

Eastern Idaho Sobriety Corner

January 1

2021

Alcoholics Anonymous

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Happy New Year!

Intergroup Officers

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(GSO) Website
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The Grapevine

www.aagrapevine.org

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(*in cooperation, not
affiliation)

District Contact Information

District 6 Chair

Marjri M.
208-520-6645

Special AA Committees

Support for individual
Suffering alcoholics is
provided by the following
AA committees:

Hospitals and Institutions (H&I)

H&I Chair/Liaison

Chris P.
208-821-2694

H&I Secretary

- Open Position

H&I Treasurer

- Open Position

Community Reintroduction Center (CRC) Liaison

Keith J.
208-521-4080

3-B Detention Center Liaison

Mike C.
208-520-3145

Men's Jail Liaison

Chris P.
208-821-2694

Women's Jail Liaison

Julie S. - 208-206-2273
Debra M.- 208-705-5119

Wood Pilot/Work Release Liaison

Chris P.
208-821-2694

Blackfoot South Liaison

Volunteer Needed

Public Information

CPC/PI
Mike W.
208-710-6484

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Intergroup Mission

Officers are elected by sitting Intergroup members; members are selected during "group conscience" meeting of participating AA groups. In keeping with Tradition Two, these officers do not govern the individual groups; rather they serve the needs of the AA community, providing necessary services and support of various activities and programs seemed appropriate by the membership. The purpose of Intergroup is to safeguard the Twelve Traditions of AA, serve the local groups, help provide unity between groups and perform acts as stated in the bylaws.

Committee Meeting Schedule – Please attend a District, Intergroup or Committee Meeting to get involved

District 6

1st Tuesday of each month 7:00 p.m. Serenity Hall – Downstairs

Intergroup

1st Thursday of each month 6:45 p.m. Serenity Hall – Upstairs

IFYPAA

2nd Sunday of each month 2:00 p.m. @The Villa Coffeehouse

CPC/CI Committee

2nd Tuesday of each month 7:00-8:00 p.m. Serenity Hall – Downstairs

Hospitals & Institutions Committee

3rd Tuesday of each month 7:00 p.m. Serenity Hall – Downstairs

Addresses

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Serenity Hall Information

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MEETING GROUP	GROUP CONSCIENCE	Celebrate Birthdays
The Buzz	1 st Saturday	
Clean and Sober	3 rd Saturday	Last Saturday
Coffee Break	3 rd Saturday	Last Saturday
Grace & Mercy	1 st Sunday	Varying Sundays
Grapevine	2 nd Sunday	Last Sunday
Great News	3 rd Friday	Last Friday
Happy Meals	2 nd Thursday	Last Thursday
IFYPAA	2 nd Saturday	
Just Stay	2 nd Thursday	Last Friday
Lincoln Group		Last Friday
Lunch Bunch	3 rd Friday	Last Friday
New Hope & Inspiration	1 st Monday	3 rd Monday
Third Tradition	2 nd Tuesday	Last Tuesday

Changes or Additions email
aaifnews@gmail.com

**District AA 6 Meeting Minutes
December 1, 2020**

Marjri M., - DCM, opened the meeting at 7:02 PM with the Serenity Prayer, the Twelve Traditions were read.

Attendees: Marjri M. - DCM, Jim T.- Secretary, Debbie S. -Treasurer, Julie A. – Big Book, Chris W. - Lunch Bunch, Casey L. -Grapevine, Laurie C. -3rd Tradition, Joey B. – Great News, Mike P.-Coffee Break, Mike W. - CPC-PI Chair, Marv W. - Great News member, and Brad S. – New Hope and Inspiration.

Treasurer’s report - See attached report. Moved to approve, seconded and approved report. District 6 FY20 Budget is in progress.

Secretary’s Report – Minutes of October meeting presented and approved.

DCM Report –report??????????

GROUP REPORTS

- Coffee Break – Mike P. Running fine; are meeting in person.
- Grapevine – Casey W. Running fine; are meeting in person.
- Great News- Joey B. Running fine; meeting online.
- New Hope and Inspiration – Good attendance, things well.
- 3rd Tradition - Laurie C., Meeting in person and trying to follow CoVid guidelines.
- Big Book – Julie A. Good, with smaller attendance.
- Lunch Bunch – Chris W. and Jim T. Good attendance at in person meetings. (MWF)

SPECIAL SERVICE COMMITTEES:

H & I – have plenty of literature; no access to jail and institutions because of CoVid.

CPC/PI – Had to cancel talks at schools because of CoVid, but have definite interest in resuming after CoVid restrictions gone.

Archivist – No report. CoVid sickness- Keep Brian in your prayers.

Grapevine – No report

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Spring workshop is a go format and date to be determined Outside – June?
2. Poster for Newsletter for announcing Alt. DCM opening for past GSRs. - Jim T./ Marv W..
3. Fiscal year Budget – In Preparation.

NEW BUSINESS:

None.

Adjourned at 7:35 (New record) with the Responsibility statement.

Intergroup Meeting Minutes – DEC 2020

A very heartfelt thank you to all of those who volunteered to run the Christmas and New Year Alc-a-thons ...it can't be done without YOU!!!

The city has decided that by Aug next year, Serenity Hall will no longer be able to host meetings. The city did state they will help look/find a place.

Attending: Mark B.-Chair, Shelley D.-Treasurer, Teresa D.-Entertainment Chair, Benji-Great News, Justin-visitor

Account Balances:

General, \$826.66

Entertainment: \$907.12

Donations: Great News – \$57.20

Thank you to all who donated, your generosity is very much appreciated 😊

Accounts paid: Century link - \$59.54

Minutes read for November – motion made to accept – accepted

New Business:

Entertainment: Santa will be at Serenity Hall DEC 12th-3:30-5:00pm

Hotline: Claudia reports it's going great!

Literature – no report

Third Tradition has \$11.00 to give to Lenny for books

Treasurer: Rent for Serenity Hall paid through July 2021 - \$70.00

P.O. Box due JAN 2021- \$106.00

Darius will help with Santa at Serenity Hall on DEC12th

Mark will get ahold of Lenny to get Literature report

Mark may have cups for Alc-a-thons

Mark is researching what the prudent reserve is for Intergroup

Serenity prayer was said to close the meeting



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MEETING NEWS

Progressive Group – Sundays @ 7:00pm– Serenity Hall (downstairs)

Third Tradition is meeting Tuesdays @ 7:00pm (570 South Woodruff) – limited seating – this is a CLOSED meeting

Happy Meals is meeting at Dixie’s Diner Tuesday and Thursday at 11:30am – **limited seating available**

Great News is still meeting virtually on ZOOM:
Wednesday-MEETING ID – 97108300020 - PASSCODE – PAGE17
Friday – MEETING ID- 92023872465 - PASSCODE- PAGE17

LINCOLN GROUP is meeting in person – Friday’s at 8:00pm – downstairs at Serenity Hall

Grace and Mercy - Sunday’s @ 1200pm – The Center for Hope *this is a closed meeting*

Lunch Bunch has resumed regular meetings at a NEW location – The Center for Hope – on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 11:30am

New Hope and Inspiration is meeting every Monday night at 7:30pm at the Bridge Church.

Big Book meeting – Monday’s at 7:00pm at Center for Hope

CHECK MEETING SCHEDULE FOR MORE MEETING DAYS AND TIMES 😊

Each group should submit monthly Birthdays to aafnews@gmail.com by the 20th of each month for inclusion in the Newsletter.



January Birthdays

<u>Clean and Sober</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Happy Meals</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Just Stay</u>	<u>Years</u>
Doug H.	36	JoAnn C.	10	Scott Y.	40
Joanna H.	13	Gerry B.	1	Renee	13
Brandon H.	11			Thomas C.	5
Rob Rob	9			Ben B.	3
				Kellie G.	3
		<u>New Hope & Inspiration</u>	<u>Years</u>	Danno	2
<u>Lincoln Group</u>	<u>Years</u>	Buttons B.	36		
Ron H.	40	Chris W.	29	<u>Lunch Bunch</u>	<u>Years</u>
Vicky H.	22	John B.	24	Scott Y.	40
Ken C.	20	Jenn B.	5	Jim T.	34
Jason G.	11	Craig P.	2	Cris W.	29
Mark W.	11				
Doug W.	11				
Roland B.	8				