



HCI NEWSLETTER—Q226

Bookstore

Hours

- Mon—Fri: 10:00—6:00

Items For Sale

- Conference Approved literature
- Chips and medallions

Office Volunteers

Bruce U.	Marty C..
Mike N.	Ana C.
John B.	Mindy M.
Mark G.	Lisa B.
Tracy L.	Shannan B.

Office News

Wednesday **Discount Days** continue to benefit groups and treatment facilities. HCI has gifted over \$6,073 in discounts since the program began. Shop on Wednesday and save 15% on everything in the store.

Special Events

HCI is hosting a Legacy Dinner August 29th with support of area groups and HCI board who is donating and smoking the brisket. The event will be at Covenant Hall. Check with your Intergroup REP or the HCI office for details and tickets

Area Events:

Check the links in this newsletter and the event page of the HCI website. There's always something going on in the area. If you have an event you want posted, please submit a PDF flyer to the office inbox (austinaa@gmail.com)

Money & Spirituality

The world is going “cashless”. If your group isn’t using a cashless app., consider using one. My preference is:

Home Group Online others are **Venmo**, **Cash App**, **Zelle**, **PayPal**:

Meeting Space Available

The Dale Community Center has comfortable space with full kitchen. Call Jerry West, DCC Director, 512.787.4068 if you’re interested or would like more information.

GSO Recommended Links

- **[Twelve Concepts For World Services Video](#)**
- **[Our Primary Purpose: GSO Podcast](#)**

AREA EVENTS: Click for events posted on HCI website

District Websites

- **[District 2](#)**
- **[District 3C](#)**
- **[District 3B](#)**
- **[District 4](#)**
- **[District 22](#)**
- **[District 29](#)**

Area 68 Event Calendar

Birthday Gift Giving

GSO and HCI both have envelopes that allow AA members to make a gift in celebration of their sobriety. People give \$1, \$5, \$10, or more for every year of sobriety. You can pick-up envelopes at the office.

HCI Financial Update

HCI enjoyed (3) quarters in the **black**, (1) QTR in the **RED** Higher margins in Q126 is a result of buying large quantities of books before the AAWS price increase. Your donations keep us going. **THANK YOU!**

HCI Financial Summary				
	Q225 AVG	Q325 AVG	Q425 AVG	Q126 AVG
Store				
Total Sales	\$ 8,127.31	\$ 7,941.17	\$ 8,292.96	\$ 8,933.00
Cost of Good Sold	\$ (6,958.60)	\$ (7,160.00)	\$ (7,330.35)	\$ (6,946.00)
Store Income	\$ 1,168.71	\$ 781.17	\$ 962.60	\$ 1,987.00
Total # of Transactions	135	112	128	127
Profit Margin	14.30%	9.3%	12%	21.70%
Donations				
Group	\$ 7,030.98	\$ 5,717.23	\$ 8,817.57	\$ 7,505.33
Individual	\$ 1,651.42	\$ 147.83	\$ 1,198.37	\$ 347.75
Event	\$ -	\$ (138.33)		\$ -
Birthday	\$ 538.00		\$ 13.33	\$ 50.00
Total	\$ 10,524.25	\$ 6,517.93	\$ 10,991.88	\$ 9,979.83
Operations				
Expenses	\$ (8,223.30)	\$ (8,265.21)	\$ (8,671.01)	\$ (8,946.75)
Interest Income				\$ 38.33
Net Income	\$ 2,165.81	\$ (1,793.80)	\$ 2,358.62	\$ 1,071.41

Hotline Volunteers & Intergroup REPs

HCI serves over 230 groups but has < (30) IGRs serving on the Intergroup REP Counsel. If your group doesn't have a IGR, please elect one.

The new HCI phone system changes how the hotline is managed—no more group hotline assignments—all transfers are done in software by MGT and we need more hotline volunteers. Contact the office if you want to sign up. Call {512.444.0071} or email {austinaa@gmail.com}.

YTD Donations

Group	YTD \$\$\$	Group	YTD \$\$\$
12 @ 12 - 3C	\$ 1,800.00	Lambda Live and Let Live - 3B	\$ 296.10
1313 Group - 3C	\$ 220.46	Lambda South - 3C	\$ 262.78
617 Foundation - 3C	\$ 3.50	Lampasas AA - 13	\$ 400.00
A Vision For Us - 3C	\$ 90.00	Legacies Group - 29	\$ 50.00
A Way Out - 3C	\$ 67.00	Liar's Club - 3C	\$ 200.00
Allandale Group - 3B	\$ 690.00	Little Big Book Group - 3C	\$ 180.00
Back To Basics - 13	\$ 130.00	Mesa Group - 3B	\$ 83.25
Bee Creek Group - 13	\$ 350.00	Miracles - 3B	\$ 197.88
Being Convinced - 22	\$ 462.00	Monday Night Speaker Meeting - 2	\$ 10.16
Bluebonnet - 3B	\$ 61.51	No Reservations - 13	\$ 50.00
Bridge to Shore Group - 3C	\$ 1,043.19	Not A Glum Lot - 2	\$ 8.50
Buda Group - 2	\$ 350.00	Rockdale Peace Seekers - 22	\$ 26.01
Burnet Noon AA - 13	\$ 741.00	Saturday Morning Serenity - 3B	\$ 125.63
Central Group - 3B	\$ 100.00	Shoulder 2 Shoulder - 2	\$ 110.51
Copperas Cove AA - D5	\$ 61.47	So What, Now What? - 3B	\$ 398.79
Desire To Stop - 3C	\$ 3,507.00	Step Brothers Group - 13	\$ 100.00
District 13	\$ 300.00	Sunshine Group - 22	\$ 105.00
East Austin Group - 3B	\$ 258.90	The 164 Group - 22	\$ 240.00
Firemakers - 3C	\$ 640.00	The Great Fact - 3C	\$ 589.00
Fourth Dimension Group - 3C	\$ 313.09	The Members Eye - 22	\$ 100.00
Friday Night Lights - 3B	\$ 80.00	The Next Step - 22	\$ 97.74
Georgetown Group - 22	\$ 720.00	The Nooner Literature Group - 3C	\$ 105.00
Giddings Group - 29	\$ 270.00	Triangle Group - 3C	\$ 101.00
Graceland Group - 22	\$ 458.61	Unity Group - 3B	\$ 1,500.00
Higher Power Hour - 3B	\$ 850.00	Voices Carry - 3B	\$ 100.00
Hope Group - 22	\$ 1,125.00	Way of Life - 3B	\$ 209.70
Horseshoe Bay Group - 13	\$ 75.00	We Agnostics - 3C	\$ 5.00
Individual Donation	\$ 150.00	Western Trails - 3C	\$ 623.61
Keep First Things First - 3C	\$ 1,734.60	Westlake AA - 3C	\$ 600.00
Keep It Simple Sisters - 3C	\$ 625.34	What It's Like Now - 3B	\$ 370.00
KFTF Online - 3C	\$ 472.00	Willing To Be Willing - 22	\$ 100.00
Lake Travis Serenity - 3C	\$ 600.00	Wimberley Group - 2	\$ 300.00
Lakeview Group - 22	\$ 280.69	Women's Daily Reflections - 3B	\$ 116.00
Lakeway Keystone Group - 3C	\$ 2,550.00	Online Donation	\$ 300.00

HCI supports over 230 groups on our website. We received donations from 120 groups in 2025, up from 110 in 2024. **Thank You!** Group donations keep our doors open.