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We attempt to sweep away the debris which has accumulated out of our effort to live on self-will and run the show ourselves. If we haven't the will to do this, we ask until it comes. Remember it was agreed at the beginning we would go to any lengths for victory over alcohol. - Alcoholics Anonymous (The Big Book), page 76

Step 8 Made a list of all persons we had harmed, and became willing to make amends to them all.

Tradition 8 (Short Form) Alcoholics Anonymous should remain forever nonprofessional, but our service centers may employ special workers.

(Long Form) Alcoholics Anonymous should remain forever nonprofessional. We define professionalism as the occupation of counseling alcoholics for fees or hire. But we may employ alcoholics where they are going to perform those services for which we might otherwise have to engage nonalcoholics. Such special services may be well recompensed. But our usual A.A. "12 Step" work is never to be paid for.

Concept 8 (Short Form) The trustees are the principal planners and administrators of overall policy and finance. They have custodial oversight of the separately incorporated and constantly active Services, exercising this through their ability to elect all the directors of these entities.

(Long Form) The Trustees of the General Service Board act in two primary capacities: (a) With respect to the larger matters of over-all policy and finance, they are the principal planners and administrators. They and their primary committees directly manage these affairs. (b) But with respect to our separately incorporated and constantly active services, the relation of the Trustees is mainly that of full stock ownership and of custodial oversight which they exercise through their ability to elect all directors of these entities.

Concept VIII

P-8, Twelve Concepts Illustrated. Reprinted with AAWS permission

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Long experience has proven that the board "must devote itself almost exclusively to the larger questions of policy, finance, group relations and leadership In these matters, it must act with great care and skill to plan, manage and execute." The board, therefore, must not be distracted or burdened with the details or the endless questions which arise daily in the routine operation of the General Service Office or the publishing operations, including the Grapevine. "It must delegate its executive function" to its subsidiary, operating boards.

So the trustees don't sweat the small stuff. "Here, the board's attitude has to be that of custodial oversight The trustees are the guarantors of good management of A.A. World Services, Inc. and the A.A. Grapevine, Inc. . . . by electing the directors of these service arms, a part of whom must always be trustees The executive direction of these functions is . . . lodged in the . . . service corporations themselves, rather than the General Service Board. Each corporate service entity should possess its own bylaws, its own working capital, its own executives, its own employees, its own offices and equipment." Bill draws from earlier mistakes by the General Service Board in trying to run the service functions directly and warns repeatedly against "too much concentration of money and authority."

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Summer is starting to draw to an end (you sure can't tell by the temperatures, though) but the bustle of activities hasn't. We have several picnics and potlucks this month as well as a Camp-o-Rama and workshop. September is filling up fast: the Area 46 (voting) Assembly, 2 conventions (Tumbleweed & Taos Mountain Fiesta), the Womens Sobriety Fest and Isleta Group's 67th Anniversary are on the calendar so far. October brings another workshop and the annual Traditions Conference (please see the AA Events Calendar on Page 6). There's also the Southwest Regional AA Forum in Oklahoma City in October (see the flyer on page 7).

With the flurry of AA activities that summer holds, I imagine a trusted servant position such as Area 46 Delegate can get a bit overwhelming. Speaking of which - the Area 46 Assembly taking place in Ruidoso on the weekend of September 7th is the big one that takes place

The Sobriety Birthday Calendar on page 5 continues to grow, albeit at a snail's pace. The last article I have that's written by a local fellowship member appears on the next page - back to reprints next month...unless someone chooses to get pro-active in their sobriety and do a bit of service work (hint hint). Page 7 has the 2013 2nd Quarter Group Contributions list.

Central Office Steering Committee/Intergroup service positions/commitments will be available in the near future. Elections for 5 positions (look in next month's issue for details) will be taking place this December. These service positions will be for a 2-year term beginning in January. We also are looking to immediately fill 2 positions: Member-At-Large and Intergroup Liaison. These 2 positions are for a shorter term due to unexpected vacancies. Contact Jeremy (Chair@albuquerqueaa.org) for further details on any of these openings. It's a great way to do service work and to progress in service responsibilities.

SUBMISSIONS for PIO publication (articles, stories, announcements, flyers, sobriety birthdays, etc.), letters to the editor, questions, comments, suggestions and criticism are always welcomed at PassItOn@albuquerqueaa.org and will receive a prompt reply and appropriate consideration for publication.

Have you heard about the Media Library at Central Office? For only a small deposit you can listen to a vast collection of AAs telling their stories from all walks of life, and during many different times of AA History. Sixty-five new titles have been added since January. We have archival recordings of Dr. Bob, Bill W., Ebby T. and even Betty F. Many of the stories are told by New Mexico AAs. There's a story here that you can relate to, so stop on by Central Office and peruse the catalogs!

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Albuquerque Area Business Meetings

Intergroup Rep. Meeting
2 pm, 2nd Sunday, Brownbaggers

District 3 - 2 pm, 2nd Saturday
Call the DCM for location

District 11 - 9 am, 2nd Saturday
Harwood Methodist Church
420 San Lorenzo NW (at 4th)

District 12 - 10:15 am, 2nd Saturday,
Heights Club, 8520 Marble NE
in Rm #3

District 13 - 10 am, 2nd Saturday,
St Thomas of Canterbury (2nd
floor) 425 University Blvd NE (1 blk
N of MLK Blvd)

District 18 - 9am, 2nd Saturday,
St. Paul's United Church of Christ,
2701 The American Rd. SE, Rio
Rancho

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SERVICE WORK

by Melissa C.

07/16/2013 My name is Melissa and I am an alcoholic. Today I have 196 days of continuous sobriety. I am writing because I want to express my love and gratitude for Alcoholics Anonymous and tell you why I love AA's events and activities.

In February of 1996, insane, totally terrified, degraded, humiliated and desperate, I ran from my life in Albuquerque, NM back to my home in California to live with my sister and to get sober. Within the first week of arriving I was going to meetings. At the first women's meeting I attended I heard a woman speak. Her name was Claudette, she was Egyptian, she had 10 years of sobriety, and she was telling my story. I was floored. The people I knew and had been around for so many years never spoke so candidly, openly or as honestly as Claudette was doing. I couldn't stop staring at her and I couldn't stop crying.

When the meeting finished I followed her out to her car and begged her to be my sponsor. At first she told me no, she was too busy; she was working on a convention and didn't have time for me. I told her I would do anything, anything, just don't leave me here alone, just help me. I was so desperate! Finally she looked at me and asked, "Anything?" "Yes, anything!" I said. She told me to get in her car and we were off. When she let me in the front door of her house I was blown away, it looked like a craft store had exploded in her living room. She then told me that the last girl she sponsored had just fired her and left her to decorate the banquet hall of the San Fernando Valley AA Convention by herself. She had 60 or 70 tables to create centerpieces for, banners and balloon bouquets and name tags and place cards to create and one week to do get it all done. The convention was that weekend. She asked me again, "Are you sure you are willing to do anything?" I agreed, anything. For a week, every evening, we worked. I did everything she asked of me. And during that week we talked. She told me her story, everything she didn't share from the podium and I told her my story. We worked and talked late every night.

Finally, the morning of the event, when we had managed to get all of the work done, we went to the banquet hall and started decorating, using everything we had made together. I cried the whole morning, and as tough as Claudette was, she did a little too! After we had decorated the hall and everything was ready, we got into her car and she said, "I have a surprise for you..." She took me to the mall and bought me a new dress and shoes and a handbag to match. Then she gave me a ticket to the banquet and told me I earned a seat at her table. I attended the banquet with her, and it turns out I was the newest member in recovery that night. I got the big book and what seemed like a thousand hugs and kisses and well-wishes!

Nothing will ever take away the memory of that night, or the week leading up to it. Nothing will ever take away my memories of or my love for Claudette. Every time I am involved in the planning of an event I do it for her, I do it because she saved my life. She was the first to set the example of service work for me and never in a million years can I ever repay that debt to her. She made me feel accepted, important, welcomed and part of the family of Alcoholics Anonymous and some day I hope I have the honor of passing it on to another alcoholic like myself.



Join us
at the **Jemez Falls Picnic Area**

MAKE IT A ROAD TRIP...
Bring a newowner, a sponsor or your whole family.
Come together as parking is limited.

Fun **Food**

SATURDAY 24 ALL DAY AUGUST

Fun, fellowship, volleyball and horseshoes!

8:00am Breakfast
Celebrity chef—the Amazing Andrew—and friends will be fixing up a breakfast feast.

10:00am Potluck Luncheon
Meat provided by District 14. Bring a favorite side dish/dessert/vegetable/condiment.

3pm Gratitude Meeting

> DIRECTIONS
From the Jemez Ranger Station go 7 1/2 miles north to the junction of State 964 and 150 to La Grana. Follow State 964 approximately 6 miles west to the campground. Turn right on your right. Outbound mile marker 21 and 22.
From the turn-off continue approximately 1 1/2 miles to Jemez Falls. Drive from which is north of the family campground.

For those who want to camp, sites are available and easy to reserve at www.nmraasf.com.

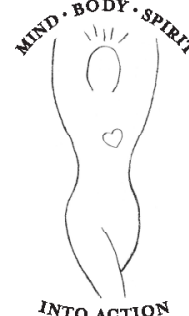
BREAKFAST, BBQ & MEETING



DISTRICT 3 PICNIC
SATURDAY, AUGUST 10TH
COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH
(THE ROUNDUP GROUP)
1467 HWY 314 NW, LOS LUNAS, NM
SCHEDULE:
7:00 AM : BREAKFAST
8:00 AM : AA MEETING
10:00 AM : DISTRICT MEETING W/ ELECTIONS
LUNCH FOLLOWING MEETING
1:00 PM : CLOSING MEETING
WE WILL BE PROVIDING BREAKFAST
SO PLEASE COME EARLY TO EAT!
WE WILL ALSO BE PROVIDING
HAMBURGERS & HOT DOGS FOR LUNCH
PLEASE SHARE WITH YOUR GROUP THAT
LUNCH IS A SIDE-DISH POTLUCK

REQUEST FOR RAFFLE DONATIONS

THE 26TH ANNUAL NEW MEXICO
AA WOMEN'S SOBRIETY FEST
WITH AL-ANON PARTICIPATION



- ARE YOU....
AN ARTIST?
STYLIST?
MASSAGE THERAPIST?
GATERER?
JEWELRY DESIGNER?
HEALTHCARE PROVIDER?
LAWYER?
YOGA INSTRUCTOR?
OR SOMEONE WHO JUST
WANTS TO GIVE?

Please consider donating your skills
or your fabulous new or gently used items

CONTACT RAFFLE CHAIR DEBORAH R
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Steps Eight and Nine are concerned with personal relations. First, we take a look backward and try to discover where we have been at fault; next we make a vigorous attempt to repair the damage we have done; and third, having thus cleaned away the debris of the past, we consider how...we may develop the best possible relations with every human being we know. - 12 and 12, page 77

Central Office encourages all groups to elect an Intergroup representative. Join us at the next Intergroup meeting the second Sunday of every month, at 2 pm, at the Brownbaggers.

Intergroup Rep. Meeting Minutes May 19, 2013

Open @ 14:00

Open/ Attendees Kristen E. – Grateful Girls, Mac L. – How it Works, Jerry R. – Serendipity, Stephen G. – Dry Nooners, Michael W. – Too Much For Us, George B. – Singleness of Purpose, Michael W. – Westside AA, Colin M. – Candlelight Group, Chuck R. – Foothills, Tomas C. – Cosmo, Alli V. – Singleness of Purpose, Steve R. – Saturday Night Alive, Debra K. – In The Book, Linda E. – Any Lengths, Kris O. – Serenity Group, Heather G. – QIOF, Chyna B. – Dawn Patrol, Aaron C. – Too Much For Us, Sharon H. – Any Lengths, Kimber C. – The Ladies' Room, Jamie M. – One Day at a Time, Tom R. – Seeking Serenity, Steven D. – Rebellion Dogs, Henry L. – Dist. 11 Seeking Serenity, Melissa C. – Sunrise Catchers

Minutes ?

Treasurer's Report June and July have been slow for sales and group contributions. Michael is closely watching the inventory and only keeping what is necessary in stock. Total revenues: \$5,862.88 – Cost of Sales: \$2,665.33 – Gross Income: \$3,197.55 – Expenses: \$4,994.36 – Net Income (\$1,796.81) – Net Income YTD (\$2,095.78)

Central Office Coordinator Michael reported that the Central Office picnic was well supported, and volunteer contributions by groups kept our expenses down. The desk has had a lot of support from substitute workers, with many regular workers going on summer vacations. He thanked the outgoing Alternate Coordinator, Pam for her work at the office over the last year and announced that Debra K. will be the new Alternate Coordinator and will start on August 1, 2013. Michael then stated that he is planning a 12th step workshop and am assembling a panel of people with experience in using social media in 12th step work. The workshop will be August 17 at Asbury Methodist Church. Anyone with experience in using social media in 12th step work, please contact him. There is an Intergroup Speaker Meeting on July 27 at Jemez Springs Presbyterian Church hosted by District 18.

Alternate Central Office Coordinator Pam thanked the Intergroup for allowing her to be of service over the past year. She added that there is a Saturday desk shift open from 3 – 6 PM, and that weekends are when substitute workers needed most. There were 778 Calls, 260 Walk-ins, 3,470 web hit reported for the month.

Member at Large Debra K. thanked the group for the opportunity to serve as Member at Large, and noted how much she appreciated the position. However, as Michael stated, she is happy to be transitioning to the Alternate Coordinator position as of August 1st. She reported that she placed the ad in the Alibi – the cost was \$3.12.

Pass it On Editor Steve informed the group that extra issues of PIO were appreciated at the Taos convention. Birthday submissions are doing well, as have regular submissions. He asked again for article submissions for the PIO, otherwise he will have to keep running re-prints. Articles should be 300-500 words approximately.

Media Librarian

Web Guardian Alli informed the group that she has been working with the schedule editor in getting the group information form online and updating meeting categories, which will be searchable. She is keeping other things on the site up to date as well.

Schedule Editor Linda passed out a handout for home group information which will be used to update meeting purpose, and help to categorize the meetings. She added that there has been some shift in categories of meetings to be more concise and relevant. Intergroup members were asked to take it back to your group and preferably return it to her before the next schedule is sent to the printer.

Community Outreach Mike reported that it been a slow month, and had nothing to report.

SOBRIETY BIRTHDAY CALENDAR

COSMOPOLITAN June: Elena, Jared H. 30 days; Zach C. 60 days; Cruz G. 10 years; Matt P. 11 years; Elsa 32 years in May

EL CENTRO June: Jerry V. 2 years; Michelle E. 10 years; Aleena 18 years; Henry P. 25 years; Steve D. 26 years; Cecil R. 32 years; Julian H. 33 years

ISLETA June: Rebecca, Jennifer 30 days; Alex 60 days; Sally, Sam 90 days; Laura, Naomi 6 months; Jerry, Maria 9 months; Diase 1 year; Daniel 12 years

QUEER IDEAS OF FUN June: Meghan P. 3 years

SINGLENESS OF PURPOSE June: Pam S. 29 years

YOUR GROUP BIRTHDAYS ??COULD?? BE HERE TOO.....STEP UP & SEND 'EM IN

Please submit your sobriety birthday(s) (including homegroup, name, sobriety date & length of continuous sobriety) to PassItOn@albuquerqueaa.org.
Failure to properly submit s-b days may result in non-publication.

Special Needs Coordinator As per the Intergroup's vote last time, Jerry announced that they are now providing one interpreted meeting per individual per week. Currently two people making use of this.

OLD BUSINESS Melissa thanked the group for supporting the picnic and reported that it was a great event. She had a lot of help with setting up. Everything went smoothly and she didn't have to worry about anything. Our food budget was \$346.88 and we spent \$346.62. Many items were donated. Three groups contributed cash for a total of \$150. Passing the buckets at the picnic raised an additional \$249.72, of which \$100 went to pay the non-AA band -member. Our total cost for the picnic was \$356.52. Contributions totaled \$264.72. The net cost of the picnic was only \$81.80. The chair and the Intergroup thanked the outgoing Alternate Coordinator Pam for +her hard work and service and thanked our incoming Alternate Coordinator Debra for her willingness to serve.

NEW BUSINESS Alan S., the current Area 46 Delegate, has been in touch with the Chair to ask if the intergroup would be interested in having him share his story/experience as our representative to the General Service Conference during an intergroup meeting. He is able to make the November 10th Intergroup meeting. A motion was made to have Alan speak at the November 10th Intergroup meeting. It was seconded, there was a brief discussion to which all were in favor of welcoming Alan, none opposed. Open positions: Member at Large – Job description: shall attend all meetings of the Steering Committee and Intergroup Representatives and shall be a voting member of both bodies and should be available for service as needed. The Intergroup Liaison – Job description: represents the Central Office when groups/Districts/other 12-step groups request contact and assistance for special events and other activities. He/she keeps an area-wide calendar so the Intergroup can avoid date conflicts while planning.

GROUP ANNOUNCEMENTS Dawn Patrol is having a picnic at Hartnet Park, Sunday August 4 from 11-3; the Arid Group at the Heights Club is sponsoring a (monthly, on the 2nd Saturday) Saturday dinner (6:30pm), speaker meeting (7:30pm) and dance (9pm-midnight), the next one is on Saturday August 10; District 11 announced that they are planning for an Intergroup speaker meeting; Traditions Conference October 26, 8:30 to 2:30 at Nativity Church; Service and Sponsorship Workshop Saturday July 20 from 1:30-5:00 PM at Shepherd of the Valley; District 3 picnic Saturday August 10 in Los Lunas at Community Bible Church.

Close @ 15:05



Central Office Urgently Needs Desk Workers

Requirements for this service opportunity are six months of sobriety, a sponsor and a home group. A desk shift at Central Office can enhance your sobriety. It can broaden your view of the service structure of your group, your district and your area. And it's fun!

Call Central Office today
at 266-1900.

AA EVENTS CALENDAR

THIS MONTH'S EVENTS

Friday August 9 - Sunday August 11, 2013 - Camp-O-Rama 2013 Aspendale Mountain Retreat Center, Cloudcroft, NM. More info at: www.newmexicoaa.org

Saturday August 10, 2013 - District 3 Picnic & Meetings 7am breakfast, 8am AA meeting, 10am District meeting with elections. Potluck lunch (hamburgers & hot dogs provided) following meeting, 1pm closing meeting. Community Bible Church, 1467 Highway 314 NW, Los Lunas

Saturday August 10, 2013 - Arid Group Dinner, Speaker Meeting & Dance - 6:30pm Soul Food Dinner (ribs, cornbread, collard greens, homemade mac & cheese, ranch baked beans, salad, dessert, cost \$6; 7:30pm Speaker Meeting, speaker Derrick R.; 9pm-midnight Dance, no admission, 50/50 raffle, DJ Steve R. Heights Club, 8520 Marble NE, Albuquerque

Monday August 12, 2013 - In the Book Group 6th Anniversary Speaker Meeting & Potluck 6pm Potluck (bring a dish), 7pm Speaker (Dick C.). Destiny Center, 4401 Northern Blvd. NE, Rio Rancho

Saturday August 17, 2013 - 12th Step Workshop: The Future of 12 Step Work in the 21st Century 2-5pm. Speakers, Panel Discussion, Audience participation. Refreshments will be served. Sponsored by District 12. Asbury United Methodist Church, 10000 Candelaria NE, Albuquerque

Saturday August 24, 2013 - District 11 Picnic An all-day event including hiking, volleyball, horseshoes, potluck lunch (meat & buns provided). 8:30am breakfast, 12 noon potluck lunch, 2pm gratitude meeting. Jemez Falls Campground: From the Jemez Ranger Station go 7.5 miles to the junction of State Road 4 and 126 at La Cueva. Continue on State Road 4 approximately six miles east to the campground turnoff on your right. From the turn-off, continue approximately one mile on paved road.

Saturday August 24, 2013 - Arid Group Movie Night 8pm, Movie: "Smashed" (2012). Shown on a 12 footscreen in stereo. No admission, free popcorn, low-priced munchies, Movie raffle. Heights Club, 8520 Marble NE, Albuquerque

Saturday August 31, 2013 - Last Call Group 1st Anniversary - Speaker Meeting, Potluck, Variety Show, Dance (DJ Steve R.). Starts at 8:30pm. Desert Club, 4305 Mesa Grande Pl. SE, Albuquerque

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday September 7 - Sunday September 8, 2013 - Area 46 (Voting) Assembly Riudoso, NM (visit www.newmexicoaa.org for more info)

Friday September 20 - Sunday September 22, 2013 - Taos Mountain Fiesta Sagebrush Inn, 1508 Paseo del Pueblo Sur, Taos, NM. For more info visit: www.taosmountainfiesta.org

Friday September 20 - Sunday September 22, 2013 - 33rd Annual Tumbleweed Conference Lea County Events Center, 5101 Lovington Hwy., Hobbs, NM. More info: email hobbstumbleweed@yahoo.com

Saturday September 28, 2013 26th Annual New Mexico AA Women's Sobriety Fest More info at: www.nmaawfs.com

Saturday September 28, 2013 - Isleta Group 67th Anniversary 6:30pm Potluck, 7pm Speaker Meeting: Howard P. from Acoma, 9pm-midnight free dance. Isleta Club, 1829 Isleta Blvd. SW, Albuquerque

Saturday October 5, 2013 - Area 46 Treatment, Corrections, Bridge The Gap & Public Information Service Workshop 11:30am Intro, 12noon Speakers, 1pm Breakout session & potluck, 2:30pm Wrap up & final speakers. Eagles Park Recreation Center, 305 Eagle Lane, Belen, NM

Saturday October 26, 2013 - District 11 22nd Annual Traditions Conference 8:30am Registration Y& light breakfast, 9am Traditions presentations, 12noon Potluck lunch, 1pm Speaker, 2pm Door Prize Drawing & close. Nativity Church Parish Hall, 9502 4th Street NW, Albuquerque

*For more and/or updated information on Albuquerque and New Mexico AA Events go to:
<http://albuquerqueaa.org> and <http://www.newmexicoaa.org/>
For other AA events nationally and worldwide visit www.aa.org.*

JUNE 2013

Monthly Service Activities Report

PHONE CALLS	JUNE13	MAY13	JUNE12
Information	585	629	644
12-Step	22	20	18
Al-Anon	15	6	1
Message	36	69	54
Other	120	125	88
TOTAL	778	849	805

WALK INS

Information	18	16	17
12-Step	1	0	0
Al-Anon	0	1	1
Get Schedule	19	17	8
Purchase	164	161	161
Media	3	2	2
Message	3	1	3
Casual	33	31	29
Other	19	43	25
TOTAL	260	272	246

ALBUQUERQUEAA.ORG WEB STATS

Unique Visitors	3440	3447	3008
Number of Visits	6332	6179	?
Pages	27088	27341	?

DESK WORKERS*

Regulars	45	47	48
Substitutes	40	42	35
TOTAL	85	89	83

DESK SHIFTS*

Weekdays	120	132	126
Weekends	50	40	45
TOTAL	170	172	171

WEEKDAY SHIFTS*

Worked by Regulars	98(82%)	114(86%)	110(87%)
Worked by Substitutes	22(18%)	18(14%)	16(13%)
TOTAL	120	132	126

WEEKEND SHIFTS*

Worked by Regulars	44(88%)	34(85%)	36(90%)
Worked by Substitutes	6(12%)	6(15%)	9(10%)
TOTAL	50	40	45

SHIFTS WORKED BY MICHAEL

4- 3 hr (12hrs)	12hrs	12hrs
0- 2hr (0)	0	2
Night - 0	0	0

SHIFTS WORKED BY PAM

1- 3 hr (3)	3hrs	?
1-2hr (2)	0	?
Night - (?)	?	?

TOTAL ? hours ? hours ? hours

NIGHT SHIFTS NOT COVERED 1 0 1
*INCLUDES NIGHT PHONE

People still question my sobriety, my commitment to the program, and that hurts. I take things day by day, and sometimes I take them minute by minute, but I honor my commitment to stay sober.

- Tom Arnold



GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS 2nd Quarter (April-June) 2013

	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	2ND QTR.
ANY LENGTHS		\$540.00		\$540.00
BASEMENT STEPS		\$194.90		\$194.90
BROWNBAGGERS	\$100.00	\$102.00	\$125.00	\$327.00
CANDLELIGHT	\$150.00	\$57.24	\$167.20	\$374.44
CONSCIOUS CONTACT		\$50.00		\$50.00
CORRALES MEN'S STAG		\$50.00		\$50.00
DAWN PATROL	\$395.27	\$348.12		\$743.39
DOWN UNDER		\$100.00		\$100.00
EARLY BIRDS	\$25.00	\$50.00		\$75.00
EL CENTRO		\$40.00		\$40.00
FOOTHILLS	\$230.77	\$202.16	\$189.00	\$621.93
FREE SPIRITS		\$210.00		\$210.00
FREEDOM FROM BONDAGE			\$304.25	\$304.25
FRIDAY NIGHT SMOKELESS			\$0.50	\$0.50
GOODFELLAHS	\$20.00		\$20.00	\$40.00
GROUP 164	\$35.00			\$35.00
HAPPY DESTINY	\$190.00			\$190.00
HAPPY HOUR		\$29.25		\$29.25
HIGH HOPES	\$10.00			\$10.00
HIGH NOON		\$120.00		\$120.00
HOW IT WORKS			\$25.00	\$25.00
IN THE BOOK		\$66.70		\$66.70
ISLETA GROUP		\$61.20		\$61.20
JEMEZ SPRINGS GROUP		\$20.00		\$20.00
LADIES ROOM		\$70.00		\$70.00
LIVE AND LET LIVE	\$28.00			\$28.00
LONE RANGERS	\$15.93	\$41.29	\$52.50	\$109.72
LOS LUNAS LADIES MEETING			\$24.50	\$24.50
LUNCH BOX, THE		\$40.00	\$40.00	\$80.00
MIRACLES	\$303.00			\$303.00
ONE DAY @ A TIME	\$336.00			\$336.00
PENNY LANE	\$51.80			\$51.80
RAYMAC GROUP	\$10.00			\$10.00
REBELLION DOGS		\$81.48		\$81.48
RIO AMIGOS	\$20.00			\$20.00
ROUNDUP GROUP	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$80.00	\$110.00
RUBBER MEETS THE ROAD		\$0.50		\$0.50
SERENITY GROUP	\$0.40		\$40.00	\$40.40
SHARE THE LEGACY			\$50.00	\$50.00
SINGLENES OF PURPOSE	\$120.00			\$120.00
SOBER VALLEY			\$48.00	\$48.00
STAYING SOBER AT SUNRISE	\$239.00			\$239.00
STEP ALONG WITH AA	\$30.00			\$30.00
STILL SEEKING SERENITY	\$71.08			\$71.08
STRANGE MENTAL BLANK SPOTS	\$200.00		\$0.75	\$200.75
SUNDAY NIGHT SERENITY	\$100.00			\$100.00
SUNRISE CATCHERS	\$30.50			\$30.50
SUNRISE SOBRIETY	\$96.10			\$96.10
THERE IS A SOLUTION	\$40.00			\$40.00
TOO MUCH FOR US			\$85.00	\$85.00
VALLEY GIRLS			\$35.22	\$35.22
WAKE UP CALL	\$59.22	\$42.18	\$55.62	\$157.02
WESTSIDE GROUP	\$100.00			\$100.00
WOMEN IN PROGRESS	\$156.00			\$156.00

TOTALS \$2,727.57 \$2,442.52 \$1,882.54 \$7,052.63

30th Annual Taos Mountain Fiesta
September 22, 2013

Events & Activities

- Speakers
- Art Raffle
- Friday Night "Sing-Along" with Sobriety Singers
- Banquet & Dancing with "Kathy & The Cruisers"
- Alcoholism Meetings
- Al-Anon Meetings
- Hospitality Room

Special needs requested: _____
 (every effort will be made to accommodate requests)
 If you like to volunteer, contact me by: _____ phone _____ email _____

Register online at: www.taosmountainfiesta.org

Registration:
 Must be postmarked by September 18, 2013
 Register by August 10th and receive 0 See Art Raffle tickets!

Registration Information:

Name _____
 (or multiple registrations)
 Name _____
 Address _____
 City, State _____
 Zip _____ Phone (____) _____
 Email _____

Special needs requested: _____

Make checks/money orders payable to:
 Taos Mountain Fiesta
 PO Box 750
 El Prado, NM 87529

Online registration will be open from 4pm-8pm Friday September 20th and 8am-5pm on Saturday September 21st

33RD ANNUAL TUMBLEWEED CONFERENCE

HOBBS, NEW MEXICO
 LEA COUNTY EVENT CENTER
 5101 LOVINGTON HWY.

FRIDAY 9/20/2013
 3:00PM - REGISTRATION OPENS
 8:00PM - AA SPEAKER - CLAIRE H. - DUBLIN, CA

9:30PM - NIGHTOWL MEETING - SPEAKERS FROM THE FLOOR
 SATURDAY 9/21/2013
 10:00 AM - AA SPEAKER - GARY K. - SULPHUR SPRINGS, TX.
 12:00PM - LUNCH
 1:30PM - AL-ANON SPEAKER - RHONDA H. - WICHITA FALLS, TX.
 5:30PM - BAR-B-QUE DINNER & RAFFLE #1
 7:30PM - SOBRIETY COUNTDOWN
 8:00PM - AA SPEAKER - JIMMY D. - DALLAS, TX.
 9:30PM - RAFFLE #2 & ICE CREAM SOCIAL

SUNDAY 9/22/2013
 10:00 AM - AA SPEAKER - JOE L. - EDMOND, OK.

HOTEL INFORMATION
 LEA COUNTY INN - 575-392-2863, HAMPTON INN - 575-492-5090, BRENTWOOD INN - 575-392-2161
 HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS - 575-392-8777, LA QUINTA - 575-397-8777, FAIRFIELD INN - 575-393-4667
 COMFORT SUITES - 575-492-1000, COUNTRY INN 575-391-4282, SLEEP INN - 575-393-5385
 HOBBS FAMILY INN - 575-397-3251, ECONO LODGE 575-397-3891, EXECUTIVE INN - 575-397-7171
 QUALITY INN - 575-392-9321, DAYS INN - 575-397-4841, AMERICAS BEST VALUE INN - 575-397-2406
 E-MAIL: HOBSTUMBLEWEED@YAHOO.COM

33RD ANNUAL TUMBLEWEED CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

FULL NAME _____	BADGE NAME _____
ADDRESS _____	AA _____ AL-ANON _____
CITY _____ ST _____ ZIP _____	BADGE NAME _____
E-MAIL _____	AA _____ AL-ANON _____
REGISTRATION FEE:	SEND CHECKS TO:
(THE WORKS) CONFERENCE & BAR-B-Q - \$25.00	TUMBLEWEED CONFERENCE
SINGLE MEETING _____ \$6.00	PO BOX 1171
BAR-B-Q (ONLY) _____ \$6.00	HOBBS, NM 88241
TOTAL \$ _____	

2013 Southwest Regional Forum
 With our U.S./Canada General Service Board
 of Alcoholics Anonymous

October 11-13, 2013
 7 pm to 10 pm Friday
 9 am to 9:45 pm Saturday
 9 am to noon on Sunday

Biltmore Hotel Oklahoma
 401 South Meridian Avenue
 Oklahoma City, OK 73108

Group Code: **Southwest Regional Forum**
 There is no Registration Fee

For more info: <http://www.aa.org/subpage.cfm?page=104>

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9 am to 9 pm