

Eastern Idaho Sobriety Corner

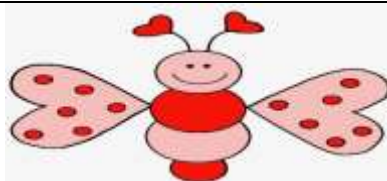
February 1
2023

Alcoholics Anonymous

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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:

Open

District Contact Information

District 6 Chair

Brad S.

208-881-8269

AA Hotline:

Claudia H.

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Special AA Committees

Support for individual

Suffering alcoholics is

provided by the following

AA committees:

Hospitals and Institutions (H&I)

H&I Chair/Liaison

Cory Ann

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Literature:

Darius C.

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Entertainment Chair:

Teresa D.

210-857-8782

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Teresa D.

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H&I Secretary

- Open Position

H&I Treasurer

- Open Position

Other Contact Information

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Community Reintroduction Center (CRC) Liaison

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Area 18 Website

www.idahoarea18.org

3-B Detention Center Liaison

Mike C.

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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

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Serenity Place Building Committee

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District 6 H&I

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Changes or Additions email
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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	3 rd Friday	Last Friday



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MEETING NEWS

COFFEE BREAK GROUP – Center for Hope- Saturday morning- 10:00am - 11:30am

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

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

January 2023 District Committee Meeting Minutes

District meeting.

12 traditions Julie A

Brad S presiding.

Present. Roger treasurer

Kelly Gsr new hope

Kris Gsr stag Thursday

Mark 2.0 alt Gsr

Corryann h n i rep

Benji Gsr great news

Julie Gsr big book

Steve district treasurer

Bryce Gsr lunch bunch

Darren Gsr Intergroup.

Treasurers report Steve g.

\$1140 in account. \$ 166 just paid for P.O. Box.

We don't know about the account for h and i. Need to find out.

\$17.23 pulled out and given to Mandy. Acct is still open at iccu.

Brad will reach out to mandi.

Dcm Brad. Functions coming up. Twin falls Sunday area committee meeting. He's going. For finance committee. Area 18. Three times per year.

March Brad goes to LA for Convention. Flying

Spring assembly in nampa

Big book. Above 30. Good meeting.

Coffee break. Well. Temporary officers only. Need gsr. No show

Daily reprieve. Good. Need all service positions filled.

Christmas party was awesome attendance.

Great news. Good. Intergroup two positions available.

Group conscious Dcm basket funds workshops. Spending should be \$30-\$ 40 only.

Happy meals. Good meetings. Dixie diner. Angie is stepping up and doing it.

Just stay Holding its own 8-12 peeps. Lots of newbies.

Lunch bunch. All good. Busy. Attendees are Getting work. Doing good. Lots of chips.

Mens stag meeting. 12 a week. Solid guys. New treasurer. B day meeting is open to families.

Turning point. \$\$ for workshops?

Spending is voted on and ok'd, so be it. Spend it.

New hope. All good. Treasure is awesome. Budget is level. 40 plus.

Workshop \$\$ was talked about.

H and i meetings third Thursday of the month.

Next planning meeting for workshop. 2pm sat 14th. Dixie's.

Idaho Falls Intergroup Meeting Minutes- January 5th , 2023

No Secretary notes read

Treasurer Report:

Expenses from 12/01/22 to 12/29/2022

Printing supplies \$17.48 Total Expenses = -\$17.48

Bottom Line Balance Including \$400.00 prudent reserve as of 12/29/2022 = \$544.27

ENTERTAINMENT ACCOUNT CHECK BOOK BALLANCE AS OF 11/03/22 \$536.56

Income from 12/01/22 to 12/29/2022

Christmas party raffle- \$1259.00

Expenses from 12/01/22 to 12/29/2022

Christmas party TV & supplies \$286.14

Christmas party Walmart \$128.78-hams, coffee, creamer and sugar

Christmas party Santa Suit rental \$63.60

Christmas party meats and supplies \$159.19-turkeys, dinnerware, plates, napkins, goodie bag goodies

Cash withdrawal Christmas party- \$40.00-\$20 best side dish \$20 best dessert

Cash withdrawal Christmas party- \$34.00-change for raffle

Total Expenses = \$711.71 Total deposits = \$1259.00

Bottom Line Balance as of 12/29/2022 = \$1083.85

Entertainment: 4 turkeys donated anonymously for Christmas party

Alc-a-thons – Christmas and New Year donations - \$58

Thanksgiving alc-a-thon- good participation in chairing. Christmas and New Year alc-a-thons-large gaps in chairing. Darren suggested doing something different this upcoming year. Benji suggested the alc-a-thons held at the Center for Hope as they have 24 hour security. Also, have a locked box for 7th

Tradition monies donated during the alc-a-thons.

Hotline report – Claudia stated that the hotline is going well, plenty of help covering calls. Receiving 1-2 calls per week. Suggested ZOOM meeting participation for hotline report next Intergroup meeting.

Informed Claudia that the Hotline number listed in the Post Register is incorrect for our local area....it lists the phone number for Pocatello.

Secretary position for Intergroup still open.

Daily Reprieve – Group Conscience 3rd Friday of the month-update in Newsletter

Literature – Darius: \$442 collected for books. Inventory: 0 Big Books, 0 Pocket Books, 1 As Bill Sees It, 1 Came to Believe, 11 Big Print, 9 Abridged Big Print, 3 Great Responsibility, 1 12x12. Turning Point wanting to order 2 AA Comes of Age, 1 Dr. Bob & Old Timers, 1 Bill Wilson-Pass It On. Buttons said that it used to be that Literature only kept stock of Big Books-small and big, 12x12 small and big and Daily Reflections. Suggest to keep ordering simple with only core books. TABLE motion to simplify books carried by Literature Rep.

Broken picture frame in Conference Room- Darren volunteered to fix the picture frame

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



February Birthdays

<u>Lincoln Group</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Clean and Sober</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Just Stay</u>	<u>Years</u>
Lynn L.	38	Happy Jack	22	Happy Jack	22
Craig A.	35	Lisa K.	13		
Lisa K.	13	Lori F.	8	<u>New Hope & Inspiration</u>	<u>Years</u>
		Patrick M.	2	Laurie C.	34
<u>Happy Meals</u>	<u>Years</u>	<u>Lunch Bunch</u>	<u>Years</u>	Jill C.	6
Jack R.	22	Heather L.	2	Pam P.	6
Mark C.	18			Bill B.	5
Roger P.	13	<u>Grapevine Group</u>	<u>Years</u>	Micah L.	5
Jeni P.	7	Mark C.	18	Lecresia S.	2
Jeff B.	6	Kevin C.	4	Adam G.	1

Bridge the Gap Program

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