

Eastern Idaho Sobriety Corner

April 1

2021

Alcoholics Anonymous

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Step 4 Spiritual Principle-

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Intergroup Officers

Chair:

Mark B.

Alt. Chair:

Darius C.

Treasurer:

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Other Contact Information

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www.idahoarea18.org

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www.aa.org

The Grapevine

www.aagrapevine.org

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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

Serenity Hall

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Serenity Hall Information

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Changes or Additions email
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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
Turning Point	3 rd Sunday	

**District AA 6 Meeting Minutes
March 2021**

No meeting due to lack of quorum

Intergroup Meeting Minutes – MARCH 2021

Attending: Mark B.-Chair, Shelley D.-Treasurer, Teresa D.-Entertainment Chair,
Mike W.-Secretary, Lenny F.-Literature, Steve-Lunch Bunch, Buttons-New Hope and
Inspiration

Treasurer report:

Account Balances:

General, \$261.04 (prudent reserve \$400.00)

Entertainment: \$907.12

Century Link: \$60.03

Entertainment: will have flyer announcing the Founder's Day Picnic 2021 for April Newsletter

Hotline-Claudia - Hotline is going great!

In need of 2 or 3 more volunteers for Hotline.

Literature-Lenny – sold \$212.30 worth of inventory – YAY 😊

Monies given to Treasurer.

SEEKING participation at monthly
Intergroup Meeting from individual groups.

ARTICLE – 4th Tradition

Our fourth tradition states, “Each group should be autonomous except in matters affecting other groups or AA as a whole.”

Each group is an individual entity. It is guided by its members through the process of the group conscience. There are two guidelines: the group shouldn't do anything that would hurt AA as whole, or affiliate with any outside issue or enterprise. Helping the still suffering alcoholic is our main purpose. Any guidelines a group follows comes from the collective conscience of its members. As member of AA, we align our guidelines by the principles of the Twelve Traditions.

As members of AA, it is our responsibility to ensure that our meetings are welcoming, safe and accessible for all who attend. When something happens in a meeting that causes a newcomer or a member to feel unsafe, the issue should be confronted by the other members of the group. If the issues continue unchecked, a natural consequence is that the meeting numbers drop and sometimes the meeting stops all together.

In addition, each group is not to be affiliated with outside issues or enterprises. What happens when we do? We can lose sight of our primary purpose. The purposes of the outside entity can become our primary purposes. Then our primary purpose to help the still suffering alcoholic is compromised. Our willingness to be responsible for the guidance of fourth tradition ensures AA's autonomy and continuity.

The responsibility statement of AA states, “I am responsible when anyone anywhere reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there and for that I am responsible.” Each of us as members of AA need to remember this and give back what was freely given to us.



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MEETING NEWS

Starting April 9, 2021 - AA “Essential” Meeting at Freeman Park- Shelter 3 – Friday’s @ 7:00pm & Saturday’s @ 9:00am

Turning Point is meeting on Sundays at 6:00pm – Serenity Hall (upstairs)

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 😊

**A.A. HOTLINE is in
NEED of 2 or 3
VOLUNTEERS**

**Contact Claudia H.
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