

Eastern Idaho Sobriety Corner

December 1
2022

Alcoholics Anonymous

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Merry
Christmas

Intergroup Officers

Chair:

Darren

The Grapevine

www.aagrapevine.org

Wood Pilot/Work Release Liaison

Alt. Chair:

Open

Al-Anon*344-1661

Alateen* For more info call:

208-521-2235

Blackfoot South Liaison

Volunteer Needed

Treasurer:

Marv W.

(*in cooperation, not affiliation)

Public Information

CPC/PI

Secretary:

Marv W.

District Contact Information

District 6 Chair

Brad S.

208-881-8269

AA Hotline:

Claudia H.

208-525-9290

Special AA Committees

Support for individual

Suffering alcoholics is

provided by the following

AA committees:

Hospitals and Institutions (H&I)

H&I Chair/Liaison

Benji P.

.....information continued on next page

Literature:

Darius C.

208-530-9768

Entertainment Chair:

Teresa D.

210-857-8782

Newsletter:

Teresa D.

aaifnews@gmail.com

H&I Secretary

- Open Position

H&I Treasurer

- Open Position

Other Contact Information

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Area 18 Website

www.idahoarea18.org

Newsletter Email List

aaifnews@gmail.com

Men's Jail Liaison

General Services

(GSO) Website

www.aa.org

Women's Jail Liaison

Julie S. - 208-206-2273

Debra M.- 208-705-5119

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 Place- Senior Citizens Community Center - Downstairs

Intergroup

1st Thursday of each month 6:45pm – Serenity Place- Senior Citizens Community Center - Downstairs

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 Place-Senior Citizens Community Center - Downstairs

Hospitals & Institutions Committee

3rd Tuesday of each month 7:00 p.m. Serenity Place — Senior Citizens Community Center - Downstairs

Addresses

Serenity Place

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Idaho Falls, ID 83401

Serenity Place Building Committee

Henry E. – 208-569-0589
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Idaho Falls, ID 83401-3486

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District 6 H&I

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Changes or Additions email
aaifnews@gmail.com

MEETING GROUP	GROUP CONSCIENCE	Celebrate Birthdays
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
Go To Any Length		
Just Stay	2 nd Thursday	Last Thursday
Lincoln Group		Last Friday
Lunch Bunch	3 rd Friday	Last Friday
New Hope & Inspiration	2 nd Monday	3 rd Monday
Third Tradition	2 nd Tuesday	Last Tuesday
Turning Point	3 rd Sunday	
Daily Reprieve		Last Friday



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MEETING NEWS

COFFEE BREAK GROUP – Center for Hope- Saturday morning- 10:00-11:30am, NOW ALSO MEETING Tuesday & Thursday mornings from 10:00-11:00am

Great News Group BIG BOOK Study- Wednesday's at 7:00pm- Unitarian Universalist Church, 555 E Street, Idaho Falls, ID

Idaho Falls Men's Stag- Thursday's at 7:00pm at Serenity Place

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

Great News Group BIG BOOK Study- Wednesday's at 7:00pm- Unitarian Universalist Church, 555 E Street, Idaho Falls, ID

Great News is also meeting virtually on ZOOM Wednesdays at 7:30pm

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Friday – meeting in person/hybrid at Cornerstone Pentecostal Church 7:00 pm

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Lunch Bunch – The Center for Hope – on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 11:30am

MEETING *name change* - The Friday 5:30-6:30pm meeting at Serenity Place is now called Daily Reprieve – birthday's will be celebrated the last Friday of the month

******New Meeting – Go To Any Length- Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday - 9:30pm at Serenity Place**

CHECK MEETING SCHEDULE FOR MORE MEETING DAYS, LOCATIONS AND TIMES 😊

Area 18 District 6

District meeting 11-1-2022

Steve treasurer. \$ still in the bank.

625.00 balance deposited 213.00

Brad- made deposit from grace and mercy. Of 200. Underspent on last party 80.00

Still have P.O. Box for both but supposed to combine.

Dcm Brad - nothing much since fall assembly. 3rd weekend in may l'd next one.

Like to establish a calendar for 2023. Steve and Christie spring workshop with happy meals. Need date for spring and fall!

Continuing zoom meeting is in Boise statewide. Sent fliers out.

Gsr reports

Coffee break well attended. People stepping up for positions

Grace and mercy. David not Gsr. Brad reporting/

Grape vine. Sunday popular. Tuesday and Thursday meetings are light because Mary got shot down on fliers.

Great news. Friday night same. Wed same black lives matter church.

Happy meals. No Gsr. Need one.

Just stay. Been great. Good turnout. Changes are coming. Since switch of chair. It has changed a lot.

Lunch bunch is good. Three times a week rollin' fat

Men's Thursday. Chris changing last Thursday of month b day meeting. Closed meeting from here on out. Chips coming. Good attendance. 12 or so a week.

New hope. Kelly. Consistent meeting. Big meeting.

Turning point. 48 person b day meeting. Lots of people attending.

Daily reprieve. Has changed from just stay. Did first mo and have 81\$ to pay rent. 10-15 per meeting. Format is good to be more in solution. Got all supplies and rolling.

Hni- mandi got discouraged. She quit. Benji took over. Nothing happening yet.

Claudia needs help with phones w

Idaho Falls Intergroup notes November 3rd, 2022

Darrin J. opened meeting at 6:45 with the Serenity prayer.

In attendance, Darrin J, Teresa D, Christina M, Josh S, Buttons B, Marv W.

Minutes were read and approved for the October 6th meeting.

Treasure Report: Marv W.

General fund

Expenses:\$66.57 Hot line, Printing Supplies \$27.03

Income \$0.00

Balance; \$1389.25

Entertainment fund

Income: Green Canyon Raffle \$290.00

Expenses: Green Canyon food \$222.92, Christmas party deposit \$50.

Balance; \$578.96

Entertainment Report: Teresa D.

Thanksgiving AI-K-Thon is planned. We need to have groups informed about the need for people to sign up for a meeting slot. The building will be locked if no one signs up for a time slot.

Sign up sheet is located in the meeting room at Serenity Place. Contact Teresa for more info.

Christmas Party will be at Calvary Baptist Church on First St. Dec 10th. Flyer is in the news

letter. Teresa is looking for people to cook the Turkeys and Ham and will need help

cleaning up. She will start asking after Thanksgiving for help. We also need raffle prizes

donated. Please contact Teresa if you can help.

News Letter report: Teresa D.

New meeting "Go To Any Length" Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday at 9:30pm at

Serenity Place. Teresa will check why the News Letter it is not getting to the Area 18 website.

Literature report: Darrius - We have on order; 20 hard back BBs, 20 soft cover BBs, 20 pocket size BBs, 10 large print

BBs and 10 large print abridged BBs. Price is approximately \$720 depending on shipping cost.

We are ordering from TVICO because shipping is less.

Old/New Business

Mike W would like to be considered for the secretary position

District 6 ask that all H&I donations be sent to the District address because of the H&I mail box curtailment.

Is there still a "Bridge the Gap" program with H&I? Buttons B will contact Benji P.

Closed the meeting at 7:22 with the serenity prayer

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



December Birthdays

<u>Lincoln Group</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>New Hope & Inspiration</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Just Stay</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Clean & Sober</u>	<u>Years</u>
Dan R.	41	Brad S.	7	Susie C.	14	Mandy H.	17
Jim S.	29	Robyn C.	6	Jack	13	Devin A.	6
Susie L.	14	Alex E.	5	James H.	13		
Dusty W.	12	Jeremy S.	1	Brittany H.	5	<u>Grapevine Group</u>	<u>Years</u>
Marie T.	10	Will K.	1	Kayla	5	Kathy B.	33
Janesa J.	9			TeeJay	5	Sally O.	12
Sherry S.	8			Kristy B.	4		
Shara K.	8	<u>Happy Meals</u>	<u>Years</u>			<u>Turning Point</u>	<u>Years</u>
		Brad S.	7			Wade H.	25
						Mandy H.	17
<u>Lunch Bunch</u>	<u>Years</u>						
Keith N.	50						
Mandy H.	17						
Brad S.	7						

**A HUGE THANK YOU
TO ALL OF YOU WHO
MADE THE
THANKSGIVING
ALC-A-THON A
SUCCESS! THANK
YOU FOR YOUR
SERVICE WORK 😊**

AA members needed to help on the hotline

Call Claudia H at
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