

# W A C Y P A A X X

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

## YOUR IMAGINATION WILL BE FIRED

NEW YEAR'S EVE WEEKEND  
DECEMBER 29TH, 2016 - JANUARY 1ST, 2017  
SHERATON GRAND SACRAMENTO HOTEL  
1321 J ST, SACRAMENTO, CA 95814  
ROOM RATE: \$119/NIGHT · HOTEL CODE: WACYPAA



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**Yes,** THERE IS A SUBSTITUTE AND IT IS VASTLY MORE THAN THAT. IT IS A FELLOWSHIP IN ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS. THERE YOU WILL FIND RELEASE FROM CARE, BOREDOM AND WORRY. ***YOUR IMAGINATION WILL BE FIRED.*** LIFE WILL MEAN SOMETHING AT LAST. THE MOST SATISFACTORY YEARS OF YOUR EXISTENCE LIE AHEAD. THUS WE FIND THE FELLOWSHIP, AND SO WILL YOU.

- A VISION FOR YOU

WACYPAA XX  
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# w e l c o m e

Welcome to the 20th annual Western Area Conference of Young People in Alcoholics Anonymous. On behalf of the host committee, we would like to welcome you to a weekend of fun, friends, and fellowship you will not soon forget. WACYPAA XX host would like to extend a special welcome to those that traveled from out of town to come experience this with us in our beautiful City of Trees that is Sacramento, California. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask someone in a "HOST" Shirt.

Please be respectful of the hotel guests who may not be a part of the conference. This hotel has been gracious enough to let us have WACYPAA here. Please no smoking or vaping indoors and treat the facility with respect. Remember, that as attendees of WACYPAA, we are representing AA as a whole. We are all responsible.

WACYPAA XX is proud to provide ASL interpretation to anyone that needs it. If you have any questions regarding ASL interpretation or any special needs for the conference, please contact Cameron M. (530)613-4073

WACYPAA XX proporcionará traducción en todas las juntas a los que lo necesiten. Favor de contactar a Rafa (619) 850-5610 o Edi (530) 379-8029 si requieres traducciones.

## **SAFETY STATEMENT**

On behalf of the WACY PAA XX host committee, we would like to thank you from the bottom of our hearts for joining us for a weekend of fun, fellowship and celebration of recovery. The topic of safety is important at WACY PAA. Remember that we are all responsible. We come to WACY PAA to see old friends, make new ones and most importantly carry the message of Alcoholics Anonymous to the newcomer experiencing this for the first time. Please be mindful of what is going on around you. If at any time you feel unsafe; physically, emotionally, sexually, or spiritually, please find someone wearing a host committee shirt. We promise to handle the situation with compassion and discretion. Remember that we are all in this together. We might be the only Big Book somebody ever sees. The Twelfth Step reminds us to practice these principles in all of our affairs. Love and tolerance is our code.

## **REGISTRATION - NORTHEAST LOBBY**

WACY PAA host committee strongly suggests that lanyards and name badges be worn at all times during the conference. Please pick up your lanyard and name badge at the registration tables located at the northeast end of the main lobby.

### **Hours:**

Thursday: 12:00 PM - 7:00 PM; 9:00 PM - 12:00 AM

Friday: 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM; 9:00 PM - 12:00 AM

Saturday: 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM; 9:00 PM - 12:00 AM

(Only New Years Eve dance tickets will be sold after the main meeting on Saturday night)

## **VOLUNTEER - NORTHEAST LOBBY**

Want to be of service at WACY PAA XX? Have a sponsee that needs to be put to work? Never fear! There are tons of ways that you can be of service at WACY PAA XX! Please visit the Volunteer Table to sign up! For any questions about volunteering at WACY PAA XX please contact Amy C. (925) 548-7969.

### **Hours:**

Thursday: 12:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Friday: 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Saturday: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM

## **MERCHANDISE - NORTHEAST LOBBY**

Be sure to stock up on WACY PAA XX merchandise next at the Northeast Lobby next to Registration.

### **Hours:**

Thursday: 12:00 PM - 7:00 PM; 9:00 PM - 12:00 AM

Friday: 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM; 9:00 PM - 12:00 AM

Saturday: 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM; 9:00 PM - 12:00 AM

## ARCHIVES - CLARK

Come see how WACYPAA got to where it is today. In the Archives Room we will be showcasing previous host committee's bid packages, programs, merchandise, flyers and much much more. Being in it's 20th year, the WACYPAA archives has a lot for your viewing pleasure.

**Hours:**

Friday and Saturday: 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

## KIDZONE - KAMILOS

Kids are welcome at all meetings! If you would like to enjoy a part of the conference kid free please bring your children to the volunteer co-op kid zone!

**Hours:**

Friday: 12:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Saturday: 7:00 AM - 10:00 PM

## WACYMART - CARR

"Your imagination will be hungry!" Stomach rumbling, feeling parched from all the fun you've been having? Have no fear, WACY-MART is here! Load up on your favorite snacks and drinks without having to leave the conference! Literature, such as books and pamphlets, will also be available here. You wouldn't want to leave before the miracle happens would you?

**Hours:**

Thursday: 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM; 9:00 PM - 2:00 AM

Friday: 7:00 AM - 7:00 PM; 9:00 PM - 3:00 AM

Saturday: 7:00 AM - 7:00 PM; 9:00 PM - 3:00 AM

## LOST AND FOUND

Please contact the front desk at the hotel with any Lost & Found items.

## STUFF TO DO AROUND TOWN

Looking for recommendations on places to go eat or things to do around town? Please refer to the Concierge located in the hotel lobby for suggestions.



# main meetings

7:00 PM  
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29th

Speakers:

Katherine L. - San Jose, CA  
Raymundo L. - San Jose, CA

Secretary: Jeremie C.  
Voices: Mike R. and Emily G.  
Preamble: Dakota B.  
Safety Statement: Kelly F.  
12 Steps: Cait C.  
12 Traditions: Edi B.  
A Vision for You: Rafael C.  
Serenity Prayer: Maddy D.

7:00 PM  
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 30th

Speakers:

Gail B. - Sacramento, CA  
Erika W. - Portland, OR

Secretary: Sheila C.  
Voices: Mike R. and Emily G.  
Preamble: Jimmy S.  
Safety Statement: Julian B.  
12 Steps: Billy J.  
12 Traditions: Dannika S.  
A Vision for You: Bryn D.  
State Roll Call: Tyler C. & Jade M.  
Serenity Prayer: Timmy P

7:00 PM  
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31ST

Speakers:

Nick R. - Portland, OR  
Russ R. - Santa Cruz, CA

Secretary: Dave U.  
Voices: Mike R. and Emily G.  
Preamble: Eric S.  
Safety Statement: Merilee G.  
12 Steps: Jonathan H.  
12 Traditions: Rachel S.  
A Vision for You: Jake N.  
Sobriety Countdown: Janessa M. & Justin K.  
Serenity Prayer: David S.

10:00 AM  
SUNDAY, JANUARY 1ST

Speaker:

Jen L. - Sun Valley, ID

Secretary: Julie W.  
Voices: Mike R. and Emily G.  
Preamble: Richard D.  
Safety Statement: Amy C.  
12 Steps: Aaron B.  
12 Traditions: Rigo S.  
A Vision for You: Emily L.  
Serenity Prayer: Cameron M.

## FRIDAY

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM BONDI**DRUG OF CHOICE: PEOPLE - ALANON/ ALTEEN***The experience of individuals attempting to manage the behaviors of others, and how that cycle can be seen as its own form of addiction.*

Leader: Brandon R.

Panelists: Veronica P. - San Francisco, CA | Hannah V. - Santa Cruz | Brian M. - Sacramento, CA

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM BATAGLIERI**MILITARY PANEL***What is was like getting sober during enlistment in the military service.*

Leader: Julie W.

Panelists: Ty R. - Stockton, CA | Dennis R. - Reno, NV | Jessica R. - Vacaville, CA

11:15 AM - 12:15 PM BONDI**EXCEPT WHEN TO DO SO WOULD INJURE THEM***Making amends, except when to do so would injure them or others. How do we make, or not make the vital amends that might do more harm than good?*

Leader: Dakota Q.

Panelists: Ty H. - Sacramento, CA | Charlie L. - Winston-Salem, NC | Ashley M. - Reno, NV

11:15 AM - 12:15 PM BATAGLIERI**FRAT HOUSE TO RECOVERY HOUSE***The college student's struggle of discovering AA in a party environment.*

Leader: Marie C.

Panelists: Cory J. - Tempe, AZ | Jacob C. - Sacramento, CA | Joseph P. - Morgan Hill, CA

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM BONDI**GAY ALCOHOLIC OR ALCOHOLIC THAT'S GAY: I'M AN ALCOHOLIC FIRST***The struggle of LGBTQ alcoholics defining themselves first by their sexuality as opposed the times they defined themselves first as as alcoholic.*

Leader: David S.

Panelists: Ford S. - Seattle, WA | Pauline L. - Edmonton, AB | Ariel W. - Long Beach, CA

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM BATAGLIERI**REPEAT OFFENDERS***The experience of relapsing and returning to the rooms to find sobriety, even multiple times.*

Leader: Dannika S.

Panelists: Ryan R. - Kalispell, MT | Terrence E. - Tacoma, WA | Sandy B. - Shasta, CA

## FRIDAY

1:45 PM - 2:45 PM BONDI

### **I'M CRAZY. NO...REALLY**

*How to stay sober, feel sober, and keep your head high, while also treating problems other than alcoholism, particularly when that requires the use of prescription drugs.*

Leader: Jordan R.

Panelists: Tatiana F. - Sonoma, CA | Tommy C. Houston, TX | Alyson B. - Lafayette, LA

1:45 PM - 2:45 PM BATAGLIERI

### **FROM THE STONE AGE, TO THE PHONE AGE**

*An old timer's perspective on the effect that the development of technology on their recovery. Cell phones, internet, social media, etc. Is it a vice, distraction, or a tool?*

Leader: Holly S.

Panelists: BJ S. - Portland, OR | Dan H. - Santa Cruz, CA | Fast Eddie - Parker, CO

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM BONDI

### **#RECOVERY: INTERNET USE IN RECOVERY**

*Social media, online fellowships and anonymity. The dos and donts of using the internet as a tool for recovery.*

Leader: Eric S.

Panelists: Rachel C. - Portland, OR | Wyatt S. - Portland, OR | Dan H. - Petaluma, CA

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM BATAGLIERI

### **I THOUGHT I COULD KEEP YOU SOBER - SPONSORSHIP MISTAKES**

*Mistakes we have made as sponsors and the lessons we have learned from those mistakes.*

Leader: Dave U.

Panelists: Shannon S. - Sacramento, CA | Claire C. - Reno, NV | Brian K. - Boise, ID

4:15 PM - 5:15 PM BONDI

### **THE "SHIT HAPPENED TO ME" CLUB - OVERCOMING ADVERSITY**

*Dealing with life on life's terms. What happens when we are stricken with real life issues? How do we overcome them while still practicing the principles in all of our affairs?*

Leader: Cait C.

Panelists: Laura R. - Sacramento, CA | Brian G. - Sacramento, CA | Chad E. - Munroe, LA

4:15 PM - 5:15 PM BATAGLIERI

### **DTF: DOWN TO FELLOWSHIP**

*Overcoming obstacles to find the fellowship that we crave and what that looks like.*

Leader: Emily G.

Panelists: Rachael G. - Salem, OR | Matt M. - East Bay, CA | Eric R. - Grant's Pass, OR



## SATURDAY

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM BONDI**GETTING TIME WHILE DOING TIME***Serving time, getting sober in prison and cleaning up wreckage. How do we get sober, stay sober and practice principles in such an unspiritual environment?*

Leaders: Timmy P.

Panelists: Raul B. - Vancouver, WA | Mitchell F. - Salem, OR | Shannon K. - Sacramento, CA

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM BATAGLIERI**YOUNG N SOBER INDIANZ***What it's like being a young native american in sobriety.*

Leader: Dave L.

Panelists: Linda H. (Ojibwe-Cree) - Sacramento, CA | Coyote - Portland, OR | Summer Joe (Navajo Nation) - Kirkland, NM

11:15 AM - 12:15 PM BONDI**CAME TO AA TO PREY - SAFETY IN AA***How do we learn to set and respect boundaries in a place that should be, but isn't always, safe for everybody.*

Leader: Amanda B.

Panelists: Chris B. - Austin TX | Isha R. - Petaluma, CA | Jamey N. - Sturgis, SD

11:15 AM - 12:15 PM BATAGLIERI**SOBRIEDAD EN UN MUNDO DE INGLES***Spanish speakers getting sober and staying sober in an english speaking community.*

Leader: Edi B.

Panelists: Rafael C. - Tijuana, MX | Nikki M. - Sacramento, CA | Marytere - Tijuana, MX

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM MAGNOLIA**GENERAL SERVICE JUNKIES***AA General Service junkies share how sacrifice through service changed their sobriety, and how they found gratitude and perspective while climbing down the service ladder.*

Leader: Cait C.

Panelists: Vikki L. - Yuba City, CA - California Northern Interior Area 07 Delegate | Shaun G. - Rohnert Park, CA - California Northern Coastal Area 06 | Stephanie P. - Edmonds, WA - Western Washington Area 72

# panels

## SATURDAY

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM BONDI

### **DON'T STOP! BELIEVE IN!**

*Since many of us struggle with the concept of God at different points in our sobriety, how do we turn it over regardless of where we are in that process?*

Leader: Janessa M.

Panelists: Steve M. - Reno, NV | Eric A. - Berkeley, CA | Leah B. - Sacramento, CA

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM BATAGLIERI

### **IT'S NOT YOU, IT'S ME - BREAKING UP AND STAYING SOBER**

*How do we stay sober and serene during and after the end of a relationship? How do we uphold the traditions and principles during the process?*

Leader: Mehruz S.

Panelists: Ian D. - Kalispell MT | Liz T. - Honolulu, HI | Zack H. - Danville, CA

1:45 PM - 2:45 PM BONDI

### **TRANSITIONING IN THE ROOMS - WHERE DO I FIT IN?**

*The struggles unique to those that have struggled with gender identity. How do we navigate those struggles with grace, and what do we do when others are lacking grace?*

Leader: Karen R.

Panelists: Benny O. - San Jose, CA | Kyle F. Edmoton, AB | Ryker W. - Sacramento, CA

1:45 PM - 2:45 PM BATAGLIERI

### **WOMEN'S EMOTIONAL SOBRIETY**

*What emotional sobriety means to women and what it looks like in their lives.*

Leader: Claudia C.

Panelists: Chelsea S. - San Francisco, CA | Marlene E. - Rochester, NY | Nichole P. - Portland, OR

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM BONDI

### **MEN'S EMOTIONAL SOBRIETY**

*What emotional sobriety means to men and what it looks like in their lives.*

Leader: Evan L.

Panelists: Tom B. - Santa Cruz, CA | Nate N. - Santa Cruz, CA | Tyler C. - Santa Cruz, CA

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM BATAGLIERI

### **THE HIGHEST OF BOTTOMS**

*High bottom drunks. The perspectives of those who didn't have to hit rock bottom to get help.*

Leader: Jake N.

Panelists: Steve Z. - Atlanta, GA | Alix J. - Houston TX | Nick P. - SFV, CA

## SATURDAY

4:15 PM - 5:15 PM ————— BONDI

**LGBTQ SPONSORSHIP - WHO? WHAT? WHERE?***How do LGBTQ alcoholics find the right sponsor? Male, female, gay or straight? What works? What doesn't?*

Leader: Ty H.

Panelists: Kathy K. - Sacramento, CA | Edi B. - Woodland, CA | Chris C. - Austin, TX

4:15 PM - 5:15 PM ————— BATAGLIERI

**AUTONOMY: YOU'RE DOING IT WRONG!***How do we find our brand of AA, suspending judgement and remaining a part of, when other groups are doing it "wrong".*

Leader: Doug B.

Panelists: Matt H. - Manhattan Beach, CA | Joey D. - Honolulu, HI | Danji G. - Seattle, WA

## al-anon

## SATURDAY

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM ————— SCHMIDT

**IS AL-ANON FOR AA MEMBERS?***This meeting will explore whether or not members of AA may also qualify for Al-Anon.*

Speaker: Jon C. - Sacramento, CA

12:30 PM - 1:30 PM ————— SCHMIDT

**SO YOU LOVE AN ALCOHOLIC***This meeting will examine the personal concerns and breakthroughs tied to loving an alcoholic.*

Speaker: Theresa W. - Roseville, CA

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM ————— SCHMIDT

**FROM SURVIVAL TO RECOVERY-ADULT CHILDREN OF ALCOHOLICS***This meeting will speak to the experience of growing up with alcoholism in the home.*

Speaker: Veronica P. - San Francisco, CA

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM ————— SCHMIDT

**YOUNG PEOPLE IN AL-ANON?***This meeting will address the isolation of being a young person in Al-Anon, and how that space can reveal the universal concern of alcoholism and the universal healing of the 12 steps.*

Speaker: Brandon R. - San Jose, CA

## THURSDAY

10:00 PM ————— ELKS TOWER | 1123 J ST, SACRAMENTO, CA 95814

### PRE-CONFERENCE EXPERIENCE: THE ROARING 20'S

*Join us as we kick off the conference with a 1920's inspired social hour with music, poker, a monster game of mafia and fully catered food and drinks!*

10:30 PM ————— SHERATON GRAND BALLROOM  
**KARAOKE**

*For all our up and coming stars out there, we are offering an opportunity to showcase your skills (or lack thereof). Find us in the ballroom to participate!*

## FRIDAY

12:00 PM ————— MAGNOLIA

### SUMO WRESTLING

*Struggling with resentments? Take it out on one of your friends by going head-to-head with them in giant sumo wrestling suits! And then find your sponsor and finish that inventory you've been sitting on.*

4:30 PM ————— FALOR  
**OPEN MIC**

*WACYPAA's got talent! Come show us what you got during Open Mic led by Aaron B.*

10:00 PM ————— MAGNOLIA  
**DANCE**

*Never danced sober before? Don't worry, we're all awkward anyway. Get lost in the night as DJ Sky Moonbeam lays down the hottest beats of the century.*

11:00 PM ————— GARDENIA  
**DRAG SHOW**

*Dudes dressed like chicks. Chicks dressed like dudes, nobody knows anymore and frankly, no one cares either, it's 2016, come have some fun!*

## SATURDAY

3:00 PM ————— MAGNOLIA  
**RAP BATTLE**

*This is it, YPAA's greatest MC's go toe-to-toe in an epic lyrical showdown. Hosted by Jordan R. and Dan H. Make sure you get to this one early. FACTS B!*

10:00 PM ————— SACRAMENTO CONVENTION CENTER EXHIBIT HALL B  
**NYE DANCE**

*We will be ringing in 2017 in epic fashion as we celebrate 2016 and the memories we have made. Join us as we dance the year away with DJ Weatherman at the Convention Center!*

# yoga & meditation

\*LOCATED IN FALOR

## FRIDAY

8:00 AM ————— YOGA  
*Start off your morning right with Yoga led by Anthony D.*

9:00 AM ————— NATIVE INDIAN PRAYER & MEDITATION  
*Join Linda H. from Ojibwe-Cree in Native Indian Prayer and Meditation*

2:00 PM ————— YOGA  
*Mid Afternoon Yoga Session Led by Becca D.*

3:00 PM ————— MEDITATION  
*Get your afternoon vibing right with meditation Yoga Nidra meditation led by Jonathan W.*

## SATURDAY

12:00 AM ————— CANDLE LIGHT MEDITATION  
*Feeling overwhelmed? Need to chill for a bit? Join Anthony D. for candle light meditation that will get you vibin' right.*

8:00 AM ————— YOGA  
*Start your Saturday off right with Yoga led by Blake M.*

9:00 AM ————— MEDITATION  
*Join Linda H. from Ojibwe-Cree in Native Indian Prayer and Meditation.*

2:00 AM ————— YOGA  
*Start your Saturday off right with Yoga led by Karly A.*

3:00 PM ————— MEDITATION  
*Get your afternoon vibing right with meditation led by Karly A.*

8:00 AM ————— YOGA  
*Start your Sunday off right with Yoga led by Aaron P.*

## SUNDAY

9:00 AM ————— NATIVE INDIAN PRAYER & MEDITATION  
*Join Linda H. from Ojibwe-Cree in Native Indian Prayer and Meditation*

# marathon meetings

*\*LOCATED IN COMPAGNO*

## THURSDAY

- 10:00 PM SAM C. / GOOD FOR NOTHING MEN'S GROUP
- 11:00PM MIKE R. / TRY ME Q & A

## FRIDAY

- 12:00 AM JUSTIN L. / CRUZYPAA
- 1:00 AM PAIGE M. / SANJYPAA
- 2:00 AM DESIRE' / WSCYPAA
- 3:00 AM CURTIS G. / PRESCOTT
- 4:00 AM DAVID S. / TUESDAY MIDTOWN(LGBTQ)
- 5:00 AM DAKOTA Q. / OUT OF THE ASHES PETALUMA, CA
- 6:00 AM VERONICA / FLAG YPAA
- 7:00 AM RACHEL C. / PORCYPAA
- 8:00 AM JAFFAR C. / CEN TEXAS BID FOR WACYPAA
- 9:00 AM RAPHAEL / HCPYAA
- 10:00 AM JENN P. / BABYPAA
- 11:00 AM NANDEETA R. / CORVALLIS, OR
- 12:00 PM KYLE F. / EDMONTON BID FOR WACYPAA
- 1:00 PM VERONICA M. / SISKYPAA
- 2:00 PM LYDIA P. / TACYPAA
- 3:00 PM CAMERON M. / AUBURN YOUNG PEOPLES
- 4:00 PM ARAM K. / SFVYPAA
- 5:00 PM JAKE M. / LOS ANGELES, CA
- CLOSED FOR MAIN MEETING ---
- 10:00PM JACOB C. / DTYP
- 11:00PM ZACHARY S. / ACYPAA
- 12:00 AM MATT D. / BACYPAA
- 1:00 AM NOEL C. / RENVYPAA



# marathon meetings

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## SATURDAY

- 2:00 AM OMID B. / SBYPAA
- 3:00 AM JUSTIN H. / VACAVILLE FNYP
- 4:00 AM CORY S. / ASCYPAA
- 5:00 AM KAT V. / SERENITY MEOW!
- 6:00 AM TIFFANY K. / REDYPAA
- 7:00 AM SARA S. / ASCYPAA
- 8:00 AM KIRK Z. / PARADISE, CA
- 9:00 AM TIFFANY K. / REDYPAA
- 10:00 AM JENN P. / BABYPAA
- 11:00 AM CAIT B. / LOSD BID FOR ICYPAA
- 12:00 PM SAMMY B. / SOCALYPAA
- 1:00 PM GRANT S. / MONDAY NIGHT LIVE - SAN RAMON, CA
- 2:00 PM JACOB C. / DTYP
- 3:00 PM MONTANA MOLLY / ACYPAA
- 4:00 PM MELISSA V. / DAVIS YOUNG PEOPLES
- 5:00 PM VIOLET J. / TACYPAA
- CLOSED FOR MAIN MEETING ---
- 10:00 PM RACHAEL G. / OREGON BID FOR ICYPAA
- 11:00 PM MOOSE / LACYPAA

## SUNDAY

- 12:00 AM KYLE R. / BNO PORTLAND
- 1:00 AM EDDIE W. / MNYPAA
- 2:00 AM CLAUDIA C. / SWACYPAA
- 3:00 AM ELLIOT S. / SINKING SHIP/CROSSTALK
- 4:00 AM BRIAN A. / YOUNG AT HEART - RENO
- 5:00 AM CASSIE K. / WOODLAND YP
- 6:00 AM ADRIAN L. / OLDYPAA
- 7:00 AM CRYSTAL P. / DCYPAA
- 8:00 AM RICHARD L. / SUNDAY LUCKY SUNDAY
- 9:00 AM CHARLES K. / SANJYPAA

# hospitality

*\*LOCATED IN BEAVIS.*

*Hospitality will be open throughout the entire conference (even main meetings)*

## FRIDAY

9:00 AM	SBYPAA
10:00 AM	SISKYPAA
11:00 AM	HCYPAA
12:00 PM	RENVYPAA
1:00PM	ACYPAA
2:00PM	LACYPAA
3:00PM	TEXAS BID FOR WACYPAA
4:00PM	SFVYPAA
5:00PM	FLATHEAD VALLEY YPAA
--- MAIN MEETING ---	
10:00PM	BACY
11:00PM	OREGON ICYPAA BID

## SATURDAY

12:00 AM	PORCYPAA
7:00 AM	AUBURN YOUNG PEOPLES
8:00 AM	AUBURN YOUNG PEOPLES
9:00 AM	ASCYPAA
10:00 AM	VACAVILLE FNYP
11:00 AM	SANJYPAA
12:00 AM	TOM AND GRANT
1:00 PM	TOM AND GRANT
2:00 PM	SWACYPAA
3:00 PM	SOCALYPAA
4:00 PM	ORCYPAA
5:00 PM	KAYPAA
--- MAIN MEETING ---	
10:00 PM	MNNYPAA
11:00 PM	HASBPAA

## SUNDAY

■ 3:00 AM	WSCYPAA
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5:00 PM \_\_\_\_\_ TOFANELLI

## ADVISORY Q&A

*Advisory Q&A gives bid cities to sit down with advisory and any questions they may have pertaining to bidding for WACYPAA*

9:30 PM \_\_\_\_\_ CAMELLIA

## BID SESSION ROUND ROBIN

*This is a chance for Advisory Council to ask any questions they may have pertaining to the bid committee's bid packages.*

8:00 AM \_\_\_\_\_ MAGNOLIA

## MAGNOLIA

*This is for the bid committees to present their bid skits or videos to the WACYPAA Advisory Council.*

# WHERE'S IT GOING?



# facts, aims, and purposes

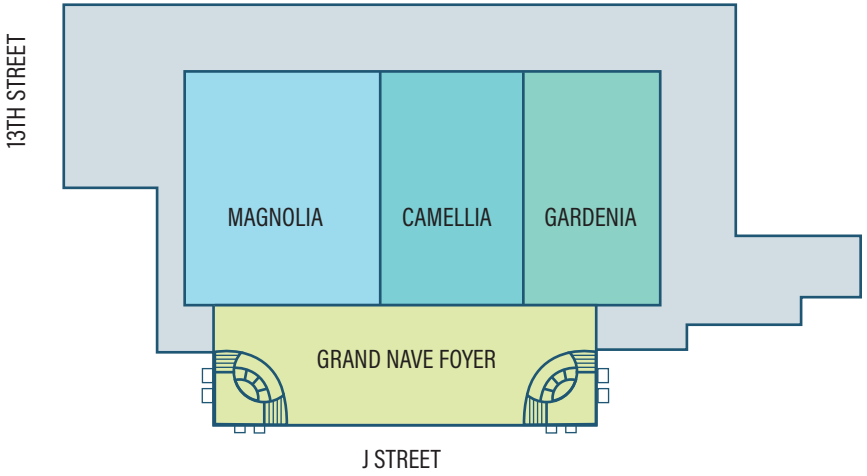
WACYPAA was conceived at the 1996 ASCYPAA (Arizona State Conference of Young People in AA), and was later founded in Anaheim, California on September 8th, 1996 at the 39th ICYPAA (International Conference of Young People in Alcoholics Anonymous) in a meeting of AA members from around the region to be served by WACYPAA. At that meeting the region was defined as the states of: Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming; as well as Baja California Norte, Baja California Sur, Chihuahua, Durango, Sinaloa, Sonora, and the Canadian Provinces of British Columbia, Yukon Territory, and Alberta. Since that time, our region definition has been broadened to include Kansas, Nebraska, North Dakota, Oklahoma, South Dakota and Texas. Each year, the conference must be held within this region.

The purpose of WACYPAA is to build and strengthen unity in Young Peoples Groups in Alcoholics Anonymous in the western area of North America and Hawaii. The focus is especially to reach those areas which historically had little exposure to such conferences. The WACYPAA Advisory Council and the members of the Conference will encourage the participation from all states, provinces, and countries within the scope of the Conference. All bids will be given equal consideration regardless of size, population, or location. We recognize that not all AA members will find our conference necessary to their recovery from alcoholism, we seek only to provide it for those who find it desirable.

At the Anaheim meeting, the state of Arizona was tentatively chosen as the site for the first WACYPAA. The Arizona group was to present their bid in February 1997 at the All California Conference of Young People in Alcoholics Anonymous in San Francisco. Seven AA members volunteered to attend and serve as a temporary advisory council for the purpose of approving Arizona's bid, or to solicit further bids at a later date if the Arizona bid was not deemed to serve the best interests of the region. Once an initial site is chosen, a bid session will be held annually at each subsequent WACYPAA where a site will be chosen for the next year's conference. Any group of three or more AA members from within the region is welcome and encouraged to bid for a chance to host a WACYPAA in their local area.

Each year, AA conferences provide overwhelming evidence that large numbers of alcoholics are achieving a lasting and comfortable sobriety in Alcoholics Anonymous. These conferences offer an environment for celebration of our sobriety, as well as an opportunity to meet and share experience, strength, and hope with AA members who reside in areas other than their own.

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