



# The Seventh Tradition

“Every A.A. group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions.”

## The Other Side of Self-support

Don't worry about paying rent; we're just happy to have an AA group in our church hall.”

The two earnest AAs, however, looking respectable in their business suits, immediately declined the clergyman's generous offer.

“Thank you, Reverend, but our Traditions tell us that our group ought to be fully self-supporting. We are grateful for your kindness, but we must pay our own way.” And so began a verbal contract between my husband, who was the clergyman, and the founders of what was to become my home group, which met at my church for many, many years.

As time went on, I became more conscious of the full meaning of Tradition Seven, which tells us that every AA group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions. From the beginning, my group declined outside contributions by insisting on paying a fee for the use of the hall, despite the tempting offer of a free ride.

It pleases me to know that my group did not let the church support them in the beginning and this impressed the church. What many of us AAs do not realize, including me (until I “married into the church”) is that many of our AA meeting halls are the property of poor, small parishes who struggle to stay open.

When my church offered free rent to AA, they were offering the tremendous maintenance costs that a small working-class parish must pay. Like most un-endowed churches, we exist from month to month waiting for pledge money to come in. The weekly ten dollar pledge from a church member is vital for paying the clergyman's salary, mortgages, utilities, water, janitor services, paper towels, light bulbs. . .well, you get the picture.

The words “*fully* self-supporting” have new meaning for me, examined from both sides. In the past, it seemed reasonable to offer a “donation” to a church in other groups I belong to. A charitable and well intended pastor or institution would suggest a token “rent” and the group would readily accept the offer. We believed that we were observing the Seventh Tradition. But a token is not rent. A token is only a partial payment.

I have seen more than one group who paid token rents be asked to leave a facility; the AA group became a financial liability. Other reasons to ask a group to leave might have been immaterial if the group had been fully self-supporting.

There are numerous costs to maintaining a site that are not usually factored into even a “full” fee: the wear and tear and replacement of chairs and tables; plumbing, floors and carpets; dirt and smoke damage to ceilings, walls, and windows; heating cost overruns when a group forgets to turn down thermostats and close windows; the cost of paper products, garbage bags, and collection; and the cost from damage, loss, and theft. To a group that feels comfortable in paying a token amount, the burden falls on the church members. My AA group was firm in its commitment, thank God, to be self-supporting.

I have heard it said at a business meeting that “we don't need to raise the amount of our donations toward the rent (after five years) because the church hasn't asked for more.” Now is that the spirit of Tradition Seven? If we are fully self-supporting through our own contributions, as our Preamble reinforces, then should we put the church in the position of begging money from us? Or should we spare them that indignity and offer rent increases on a regular basis?

Long ago, Bill W. observed, in the groups and in himself, the peculiar phenomenon of our tight-fisted approach when we pass the hat. Way back in the fifties, some groups would say, “Please, if you have it, dig in. The group needs the money to pay the rent. We don't want to 'hear' any noise from loose change, so we won't object to any folding money you choose to drop in!”

Thirty-some years and a quadruple inflation rate later, we tight-fisted alcoholics--who squandered thousands--still see the one dollar bill as the upper limit of our contribution. Speaking for myself, I find no problem with paying a therapist \$80 an hour once a week for my other mental health program. The AA program which saved my life and offers me every bit as much help and healing as my outside program gets the short end of the financial stick from me--a dollar at best. Translated into realistic terms that means: Am I willing to spend the equivalent of a cup of coffee to save my life?

Well, all of these new perspectives on the meaning of our Twelve Traditions have come from two sources: my life as a clergyman's wife and my Twelve Step and Twelve Traditions meetings. My eyes are opening to these inspired and brilliant plans for living. The Steps ensure the mental and spiritual growth of the individual; the Traditions ensure the growth of the group.

I have learned another lesson about being a good AA tenant from my experience “on the other side.” I learned what a nasty job it is to pick up discarded cigarette butts from lawns and walks, because I am a groundskeeper at my church. Guess who spent many years tossing away butts as I approached a church, a meeting hall, a movie theater? It never mattered that someone would have to pick up after me. Now that *someone* is me. Yes, it's been a valuable lesson being on the other side.

Anonymous, Oxford, MA *Grapevine*- August, 1989

## ARCHIVES PRESENTATION

District 5 will be hosting an Area 09  
AA Archives Presentation



Charles K. will be presenting a multi media event of AA's  
history and a 15 minute question and answer period.

*Group members are encouraged to attend.*

This event will begin at 7PM, Thursday, July 12th at Church of the  
Foothills, Newport and Dodge Avenue across from Foothill H.S.

19211 Dodge Avenue, Santa Ana  
Refreshments will be served at 6:30 PM.

**Principles of Alcoholics Anonymous®**

**Humility: It Doesn't Come Easy**

The *Lifeline* continues its new feature -- the Principles of Alcoholics Anonymous -- with a review of what Humility means for we alcoholics. In the August issue we will look at Forgiveness. -- Editor.

"If you must talk about your humility," said Bob, "you're not really being humble."

That statement by my sponsor midway through my first year in Alcoholics Anonymous provided a distinct shock for this beginner. After all, we were already on Step Seven and it hadn't even been six months since my last drink. I was rather proud of my progress.

It would be gratifying to be able to say that I took Bob's suggestion to heart and thereafter looked on humility as an attribute to be desired rather than a quality that must be acquired. But, for more years than I'm eager to admit, I continued to harbor some of the more pernicious of those character defects which I brought with me to Alcoholics Anonymous.

Still, the list of wrongs, defects of character and shortcomings is much smaller today than it was in that first year. And did I rid myself of them eagerly? Not a chance, since each of those defects contained at least some element of pleasure, contentment or happiness. I was always reluctant to part with them.

I can still find myself late for appointments even though I'm quite versatile at managing a logical explanation. The fact remains that however I justify it, I'm still late. I still catch myself gossiping with friends which means I not only owe an amends to the victim of the gossip but also to the person who is the recipient of my errant mouth. But the dead-bang worst of my shortcomings is the fact that while I take my inventory at least once a day, I also manage to work in an inventory on someone else every so often. I was told by that sponsor that I can make an amend once per foulup. After that I must make some changes. OK. So I'm not close to adherence to the principles. So I'm not a saint. But I can still claim some progress in my pursuit of a more spiritual life.

Once again the Big Book delivers substantial assistance in this pursuit. On Page 63, right after presenting us with the Third Step Prayer, we are assured that this prayer, while "only a beginning, though if honestly and humbly made, an effect, sometimes a very great one, was felt at once."

But it is in the Twelve and Twelve that the door to humility is flung open wide. In the chapter on Step Seven, we are told that if we can bring the same absence of pretentiousness to our lives that we manifested in our work with Step One and Step Two, then we do, indeed, have an opportunity for humility to become our guide.

George L., Westminster

**Concept 7**

"The Charter and Bylaws of the General Service Board are legal instruments, empowering the trustees to manage and conduct world service affairs. The Conference Charter is not a legal document; it relies upon tradition and the A.A. purse for final effectiveness."

This Concept offers further clarification of the balance of power between the General Service Board and the General Service Conference, and the ultimate power of the groups. Traditionally over the years the trustees have always sought advice from the groups, through the Conference, on matters of policy, services, and money. To this point, they have always accepted all the "advisory actions" passed by at least a 2/3 vote of Conference, and acted to carry out those actions to the best of their ability.

If the trustees ever believe that an advisory action of the Conference is in clear violation of the Conference charter, or is against the laws governing a non-profit corporation, they will have to veto that action. Under the law, the trustees must act responsibly and are invested with legal power over A.A.s funds, services, and oversight of our two operating corporations (A. A. World Services, Inc., and the A. A. Grapevine, Inc). We will explore the relationship of the General Service Board and the operating corporations in Concept 8.

Although the Conference acts primarily in an advisory capacity, in the final analysis the Conference, as the conscience of A.A., has the ultimate authority over the General Service Board and its operating corporations. One way this authority can be exercised is by the "power of the purse." This is the ultimate power of the Conference in which the delegates may deny the trustees the financial means to operate by appealing to the fellowship to withhold their voluntary contributions, and could even force a reorganization of the board of trustees.

The power of the purse has never been exercised on a large scale. There may however, be instances where individuals and/or groups believe that the General Service Board, or the General Service Conference, has grossly erred in its decisions. It is then up to the conscience of the group or individual to decide whether it has just cause to withhold funds in order to emphasize its point. Of course, this is an extreme final step and, in my opinion should not be entered into without thorough debate and the subsequent substantial unanimity of its members. If, after that process, the group decides to withhold funds, I believe that it should communicate its feelings and reasoning to the trustees.

AA is full of dichotomies and this Concept points up one of them. Where else would the balance between legal and traditional authority come down on the side of tradition, and encourage that we all work together for the good of the whole?

Jim C., Costa Mesa



"Brother, can you spare a dime for a phone call -- in case I feel like taking a drink?"

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**MEETING CHANGES  
SINCE JANUARY 8, 2007**

**SUNDAY  
ANAHEIM**

2:30 PM SICK SURVIVORS 202  
W Broadway @ Lemon New meet-  
ing

7:30 PM EAST STREET AA  
'COMPLETE ABANDON' 518 S.  
East Street @ Santa Ana New  
meeting

**BUENA PARK**

10:00 AM 12 STEP STUDY 7699  
9th Street @ Beach Blvd, Room  
#106 Name & address change

**HUNTINGTON BEACH**

6:00 AM (C) COVER TO COVER  
BIG BOOK 18582 Beach Blvd #2  
@ Ellis New meeting

**LAGUNA BEACH**

7:05 AM (C) ATTITUDE ADJUST-  
MENT 31106 Pacific Coast Hwy  
(Tee Room) New meeting

**LAKE FOREST**

6:00 AM ATTITUDE ADJUST-  
MENT 22771 Centre Dr @ Rock-  
field (Lake Forest Lanes, Conf Rm)  
Address change  
7:30 AM (C) 11TH STEP DISCUS-  
SION 22771 Centre Dr @ Rock-  
field(Lake Forest Lanes, Conf Rm)  
Address change

**LOS ALAMITOS**

6:00 PM BIG BOOK STUDY 4376  
Katella Av cs Lexington (2nd Floor)  
Address change

**RANCHO SANTA MARGARITA**

7:00 PM (C) OLD TIME A.A. 12 &  
12 STUDY 30605 Avenida de las  
Flores (Church) Time change

**SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO**

6:00 AM TAKING A TRIP 27174  
Ortega Hwy @ I-5 New

**MONDAY**

**COSTA MESA**

4:00 PM (C) LET GO & LET GOD  
420 W 19th St.(1st Methodist  
Church across from Triangle  
Square New location

6:30 PM COSTA MESA MEN'S  
STAG 2040 Placentia Ave. Time  
change

**FULLERTON**

7:30 PM FREEDOM MEETING  
1115 W. Orangethorpe @ Euclid  
Changed name and time

**HUNTINGTON BEACH**

7:30 PM (C) WOMEN'S SANS  
18631 Chapel Lane @ Ellis  
(Church) Changed to closed

**IRVINE**

12:00 PM IRVINE NOON GROUP  
5101 Alton Parkway, @ Jeffrey  
(Church) New address

5:30 PM ON THE WAY HOME  
17321 Murphy Ave. @ McGaw  
(Church) New Address

6:30 PM (C) WOMEN'S BIG  
BOOK TOPIC DISCUSSION 4949

Alton Pkwy. (Church) Address and  
time change

**LAGUNA BEACH**

7:05 AM (C) ATTITUDE ADJUST-  
MENT 31106 Pacific Coast Hwy  
(Tee Room) New meeting

6:30 PM (C) WOMEN'S BIG  
BOOK STUDY 21632 Wesley Dr.  
@ PCH (Classroom Downstairs)  
Time change

8:00 PM (C,G) MEN'S BOOK  
STUDY 31872 Pacific Coast Hwy  
(Hospital Community Rm) Added  
room location

**LAGUNA HILLS**

6:00 PM (C) WOMEN'S DISCUS-  
SION 23802 Avenida de la Carlotta  
@ Valencia (Church) Changed to  
closed

**LAGUNA NIGUEL**

7:00 AM MONDAY MORNING  
MEN'S STAG BACK TO BASICS  
30121 Niguel Rd. (Church)  
Changed to open

**LAKE FOREST**

6:00 AM ATTITUDE ADJUST-  
MENT 22771 Centre Dr @ Rock-  
field (Lake Forest Lanes, Conf Rm)  
Address change

7:30 AM (C) STEP STUDY 22771  
Centre Dr @ Rockfield (Lake For-  
est Lanes, Conf Rm) Address  
change

**MISSION VIEJO**

7:30 PM BELL RINGERS BIG  
BOOK DISCUSSION MEN'S STAG  
27641 Aquamarine (House) Loca-  
tion set

**SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO**

6:00 AM TAKING A TRIP 27174  
Ortega Hwy @ I-5 New

**SANTA ANA**

7:30 AM (C) DISCUSSION EARLY  
BIRDS 212 S Elk Ln @1st & Elk  
Address clarification  
7:00 PM (C) MEN'S DISCUSSION  
212 S Elk Ln @1st & Elks (enter  
from northside of Elk Lane) Ad-  
dress clarification

**TUSTIN**

6:15 PM (C) TUSTIN WOMEN'S  
12&12 STUDY 1221 Wass, (St  
Paul's Church) New location

**TUESDAY**

**ANAHEIM**

6:30 PM (C) 6TH & 7TH STEP  
STUDY 701 W. Broadway @ Har-  
bor (Broadway Christian Cnt rm#4)  
Address correction

**DANA POINT**

9:30 AM (C) WOMEN'S BACK TO  
BASICS STEP STUDY 24642 San  
Jaun Ave, PCH & Del Prado (New  
meeting)

**HUNTINGTON BEACH**

6:30 PM SUNDOWNERS PAR-  
TICIPATION 6622 Lakeview Dr  
(Alice's Breakfast in the Park)  
Changed to Open

**IRVINE**

6:00 AM IT'S A NEW MORNING  
4915 Alton Pkwy @ Creek Rd  
(Church hall) Day and Time change

12:00 PM (C) TUESDAY WOMEN'S  
BIG BOOK TOPIC DISCUSSION  
5101 Alton Parkway, @ Jeffrey  
(Church, Youth rm) ) Address  
change

12:00 PM IRVINE NOON GROUP  
5101 Alton Parkway, @ Jeffrey  
(Church Classroom 1 in back) New  
address

5:30 PM ON THE WAY HOME  
17321 Murphy Ave. @ McGaw  
(Church) Address change

**LAGUNA BEACH**

7:05 AM (C) ATTITUDE ADJUST-  
MENT 31106 Pacific Coast Hwy  
(Tee Room) New meeting

**LAGUNA HILLS**

7:00 PM TUESDAY NIGHT MEN'S  
STAG 23802 Avenida de la Carlotta  
@ Valencia (Church) Name change

7:30 PM © WOMEN'S BIG BOOK  
STUDY 24566 Ashland @ Paseo de  
Valencia off Kennington Changed to  
closed

**LAKE FOREST**

6:00 AM ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT  
22771 Centre Dr @ Rockfield (Lake  
Forest Lanes, Conf Rm) Address  
change

7:30 AM (C) DISCUSSION 22771  
Centre Dr @ Rockfield (Lake Forest  
Lanes, Conf Rm) Address change

**SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO**

6:00 AM TAKING A TRIP 27174  
Ortega Hwy @ I-5 New  
5:00 PM (C) SAN JUAN LADIES  
STEP STUDY 27514 Calle Arroyo  
off Rancho Viejo Rd. (Community  
Center) Dropped child care

**YORBA LINDA**

7:30 PM (C) WOMEN'S DISCUS-  
SION 16800 Imperial Hwy  
(Nazarene Church) New Location &  
Time

**WEDNESDAY**

**ANAHEIM**

6:30 PM MEN'S STAG 523 W Victor  
Ave @ Harbor New meeting

**CORONA DEL MAR**

7:00 AM (C) WEDNESDAY  
WOMEN'S BIG BOOK STUDY 800  
Marguerite @ 5th (Oasis Senior  
Center) Corrected city

**COSTA MESA**

7:30 PM (C) BACK TO BASICS  
STEP STUDY 420 W 19th St.(1st  
Methodist Church across from Trian-  
gle Square) New meeting

7:45 PM (C) DESIGN FOR LIVING  
1855 Park Ave @ 19th (Library) New  
meeting

**IRVINE**

12:00 PM IRVINE NOON GROUP  
5101 Alton Parkway, @ Jeffrey  
(Church, Classroom 1 in back) New  
address

5:30 PM ON THE WAY HOME  
17321 Murphy Ave. @ McGaw  
(Church) Address change

**LAGUNA BEACH**

7:05 AM (C) ATTITUDE ADJUST-  
MENT 31106 Pacific Coast Hwy  
(Tee Room) New meeting

**LAGUNA WOODS**

7:30 AM 164 BIG BOOK 24442  
Moulton Pkwy (United Methodist  
Church's Youth Room) New meet-  
ing

**LAKE FOREST**

6:00 AM ATTITUDE ADJUST-  
MENT 22771 Centre Dr @ Rock-  
field (Lake Forest Lanes, Conf Rm)  
Address change

7:30 AM (C) BIG BOOK STUDY  
22771 Centre Dr @ Rockfield  
(Lake Forest Lanes, Conf Rm)  
Address change

**ORANGE**

7:00 AM ANYTHING GOES 812  
Town & Country Rd. Changed  
name

7:30 PM KEEP IT SIMPLE 2191  
Orange-Olive Rd. Name change

**SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO**

6:00 AM TAKING A TRIP 27174  
Ortega Hwy @ I-5 New

**THURSDAY**

**FULLERTON**

8:00 PM KITCHEN TABLE MEET-  
ING 1465 W. Orangethorp @  
Basque Moved

**IRVINE**

6:00 AM IT'S A NEW MORNING  
4915 Alton Pkwy @ Creek Rd.  
(Church hall) Name and Time  
change

12:00 PM IRVINE NOON GROUP  
5101 Alton Parkway, @ Jeffrey  
(Church, Classroom 1 in back)  
New address

5:30 PM ON THE WAY HOME  
17321 Murphy Ave. @ McGaw  
(Church) Address change

7:30 PM (C) MEN'S BOOK  
STUDY "THE PEANUT MEETING"  
18842 Teller Ave (Campus &  
Teller) Time change

**LAGUNA BEACH**

7:05 AM (C) ATTITUDE ADJUST-  
MENT 31106 Pacific Coast Hwy  
(Tee Room) New meeting

7:30 PM (C) WOMEN'S STEP  
STUDY 31872 Pacific Coast Hwy  
(Hospital in Dr's Lounge) Location  
info changed

**LAKE FOREST**

6:00 AM ATTITUDE ADJUST-  
MENT 22771 Centre Dr @ Rock-  
field (Lake Forest Lanes, Conf Rm)  
New address

7:30 AM (C) DISCUSSION 22771  
Centre Dr @ Rockfield (Lake For-  
est Lanes, Conf Rm) New address  
Conf Rm)



Meeting changes continued...

**SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO**

6:00 AM TAKING A TRIP 27174 Ortega Hwy @ I-5 New

**TUSTIN**

6:15 PM WOMEN'S LIVING SOBER BIG BOOK STUDY 1221 Wass, (St Paul's Church) Address change

8:00 PM (C) GRAPEVINE 12 & 12 STUDY 225 W. Main @ C, (Church Rm C205) Address change

**WHITTIER**

8:00 PM THE DEN BOOK STUDY 16940 Sausalito Dr. c/s Mary & Janine (Home-90603) Corrected city name,

**FRIDAY**

**CERRITOS**

8:00 PM FRIDAY BIG BOOK 12881 166th. St. (Remax Bldg. 2 Shoemaker) Address Change via

**COSTA MESA**

7:00 PM (C) CHOW HOUND HOOLIGANS 759 W 19th @ Placentia New Location

7:30 PM (C) MEN'S BACK TO BASICS BIG BOOK STUDY 420 W 19th St.(Church across from Triangle Square) New meeting

**CYPRESS**

7:00 PM LADIES NIGHT OUT, BOOK STUDY 4252 Lincoln Ave @ Bloomfield New meeting

8:00 PM LIVING SOBER 5201 Evergreen Ave Btwn Orange & Lincoln (Church) New meeting

**DANA POINT**

12:15 PM FRIDAY LUNCH WOMEN'S BIG BOOK STUDY 33841 Niguel Road, (Community Meeting Rm) New Location

**FULLERTON**

7:30 PM ODD COUPLES WANDERING For information call (714) 773-4357 New meeting

**IRVINE**

6:00 AM IT'S A NEW MORNING 4915 Alton Pkwy @ Creek Rd. (Church hall) Name and Time change

12:00 PM IRVINE NOON GROUP 5101 Alton Parkway, @ Jeffrey (Church, Class rm 1 in back) New address

12:00 PM (C) WOMEN'S "TOPIC" DISCUSSION 5101 Alton Parkway, @ Jeffrey (Church Youth Ministries rm) Address change

5:30 PM ON THE WAY HOME TOPIC DISCUSSION 17321 Murphy Ave @ McGaw (Church) Address change

7:00 PM WINNING TICKET STEP & BOOK STUDY 1 Sunnyhill @ Turtle Rock Dr (Community

Club House, Rm 2) New Location 8:00 PM FRI NITE WILD BUNCH @ BIG BOOK STUDY 18422 Culver @ University (Church) Name change

**LAGUNA BEACH**

7:05 AM (C) ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT 31106 Pacific Coast Hwy (Tee Room) New meeting

9:00 PM (G) LIVE & LET LIVE 20456 Laguna Canyon Rd. New Location

**LAKE FOREST**

6:00 AM ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT 22771 Centre Dr @ Rockfield (Lake Forest Lanes, Conf Rm) Address change

7:30 AM 11TH STEP DISCUSSION 22771 Centre Dr @ Rockfield (Lake Forest Lanes, Conf Rm) Address change

**SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO**

6:00 AM TAKING A TRIP 27174 Ortega Hwy @ I-5 New

**VILLA PARK**

12:00 PM (C) WOMEN'S BIG BOOK STUDY 17855 Santiago Blvd. (City Hall) New

**SATURDAY**

**COSTA MESA**

7:30 PM SATURDAY STARLIGHT SPEAKER MTG 2040 Placentia Ave. Time change

**FULLERTON**

2:00 PM (C) WOMAN'S BIG BOOK HOT TOPIC 216 N. Malden Ave @ Chapman New meeting

**LAGUNA BEACH**

7:05 AM (C) ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT 31106 Pacific Coast Hwy (Tee Room) New meeting

5:00 PM BIG BOOK STUDY 20456 Laguna Canyon Rd (Babysitting Provided) New meeting

**LAKE FOREST**

6:00 AM ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT 22771 Centre Dr @ Rockfield (Lake Forest Lanes, Conf Rm) Address change

7:30 AM 11TH STEP DISCUSSION 22771 Centre Dr @ Rockfield (Lake Forest Lanes, Conf Rm) Address change

**LOS ALAMITOS**

7:30 PM WATERING HOLE 4111 Katella Ave. @ Bloomfield (Church) New Time

**NEWPORT BEACH**

12:10 PM OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD AND OTHERS 414 E. 32nd St. New Time

6:00 PM DISCOVERY GROUP 1 Whitecliffs Dr. (Newport Aquatic Center) New meeting

**SAN CLEMENTE**

5:00 PM LAVA LAMP 929 Calle Negocio, Ste H @ Calle Amanecer Change time

**SAN JAUN CAPISTRANO**

8:00 PM JAY WALKER 27514 Calle

Arroyo @ Rancho Viejero New meeting

**SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO**

6:00 AM TAKING A TRIP 27174 Ortega Hwy @ I-5 New

**MEETING DELETIONS SINCE JANUARY 8, 2007**

**SUNDAY**

**ANAHEIM**

7:30 PM BILL W'S SOBER PACK 523 W Victor Ave @ Harbor

**FULLERTON**

2:00 PM DISCUSSION 1115 W. Orangethorpe @ Euclid

**NEWPORT BEACH**

12:15 PM SHARK AT THE AQUATIC CENTER 1 Whitecliffs Dr. (Newport Aquatic Center)

**MONDAY**

**IRVINE**

6:30 AM NEW MORNING - TODAY'S 4915 Alton Pkwy @ Creek Rd (Church hall) REFLECTION

**TUESDAY**

**LAGUNA BEACH**

7:30 PM (C,G) TUESDAY NIGHT GAY MEN'S STAG 31872 Pacific Coast Hwy. (Hospital, small cafeteria, first floor)

**WEDNESDAY**

**ANAHEIM**

7:30 PM BILL W'S SOBER PACK 523 W Victor Ave @ Harbor

**IRVINE**

6:30 AM NEW MORNING -CAME TO 4915 Alton Pkwy @ Creek Rd (Church hall) BELIEVE/LIVING SOBER

**SANTA ANA**

7:30 PM (C) WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEN'S STAG 600 N. Main St. @ Santa Ana Blvd (Presbyterian Church basement)

**FRIDAY**

**CORONA DEL MAR**

7:00 PM SPEAKER Youth Center 5th & Iris

**SATURDAY**

**ANAHEIM**

10:30 AM WOMEN'S SEX AND RELATIONSHIPS 9581 #B W. Ball Rd. Between Brookhurst & Gilbert

**NEWPORT BEACH**

12:15 PM SHARK AT THE AQUATIC CENTER 1 Whitecliffs Dr. (Newport Aquatic Center)

7:30 PM DAILY REFLECTIONS 2100 Mar Vista (Jamboree & bluff - St. Mark's Church)

*To Carry the Message of Alcoholics Anonymous to the Alcoholic who is confined in a Hospital or Institution"*

**How Do I Get Involved?**

To become a member of Orange County Hospitals & Institutions Committee, a volunteer must have 1 year of continuous sobriety, attend three consecutive monthly business meetings and attend a new members orientation.

**Where and When?**

Garden Grove Alano Club  
9845 Belfast Drive  
Garden Grove, CA  
(714) 534-2244

On the 2nd Sunday of each month  
Institutions Committee: 4:00-5:00 pm  
(Orientation for new members at 3:15 pm)  
Hospitals Committee: 6:00-7:00 pm  
(Orientation for new members at 5:15 pm)

For additional information call:  
714 926-9573  
or Central Office: 714-556-4555

**South Orange County H & I Where and When?**

3rd Wednesday of Every Month  
7:30 pm  
Laguna Canyon Club  
20456 Laguna Canyon Rd.  
Laguna Beach  
949-497-1823

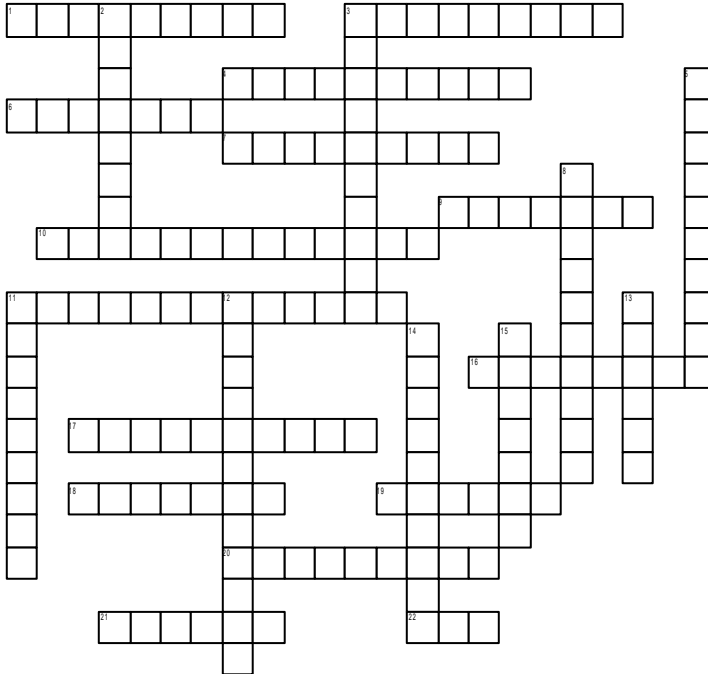
New Address for H & I donations  
OC H & I, 92 Corporate Park  
Suite C-115  
Irvine, CA 92606

**Orange County H & I Monthly Report June 2007, Operating Cash**

Beginning total \$3205.87

<b>Income</b>	
Institutions:	
7th Tradition	80.00
50/50 drawing	102.50
Hospitals:	
7th Tradition	88.21
50/50 drawing	69.50
Literature Fund	1741.07
<b>Operating Expenses</b>	
Coffee & rent	(104.00)
Institution chair	
Print charges	(20.00)
Hospital chair	
Print charges	(54.41)
Literature	(2500.00)
Checking fee	(16.50)
Balance	\$2593.04

## Crossword



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### ACROSS

- 1 searching and fearless moral ---
- 3 --- over alcohol
- 4 ---, strength and hope
- 6 unity, recovery, ---
- 7 having had a spiritual ---
- 9 came to --- that a power greater than ourselves
- 10 principles before ---
- 11 declining outside ---
- 16 90 --- in 90 days
- 17 restless, irritable and ---
- 18 --- to change the things I can
- 19 --- the road of happy destiny
- 20 chapter to the ---
- 21 --- asked Him to rem ove our shortcomings
- 22 let go and let ---

### DOWN

- 2 the --- is broken, you'll have to take the steps
- 3 progress, not ---
- 5 practice these --- in all our affairs
- 8 sought through prayer and ---
- 11 every single defect of ---
- 12 our life had become ---
- 13 incapable of being ---
- 14 every AA group ought to be fully self---
- 15 we carry the ---, not the alcoholic

## I Remember Cathy R.

Cathy R., immediate past Editor of the Orange County *Lifeline*, left this life in early June after battling cancer and a series of strokes. For almost three years, I had the great privilege of working with Cathy R. on the Lifeline Committee. Cathy could have easily been the subject of one of those Reader's Digest articles - My Most Unforgettable Character. Loud, profane, bright, articulate, opinionated, earnest and committed. Those words all seem to describe Cathy, but no one word is enough. In fact not even all of them are enough. I'm sure that other friends could add to the list.

I will miss her as a friend and a fellow committee member. But mostly I will miss Cathy as one of those people who makes living life such a rich and rewarding journey. I know she is reading this in the *Lifeline*, because no person I ever met enjoyed reading the *Lifeline* more than Cathy did. She's probably trying to talk Bill W. into writing an article for us. I'm sure that there is some arm-twisting involved.

Nick M., member  
Orange County Intergruop  
*Lifeline* Committee



*Although this was expressed by one member, she will be missed by all who knew her.*

## OLD TIMER'S PRAYER

Lord, keep me from the habit of thinking I must say something on every subject and on every occasion. Release me from the craving to straighten out everybody's affairs. Keep my mind free from the recital of endless details - give me wings to get to the point. I ask for the grace to listen to the tales of others pains. Help me to endure them in patience. But seal my lips on my own aches and pains - they are increasing and my love of rehearsing them is becoming sweeter as the years go by. Teach me the glorious lesson that occasionally it is possible that I may be mistaken. Keep me reasonably sweet. I do not want to be a saint - some of them are so hard to live with - but a sour old person is one of the crowning works of the devil. Give me the ability to see good things in unexpected places and talents in unexpected people. And give me, O Lord, the grace to tell them so. Make me thoughtful, but not moody; helpful, but not bossy. With my vast store of wisdom, it seems a pity not to use it all - but Thou knowest, Lord, that I want a few friends in the end.

GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS TO CENTRAL OFFICE— MAY

CITY AND MEETING	MAY	YTD					
<b>CAPISTRANO BEACH</b>	^	^					
Su 9:30A-Sandy Survivrs, Doheney St Prk		\$0					
Su 7:00P-60 Min.Beginr.Grp, 102 E. Baker		\$385					
Mo 7:30P-Drop Rock, 34421 V Espinoza		\$0					
Fr 7:00P-Friday Knights, 25976 Domingo		\$70					
Sa 9:30A-Pines Park Disc, Pine Bluffs Prk		\$133					
Sa 6:00P-Keep It Simple, 34381 Portola	\$143	\$233					
<b>CORONA DEL MAR</b>	^	^					
Dly 7:00A-Solutions Oasis, 5th & Marg.		\$1,209					
M-F 6:45A-Daily Attitude Adj., 5th. & Marg.		\$570					
Mo 7:00P-Baywood Disc., 1601 Marguerite		\$0					
Mo 7:00P-Over 40 Disc, 5th & Iris		\$0					
Tu 7:00P-Mens Participation, 611 Heliotrope		\$0					
Th 6:00P-Happy Hour Men's Pacific View	\$161	\$161					
We 7:30P-Living Sober Grp, 611 Heliotrpe		\$281					
Th 7:30P-Living BB Study, 611 Heliotrpe		\$50					
Fr 7:30P-Rebels Disc., 611 Heliotrope		\$258					
Fr 8:00P-Big Book Study, 3233 Pacific		\$0					
<b>COSTA MESA</b>	^	^					
Dly 7:00A-Daily Reflect, 2040 Placentia		\$150					
Dly 7:30A-As Bill Sees It, 2501 Harbor		\$0					
M-F 6:45A-Morning Meditat., 183 E. Bay		\$465					
M-F 12:00P-Noon Rec., 420 W. 19th St.	\$265	\$1,434					
Su 10:00A-B.B.Over Donuts, 301 Victoria		\$0					
Su 3:00P-Member's Eye View, 2040 Placentia		\$46					
Su 7:30P-Speaker, 2476 Newport Blvd		\$0					
Su 7:00P-60 Min.Beginr.Grp, 102 E. Baker		\$75					
Mo 12:00P-Clean&Serene B.B., 660 Baker	\$90	\$160					
Mo 12:00P-High Noon Steppers, 660 Baker		\$0					
Mo 6:00P-As Bill Sees It, 2040 Placentia		\$0					
Mo 7:00P-Livg Sober Grp, 2040 Placent.		\$170					
Mo 8:00P-Men's, 2015 Charle Street		\$0					
Tu 5:30P-Yng People B.B.Stdy, 660 Baker		\$0					
Tu 7:00P-A25011th Step Solutions, 2850 Fairv	\$100	\$200					
Tu 7:30P-Balboa Broads, 334 1/2 University		\$21					
Tu 7:30P-Line of Phrase, 301 Magnolia St.		\$0					
Tu 7:30P-Men's One Hr Step and Tradition		\$0					
We 12:00P-High Noon Steppers, 660 Baker		\$80					
We 12:00P-Participation., 2040 Placentia		\$0					
We 6:00P-Big Book Part., 2040 Placentia		\$0					
We 7:00P-Mens B.B. Study, 102E. Baker	\$40	\$90					
We 7:30P-Back to Basics, 420 19th St		\$83					
We 8:00P-Men's Study, 2015 Charle St.		\$0					
Th 7:00P-12 Steps & 12 Traditions, E. Bay		\$30					
Fr 12:00P-Noon Participation, 2040 Placentia		\$45					
Fr 12:00P-Businessman Stag, 660 Baker #421		\$120					
Fr 6:30P-Family Afterwards, 102E. Baker	\$50	\$50					
Fr 7:30P-Mens Back to Basics, 420 19th St		\$98					
Fr 8:00P-Big Book Study, 1865 Anaheim		\$50					
Sa 9:30A-Wmn's Wrkg.in Sol. BB, 183 E Bay		\$0					
Sa 9:30A-Men's, Charle Street		\$0					
Sa 9:30A-Charle St. Overflow, 2025 Charle		\$300					
Sa 9:30A-Men's By The Book, 102 E. Baker		\$242					
Sa 9:30A-Sat Morning Women's Gr, 2040 Placen		\$81					
Sa 9:30A-Sisters In Sobriety 2040 Placentia		\$0					
Sa 1:30P-What's The Point, 2040 Placentia		\$0					
Sa 2:15P-Big Book Study, 275 Victoria		\$0					
Sa 3:30P-3rd Step Meeting, 275 Victoria		\$0					
Sa 6:00P-Cover-To-Cover, 183 E Bay St		\$35					
Sa 8:00P-Keep It Simple, 2850 Fairview		\$45					
<b>CYPRESS</b>	^	^					
Su 5:00P-Happy Hour Topic		\$0					
Fr 6:00P-Living Sober, 5201 Evergreen		\$40					
<b>DANA POINT</b>	^	^					
Dly 7:00A-Hard Core Harbor Grp		\$9,304					
Mo 5:30P-Women's Disc, Ensenada & DPH		\$417					
Mo 7:00P-Promises, 34052 Del Obispo		\$0					
Th 10:30A-Wmn's Book Stdy, 33501Stonehill		\$0					
Th 7:00A-(W) HarborTopic Disc.S Juan&VL		\$126					
Fr 12:15P-Fri Lunch Women's BB, 33841		\$25					
Fr 7:00P-Grapevine, 33926 Calle Primavera		\$240					
Sa 7:00P-Speaker, 33926 Calle Primavera	\$253	\$381					
<b>FOUNTAIN VALLEY</b>	^	^					
Dly 6:00A-Solutions, 16581 Brookhurst		\$200					
M-S 12:00P-All other meetings failed		\$0					
Su 8:00P-As Bill Sees It, 16581 Brookhurst		\$0					
Su 8:00P-Candlelight Disc., 10280 Slater		\$0					
We 7:30P Women Do Recover,16581Brkhurst		\$0					
We 8:00P-Discussion, 10280 Slater		\$56					
Th 8:00P-AA Keeping it Real, Participation		\$0					
<b>GARDEN GROVE</b>	^	^					
Su 7:30A-Red Eye Group, 9845 Belfast		\$0					
Mo 12:30P-Daylight Disc., 9845 Belfast		\$60					
Tu 7:00P-Top of the Key Bkstdy, 9th&Lampsn	\$80	\$255					
Tu 7:30P-Heartspeak Wmn's, 9845 Belfast		\$0					
Tu 6:00P-Good News Disc, 9845 Belfast Dr.		\$0					
We 10:00A-Ovr50Single.ofPurpose, 9845Blfst		\$0					
We 12:00P-Women's, 9845 Belfast		\$0					
We 6:00P-Wed. Warriors, 9845 Belfast		\$0					
Th 10:00A-Over 40 Group		\$0					
Th 7:00P-Step Study, 12432 9th St.	\$30	\$60					
Th 8:00P-Women's Disc., 9842 W. 13th St.		\$0					
Fr 10:30A-Women's (C)12 & 12, 9845 Blfst	\$36	\$72					
Sa 10:30A-Big Book Study, 9845 Belfast		\$128					
Sa 8:00P-Saturday Nite Spkrs, 9845 Belfast		\$0					
<b>HUNTINGTON BEACH</b>	^	^					
Dly 6:00A-Early Birds, 18582 Beach #2	\$221	\$221					
Dly 7:00A-Hggrs As Bill Sees It, 8200 Ellis		\$650					
Dly 7:30A-Attitude Mod., 18582 Beach		\$180					
Dly 8:00A-Huggers II, H.B Lifegrd Tower 11		\$1,007					
Su 9:00A-On The Beach, Lifegrd Tower 11		\$90					
Su 10:00A-Sober Sharing, 18582 Beach	\$50	\$50					
Su 12:00P-3rd Step Meeting, 18582 Beach		\$50					
Su 2:00P-Recovery Topic Disc, 18582 Beach		\$0					
Su 3:00P-3rd Step, 18582 Beach		\$0					
Su 5:00P-Creative Sharing, 18582 Beach		\$200					
Su 7:30P-Discussion, 20444 Magnolia St		\$240					
Su 8:00P-StepStdy Out of B.B., 17451 Zeider		\$0					
Mo 12:00P-Women's As Bill Sees It, 18631	\$60	\$210					
Mo 6:00P-Sprk/Q&A/Part., 6622 Lakeview	\$70	\$70					
Mo 6:30P-Both Books Stdy, 16871 BolsaChic		\$0					
Mo 7:30P-Keep it Simple, 1912 Florida		\$0					
Mo 7:30P-B.B. Stdy, 20444 Magnolia St		\$0					
Simon &		\$70					
Mo 7:00P-Men's B. B. Stdy, 1912 Florida		\$70					
Mo 7:30P-Big Book Study, 20444 Magnolia St		\$140					
Mo 7:30P-Wmn's Sans , 18631 Chapel Ln.	\$30	\$150					
Tu 1:00P-Harmony Women's, Edinger		\$0					
Denney's		\$40					
Tu 6:00P-Wmn's 12&12,18582 Beach		\$0					
Tu 7:30P-Beginners Mens, 1912 Florida	\$280	\$280					
Tu 7:30P-Women's Disc., 8200 Ellis		\$0					
Tu 7:30P-Wmn's Serenity B.B., Mag		\$120					
Tu 8:00P-Newcomers Stag, 20444 Magnolia		\$130					
Tu 8:00P-Tues.Night Zeider Ln, 17461 Z. Ln.		\$125					
We 7:30A-Attitude Modif, 18582 Beach		\$60					
We 2:00P-Seniors & Friends 1718 Orange		\$60					
We 6:00P-Discussion, 18582 Beach #2	\$60	\$100					
We 6:30P-Wmn's Step Stdy, 7641 Talbert	\$40	\$100					
We 8:00P-Here & Now, 16871 Bolsa Chica	\$60	\$60					
We 8:00P-Participation, 20444 Magnolia St		\$0					
We 8:00P-Recovery Radicals, 301NewportBl		\$240					
Th 10:00A-Wmn's B. B. Stdy, 18631 Chapel		\$120					
Th 12:00P-Discussion, 18582 Beach #2		\$0					
Th 6:00P-Ovr40 & Going Strng, 18582 Beach		\$0					
Th 6:30P-Big Book Study, 6622 Lakeview		\$0					
Th 7:30P-11th Step Disc., 1912 Florida		\$64					
Fr 10:00A-Step Sisters, 20444 Magnolia St	\$52	\$118					
Fr 6:00P-Eleventh Step Round Robin, 18582		\$121					
Fr 6:00P-Men in the Solution, 17461 Zeider		\$0					
Fr 6:30P-Big Book Study, 16400 Springdale		\$100					
Fr 7:30P-Lennox Podium Part., 6662 Heil		\$0					
Fr 7:30P-B.B.Stdy,Heil & Saybrk(Com.Club)		\$70					
Sa 7:30A-Attitude Mod., 18582 Beach		\$60					
Sa 7:30A-Men's Stag, 18582 Beach		\$70					
Sa 7:30A-Men's Discussion, 9812 Hamilton		\$30					
Sa 9:30A-Wmn's Big Book Study, 18582 Beach		\$193					
Sa 10:00A-Wmn's B.B.Stdy, 18631 Chapel		\$120					
Sa 1:00P-Discussion, 18582 Beach # 2		\$0					
Sa 7:00P-Sat.Night LiveBBStdy, 18631 Chapel		\$40					
Sa 7:00P-Sat. Nite Light Spkrs, 18582 Beach		\$0					
Sa 7:30P-Lennox Podium Participation, 6662		\$0					
<b>IRVINE</b>	^	^					
Dly 6:30A-Sunrise Sobriety, 4400 Barranca		\$1,932					
MF 6:30A-It's A New Morning, 4915 Alton		\$334					
MF 12:00P-Irvine Noon Group, 2777 McGaw	\$600	\$2,160					
MF 5:30P-On The Way Home, 2777 McGaw	\$101	\$274					
Su 10:00A-Donut Mtg., 6670 Alton Prkwy.	\$189	\$599					
Su 7:30P-Bonita Cnyn Disc, 5001 Nwprtr Cst		\$0					
Mo 6:00P-Women's B. B. Topic, 6670 Alton		\$123					
Mo 6:30P-Easy Does It, 4949 Alton		\$21					
Mo 7:30P-Women's Disc., 6000 Irvine Cntr.	\$60	\$222					
Mo 8:00P- Participation, Culver&University		\$0					
Tu 12:00P-Wmn'sB.B.Stdy, 18842 Teller		\$0					
Tu 6:00P-Courage To Change, 18182 Culver		\$84					
Tu 7:00P-Men's K.I.S. 12X12, 14301 Yale Av	\$70	\$70					
Tu 7:30P-Good Guys Men's, 55 Deerwood		\$0					
Tu 7:30P-Men's Stag B.B. Grp, 18842 Teller		\$0					
We 6:30P-B. B. Topic Disc., 5001 Nwprtr Cst	\$53	\$186					
We 7:30P-Wild Bunch Begin, 18842 Teller		\$105					
We 8:00P-12 Solutions Step Study, Harvard		\$250					
Th 12:00P-Irvine Mens Lunch, 4139 Campus		\$0					
Th 6:30P-(W) Gypsies, Deerfield & Turtle							



Donations continued...

		NEWPORT BEACH		SAN CLEMENTE	
Tu 6:30P-Men's Beginner, 31872 S. Coast	\$0	Dly12:15P-Old Nwprt Nomads, 414Old Nwprt	\$883	Mo 7:00P-N.O.I. Men's, Camino Capistrano	\$403
Tu 7:30P-Gay Men's Stag, 31872 S. Coast	\$0	M-S 7:00A-Roundtable Disc, 414 E. 32nd St	\$800	Tu 6:00P-Women's Disc., 190 Ave La Pata	\$0
Tu 7:30P-By The Book, 20456 LCR	\$0	MF 6:30A-Balboa Round Table, 605 E Balboa	\$418	Fr 7:00P-Women's Book Study, Ave.Aragon	\$120 \$120
We 7:00A-WhaleWatch.Men's,PCH&Westley	\$550	MF 12:15P-Shark@Aquatic, 1Whitecliffs	\$513 \$2,916	Fr 7:00P-Fri. Nite Newcomers, 119 N. de la	\$66 \$66
We 12:00P-Anything Goes, 20456 LCR	\$70	MF 5:30P-Fish Out'a Water, 414 E. 32nd	\$177 \$616	Fr 8:00P-Aragon Spkrs., 202 Ave. Aragon	\$0
We 6:00P-Beginner's, 20456 LCR	\$105	Su 11:30A-Here and Now, 414 E. 32nd St.	\$50	Sa 6:00P-Around 40's Disc, 27514 C.Arroyo	\$0
We 7:00P-Men's Step Study, 384 Legion	\$45	Su 9:30A-Sandy Survivors, On the beach	\$435	<b>SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO</b>	
We 8:00P-Men's Participation, 21632 Wesley	\$30	Su 7:00P-Primary Purpose Grp, Dover&16th	\$0	Dly 7:00A-Eye Opener, 27514 CalleArroyo	\$198 \$198
We 8:00P-So.Coast Speakers, 286 St. Anns	\$0	Su 7:30P-Speakers, 414 E. 32nd St	\$675	Su 5:00P-1 Hr Topic Disc, 27514CalleArro	\$60
Th 12:00P-12 & 12 Step Study, 20456 LCR	\$0	Su 7:30P-Steps&Trads, Eastbluff&Jamboree	\$0	Mo 6:00P-B.B.Study, 27514 Calle Arroyo	\$55
Th 12:30P-Women's Disc., 415 Forest Ave.	\$120	Mo 9:00A-Women's Step Stdy, 414 E. 32nd	\$0	Tu 7:00P- Hear Here Part., 27514 C. Arroyo	\$50
Th 6:00 P-Women's Discussion,20456 LCR	\$140	Mo 12:30P-Back Bay Men's, 1201 IrvineAve	\$700	We 7:00P-11th Step Disc, 27514 C. Arroyo	\$108
Th 6:30P-Mens's BYOB 12& 12 Step Study	\$140	Mo 4:00P-Let Go & Let God, Dover	\$0	We 7:30P-B.B.Study, 26283 Shadybrook	\$0
Th 7:30P-Women's Step Study, 31872 PCH	\$0	Mo 6:45P-Beg.&Tradition Grp,1400 Balboa	\$342	Th 6:00P-Do The Steps, 32202 Del Obispo	\$142
Fr 12:00P-Question & Answer, 20456 LCR	\$70	Mo 7:00P-Over 40 Disc, 5th & Iris	\$25	Th 7:00P-Joy of Sobriety, 31495 E.C. Real	\$202
Fr 6:00 P-Happy Hour and Half, 20456 LCR	\$150	Mo 8:00P-Men's Disc, 301 Newport Blvd	\$526	Th 7:30P-Men's Q & A, 32202 Del Obispo	\$442
Fr 6:00P-Literature Mtg, 21632 Wesley	\$385	Mo 8:00P-Women's Disc., 301 Newport Blvd	\$100	Sa 6:00P-Around 40's Disc, 27514 C.Arroyo	\$0
Fr 7:30P-Candlelight Disc., 20456 LCR	\$170	Mo 8:00P-Step Study, 414 E. 32nd St.	\$0	<b>SANTA ANA</b>	
Fr 8:00P-Here & Now, 21632 Wesley	\$0	Tu 3:30P-Discussion, 414 E. 32nd St	\$0	Dly 12 & 8pm-Nueva Luz, 2525 N.Grand	\$40 \$122
Fr 8:30P-Live & Let Live, 31872 PCH	\$0	Tu 7:00P-Beachcombers Mens, 605 Balboa	\$0	Mo-Sa 7:30A-Disc. Early Birds, 212 S. Elk	\$24 \$24
Sa 7:00A-Whale Watchers Mens Stag	\$588 \$1,349	Tu 7:00P-NB/CDM Men's, 414 32nd St.	\$0	Su 11:00A-Sunshine Pumpers, 120 W. 5th	\$0
Sa 12:30-P-Into Action, 20456 LCR	\$0	Tu 7:00P-Wmn's Book Stdy, 2414VistaDelOro	\$99 \$205	Su 5:00P-Two Or More, 721 Euclid	\$0
Sa 7:00P-Beginners, 31872 PCH	\$719	Tu 7:30P-Men's12&12Stdy, 2100 Mar Vista	\$75	Mo 7:00P-Men's Discussion, 1st&Lyon Elks	\$50 \$70
Sa 8:00P-Endless Summer II, 21540 Westly	\$448	We 6:30A-Big Book Topic Disc, 5001 NP Coast	\$83	We 7:30P-Wed Night Men's, 600 N. Main	\$128 \$128
Sa 8:00P-Sat.Night Speaker Mtg, 20456 LCR	\$0	We 7:00P-Steps&Trads, 2100 Mar Vista	\$0	We 8:00P-Discussion, 417 N. Cooper	\$0
<b>LAGUNA HILLS</b>		We 7:00P-StrongWomen'sGrp, 414 E. 32nd	\$0	Fr 8:00P-51/50, 614 Bush Street	\$70
Mo 6:00P-Women'sDisc, 23802 A. D.Carlota	\$360	We 7:30P-Wed Night Men's, 2401 Irvine	\$300 \$300	Sa 2:00P-Speakers, 910 N. French	\$100
Tu 7:00P-Men's Stag, 23802 Ave de Carlotta	\$375	We 7:30P-Big Book Study, 600 St. Andrew	\$60	Sa 8:00P-Cooper Fellow.. Spkr, 417 N. Cooper	\$20 \$20
Tu 7:30P-Women's B.B.Study, 24566 Ashland	\$60	We 8:00P-Recovery Radicals, 301NewportBl	\$0	<b>SEAL BEACH</b>	
We 7:00P-Get Happy 12&12 Study, Carlotta	\$33 \$105	Th 9:00A-Womans B.B.Study, 414 32nd St.	\$0	We 7:30P-Men's Step Study, 8th & Central	\$40 \$115
<b>LAGUNA NIGUEL</b>		Th 7:00P-Over 40's, 414 32nd Street	\$25 \$75	<b>SILVERADO CANYON</b>	
Su 8:00P-Crown Valley Speaker, Commu Park	\$205	Th 7:30P-Balboa Spkr Group, 414 E. 32nd	\$200 \$200	Th 7:30P-Fireside Disc, 17641 Silverado	\$60 \$60
Mo 10:30A-(W) 12X12 Stdy, 30121 Niguel Rd	\$240	Fr 12:15P-Men's Business Disc., 414 32nd	\$280 \$280	<b>SUNSET BEACH</b>	
Mo 8:00P-12&12 Study, 30121 Niguel Rd	\$240	Fr 7:00P-Friday Q & A, 414 32nd Street	\$160	Su 7:15A-Sober Sunday Sunrise, 16865	\$120
Tu 6:30P-(M)Disc.&Munchies,L.N.Reg. Park	\$0	Fr 7:00P-Winning Ticket Step Stdy,Mar Vista	\$0	Su 9:00A-SoberOnTheSand, End of 16th	\$70
Tu 7:30P-Big Book Study, 24566 Ashland	\$129	Sa 12:10-Our Relationship w/God, 414 32n	\$25	Su 10:00A-Sunset Beach	\$0
Tu 7:30P-Book Study, 30121 Niguel Rd.	\$164	Sa 6:00P-CoverToCoverB.B.Study, 798 Dover	\$0	Mtg.,PCH&Warner	\$0
We 6:00P-Book Study, 30121 Niguel Rd.	\$40 \$130	Sa 7:30P-Daily Reflections, 2100 Mar Vista	\$98	Su 1:00P-Women's12StepDisc, 16865 PCH	\$0
We 7:30P-Book Study, 30121 Niguel Rd.	\$25	Sa 8:30P-Hoag Hut Speaker, 301 Newport	\$1,000	Su 5:00P-Sundowners, 16865 PCH	\$0
Fr 10:30A-Women's Disc., 30121 Niguel Rd.	\$117 \$357	<b>ORANGE</b>		Su 7:00P-11th Step Study, 16865 PCH	\$168
Fr 7:30P-Here & Now, 24360 Yosemite	\$0	Dly 7:00A-Early Birds, 812 Town&Country	\$600	Mo 7:00A-Discussion, 16865 PCH	\$213
Sa 6:00P-Candlelight Disc., 30121Niguel Rd	\$120	Su 11:00A-Sunshine Pumpers, 705 W LaVeta	\$140 \$420	Mo 12:00P-Big Book Study, 16865 PCH	\$0
<b>LAGUNA WOODS</b>		Su 5:30P-TheOther12&12, 705 W. La Veta	\$0	Tu 7:00A-Discussion, 16865 PCH	\$60 \$120
Dly 7:30A-Do It Sober, 24442 Moulton	\$551 \$2,406	Su 7:00P-Speaker of Orange,1800 E.LaVeta	\$0	Tu 12:00P-Discussion, 16865 P.C.H.	\$110
Mo 6:00P-Women's BB Study, 24442 Mou	\$70	Mo 7:00P-Women's Step Study, 161 Orange	\$275	Tu 6:00P-Discussion, 16865 P.C.H.	\$30 \$60
Mo 7:30P-Big Book Study, 24442 Moulton	\$120	We 12:00P-Crawl Before No One, 2191 Or	\$0	We 12:00P-Promises Meeting, 16865 PCH	\$0
We 1:15P-Wmn's B.B.Stdy, 24351 El Toro	\$70 \$250	Th 6:00P-Enjoying Life, Last Thur of Month	\$10	We 6:30P-Newcomers Meeting, 16865 PCH	\$0
Fr 10:00A-Top o'TheHillGang, 24252 El Toro	\$180	Th 7:30P-All About Me Mens Stag 1800LaV	\$0	Th 7:00A-Discussion, 16865 PCH	\$0
<b>LA HABRA</b>		Th 7:30P-777 Men's Stag, 395 N. Tustin	\$500	Th 12:00P-StepStdy/Promises, 16865 PCH.	\$0
MF 6:30A-Topic Disc, 100 W. La Habra	\$0	Th 7:30P-Newcomer's Disc., 2191 Orange	\$0	Th 5:30P-Women's Meeting, 16865 PCH	\$120 \$220
<b>LAKE FOREST</b>		Olive	\$0	Fr 7:00A-Discussion, 16865 PCH	\$0
Mo 8:00P-AA Service in Sobriety, 22471 Aspan	\$250	Fr 8:00P-No Puffers, St Joseph Hospital	\$0	Fr 12:00P-Discussion, 16865 PCH	\$20 \$40
We 7:45P-Back To Basics, 23262 El Toro Rd	\$0	Sa 10:00P-Candlelite Discussion, 2191 Or	\$0	Fr 8:00P-Discussion, 16865 PCH	\$70
Th 7:30P-MustardSeedSpStdy, 23262 El Toro	\$165	<b>RANCHO SANTA MARGARITA</b>		Sa 7:30A-Discussion, 16865 PCH	\$135
<b>LOS ALAMITOS</b>		Su 7:30P-Old Time12&12Study, Empressa	\$175	Sa 3:00P-Step & Tradition, 16865 PCH	\$60 \$60
Th-Cover to Cover	\$20	Mo 7:00P-(W)Staying Sober, 30382ViaConDios	\$177	Sa 7:00P-Rule 62 Speakers, 16865 PCH	\$100 \$100
<b>MISSION VIEJO</b>		Mo 7:30P-Men's, 30605 Ave de la Flores	\$259	<b>TUSTIN</b>	
Mo&Th 7:30P-B.B.Stdy, Jeronimo & Marg.	\$256 \$722	Tu 7:30P-Old TimeB.B.Stdy, 30322ViaCDios	\$180	Dly 6:00A-FoothillEarlyRisrs, 19211Dodge	\$167 \$867
Mo 7:00P- Women'sStep Stdy, 26051 Marg.	\$201	We 7:30P-RSM StepStudy, 30382 ViaCDios	\$189	Dly 6:00A-Attitude Adj, 14662 Newport	\$50 \$558
Mo 7:00P-Women's Book Study, 26558 Marg.	\$0	Th 7:30P-11thStpSpiritual Disc, 22521 Ave Empressa	\$0	Dly 6:00A-Attitude Mod, 130 W. Main	\$115 \$1,463
Mo 7:30P-Bell Ringers Men's Stag,	\$125	Fr 7:30P-Roads End Part., 30322 ViaCDios	\$150	Dly 12:00P-Brown Baggers, 130 W. Main	\$225 \$764
We 9:30A-Women, 26051 Marguerite Pkwy	\$42	Sa 10:30A-Women's BB Study, ViaConDios	\$150	Dly 5:30P-Rush Hour, 130 W. Main.	\$1,301 \$2,951
We 8:30P-Missionaries Disc., 26558 Marg.	\$60 \$330				
Th 9:30A-Women's 12 x 12, 26001 Blascos	\$60 \$60				
Sa 7:15P-Mission Speakers, 24932 Veterans	\$105				

Continued...



*Donations continued...*

MF 12:00P-Alkies Winners, 555 W. Main	\$79	\$547
Su 9:02A-Speakers, 130 W. Main		\$31
Su 7:00P-Chapt. 9 Book Study, 1201 Irvine		\$100
Su 7:00P-Sober & Crazy Spkrs, 130 W. Main	\$70	\$462
Mo 9:00A-Women'sUnityGrp, 14402 Prospect		\$0
Mo 7:30P-Men's Discussion, 130 W. Main	\$62	\$259
Mo 6:16P-Tustin Women's 12X12, 1221 Wass		\$70
Tu 12:00P-Women's 12 & 12, Nwpt & Dodge		\$134
Tu 7:00P-Big Book Study, 19211 Dodge	\$100	\$185
Tu 8:00P-Steps 1-4, Aldergate Church		\$60
We 7:00P-LuckyStiffsMen's, 18542Vanderlip		\$212
We 7:00P-Women's Solutions, 19211 Dodge		\$90
Th 9:00A-Women's12&12, 14402 Prospect		\$70
Th 12:00P-Women's Big Book, 19211 Dodge		\$95
Th 6:15P-Women's Living Sober, 1201 Irvine Bl		\$135
Th 8:00P-12&12GrapevineStdy, 13922Prspct		\$0
Fr 7:30P-Turning The Corner, 1221 Wass	\$81	\$292
Sa 8:00P-Visiting Speakers, 1221 Wass		\$177
<b>VILLA PARK</b>	^	^
Dly 24 Hour Group		\$332
Su 7:00P-11th Step Prayer & Meditation		\$0
<b>WESTMINSTER</b>	^	^
Mo 7:30P-12&12Beginners, 15750 Magnolia		\$70
Th 7:30P-Big Book Study, 8152 McFadden		\$0
<b>WHITTIER</b>	^	^
Mo 7:00P-As Bill Sees It, 8175 Villa Verde		\$0
<b>UNLISTED GROUPS</b>	^	^
Cardiff-By-The-Sea		\$0
Women's 12 Step Workshop (Unlisted)		\$0
Laguna Niguel 4th Step Workshop (Unlisted)	\$200	\$200
Millcreek Men's Stag (Unlisted) LF		\$0
Su 7:30P-Chapter 9 Disc., (Unlisted)LB		\$0
Tu Twelve Step Workshop (Unlisted) SA	\$200	\$200
Tu Moore Village BK Stdy (Unlisted)SA		\$0
Tu Morning Men's Stag (Unlisted)		\$0
Tu 5:30P-Big Book Tape Study, (Unlisted) Irvine	\$53	\$339
Tu 8:00P-Last Gaspers (Unlisted)CM		\$50
We Beginners (Unlisted)GG		\$0
We 7:00P-Wmn's Source of Strngth(Unlisted)CM		\$0
We 7:00P-Wmn's Book Study (Unlisted)	\$50	\$50
We Artists/Musicians (Unlisted) LB		\$0
Th Thurs Men's Peanut Mtg. (Unlisted) Irvine		\$0
Th Joe Quinn BK Stdy, (Unlisted)LB		\$0
Th 7:00P-Women's 11th Step (Unlisted)		\$0
Th 7:00P-DohenyBonfireMtg.(Unlisted)DP		\$0
Th 7:00P-Big Book Study (Unlisted) LB	\$100	\$100
Th 7:30P-Speaker, Leisure World (Unlisted)		\$0
Th 7:30P-LeisureWorld (Unlisted) LW	\$240	\$240
Fr 10:30A-F-Troop Discuss (Unlisted)		\$0
Fr Friday Night Meeting (Unlisted) SB		\$0
Sa Pines Park (Unlisted) DP		\$0
Sa 9:30A-Pine's Park (Unlisted) SC		\$0
Into Action BB Study (Unlisted) CM		\$0
<b>WANDERING GROUPS</b>	^	^
Mo 7:30P-Mission Viejo Wanders		\$0
Tu 6:30P-Mens Wandering		\$0
Tu 6:00P-Chicks On The Run-Wandering		\$0
Tu 6:00P-Step Sisters-Roaming		\$0
Tu 6:00P-LN-DP Wandering		\$0
Tu 7:00P-Wandering Sober Surfers		\$0
We Women's Wandering Group (Unlisted)	\$207	\$207
We Wandering Womens		\$0
Th 6:30P-Wandering Group RSM		\$0
Sa 8:00P-Orange County Wandering Group	\$10	\$90
<b>MISC. DONATIONS</b>	^	^
OCCO Change Can		\$28
Satellite Office Change Can	\$2	\$7
Intergroup Meeting	\$62	\$342
AOCYPAA		\$450

OCAAC 22nd Annual OC AA Convention	\$2,347	\$2,347
Miracles Happen	\$269	\$269
<b>PERSONAL DONATIONS</b>	^	^
Anonymous		\$500
Andrea H.		\$10
Cyndi H.		\$8
Chris K.		\$140
E. Douglas M. Irvine		\$400
Joe S. San Clemente	\$100	\$100
June L. Irvine	\$25	\$125
Linda L. Lake Elsinore	\$167	\$167
Richard B. Irvine		\$140
Linda L. Lake Elsinore		\$536
Missy B. Ladera Ranch		\$35
Mari K. Long Beach		\$70
Micheal V		\$150
Toni S. Tustin	\$45	\$45
Victoria M. Laguna Niguel		\$100
Vaun I. Laguna Beach		\$396
Wanda R. Huntington Beach		\$20
<b>IN LOVING MEMORY</b>	^	^
Jerry E. Costa Mesa		\$30
Theda J. Laguna Woods		\$50
Kenneth C.		\$25
<b>GROUP INFORMATION REQUESTED</b>	^	^
Receipt # 7899		\$240
Receipt # 7891		\$60
Receipt # 7974		\$67
Receipt # 7983		\$210
Receipt # 8041		\$120
Receipt # 8067		\$50
Receipt # 8172		\$190
Receipt # 8238		\$630
Receipt # 8239		\$280
Receipt # 8259		\$40
Receipt # 8260		\$70
Receipt # 8282 674451 SJC		\$238
Receipt # 8311 Toni S, Tustin		\$20
Receipt # 8334		\$98
Receipt # 8335		\$240
Receipt # 8351 606555		\$60
Receipt # 8377 139607		\$231
Receipt # 8399 Seal Beach Fr Nite BB (unlisted?)	\$200	\$200
Receipt # 8407 We 7:00P Womens Meeting	\$30	\$30
Receipt # 8190 60 Min Beginners Gp	\$350	\$350
Receipt # 8452 # 0147212	\$61	\$61
<b>TOTALS</b>	\$18,285	\$91,531

**EVENTS**

July 13-15, 2007  
*Tehachapi Mountain Roundup*  
**Tehachapi, CA**  
[www.tehachapiroundup.com](http://www.tehachapiroundup.com)

July 12-15, 2007  
*Serenity in the Sierra XVIII*  
*Greater Reno Regional AA Campout*  
**South Lake Tahoe, CA**  
[acampout@aol.com](mailto:acampout@aol.com)

August 3-5, 2007  
*2007 MAAD Dog Daze*  
**Cathedral City, CA**  
[www.aainthedesert.org](http://www.aainthedesert.org)

August 17-19, 2007  
*22nd Annual Summer Serenity in the Sierras*

August 24-26, 2007  
*2007 Redwood Coast Roundup*  
**Fortuna, CA**  
[www.redwoodcoastroundup.com](http://www.redwoodcoastroundup.com)

August 30-September 2, 2007  
*49th ICYPAA*  
**Los Angeles, CA**  
[www.49thicytaa.org](http://www.49thicytaa.org)

August 31-September 2, 2007  
*Monterey Bay Area Roundup*  
**Monterey, CA**  
 AA: (831) 521-9360  
 AI-Anon: (831) 224-0060

September 21-23, 2007  
*56th Southern California AA Convention*  
**Garden Grove, CA**  
[www.aasocal.com](http://www.aasocal.com)

September 28-30, 2007  
*Woman to Woman*  
**San Diego, CA**  
[www.womantowomansandiego.com](http://www.womantowomansandiego.com)



**CENTRAL OFFICE ACTIVITY-May**

Total Calls Handled by Both Offices: 2700

**Main and Satellite Office Volunteers**

	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>
12 Step Calls	29	22
Meeting Information	1019	1042
General Information	577	602
Walk-in Customers	296	231

**Night Owl Volunteers**

12 Step calls	21	14
Meeting Information	727	646
General Information	411	333

**ORANGE COUNTY  
INTERGROUP ASSOCIATION OF AA**  
Statement of Income and Expenses for Period Ending 05/31/2007

**Just a Few Words ---**

Many of the most familiar documents, sayings, and prayers, important to nearly everyone, are blessedly short in length but overwhelmingly meaningful. The Serenity Prayer has brought help and hope to countless recovering people as they attempt to accept their disease, to take an inventory, to make amends, and to accept God's will for their lives one day at a time. The short form of the prayer commonly used in AA is only 26 words long, and the entire prayer, as written by Reinhold Niebuhr, is only 93 words long.

These word counts, and others, are shown below for comparison.

- Serenity Prayer, short form - 26 words
- Serenity Prayer, complete - 93 words
- Gettysburg Address - 286 words
- Declaration of Independence - 1322 words
- Govt. regulations on sale of cabbage - 26,911 words
- Federal tax code (April '07 estimate) 67,204 pages\*

\* Note: this is pages, not words. No known living person has ever counted all the words in the Tax Code, which is a work-in-progress, similar to the Congressional Record

**Serenity Prayer**

God, grant me

The serenity to accept the things I cannot change;

The courage to change the things I can;

The wisdom to know the difference.

Living one day at a time;

Enjoying one moment at a time;

Accepting hardship as the pathway to peace;

Taking, as He did, this sinful world as it is;  
not as I would have it;

Trusting that He will make all things right  
if I surrender to His will;

That I may be reasonably happy in this life,  
and supremely happy with  
Him forever in the Next.

**FREEDOM FROM...FREEDOM TO**

*"We are going to know a new freedom..."*  
Alcoholics Anonymous®, p. 83



Freedom for me is both freedom *from* and freedom *to*. The first freedom I enjoy is freedom from the slavery of alcohol. What a relief! Then I begin to experience freedom *from* fear—fear of people, of economic insecurity, of commitment, of failure, of rejection. Then I begin to enjoy freedom *to*—freedom *to choose* sobriety for today, freedom to be myself, freedom to express my opinion, to experience peace of mind, to love and be loved, and freedom to grow spiritually. But how can I achieve these freedoms? The Big Book clearly says that before I am halfway through making amends, I will begin to know a "new" freedom; not the old freedom of doing what I pleased, without regard to others, but the new freedom that allows fulfillment of the promises in my life. What a joy to be free!

*Daily Reflections*, p. 38

**HUMILITY IS NOT THINKING LESS OF YOURSELF  
IT IS THINKING OF YOURSELF LESS**

	<b>MAY</b>	<b>YTD</b>
<b>INCOME</b>		
Group Donations	18,050.62	88,191.18
Individual/Fellowship	172.23	2,939.78
Literature Sales	8,403.41	50,929.33
Birthday Donations	200.00	1,604.65
In Memoriam	0.00	80.00
Intergroup Donations	61.94	342.39
Special Events	0.00	0.00
Interest Income	290.46	1,377.37
Misc. (Repaid Bounced Checks)	0.00	234.12
<b>TOTAL INCOME:</b>	<b>27,178.66</b>	<b>145,698.82</b>

<b>EXPENSES</b>		
Audits/Accounting	0.00	0.00
Auto (All Managers)	122.71	353.58
Bank Charge	0.00	0.00
Cash/Invoices OverShort	-39.21	-49.60
Insurances	5,172.88	13,541.65
Intergroup Expense	100.00	956.00
Lease Expense	389.07	1,945.35
Maintenance & Repairs	0.00	304.92
Volunteers Coffee + Water	58.64	451.54
Offices' Supplies	727.36	2,362.85
Pension Fund	166.68	833.40
Postage	182.59	583.65
P/I, Donated Literature	16.00	1,574.37
Rent Main/Satellite Offices	3,513.05	17,497.25
Salaries	11,196.03	48,977.87
Payroll Tax Expense	856.48	4,170.79
Taxes & Licenses	0.00	132.59
Telephone Expense	355.65	1,667.65
LIFELINE Expense	1,270.60	6,114.15
Cost of Literature Sold	6,598.15	39,988.48
Special Events	43.10	1,250.85
Misc. (Returned Checks)	0.00	571.12
<b>TOTAL EXPENSES:</b>	<b>30,729.78</b>	<b>143,228.46</b>
<b>INCOME/(LOSS):</b>	<b>-3,551.12</b>	<b>2,470.36</b>



An alcoholic was walking along the beach when he saw a bottle. He stopped and rubbed it and a genie popped out. "You have 3 wishes" said the genie. The alcoholic said, "I'll take a bottle that is never empty." Whamo he has a bottle that is never empty and starts to drink. The genie taps him on the shoulder and says, "and what are your other two wishes?" "Oh," says the alcoholic, "I'll have two more like this one."



**THE LIFELINE**  
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**SANTA ANA, CA 92705**

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**Purpose:** The Orange County Lifeline Committee is a committee of volunteer A.A. members, charged with the responsibility of producing and distributing the Orange County Lifeline, (a publication of the Orange County Intergroup Association). The Lifeline is published monthly and is supported solely through contributions from the A.A. groups and members of Orange County. The Lifeline is published to meet the following needs of the Orange County A.A. membership: to inform the A.A. membership regarding A.A. service, A.A. events and A.A. announcements; also to share experience in recovery, unity and service; to keep the A.A. membership informed regarding the actions, finances and meetings of the Orange County Intergroup Association and other Central Office committees.

**Lifeline Committee: We meet the 1st Thursday of each month at the Central Office. Join us @ 7PM.**

Dave M. (Chair); Jim S., Phil F., Nick M., George L., Tarcy H. (Editor)

Mail submissions to the above address or email to Lifeline Committee at [lifelineeditor@yahoo.com](mailto:lifelineeditor@yahoo.com)

**CENTRAL OFFICE CALL FORWARDING SHIFTS**

Call-forwarding is the program instituted by Orange County Central Office whereby, during hours when the Central Office is closed, calls to the Central Office are forwarded to your phone and you answer the calls, just as if you were sitting in the Central Office as a volunteer. This service allows the Central Office to realize a significant cost savings because we do not need to contract to a vendor to answer the phone and forward the call on to a central Office 12th Step volunteer. Even more vital, when a call is placed to Alcoholics Anonymous, the caller will be talking to an A.A. member not a paid private worker! Many of the shifts listed below are currently filled by A.A. members. If you see a shift that you would be able to take, please call the Central Office at (714) 556-4555 to determine if that shift is currently unfilled.

In order to	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Holiday
	6am-9am	6am-9am	6am-9am	6am-9am	6am-9am	6am-9am	6am-10am	6am-10am
	9pm-6am	9pm-6am	9pm-6am	9pm-6am	9pm-6am	1pm-4pm	10am-2pm	10am-2pm
						4pm-7pm	2pm-6pm	2pm-6pm
						7pm-10pm	6pm-10pm	6pm-10pm
						10pm-6am	10pm-6am	10pm-6am

**BACKUP**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Holiday
6am-9am	6am-9am	6am-9am	6am-9am	6am-9am	6am-9am	6am-10am	6am-10am
9pm-6am	9pm-6am	9pm-6am	9pm-6am	9pm-6am	1pm-4pm	10am-2pm	10am-2pm
					4pm-7pm	2pm-6pm	2pm-6pm
					7pm-10pm	6pm-10pm	6pm-10pm
					10pm-6am	10pm-6am	10pm-6am

volunteer for this service, you must first arrange with the Central Office Manager for a brief orientation session which will be held at the Central Office. This truly is "front-line" 12th Step work and we would appreciate any time you can give.

**ORANGE COUNTY INTERGROUP SERVICE BOARD**

**Contacts and Committee Information**

**Secretary**

**Vice Chair,** Frank M.

**Treasurer,** Grant M.

**Chair Person,** Lew D

**Special Events Committee,** Debbie M.

Meetings scheduled as needed

**Group Relations Committee,** Scott R. Meets the 4th Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm

**Public Information Committee,** Alex N. Meets the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 6:30 pm

**Lifeline Committee,** Dave M.

Meets the 1st Thursday of the month at 7:00 pm

**Central Office Committee,** John P.,

**H & I Committee,** George R.

Meets the 2nd Sunday of the month at the Garden Grove Alano Club. Institutions meet at 4:00 pm; Hospitals meet at 6:00 pm

With the exception of H & I, the above committees meet at Central Office, 1526 Brookhollow, Suite 75, Santa Ana, CA 92705.

If you are interested in serving on a committee or would like more information please contact the above or Central Office at 714-556-4555.

**BEING OF SERVICE!  
THANK YOU FOR**



Do you have two years of sobriety?

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Please See if Your Schedule Can Match Up With a Call-Forwarding Shift Schedule.

Get In Touch With the Orange County Central Office To Find Out. Please Call: (714) 556-4555

# Speakers



**Garden Grove**  
**Saturday Night Speakers, 8:00 PM**  
 Garden Grove Alano Club, 9845 Belfast Dr.  
 Contact: Jon W.

7/7	Gary A.	Tustin
7/14	Larry	Oceanside
7/21	Christi H.	Ontario
7/28	Clancy	Los Angeles

**Huntington Beach**  
**Saturday Night Lite Speakers, 7:00 PM**  
 HOW Hall, 18582 Beach Blvd.  
 Behind Flower Kiosk @ Ellis  
 Contact: Kevin B.

7/7	Richard C.	Irvine
7/14	Brett B.	Costa Mesa
7/21	Frank M.	Huntington Beach
7/28	John F.	Newport Beach

**Newport Beach**  
**Balboa Speaker Meeting, 7:30 PM, Thursday**  
 Newport Club, 414 East 32nd Ave.  
 Contact: Jim K.

7/5	Abby V.	Santa Monica
7/12	Lyn W.	Laguna Hills
7/19	Heather G.	Simi Valley
7/26	Keith P.	Culver City
8/2	Sharon C.	Los Angeles
8/9	Clancy I.	Venice
8/16	Theresa F.	North Hollywood
8/23	Larry T.	Lakewood
8/30	Yuko P.	Culver City
9/6	Paul C.	Woodland Hills
9/13	Lidia W.	Woodland Hills
9/20	Ron B.	Sherman Oaks
9/27	Joy A.	Seal Beach

**Orange**  
**No Puffers Speaker Meeting, 8:00 PM, Friday**  
 Community of Christ Church, 385 S. Tustin Ave.  
 Contact: Garry B.

7/6	Glenn H.	Tustin
7/13	Chaz F.	Orange
7/20	Brad P.	Long Beach
7/27	Jennifer H.	Corona

**Sunset Beach**  
**Rule 62 Speakers Meeting, 7:00 PM, Saturday**  
 Thursday's Fellowship Hall, 16865 Pacific Coast Hwy.  
 Secretary: Judy M.

7/7	Tyler H.	Cypress
7/14	Karen L.	Lakewood
7/21	Teddy T.	Huntington Beach
7/28	E.J.	Huntington Beach
8/4	Lori D.	Huntington Beach
8/11	Hilda F.	Pasadena
8/18	Harbor H & I Panel	
8/25	Ken C.	Santa Ana
9/1	Norma Jean	Hawaii
9/8	Beth E.	Costa Mesa
9/15	Mary O.	Laguna Niguel
9/22	Jeremy W.	Los Angeles
9/29	Jack R.	Huntington Beach

**Tustin**  
**Saturday Night Visiting Speaker, 8:00 PM**  
 St. Paul's Church, 1221 Wass St.  
 Contact: Glenn H.

7/7	Mike C.	San Clemente
7/14	Sherrie M.	Westminster
7/21	John C.	Tustin
7/28	Dustin D.	Irvine
8/4	Patrick V.	Tustin
8/11	Ron B.	Tustin
8/18	Joe C.	Garden Grove
8/25	Steve P.	Tustin

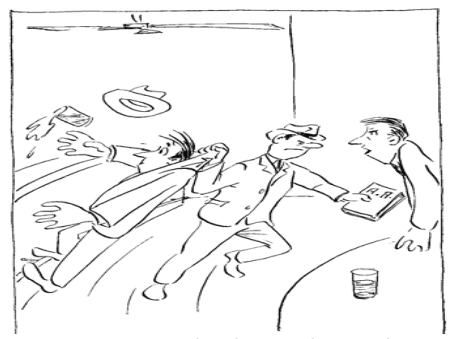
**Participation, Speaker, Q & A**  
 9:02 AM—11:00 AM, Sunday  
 130 West Main Street (Hall)  
 Contact: Eric S.

7/1	Martin E.	Corona
7/8	Brenda D.	Diamond Bar
7/15	Wally B.	Costa Mesa
7/22	Jim H.	Irvine
7/29	David L.	Eugene, OR

**Sober and Crazy Sunday Night Speakers, 7:00 PM**  
 130 West Main Street (Hall)  
 Contact: Mark Z.

7/1	Drew F.	Corona Del Mar
7/8	Kelly S.	Orange
7/15	Ronn G.	Tustin
7/22	Leslie F.	Costa Mesa
7/29	Mark W.	Santa Ana

**SPEAKER INFO**  
 The listed speakers have been invited by the respective groups and their message does not imply the endorsement of the Orange County Intergroup nor their Central Office.



"No, no, Harry—they have to have a desire!"  
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2007 Holidays—Central Office

Holiday	Day of Week	Date
4th of July	Wednesday	July 4th
Labor Day	Monday	September 3rd
Veteran's Day	Monday	November 12th
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday	November 22nd
Christmas Day	Tuesday	December 25th

## Happy Birthday



Many A.A. members celebrate their AA Birthday by sending a donation to Central Office. These donations help to keep the doors of the office open so that new members may receive the same help so many of us already have received. Others make a quarterly donation, or simply make Personal Contributions. All donations are greatly appreciated.

### July Birthdays

- John A. 15 years  
Corona Del Mar
- Roddy C. 34 years  
Laguna Woods

Alcoholics Anonymous 72 years

Clip and send with your Birthday contribution

FOR \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_

Sobriety Date/years \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

Send to:  
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 Santa Ana, CA 92705  
 (714) 556-4555

WEB SITE STATISTICS

The first issue of the *Lifeline* posted to our web site was July, 2006. Since that time, there have been 3,457 "hits" on the *Lifeline* home page.

The actual issue .pdf files have been accessed 5,063 times.

During May, there were 13,105 "visits" to [www.oc-aa.org](http://www.oc-aa.org).

From July, 2006, through May, 2007, visits averaged 12,266 per month.