# Pass It On...

Albuquerque Central Office Newsletter

# **Intergroup Committee Meeting Minutes**

Inter-group Meeting Minutes: 10/14/07

**Martha G.:** Member at Large opened meeting at 2:10 pm, chairing in Dave's absence.

**Secretary:** absent. Review of September meeting minutes as published in Pass It On. minutes accepted by acclimation.

**Treasurer:** absent. Report given by Michael W.: slightly in the red, but not unusual or alarming. Listing of group contributions to CO through the third quarter provided. Tangible financial report provided to those in attendance. Report accepted by acclimation.

CO Coordinator: Report given by Michael W. Standard month for phone traffic. Twelve Step calls down from last year at this time, due possibly to any number of variables; data is not alarming. Desk shifts are going well, but desk workers are always being sought. Sunday Young People's meeting stepped up to fill night phone slot. Several night phone slots still available. CO can be contacted for details and other service opportunities. Tangible CO Desk activities report provided to those in attendance Report accepted by acclimation.

**Alt. CO Coordinator:** Kathy: nothing to report.

Activities Coordinator: Melissa: Alkathon on 12/31/07 at Monte Vista Church: information presented in great detail; a tangible committee report provided to those in attendance. Raffle Tickets on sale. Marathon Meeting sign up has begun. Many service opportunities available. If interested contact Melissa at 553-3039 or Nancy M. at 974-2608. Report accepted by acclimation.

**Member at Large:** Martha: nothing to report.

Pass It On Editor: Sally: Enjoying

her service opportunity greatly. Requests that contributions to be published be provided prior to the 15<sup>th</sup> of the given month, and that any submissions for publication be accompanied by verification and contact information. Report accepted by acclimation.

Schedule Editor: not present.

Community Outreach: not present. Michael W. gave a synopsis of several outreach endeavors currently on the horizon. Maggie (?) gave report of outreach endeavor that went well at UNM's Health Science Fair. Report accepted by acclimation.

7<sup>th</sup> Tradition basket passed.

Special Needs: not present.

Media Librarian:—not present.

**Web Guardian:** Tom C.: All information regarding online schedule current as of 10/07/07. *Pass It On* available online. ABQ web is looking to link and coordinate with Area 46 web. Report accepted by acclimation.

**Old Business:** None reported.

New Business: Steering Committee Nomination committee volunteers sought and found. All Steering Committee Election information is available at CO and online. A tangible Nomination of the Steering Committee information sheet was provided to those in attendance.

#### **Special Announcements:**

Halloween Speaker meeting and Dance: Heights Club 10/27/07: dance at 9:00 pm, speakers prior. Traditions Workshop:

Martha closed meeting at 3:15 pm with the third step prayer.

Please send a representative from your home group to the next Intergroup meeting. We meet the second Sunday of every month, at 2:00 pm, at the Desert Club.

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#### Extra! Extra!

The
2007-2008
New Year's Day
Alkathon
Raffle Tickets
Now On Sale!

New Location and new Format--Dinner and a Dance!!!

Call Central Office today!

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# **Corrections Corner**

This space is dedicated to the corrections community — and to be used as a message board to anyone interested in this type of service work.

Volunteers (men and women) are needed for a meeting at the brig on Kirtland Air Force Base. The meeting is held at 10:00 am on Thursdays. Although we encourage veterans and those with base access, all are welcome. There are procedures for accessing the base; if you plan to drive, your automobile registration and insurance documents are required. If you've attended jail meetings before, you know the rules ... no weapons, no cell phones, etc. When entering any correctional facility, we are considered guests and must conduct ourselves accordingly. Volunteer orientation is not required; however, please call Rick R. at 235-6787, or Kerry G. at 350-2935 for more information.

I attended the Southwest Regional Forum October 12-14 in Denver along with 25 or so members of Area 46. Over 800 people attended and it was the largest Southwest Regional Forum ever. One of the sessions was "Our 12<sup>th</sup> Step Responsibility -- Are We Going to Any Length?" Whenever Volunteer Orientation comes up, I'm reminded that as volunteers we go to any length just to attend meetings in jails and prisons. The opportunity for service at Kirtland AFB is especially attractive since volunteer orientation is not required. Give Rick or Kerry a call ... attend a jail meeting this month.

Yours in service, Ralph T.

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# **District 18**

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# District Address: District 18

C/O Marjorie Holmes xxxx xxxxxx xxxx xx Albuquerque, NM 87120

#### **District Meetings:**

Rio West Church 6751 Pasilla Road NE Rio Rancho, NM 87144 9:30 AM

#### **Dates:**

#### **Please Note New Dates!**

12/15/07 - Planning Meeting:

1. Nominating/Elections/Appointments of Committee Chairs Starting January 26, 2008, our District 18 meetings will be held on the 4th Saturday of the month.

#### Albuquerque Area Business Meetings

#### **Intergroup Rep Meeting**

2:00 pm, 2nd Sunday Desert Club

#### District 3

2:00 pm, 2nd Saturday call the DCM for location

#### District 11

9:00 am, 2nd Saturday Harwood Methodist Church 420 San Lorenzo NW (at 4th)

#### District 12

9:30 am, 2nd Saturday Heights Club

#### **District 13**

10:00 am, 2nd Sunday Desert Club

#### District 18

9:30 am, 4th Saturday Rio West Church (starting in January 2008) Volume 69, Issue 11 Page 3

Albuquerque Central Office	Contribution	ns January 1- September	30, 2007	
1005	A 15000		<b>*</b> 05 55	
1-2-3 Beginners Group	\$ 150.00	Magdalena 12 & 12	\$ 82.39	
Alameda Men's Stag	288.25	Magdalena Group	22.00	
Any Lengths Women's Group	180.00	Mountainside Group	44.00	
Back to Basics - Albuquerque	210.00	New Frontier Group 150.		
Beginners Group - Rio Rancho	74.79	Old 66 Group - Edgewood 128.		
Brownbaggers	340.75	One Day At A Time 635.		
Came To Believe Group - Estancia	20.00	Placitas Group 1		
Campus Step Study	50.00	Promises Group	650.00	
Candlelight Group - Rio Rancho	0.25	Queer Ideas of Fun	220.00	
Corrales Group	146.25	Raymac Group	5.00	
Corrales Men's Stag	105.00	Rio Rancho Men's Stag	75.00	
Corrales Smokefree Group	100.00	S.O.S. Monday Night	325.00	
Cosmopolitan Group	68.44	Seeking Serenity	455.00	
Dawn Patrol	3,252.97	Seniors Seeking Serenity	403.00	
Dawning Promises	95.37	Serendipity Group	470.26	
Del Norte Breakfast Group	443.20	Serenity Group of Albuquerque	280.00	
Down Under Group	250.00	Share the Legacy	200.00	
East Mountain Group	800.00	Six O' Clock Irregulars	10.00	
Experience Strength & Hope Group	5.00	Sponsorship & Growth	100.00	
Foothills Group	2,995.61	Staying Sober at Sunrise	89.00	
Fourth Dimension Group	55.47	Step Along With AA	110.50	
Free Spirits Group	150.95	Sunday Night Serenity	175.00	
Freedom From Bondage	450.00	Sunday Night Step Study	150.00	
Friday Night Live Group	97.50	Sunlight of the Spirit	35.00	
Group 164	150.00	Sunrise Catchers	10.00	
Happy Hour Group	46.65	Sunrise Sobriety	445.22	
Happy Valley Group	161.21	Taylor Ranch Fellowship	28.00	
High Country Group	150.00	The Ladies Room	268.04	
High Noon Group	200.00	Thinking Straight	100.00	
Hole In The Wall Group - Capitan	26.00	Three Legacies Group	50.00	
How It Works	262.00	Triangle Group	60.00	
Isleta Group	137.54	Tuesday 12 and 12	15.00	
Jemez Springs Group	40.00	Tuesday Knights	42.96	
Kiva Group	500.05	Westside AA	275.00	
Live and Let Live Group	97.27	Westside Noon Group	336.64	
Lone Rangers Group	653.97	Women in Progress	4.00	
Lunch Box Group - Rio Rancho	900.00	Women's Group - Rio Rancho	50.00	
Lunen Box Group Tele Teamene	700.00	Zia Pueblo	25.00	
		Group Totals	\$20, 348.71	
Individual Contributions Faithful Fivers	\$ 4,466.65 870.00	Special AA Event Contributions Other AA Contributions	\$ 868.27 212.51	

Other Numbers: Al-Anon 262-2177 Oficina Intergrupal Hispana 266-3688

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## The following contributed to Central Office.....

This data is from August 1 to August 31 and is inclusive for the entire calendar month!

Groups: Copper Miracles	Faithful Fivers: Al J.
Dawn Patrol	Beverly D.
Dawning Promises	Catherine A.
Foothills	Cecelia D.
Friday Night Live	Dave N.
Happy Valley	Dan O'.
Lone Rangers	Don C.
Lunch Box Group	Emma D.
Promises Group	Geraldine C.
Queer Ideas of Fun	Jim F.
Seeking Serenity	John K.
Serendipity	Karen R.
S.O.S.	Mark D.
Triangle Group	Merle P.
Westside Group	Mike D.
Women In Progress	Nance C.
Women's Group	Partha L.
Individuals:	Phil & Barbara C.
Anonymous	Ralph T.
Daniel R.	Sarah F.
Karen F.	T11
Robert U.	Thank you all for supporting
Rooti O.	your Central Office

# Become a Faithful Fiver!!

Just pledge \$ 5.00 a month to the support of helping alcoholics who still suffer. It's tax deductible and you'll get the Pass It On newsletter delivered to your door.

Checks payable to Albuquerque Central Office. Thanks for your support!

# August Desk Activity

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	Aug '07 Jul '07		Aug '06	
	This month	Last month	Last yr.	
Phone calls	1286	1287	1243	
Information	1036	1044	1008	
12 step request	24	21	20	
Al-Anon Info	28	31	35	
Message	37	56	55	
Other	161	135	125	
Walk Ins	264	279	290	
Information	25	17	25	
12 step	33	4	2	
Al-Anon	1	4	0	
Schedules	21	29	21	
Purchases	153	165	177	
Tapes	2	3	4	
Message	2	0	2	
Casual	32	29	37	
Other	25	28	41	
Desk Workers*	92	90		
Regulars	51	51		
Substitutes	41	39		
Desk Shifts*	178	177		
Weekdays	138	132		
Weekends	40	45		
Weekday Shifts*	138	132		
Regulars	86% 119	84% 111		
Substitutes	<i>14</i> % 19	16 % 21		
Weekend Shifts*	40	45		
Regulars	82.5% 33	73% 33		
Substitutes	17.5% 7	27% 12		
Shifts by Michael*	8/55 hrs	11/57 hrs	1	
Shifts by Kathy*	3/16 hrs	5/22 hrs	1	
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<sup>\*</sup> includes night phone

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# ANNUAL GRATITUDE DINNER AND SPEAKER MEETING 2007 Hosted by Step Along With AA Group

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 17, 2007

RIO RANCHO PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 1004 24<sup>th</sup> Street (off southern) Rio Rancho, NM 87124

POTLUCK TURKEY DINNER 7:00 pm

SPEAKER MEETING 8:00 pm

We'll provide the turkeys, ham and drinks! You bring a side dish!

Contact Paul For Info 896-2682

# Central Office Steering Committee elections are coming up at the end of the year!

All positions are open for anyone willing and able to make themselves available to serve. A minimum of two years of sobriety is required to stand for a position. It's a two year commitment, with monthly meetings to attend. For more information, please join us at the Intergroup meetings held at 2:00 pm on the 2nd Sunday of the month at the Desert Club or call Central Office at 266-1900.

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# Announcements, Reminders, Birthdays, etc.

#### Seniors Seeking Serenity Group

 Sue B.
 11/24/77
 30 years

 Marshall F.
 11/17/80
 27 years

 Jerry S.
 11/11/81
 26 years

#### **El Centro**

Michelle 1 month
Lisa Moya 2 months
Mike T. 2 years
Rick R. 10 years
John M. 12 years

#### Isleta Group

Prescilla 1 month Chandell 1 month Becky 9 months Joe Q. 2 years 11 years Higino Gayle 24 years Robert S. 24 years Don B. 34 years

#### **Corrales Group**

Jim F. 39 years

#### **How It Works**

Bob R.14 yearsIsh30 daysJennifer B.10 yearsRobin C.15 yearsRoy G.4 years

#### **Seeking Serenity Group**

Sean F.14 yearsBarry W.18 yearsKarren S.18 yearsRose26 years

# "In the Book"

We are moving!!!!!!!

Effective Thursday, | November 8, 2007

Destiny Center 4401 Northern Blvd. NE Rio Rancho, NM 87124

(On Northern, just east of Rockaway, North side of Northern)

Thursday Evenings 6:00 - 7:00 PM

This is a closed meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous. We study and discuss the Big Book, one paragraph at a time.

Come join us for study, discussion, great fellowship, and good coffee!

For more information, Call Jakki (505) 228-5827 or Alan (505) 892-0144

### District 13

is hosting the December Intergroup Speaker Meeting

> When: Saturday-December 15, 2007

Where: St. Timothy's (Corner of Jefferson and Copper)

Potluck begins at 6:00 pm And Speaker at 7:30 pm

The speaker is **Mike E.** 

Please come join us for some good food and fellowship!

There will be a raffle - to donate items please call Central Office at 266-1900

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