups and Fellowship as a whole. Ed (GSR) said that if there is no report, then how do we know what they are doing? Shawn said that does not see where we need to complicate it with written guidelines as the responsibilities are clear. Shawn made the motion to drop the issue, Seconded by Liddy. Vote (6) six For, and (10) ten against. Discussion continued. Lynn G. made a motion that she write a short one paragraph guideline for committee chairs as to responsibilities. Rocky S. stressed that his Groups expects reporting, and that the Service Manual says that is two or three meetings are missed that replacement occurs. If that were to really happen we would be replacing a lot of people. Ed K. seconded Lynn's motion. Arley H. stated as to CFC, that historically (13) thirteen years ago you people threw us out. Some now seem to feel the need for us to get married again. If you want us to become a part of this, let us know. That when Oscar had accepted some reimbursement money from SAMSO he was not aware of this, and that CFC would be returning the money. Nancy expressed the need to get together for the good of us all. Ed D. pointed out that we were not just speaking of CFC, but as to the committee chairs as a whole. He expressed that there should be some type of written guidelines, but he is concerned with attaching them to reimbursement. Lynn amended her motion to indicate that they would not be attached to reimbursement. Vote as to motion as amended was all were in favor with only one opposing vote.

New Business - (None.)





Adjourned - 8:20 PM with the Lord's Prayer

Respectfully Submitted:

Glenn C. - SAMSO Secretary

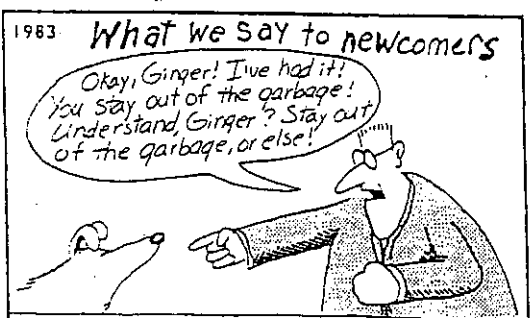
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September 1999

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 7:00 PM CFC Mtg Club 12	2 Birthdays- Goliad	3 Dist 19 Mtg at Earl Abel's	4
<p>Timing has a lot to do with the outcome of a rain dance. Don't squat with your spurs on.</p>						
5 4:00 PM SAMSO Steer- ing Committ- ee Mtg Club 12	6 Birthdays- Goliad 	7	8 6:30 PM CPC/PI Mtg Jim's 410 &Blanco	9 Birthdays- Goliad	10	11 2:00 PM H & I Mtg Serendip- ity GGroup
<p>For the first year I thought the first three Steps were: Get in the car, sit over there, and shut up.</p>						
12	13 Birthdays- Goliad	14	15 5:30 PM CSO Board Mtg 	16 7:00 PM Dist 19 Mtg St Davids Church Birthdays- Goliad	17 7:30 PM Grap- evine Commi- tee Mtg at Earl Abel's.	18
19 5:00 PM Dist 17 Mtg Jim's 410 &Blanco 5:15 PM Dist 1A &16 Mtg St Andrews Church	20 Birthdays- Goliad NIGHTCAP DEADLINE	21	22	23 Birthdays- Goliad & Devine	24 Birthdays-SW Loop, Colonies North, Schertz- Cibolo, El Libro Grande, Rush Hour, Marymont &Twelve	25 Birthdays- Lambda & Winners Club Groups
26	27 Birthdays- Goliad 	28 Birthdays- Valley-Hi, Windcrest, Santa Fe & New Acceptance	29 Birthdays- Oblate, Women's Big Book & Northwood	30 Birthdays- Goliad, Ft Sam &North San Pedro	<p>HEADS UP!! COR Meeting-5:30 pm GSR Meeting-6:30 pm SUNDAY, SEPT 19th St. Andrews Episcopal 6110 NW Loop 410</p>	



Gp. Contributions	Jul-99	YTD	Profit & Loss Statement	Jul-99
Alamo Heights	\$ 97.16	\$ 323.16	4005 Sales	\$6,117.08
Broadway	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 1,000.00	4006 Cost of Sales	-3,778.83
Borene-Noon		\$ 125.00	Gross Profit	\$2,338.25
Bulverde		\$ 86.00		
Community		\$ 16.00	Contributions:	
Devine		\$ 20.00	4010 Nightcap Contributions	\$27.00
Entire Abstinence		\$ 20.00	4020 COR Meeting Contributions	8.00
Ft Sam Houston		\$ 154.16	4030 Group Contributions	2363.20
Free at Last	\$ 3.00	\$ 24.00	4040 Memorial Contributions	25.00
Freedom		\$ 37.50	4050 Individual Contributions	553.26
Fresh Start	\$ 50.00	\$ 100.00		
Generic Thursday		\$ 100.00	Total Contributions	\$2,976.46
Goliad		\$ 120.00		
Grupo El Libro Grande	\$ 5.00	\$ 25.00	Other Income:	
Grupo Santa Fe	\$ 10.00	\$ 30.00	4110 Interest Income	\$34.81
Grupo Unidad		\$ 70.00	4120 Office Kitty	40.85
Haft on Tezel Road	\$ 40.00	\$ 105.00	4130 AA in SA Net Income	0.00
Highland		\$ 52.00	4315 State Convention	0.00
La Vernia		\$ 175.00	4320 Sales Tax Discount	0.00
Lambda	\$ 106.57	\$ 121.57		
Last Call		\$ 100.00	Total Other Income	\$75.66
Legal Professions	\$ 25.00	\$ 65.00	Total Income	\$5,390.37
Live Oak (Folded)		\$ 70.65		
Losoyo		\$ 10.00	Wage Related Expenses:	
Marymont		\$ 31.25	5010 Salaries	\$3,693.25
North San Pedro		\$ 165.00	5020 Payroll Tax	282.48
Northwest	\$ 40.00	\$ 90.00	5030 Contract Labor-Clerical	0.00
Oak Hills	\$ 201.68	\$ 1,272.48	5035 Contract Labor, Janitorial	50.00
Oplate		\$ 161.00	5040 Mileage Reimbursement	50.00
Rush Hour		\$ 829.11	5050 Employee Training	0.00
S.A. North (Women)	\$ 13.79	\$ 91.17	5060 Miscellaneous	10.00
Schertz-Cibolo		\$ 420.00	Total wage related expenses	\$4,085.73
Serendipity	\$ 90.00	\$ 90.00		
Southwest Loop		\$ 41.00	Occupancy Expenses:	
Sunrise		\$ 50.00	5110 Rent	\$855.00
Travis Park	\$ 48.00	\$ 438.00	5120 Utilities	205.96
Twelve	\$ 360.00	\$ 2,520.00	5130 Telephone	137.20
Universal City	\$ 120.00	\$ 360.00	5135 Answering Service	22.50
Valley-Hi	\$ 50.00	\$ 190.00	5140 Repairs & Maintenance	0.00
Windcrest	\$ 30.00	\$ 50.00	5150 Insurance	0.00
Womens Big Book		\$ 50.00	Total Occupancy Expense	\$ 1,220.66
Woodlake	\$ 30.00	\$ 90.00		
AREA			Other expenses:	
New Braunfels	\$ 33.00	\$ 175.00	5210 Office Supplies, Clerical	\$0.00
Grupo Sempre Verde		\$ 10.00	5211 Office Supplies, Non-Clerical	15.80
Eagle Pass		\$ 20.00	5215 Postage	37.65
Fri Nite Study-Kerrville		\$ 45.00	5216 Freight UPS	0.00
Womens Sol-Canyon Lake		\$ 20.00	5225 Equipment Lease & Main	0.00
Depot Gp (Port Lavaca)		\$ 71.67	5270 SWB Yellow Pages	43.00
Lake Hills (Medina Lake)	\$ 10.00	\$ 10.00	5310 Nightcap Print. & Post.	280.95
TOTAL	\$ 2,363.20	\$ 10,240.72	5415 Accounting Service	137.50
BIRTHDAY			Total Other Expenses	\$514.90
Bill St J.	\$ 29.00			
Dave C.	\$ 21.00		Total Expenses	\$5,821.29
Total	\$ 50.00		Net Income	(\$430.92)
INDIVIDUAL				
Wiley P.	\$ 500.00			
MEMORIAL				
Jerri McC. for Lylas W.	\$ 25.00			



SOMETIMES YOU HEAR THE STRANGEST THINGS AT MEETINGS:

"We admitted that we were powerless over alcohol, that our lives had become unimaginable."

"Made a screeching and fearless moral inventory of ourselves."

"At some of these we barked . . ."

"We admitted that we were powerless over alcohol, that our lives had become unmentionable."

"Rarely have we seen a person thoroughly follow our path."

"Many of us exclaimed, 'What an odor . . .'"

All drunks have a scheme that will not work. Some will not work better than others.

'T'd have done anything for a drink at that time---- well, except for line dancing or incest.

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