



THE NIGHTCAP OCTOBER 2025



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A very special thanks to David A. for his invaluable assistance with our publications. His creativity, vision, and dedication have been the driving force behind their success.



CHAIRPERSON'S CORNER

In three more months, I'll be rotating out of my service on the CSO Board. I've known and understood what the CSO is for a long time, or at least I thought I did. But after nearly two years of seeing it up close, I realized I had no idea.

The amount of work our special workers and volunteers put in is astounding. They run an entire bookstore, which in itself is a full-time job, yet that only represents a small part of what it takes to keep the CSO going. They attend workshops whenever asked, and they speak at any AA event where their presence is requested. It's common for us in the Fellowship to call on the CSO for workshops or panels, and they always show up.

They also support multiple planning committees, and each of those results in commitments such as printing, flyers, brochures, certificates, and giveaways that they always fulfill. They field a constant stream of requests and questions from the Fellowship, along with more than a few complaints. They compile and distribute the NightCap and What's Happening every month. They host and maintain the Meeting Guide website that feeds into the AA Meeting Guide app, making it as easy as opening your phone to find a meeting. Every service committee eventually turns to the CSO for copies, supplies, advice, or support. They coordinate and host the CSORs and CSO Board meetings each month. And, of course, one of the most important services they provide, AA Helpline, is answered 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. From March through August alone, 1,766 phone calls were answered. All of this is made possible by countless quiet volunteers and a small team of special workers. And honestly, I am still not doing justice to the amount of work they put in.

So, why am I sharing all this with you? Because they won't. It's not our way. I respect them even more for that. I've learned that in AA, we don't talk about the "right things we did." We do the next right thing, keep our mouths shut, and then do the next right thing again.

But mostly, I want to say thank you. Thank you to the countless volunteers who give their time, money, and love. Thank you to our special workers who put in countless hours every week, so that help is never more than a phone call or a click away.

Thank you!

Chris C.





AA. Education Article

By Sylvia K.

A Great Deal

AAWS has shared exciting news of a price REDUCTION! You can now order your own copy of the facsimile First Edition of Alcoholics Anonymous. This book was first produced in celebration of the 75th Anniversary of the Big Book in 2014, and it is now priced at only \$2.00. What a great deal!

Giving Back

Grapevine needs our help as it has reported it's financial situation is very difficult. Grapevine provides so much for free- the podcast, YouTube channel, Instagram, and the prison tablet content free of charge to help alcoholics.

Difficulty arises from the fact that neither Grapevine nor La Viña accepts any individual or group donations. Their financial support comes from the subscriptions and literature we purchase from them.

We can show our support for Grapevine or La Viña in several ways: purchase a gift subscription for a friend, ask your group to purchase a Grapevine or La Viña subscription — or add another, contribute to the Carry the Message program as an individual or as a group to provide subscriptions to those in need, or simply share about Grapevine or La Viña to increase awareness.

Please spread the word at your meetings so that we can raise awareness and support the important work of Grapevine and La Viña.



You are invited to:
***An Evening of
Gratitude***

A GRATITUDE DINNER FOR 76 YEARS OF
SUPPORT FROM CENTRAL SERVICE OFFICE
(CSO)

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 22, 2025 | 5:00 P.M. THE
MORGAN'S WONDERLAND EVENT CENTER
5223 DAVID EDWARDS
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\$30 PER PERSON / \$235 PER TABLE (SEATS 8)

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND TO PURCHASE TICKETS
PLEASE SCAN THE QR CODE BELOW

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Estás invitado a:
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Gratitud

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SAN ANTONIO



OCTOBER 4, 2025

FAMILY

FUN

FAIR

NEW CHAIR & NEW LOCATION

**Abiding Presence Lutheran Church
14700 San Pedro Ave,
San Antonio, TX 78232**

Time: 10AM-2PM

● **PRIZES**

● **FAMILY FUN**

● **GAMES**

● **LIVE MUSIC**

● **FOOD BOOTHS**

● **MUCH MORE**

Burning Desires



More info: www.aainsa.org

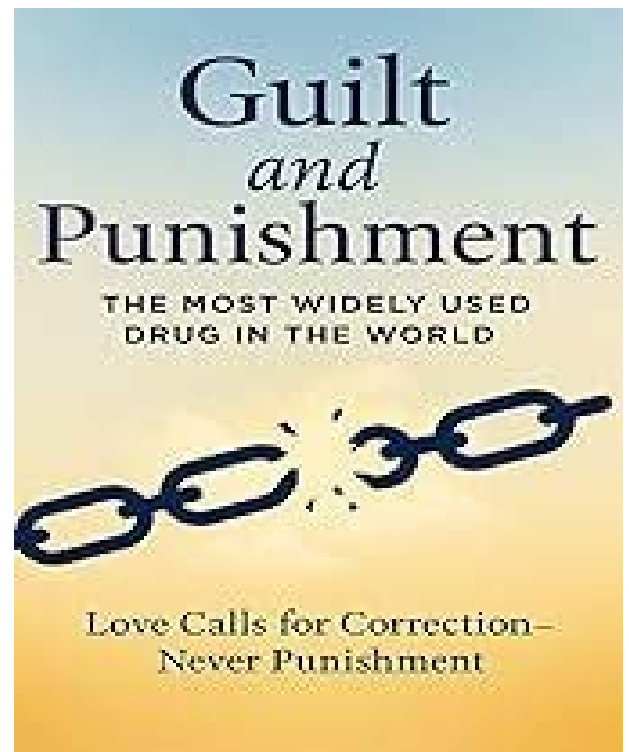
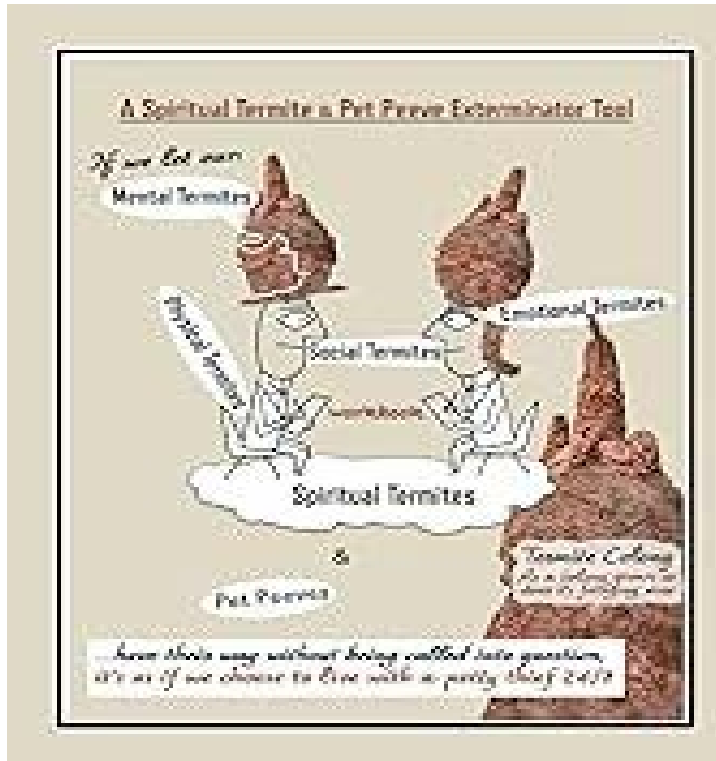
**Call/Text: Ashley S.: 726-210-3319
Co-Chair: William R.: 210-306-9560
Daniel S.: 210-274-9311**

**John M.
DJ & VOICE**



NEW BOOKS BY LOCAL AUTHOR JIM W.

FREE WHILE SUPPLIES LAST



SERMON ON THE MOUNT WORKBOOK

WORKBOOK BASED ON EMMETT POINTS BOOK (ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS)



LET'S PASS IT ON

AL KOHALLEK GOES STEPPING

On A Forty-Day Commitment
6TH Edition

As A Guide Through
The First 164 Pages of Alcoholics Anonymous
Plus

The Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions
This is not for the light-hearted



February 1972

Personality Change

By: D. B. | Glen Gardner, New Jersey

Alcoholic patterns give way to new qualities of behavior

IN THE BOOK *As Bill Sees It--the AA Way of Life*, it is stated, ". . .no true alky ever stops drinking permanently without undergoing a profound personality change."

This statement has frequently puzzled me. Recently, at discussion meetings, I have been led to believe that others also are confused about it. I went to Webster's Dictionary and found these definitions:

"1. Personality--the quality or fact of being a person. 2. Personality--the quality or fact of being a particular person, personal identity; individuality. 3. Personality--habitual patterns and qualities of behavior of any individual as expressed by physical and mental activities and attitudes; distinctive individual qualities of a person considered collectively."

I broke down the third definition into four parts: habitual patterns, qualities of behavior, physical activities, and mental attitudes. Before AA, my habitual patterns and physical activities were from bar to bar and bottle to bottle. My qualities of behavior were, for the most part, lousy; my mental attitudes, for the most part, "stinking thinking."

During my time in AA, much of this has changed. I have no halo, but my wife tells me I am now a pleasure to have around. My physical activities are from meeting to meeting, and my mental attitude is one of gratitude for this gift of sobriety, which I must never take for granted. My habitual patterns include a prayer for guidance each morning and a prayer of thanks each night. My qualities of behavior--and this I even notice myself--are much better.

Hence, I believe I may have attained a personality change, if not profound, very close to it. Like a spiritual awakening, it has unfolded gradually yet firmly. "Stinking thinking" will creep in, but I have always remembered something a teacher once told me: "Thoughts are like birds. You can't stop a bird from flying into your hair, but you can stop him from building a nest there."

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SOUTHWEST REGIONAL FORUM

November 14-16, 2025

Marriott Albuquerque, Albuquerque, NM

You are invited to the Southwest Regional Forum!

PURPOSE OF REGIONAL FORUMS

- Regional Forums are hosted by the General Service Board and “open” to all A.A. members or anyone interested in A.A.
- Regional Forums are designed to enhance trust and communication between A.A. members, the General Service Board, Staff, and Directors from the General Service Office and AA Grapevine.

PROGRAM

- Your Southwest Regional Trustee will moderate the event. You will hear from the General Manager of your General Service Office and Staff Members, General Service Board Trustees, AA Grapevine/La Viña Inc. Publisher and Staff, A.A. World Services, Inc. Director, your regional delegates, and past trustees.
- There will be presentations, workshops, panels, and more. There will also be sharing sessions to allow for comments and questions. A sample program is posted on aa.org/regional-and-local-forums.
- Interpretation will be provided using an AI tool. Please bring your device and headset.
- The event will take place on Friday from 6:30 p.m. through Sunday 12 p.m.

REGISTRATION

- Registration is FREE and will open online at www.aa.org on **Friday, September 12, 2025**
- We are offering a “live audio only” option for attendees who cannot attend in person.
- Pre-registration is encouraged, and on-site registration will be available.

HOTEL INFORMATION

Marriott Albuquerque
2101 Louisiana Blvd NE
Albuquerque, NM 87110

- For hotel reservations: [Marriott Albuquerque Reservations](https://marriott.com/reservations) call (800) 228-9290
Please reference the event - 2025 Southwest Regional Forum Alcoholics Anonymous World Services - to receive the group rate.
- Reservations must be made by **Thursday, October 16, 2025**.
- Rate: Single/Double Occupancy, \$149 per night US

Please know that hotel rooms are limited and will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis, subject to availability. We strongly recommend securing your reservation at your earliest convenience to ensure accommodation.

We look forward to seeing you in Albuquerque!

For more information, please contact, Regional Forums' Staff Coordinator, at regionalforums@aa.org or call (212) 870-3120



HOW TO OPEN A BANK ACCOUNT FOR YOUR GROUP

Apply for an EIN # at [IRS.gov](https://www.irs.gov)

- do a search for a SS4 form
- do not enter non profit
- put in group name as other entity
- AA 12 step group
- IRS will send the number

Pamphlet P-28 (available at the Bookstore)

- 12 Traditions which is your bylaws

A copy of the preamble (available at the Bookstore).

- Mission statement

A copy of Business meeting minutes

- Group name meets on this date at this location
- On this date met
- Motion made, seconded and carried to open bank account at (bank) location with these signers



September 24, 2025

Dear Friends in the AA Fellowship:

Grapevine and La Viña need your help — now more than ever.

For over eight decades AA Grapevine and La Viña, AA's magazines written by us, for us, convey shared experience, strength, and hope from members across the world. Now, beyond the magazines we carry the AA message in many new forms:

- Apps available worldwide in English and Spanish
- A podcast with more than 1.2 million downloads and 24,000 listens per month
- An Instagram community of 15,000 followers
- A YouTube channel with over 16,000 subscribers and 267,000 views
- ASL Videos for the Deaf on our YouTube Channel
- Over 40 books of member stories and writings
- Free content for the incarcerated on prison tablets
- Free print subscriptions for alcoholics in prisons, hospitals and institutions

Grapevine provides the podcast, YouTube channel, Instagram and the prison tablet content free of charge to help alcoholics. Therein lies the challenge: Grapevine's only source of income is from subscriptions and the sale of books. The magazines do not accept individual or group contributions.

Folks often ask how they can support Grapevine. Today, our financial situation is very difficult. With your increased support, a thriving Grapevine and La Viña will continue providing these vital services to alcoholics everywhere. We will also persist in adapting new technologies to carry the AA message.

Here's how you can help Grapevine help others:

1. Subscribe or renew your Grapevine or La Viña subscription today. You can subscribe to the print magazine or online — or subscribe through the apps and read and listen to the magazine right on your smartphone.
2. Ask your group to start a Grapevine or La Viña subscription — or add another.
3. Contribute to the Carry the Message program as an individual or as a group to provide subscriptions to those in need.
4. Tell your friends, home group, district and area that we need subscribers now more than ever.
5. Consider gifting a subscription to someone who could benefit from the AA message.
6. We need help from Area and District trusted servants to reach groups that don't have Grapevine or La Viña — or even know that the magazines exist.



7. Make Grapevine and La Viña part of your local events with workshops and presentations.

Every subscription helps keep the voice of the Fellowship alive for alcoholics who may not be able to get to a meeting but can still hear the message of recovery through our pages, podcasts, videos, and outreach. With your increased support, a thriving Grapevine and La Viña will continue providing these vital services to alcoholics everywhere and once again contribute to the General Service Board Reserve Fund.

Visit our websites to subscribe to the magazine in print or online, to purchase books, or contribute to the Carry the Message program (see links at end of letter).

On the apps, you can download and subscribe to the magazines through the Apple App Store or Google Play on your smartphone, or use the appropriate QR code for your phone, below. The apps have the portable convenience of being able to listen to the magazine audio or the podcast while you work, exercise or travel.

Thank you for your continued love and support. Together, we can make sure that the AA message keeps reaching the next suffering alcoholic—wherever they may be.

In service and fellowship,

Chris C.

Publisher, AA Grapevine, Inc.



SWTA 68 VOTING/ELECTION ASSEMBLY HOSTED BY DISTRICTS 8D & 8E

"...ON THE BROAD HIGHWAY"

Friday, Oct. 10 - Sunday, Oct. 12, 2025

Corpus Christi, Texas



**HOLIDAY INN CORPUS CHRISTI AIRPORT
& CONFERENCE CENTER
WILL OFFER US SPECIAL RATES
AT \$92 + TAX PER NIGHT (CODE: STX)**

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REGISTRATION FEE.....\$15.00

Total Submit.....\$_____

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District 8-D



Address: District 8D
P.O. Box 61135
Corpus Christi, Tx.
78466

SWTA 68 Asamblea de Votación/Elección ORGANIZADO POR LOS DISTRITOS 8D Y 8E

"...POR EL CAMINO ANCHO..."

Viernes 10 de Octubre - Domingo 12 de Octubre 2025

Corpus Christi, Texas



**Holiday Inn Corpus Christi
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Tel: 361-289-5100

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Ciudad, estado _____
Grupo Base _____
Puesto de servicio _____
Tel./Email _____

TARIFA DE INSCRIPCIÓN ... \$15.00

Envío total \$_____
**Escribir y enviar cheque o giro
postal a:**



Distrito 8-D



**Dirección: Distrito 8D
P.O. Box 61135
Corpus Christi, Texas 78466**



TURNING POINT GROUP FRIDAY NIGHT SPEAKERS

St. Thomas Episcopal Church
1416 North Loop 1604 East
San Antonio, Texas 78232

OCTOBER

10/3	ROBBY S.	TURNING POINT
10/10	RAY T.	TURNING POINT
10/17	KEVIN H.	TURNING POINT
10/24	RANDY M.	TURNING POINT
10/31	BIRTHDAY NIGHT WITH CAKE	

SHANE S. HOSTS

11AM SUNDAY SPEAKER

OCT. 5: WAYNE G.

OCT. 12: MICHAEL R.

OCT. 19: SYBIL W. (AL-ANON)

SAM K. (AA)

OCT. 26: JAKE P.

LOCATION:

102 THAMES DR,
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78216

ZOOM: 157-501-938

PASSWORD: 1212

SEAKER MEETINGS

Chicago Group

Shavano Baptist Church
5047 De Zavala Road

SATURDAY 7PM
OPEN SPEAKER
OCTOBER SPEAKERS

10/4	Daniel M.	Group 12
10/11	Jackie A.	Group 12
10/18	Jake K.	Colonies North
10/25	Marlena	NorthWood





2025 Club12 Save the Date

OCTOBER

- **FAMILY FUN FAIR @ ABIDING PRESENCE LUTHERAN CHURCH**
Saturday, 10.4.25 @ 10am-2pm: Live Music, Family Fun, Food Booths, Games, Prizes & More!
- **OPEN MIC** Saturday, 10.25.25 @ 9pm-11pm: Open Mic Night
- **FAMILY EVENT** Friday, 10.31.25 @ 4pm-6pm: Treasure or Treat
- **DANCE** Friday, 10.31.25 @ 8pm-11pm: Halloween Boo Bash

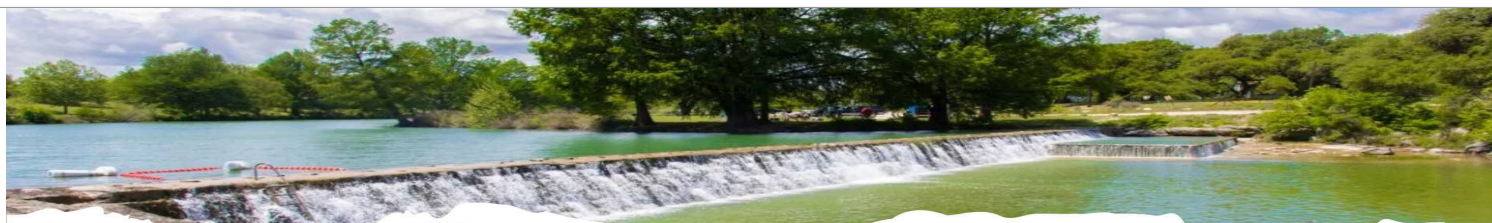
NOVEMBER

- **BINGO** Saturday, 11.8.25 @ 6:30-9:30pm: Bingo & Blessings
- **OPEN MIC** Saturday, 11.22.25 @ 9pm-11pm: Open Mic Night
- **THANKSGIVING** Thursday, 11.27.25: Club 12 Thanksgiving Day Lunch

DECEMBER

- **BINGO** Saturday, 12.20.25 @ 6:30-9:30pm: Christmas Bingo
- **CHRISTMAS** Wednesday, 12.24.25 - Thursday, 12.30.25: Seven Days of Christmas (lunch Christmas Day, dinner all other days)
- **DANCE** Wednesday, 12.31.25 @ 9pm-1am: New Years Eve Bash!





37TH BLANCO

SPIRITUAL RETREAT



October 10th, 11th, and 12th

101 Park Road, Blanco, Tx. 78606

Reservations: texasreserveworld.com

Ph: (512) 389-8990

Blanco State Park Entrance Fee: \$5/children 5 years and younger are free

**Bake Sale
Saturday**

**\$20 Registration Fee
per person**

**Raffle Drawing
Sat @ 8pm**

Speakers:

AA: Louie T. - Fri 7pm

Al-Anon: Marianna G. - Sat 2pm

AA: Alicia B. - Sat 7pm

Campfire meeting Friday and Saturday - 9:00 pm

Men's and Women's morning meeting - Saturday - 10:00am

Meals

Friday 5:30: Chili Dogs

Saturday 8:30am: Breakfast Tacos

Saturday 5:30pm: BBQ Chicken

Have questions? Call-
Steven M. - (830) 500-8474
George T. - (512) 850-8953
Deborah T. - (830)4811204



Spirit of the Pines

Weekend Retreat



When: Oct. 10-12, 2025

(4pm Oct. 10 to 12pm Oct.12)

Where: Camp Olympia in Trinity, TX

Cost includes cabins and all meals:

\$140 - Mailed registration*

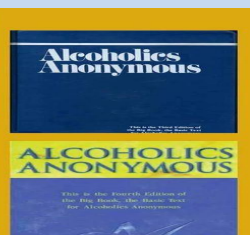
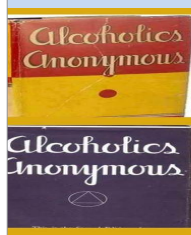
\$145 - Online registration

\$155 - Onsite registration at the door

*Forms available to print from website at www.spiritofthepines.org

Registration opens
August 22, 2025 at
www.spiritofthepines.org

For more information contact:
Angela P. 972-672-2965



Additional info:

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

Available Activities:

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

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



ACCEPTANCE GROUP

Birthday Night/Speaker Meeting

Thurs. 10/16/25

@7pm

Speaker: Paul B.

Schertz Methodist Church

FM3009 & Green Valley Rd (3460 Roy Richard Dr)

Schertz, 78154





HANG TOGETHER OR DIE SEPARATELY

HOUSTON, TEXAS

OCTOBER 24TH - 26th 2025



Rooms just \$110 a night
FREE 24hr shuttle from Hobby Airport
FREE breakfast buffet with your stay

Book at:

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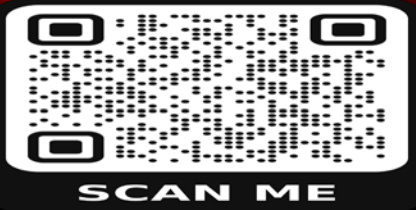
CLUB12 PRESENTS

SAT., OCTOBER 25TH
9PM - 11PM

OPEN MIC
NIGHT

HAVE A SPECIAL SKILL YOU
WANT TO SHOWCASE?

Sing? Dance? Play an Instrument? Think
you're funny? Juggle? Rap? Act?
Show off your stuff!



Fill out this form
to sign up to
perform by
Thursday,
October 23rd!

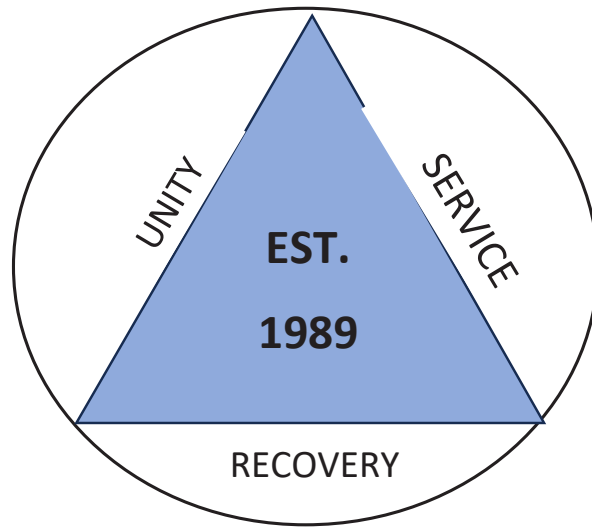


Club12 | 102 Thames Drive, San Antonio, TX 78216



36th ANNIVERSARY
KIRBY GROUP
ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

**LET
GO**



**LET
GOD**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2025

7:00 DINNER & FELLOWSHIP

KIRBY WILL BE DOING THE MAIN COURSE

POTLUCK: BRING FAVORITE SIDE DISH OR DESERT

8:00 SPEAKER MEETING

Kirby Baptist Church

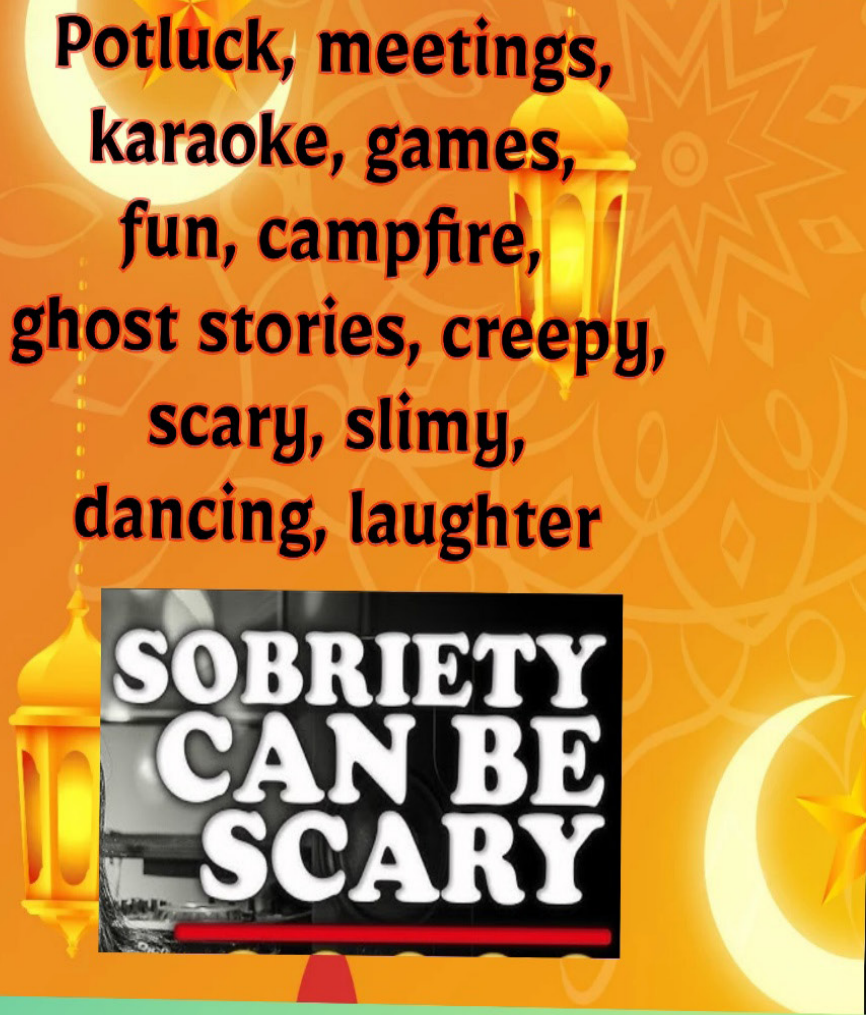
5114 Old Seguin Rd.

San Antonio, Tx 78219



Big Halloween/Birthday Bash
Schertz Cibolo, 1201 Oak Street
Saturday, Oct 25, 6pm

**Potluck, meetings,
karaoke, games,
fun, campfire,
ghost stories, creepy,
scary, slimy,
dancing, laughter**



**SOBRIETY
CAN BE
SCARY**



Costume contest

Prizes

**Eat 6pm
Meeting 7pm
Party 8pm**





Seguin Group

2365 Huber Rd Seguin Tx,
78155

FALL DANCE

October 25th 2025

Pot Luck Starts @ 6pm

...

Campfire Meeting @ 7pm

Dessert Auction/ Raffle @ 8pm

Dance @ 9pm

Call Jamie M.
For Questions
830-340-5926



DISTRICT 16 PRESENTS

THE THREE LEGACIES

NOVEMBER 9TH, 2PM - 5PM

RECOVERY | UNITY | SERVICE

EVENT DETAILS

Come join us for a speaker event on the three legacies of Alcoholics Anonymous and their history. Speakers include Carly C., Michael D., Camille P., and KC H.

SAVE THE DATE!

LOCATION TO BE
DETERMINED

Colonies North Group

Breakfast and Snacks Provided

WORKSHOP

"Gratitude In Action"

Living the Step Three Decision

Facilitated By:
Judith R.



Session 1
My Misadventures in Playing God

Session 2
Houston We Have a Problem

Session 3
Ctrl + Alt + Surrender
Rebooting Life on Step 3

10226 Ironside Dr. San Antonio, TX 78230



District 17 Picnic Postponed Until Spring 2026

- District 17 Picnic originally scheduled for Saturday, November 8, 2025 has been postponed until Spring 2026.
- The incoming panel in 2026 will set the new date.
- Please keep an eye out for updates!
- We sincerely apologize for the change and appreciate your understanding.



4TH DIMENSION



Meetings: Mondays at 7:00 PM
Amazing Grace Lutheran Church
12525 Potranco Rd
Format: Literature Based



Woman's Journey

Dec. 5-7, 2025

"Recovery is about reclaiming our own lives"

REGISTRATION

\$250 Early Bird
\$265 AFTER Aug 29
REGISTRATION ENDS Oct 24
REGISTER AT
WOMANSJOURNEYTX.COM

INCLUDES

- Two nights hotel-style lodging
- Three meals on Saturday
- Sunday Breakfast
- Coffee and Snacks
- Speakers and Workshops
- All Activities



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MORANCH.ORG

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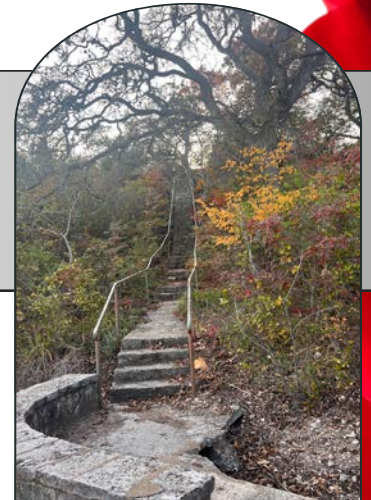
LOCATION

MORE INFO

- Pre-Order T-Shirts and Sweatshirts By Oct 1, 2025
- Limited scholarships available, apply at www.womansjourneytx.com
- Speakers: Friday night - Melissa AA Charleston, SC
Sat. Night - Jennifer Al-Anon SATX
Sun. Morning - Amanda AA Charleston, SC

SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE!

- Speaker Meetings
- Interactive Workshops
- Raffle Prizes
- Yoga
- Group Dining
- Karaoke
- Crafts
- Guided Meditations
- Candlelight Meetings
- Hospitality Room
- Campfire Meeting
- Hill Country Hikes



HIGHLIGHTS

About Us

Woman's Journey Texas is a retreat for women in AA and Alanon to share their journey toward recovery and spiritual renewal.



Questions?

www.womansjourneytx.com

Contact Kelsey at 210-363-8331

Or Email us at womansjourneytx@gmail.com





35th Anniversary at Serendipity (the Dip)

*Dress
to the
9's!
(dress up!)*

Saturday, December 13
at the beautiful Brown Hall

Episcopal Church of Reconciliation
8900 Starcrest Dr. ~ SA TX 78217



5:30 Dinner & Potluck

Meeting: 6:30

Speaker: 7:00

To Be Announced

Sobriety Countdown 8:00

8:30 Game Night and on until dance

9:30 Dance

*Featuring
Sobriety
Soundtrack
(all your favorites)*



***Central Service Office Representatives
Meeting Minutes Hybrid Meeting
Monday September 15th, 2025***

Matt called the meeting to order and opened with the Serenity Prayer.

Sarah B. Read from CSOR sign-in sheet & call on those joining on Zoom:

She asked the CSOR's to please announce any changes in schedule, location, or events upcoming:

-Schertz/Cibolo Group's 7pm meeting on Sundays has changed format to a Literature Meeting: Big Book Stories.

-Club 12 will be hosting a Back to Basics workshop starting on the 1st Thursday of October; see What's Happening for more details.

Introduce Board Trustees.

Introduce Service Committee Chairs.

Reviewed and approved July minutes.

Board Financial Report: Galen reported that SA CSO financials are in good standing. Total contributions were \$5,451 for the month, and sales revenue totaled \$14,138.98.

Financial Report was approved.

Service Opportunity Reports from Inter-Service Representatives: The Inter-Service Committee is looking for someone to serve as a Treatment Facilities Representative, contact Christy for more information.

§ Treatment/H&I-

§ CFC- Kiki reported that Club 12 will be hosting a free Spaghetti Dinner to promote the CFC on September 20th at 6:30 PM; CFC members and volunteers will be available to answer any questions about service work with the CFC.

§ Grapevine/La Vina-

§ Accessibility-

§ The Archives- Christy reported that the September Archives workshop was a success; thank you to Serendipity Group for hosting.



§ After Hours Telephone Committee- Andreana reported all shifts for the Helpline are currently filled, but volunteers for alternates are always needed. The Helpline was able to assist 333 alcoholics who reached out for help in August.

§ Nominating Committee: Virginia reported that the CSO will be holding an election in November to select 4 new board members. Sobriety requirement of 5 years. Contact Virginia or the Central Office for more information or to obtain nomination forms.

CSO Board Chairperson Report: Reviewed minutes from August Board meeting.

-Jim will be meeting with the CSO accountant to go over the budget. The Board voted to increase the Bequest Contributions limit to \$12k.

-A question was raised about shipping options listed on the CSO Gala tickets; ignore shipping, ticket purchasers are placed on a master list and do not need physical tickets. Tables for the Gala are sold out, but individual tickets are still available on the CSO webstore.

CSO Managers Report: Jim reported that a new printer has been ordered which will save about \$200 a month on printing costs. Literature and chip prices will likely increase soon due to tariffs. An anonymous donor provided funding to pay for a new computer with a graphics card for the office to handle publishing needs.

Old Business:

No old business.

New Business:

No new business.

Motion to Adjourn.

Matt closed the meeting with the Lord's Prayer.



***Fresh Start Group
Winners Club
5413 Bandera Rd #406
Everyday 7pm
In Person-Open-Big Book***

***Halt @ Tezel Road Group
Northwest Hills Methodist Church
Portable Bldg behind Church
7575 Tezel Rd
Every day except Wed- see aasanantonio.org***

***Helotes Nooners Group
Forest Hills Presbyterian Church
13200 Bandera Rd
Helotes TX 78023
Monday through Friday***

***Live Love Laugh Group
St Francis Episcopal Church
4242 Bluemel
Thursday at 8:15pm***

***Women of Wonder Group
The Center
8807 Wurzbach, Bldg P
Wednesday, 7 PM
In-Person, Open, Meditation***

***Woman's Big Book Group
Alamo Heights UMC
825 E Basse Rd, Room 100
Wednesday 6:30 PM In-Person, Big
Book, Women***

***Tuesday Night Big Book Group
Alamo Heights UMC
825 E Basse Rd, Room 100
Tuesday 7:30 PM
Hybrid-see aasanantonio.org for ID***

***The Beacon Hill AA Group
Fr Vincent Pena Community Center
1334 W Ashby Place, Room 313B
Mon and Sat 7 pm; Wednesday 7 pm
online only***



***Acceptance Group
Schertz United Methodist Church
3460 FM 3009, Room 106
Schertz, Tx 78154
7 pm Tuesday, Thursday & Friday***

***Airport Group
Christ Lutheran Church
6720 Broadway
Wednesday, 7:00 PM Open, BB and
12x12***

***Mostly Agnostics
Daily
ON LINE
see aasanantonio.org***

***Colonies North
Daily ON LINE
see aasanantonio.org***

***After Hours Virtual Group
Daily ON LINE
see aasanantonio.org***

***Grupo Primera Vez
5139 West Avenue
Monday thru Saturday 8:00 PM
In Person-Open -Discussion-Spanish***

***Grupo Santa Fe- Spanish Helpline
210-409-8524
3814 S Flores St
Mon-Sat 8pm Sun 6pm***

***Grupo Volver a Vivir-
Spanish Helpline # 210-409-8524
722 Balcones Heights
Mon-Fri 7:30pm***



GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS

Name	YTD	Septem-ber		Name	YTD	Septem-ber
A Woman's Way to A.A. Group	100			A Woman's Way to A.A. Group	100	
Abundance Happy Hour Group	150			Abundance Happy Hour Group	150	
Acceptance Group	110			Acceptance Group	110	
A-General	360	35		A-General	360	35
Airport Group (San Antonio)	150	150		Airport Group (San Antonio)	150	150
Alamo Heights Group	225			Alamo Heights Group	225	
Amistad Group	400	50		Amistad Group	400	50
Bandera Group	189			Bandera Group	189	
Blanco Group	150			Blanco Group	150	
Board of Trustees-CSO	131	34		Board of Trustees-CSO	131	34
Boerne AA Zoom Meetings	170			Boerne AA Zoom Meetings	170	
Boerne Hwy Group	50	25		Boerne Hwy Group	50	25
Boerne Noon Group	1,836			Boerne Noon Group	1,836	
Boerne Sunday Nite Group	300			Boerne Sunday Nite Group	300	
Boerne Womens Group	210			Boerne Womens Group	210	
B-Online	6			B-Online	6	
Can't Do It Alone	50			Can't Do It Alone	50	
Can't Do It Alone Group	150	100		Can't Do It Alone Group	150	100
Chicago Group	100			Chicago Group	100	
Club 12	20			Club 12	20	
Colonies North Group	500			Colonies North Group	500	
Courage 2 Change Group (Canyon Lake)	279			Courage 2 Change Group (Canyon Lake)	279	
CSO-CSOR's	193	20		CSO-CSOR's	193	20
Dam River Group (Canyon Lake)	150	50		Dam River Group (Canyon Lake)	150	50
Design For Living Group	179			Design For Living Group	179	
District 01A	275			District 01A	275	
First One Today Group	641	120		First One Today Group	641	120
First Things First Group	3,370			First Things First Group	3,370	
Freedom Group	435			Freedom Group	435	
FROGG Group	173			FROGG Group	173	
Generic Thursday Night	335			Generic Thursday Night	335	
Gruene Road Group	395			Gruene Road Group	395	
Grupo Santa Fe	60			Grupo Santa Fe	60	
Grupo Tres Legados	100			Grupo Tres Legados	100	
Grupo Un Paso Hacia Adelante	24			Grupo Un Paso Hacia Adelante	24	
Grupo Unidad	60	30		Grupo Unidad	60	30
Guilbeau Group	206			Guilbeau Group	206	
Helotes Big Book Step Study Meeting	33			Helotes Big Book Step Study Meeting	33	
Helotes Nooners	64			Helotes Nooners	64	
High Rise AA Group	29			High Rise AA Group	29	
Highland Group	714			Highland Group	714	
Jaywalkers Group	170			Jaywalkers Group	170	
Keep It Simple Group	152			Keep It Simple Group	152	
Kirby Group	50			Kirby Group	50	
La Vernia Group	300			La Vernia Group	300	
Lambda Group (SA)	500			Lambda Group (SA)	500	
Laurel Heights Group	100			Laurel Heights Group	100	
GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS	36,997	2,994		INDIVIDUAL CONTRIBUTIONS	29,171	1,460



October 2025

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

Oct 4th	Family Fun Fair - Abiding Presence Lutheran Church
Oct 16th	Acceptance Night Speaker Meeting 7 pm
Oct 25th	Schertz/Cibolo Halloween / Birthday Bash 6 pm
Oct 26th	SA Inter-Service - Jeff S- 3:30 PM - St Francis Episcopal Church 4242 Bluemel
	Zoom Hybrid 841 6059 5671 PW SAIS25
	contact committees directly for meeting info - sanantoniointerservice.org
Contact DCM for Info	Dist 1A Mtg - DCM-district1a@aa-swta.org; Dist 16 Mtg- DCM-district16@aa-swta.org
	Dist 17 Mtg-DCM district17@swta.org Dist 18 Mtg-DCM district18@swta.org
	Dist 1F Mtg- DCM- 210-365-1524 Dist 28 Mtg- DCM-210-665-4493
	Dist 1E- DCM- daupllar@yahoo.com Dist 2- DCM- district02@aa-swta.org
	Dist 12- DCM- district12@aa-swta.org; Intergrupala Hispana - en español- 210-533-9770
Oct 29th	Northeast Sunrise Group 3rd Anniversary 6:30 AM
Oct 30th	Kirby Group 36th Anniversary 7 pm
2025 San Antonio Future Events	
Nov 1st	Gratitude In Action Workshop - Colonies North Group 9 am - 1 pm
Nov 9th	3 Legacies Workshop details upcoming 2 - 5 pm
Nov 22nd	CSO Gala - Morgan's Wonderland 5 pm
Dec 13th	Serendipity Group 35th Anniversary 5:30 - ??
April 11th, 2026	AA in SA - Abiding Presence Lutheran Church
2025 Events Out of Town	
Oct 10th- 12th	Area 68 Fall Assembly in Corpus Christie
Oct 10 - 12	Spirit in the Pines Retreat in Trinity TX
Oct 10 - 12	37th Blanco Spiritual Retreat - Blanco State Park
Oct 24th - 26th	TXSCYPAA 44 - Young People's Conference in Houston
Oct 25th	Seguin Group Fall Pot Luck & Dance 6 pm - ??
Nov 14th - 16th	Southwest Regional Forum Albuquerque, NM
Dec 5 - 7	Women's Journey Retreat - Mo Ranch in Hunt TX
January 2026	Area 68 Winter Workshop Del Rio

