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Lifeline

"A man's character is like a fence. It cannot be strengthened by whitewash!"

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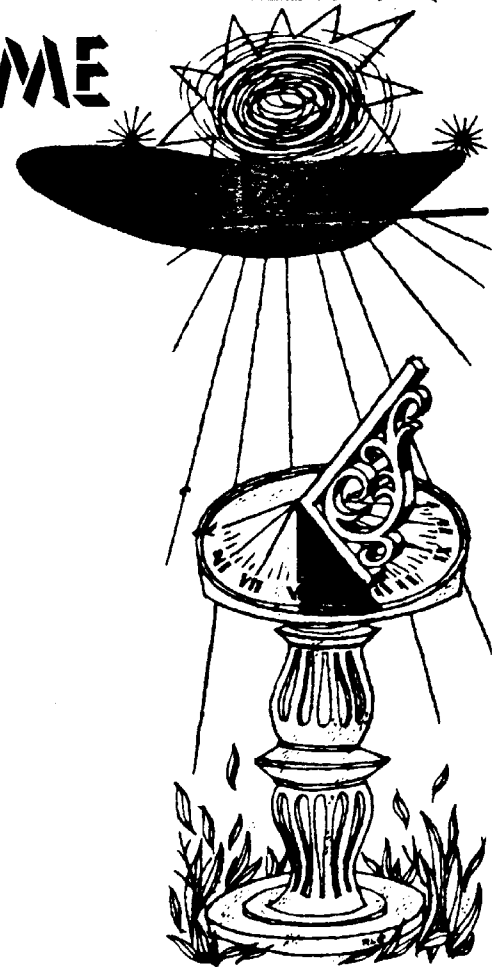
1977—ONE DAY AT A TIME

Why Just Today?

Since we can't return to yesterday, or project into tomorrow, let's accept the reality of now

Why do we live our way of life one day at a time? We accept the suggestion. We try it and it works for us. We see it work in others. We see and know in the eyes of another the time that binds him. We see and know the dreamy look of one who wanders in the past. He is not here. He doesn't really see or hear us. He is listening to the echoes of ghosts. He has turned from the vivid reality of now and is haunted by the far away and long ago. The physical existence goes on. His heart beats, his blood circulates, and his lungs function. But his spiritual conception of what he is and the fact that we are there with him, is sound asleep. The dream of what he was or might have been imprisons him. We see and know the sharp, watchful and apprehensive look of the fellow who calculates and anticipates the future. He flicks the reality of now out of his mind as he grapples with tomorrow. He doesn't seem to see or know us. It is in this way that we are not fully present with each other so much of the time. We cannot be fully present with one another in the realm of either memory or anticipation. It is in the reality of now that we are bound together. All parts of time are imagined and life in them is imaginary life. Only the present moment is real, indivisible,

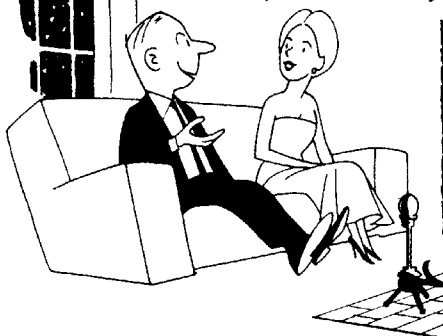
eternal, and the true dwelling place of those who became whole together thru the grace of a Higher Power. Pride and remorse are concerned with the past. If we did well, then we take pleasure and pride in reviewing the remembrance over and over again. That is how we sometimes become dangerously complacent about our sobriety. If we did badly we torment ourselves with remorse, shame and self-pity, the most destructive of human vices. Fear and apprehension are bound up in tomorrow. Anxiety about the unknown is common to us all. Scheming for the future or fearing that which may be displeasing tomorrow, even though it never happens, does not make life a full and present song. Without being rooted in present love and trust, even hope can become an empty mirage which leads but to a new and greater despair. Devoted as we are to other times and places, we follow such natural instincts in order to escape the "reality of now". All of mercy and all of joy are now. Happiness and sobriety are now, or never. When we live for today, fully met with one another and with God as we understand Him, then will we be wide awake, then will our life become a full and present song of happiness and sobriety. Now is eternity. Each moment of life is a gift, which, when we are through with it, is deposited exactly as we left it, forever in eternity. That past moment can



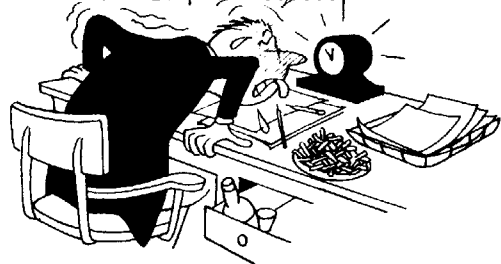
never be recalled. Never can it be undone or redone. If we make amends, the fact of contrition and the act of atonement are NOW in this present new moment of life. To put it another way, it isn't what we were or might have been, nor is it what we may be that really counts. It's what we are today, this very moment, NOW! And so let us pray" Give us THIS day our daily sobriety."

.....L. H., Cleveland, Ohio
From The Grapevine- January 1962.

Did you ever consider the resolution, determination, fixity of purpose, and willpower an alcoholic demonstrates when working seriously at his drinking?...



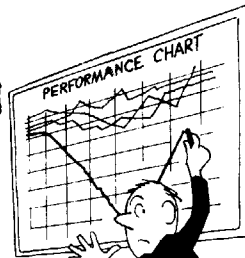
Why, it required tremendous willpower just to get up in the morning—especially when we knew we weren't going to feel any better later on.



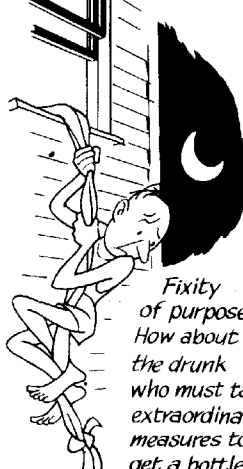
And how about the determination of the drunk who is spacing his drinks so he can maintain some semblance of sobriety?



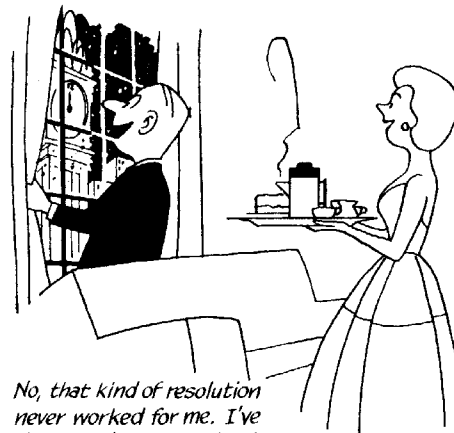
Think of the mountains we moved trying to find a bottle we had hidden.



Or the will with which we resisted the fate that was closing in on us.



Fixity of purpose? How about the drunk who must take extraordinary measures to get a bottle?..



No, that kind of resolution never worked for me. I've done much better, thank you, since I turned my will over to a Higher Power. And my wish is for many more happy twenty-four hours for everybody!

SHARING

"HI, POP"

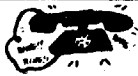
I find you in bed, .
 Your head under the covers
 Your clothing painstakingly, folded
 On your wheelchair...
 In your lifetime you have soared
 To the heights of success
 Sank to the degradation, despair...
 In the loneliest disease, alcoholism..
 Through fearful flights of fantasy
 The dark jigsaw journey
 Into sunlit rays of reality...
 I, too, suffer the same soulsickness
 To die and come alive
 Physically, mentally and spiritually
 To find my God again
 And learn to love, give and live...
 I'm grateful for my husband, sons,
 Mother, brothers, sisters, and friends..
 Thank you, Pop, for the love you gave
 The turbulent and peaceful times
 The piano, peacock, peahen, horse and
 great dane...
 With vision and painful awareness
 Diminishing
 A halo of thinning white hair
 Framing enormous dark eyes
 Searching,

For your loved ones, no longer there
 You inquire about them and smile...
 Smile....
 I love you, just, for being you...
Liz S. Anaheim

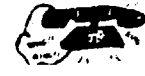
FROM A LETTER WRITTEN BY
 FRA GIOVANNI IN 1513.....

"There is nothing I can give you
 Which you have not.
 But there is much that, while I cannot
 give,
 You can take.
 No heaven can come to us unless
 Our hearts find rest in it today.
 Take Heaven.
 No peace lies in the future which
 Is not hidden in this present instant.
 Take Peace.
 The gloom of the world is but a shadow.
 Behind it, yet within reach, is joy.
 Take Joy.
 And so, at this Christmas time,
 I greet you with the prayer
 That for you, now and forever,
 The day breaks and the shadows flee
 away.
From Tom G.

"ONCE UPON A BOTTLE".....
 As I sit here with my drink, I begin to
 think-- what's to become of me?
 I look, but I don't see, I listen, but I
 can't hear, and I know the answer isn't
 in this beer.
 I drink my days away, why am I so blind
 to see, what have I done with me?
 Which one of me is real, why can't I feel,
 I need to change.
 Things that were important, now are
 dormant---I'm lost!
 I don't know where I belong--all that I
 want seems wrong.
 Regrets are at my heels, but I haven't
 the faith to kneel.
 I'm filled with self-pity, hurt, distrust,
 to help myself I must,
 But where do I begin, how do I overcome
 My bottle is like a friend to me, at my
 side to be my guide.
 I want to know you, be your friend, but
 I just can't seem to bend.
 Someone try to see I need help- Give me
 time and pray!
 Today I know that God and AA are the
 way!
 "BEING LOST IS WORTH THE COMING
 HOME".....Cindy G. Costa Mesa.



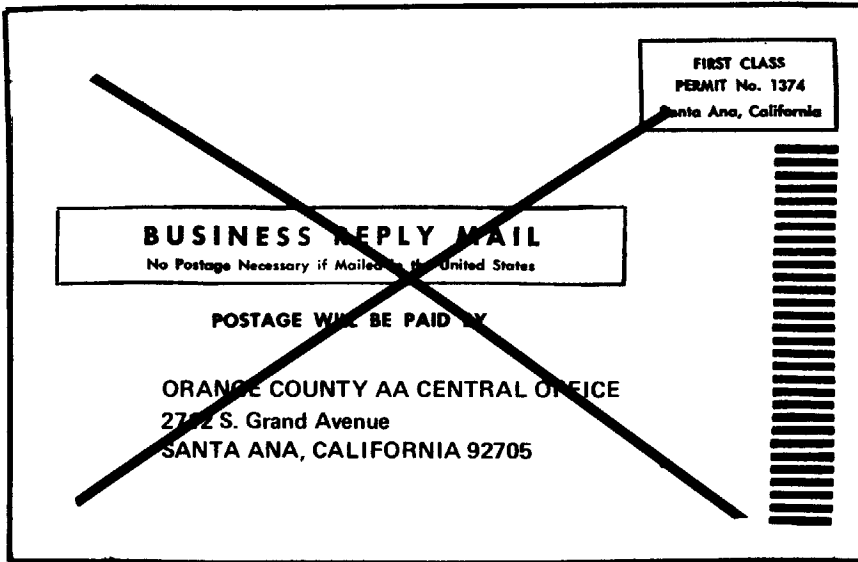
ORANGE COUNTY A.A. CENTRAL-OFFICE



IMPORTANT!!!!

WILL ALL SECRETARIES, INTERGROUP REPRESENTATIVES, TREASURERS AND INTERESTED MEMBERS PLEASE DESTROY THESE ENVELOPES. WE ARE ISSUING NEW ONES, BUT BECAUSE OF POSTAL REQUIREMENTS AND COSTS INVOLVED CAN NOT USE THESE ENVELOPES.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION.....



Central Office is finally staffed with the addition of Toni C. from Laguna Niguel covering the 2PM to 9PM shift, Jack M. from Costa Mesa and Muriel K. from Fountain Valley covering the day shift, and Dean H. from Fullerton covering the weekends and holidays. In the evenings the following people have been volunteers for a lot of time and are therefore most definitely considered part of the staff. Lynn L. from Buena Park, Bill L. from Irvine, John C. from Laguna Beach, Carl V. from Orange, and Bob L. from El Toro and Jim C. from Corona del Mar.

Somehow most of the membership thinks that the above people are what keeps your Central Office going, and this is not true. It takes all the people who give so graciously of their time and themselves. Frank P., Marty W., Bob W., Ira Y., "Cookie" Bob, Marilyn C., Hester M., Hank H., Helen S., Edna V., Jan L., Dick W., Bob M., Virginia K., Darold T., Hal K., Theo F., just to name a few of the veryvery many whom this office could not run without. To all of the above, to all those I have not mentioned, thank you for being you and helping us to help all of you.

A very special thanks to Jack M. of Tustin, known to most of us as "Humble Jack" in th wheel chair, who keeps up a good front but really is a man with humility. Thank you for your dependability, thank you for your giving of yourself here at the office to lighten the load when we wonder how, and you say "God is here"!

Again this year let's not forget the man who sits here on every holiday no matter that it is Christmas or New Years. He sits waiting for that phone call asking for help to help themselves, and because he knows that the disease of alcoholism knows no holidays he is here, Dean H. from Fullerton.....call him and wish him a Merry Christmas and don't forget New Year's Day, a Happy New Year.

And from all of us to all of you,
MERRY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!



FRESH

The F.R.E.S.H. Committee met Nov. 1, at Central Office to discuss plans for the next meeting. Randy K., Laguna Beach, was elected Chairman to replace Maggi S. who had to resign due to other responsibilities. A vote of thanks was given by the Committee to Maggi for her outstanding service in this position.

The next F.R.E.S.H. meeting will be held January 24th, 1977 at Central Office. Ellery S. will be the leader and topics selected are:

1. Are financial reports given to the group: If so, how often?

2. What is a GSR to your group?

3. How do the AA Groups relate to clubs in your area?

4. How does your group feel about announcing outside enterprise activities at meetings? At what time are they announced?

The following dates were selected for 1977 F.R.E.S.H. activities:

Meeting	Committee Meeting
January 24	January 31
April 25	May 2
July 25	August 1
October 24	October 31

Respectfully submitted, Cindy K.

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GROUP NEWS

Meetings begin 8:30PM unless noted.

ANAHEIM SUN. SPEAKERS

Alana Club, 202 W. Broadway, 11AM

Speakers:

- Jan. 2- Keith D. (Anaheim)
- Jan. 9- Ed. W. (Tustin)
- Jan. 16- Bill P. (Newport Beach)
- Jan. 23- Jack P. (N. Hollywood)
- Jan. 30- Chuck & Lee (Beverly Hills)
-Del E.

ANAHEIM SATURDAY SPKRS.

Alana Club, 202 W. Broadway.

Speakers:

- Jan. 1- Surprise
- Jan. 8- Al M. (N. Hollywood)
- Jan. 15- Johnny H. (Lakewood)
- Jan. 22- Marie Z. (Costa Mesa)
- Jan. 29- Fred & Inez G. (Anaheim)
-Don J.

ANAHEIM TUESDAY SPEAKER

Alana Club, 202 W. Broadway.

Speakers:

- Jan. 4- Bob L. (Glendale)
- Jan. 11- Dennis N. (L.A.)
- Jan. 18- Walter O'K. (Rolling Hills)
- Jan. 25- John N. (Riverside)
-Keith P.

BUENA PARK SUNDAY SPEAKER

Teen Center, 8150 S. Knott Ave.

Speakers:

- Jan. 2- Klaus R. (Glendale)
- Jan. 9- Paul E. (Memphis, Tenn.)
- Jan. 16- Bernice L. (Long Beach)
- Jan. 23- Art H. (Tustin)
- Jan. 30- Phil P. (Newport Beach)
-George D.

COSTA MESA SAT. SPEAKERS

Step House, 2015 Charle, 8 PM.

Speakers:

- Jan. 1- Bob L. (Costa Mesa)
- Jan. 8- Cille G. (Costa Mesa)
-Doc E.

COSTA MESA SUNDAY SPEAKER

Oddfellow's Hall, 2476 Newport, 8PM.

Speakers:

- Jan. 2- Wayne S. (Santa Ana)
- Jan. 9- Paul H. (Fullerton)
- Jan. 16- George H. (Anaheim)
- Jan. 23- Sue M. (Orange)
- Jan. 30- Les H. (Anaheim)
-Kenny L.

COSTA MESA TUESDAY SPEAKER

Alana Club, 2040 Placentia.

Speakers:

- Jan. 4- Ira Y. (Costa Mesa)
- Jan. 11- Warren W. (Orange)
- Jan. 18- Matt C. (L.A.)
- Jan. 25- Jim R. (Los Alamitos)
-Bob M.

FOUNTAIN VALLEY SUN. SPKR.

Community Center, 10200 Slater, 8PM.

Speakers:

- Jan. 2- Frank O'R. (Santa Ana)
- Jan. 9- Doug D. (Orange)
- Jan. 16- Pam W. (S. Laguna)
- Jan. 23- Phil P. (Newport Beach)
- Jan. 30- Norm A. (Monrovia)
-Dallas Y.

FULLERTON SUNDAY SPEAKER

Alano Center, 705 N. Harbor, 10:30AM

Speakers:

- Jan. 2- Bill G. (Mission Viejo)
- Jan. 9- Clancy I. (Venice)
- Jan. 16- Ira Y. (Costa Mesa)
- Jan. 23- Herb K. (L.A.)
- Jan. 30- Russell B. (L.A.)
-Dave S.

FULLERTON MON. SPKRS.

Hosp., 101 E. Valencia Mesa Dr.

Speakers:

- Jan. 3- Betty G. (Yorba Linda)
- Jan. 10- Dennis S. (Anaheim)
- Jan. 17- Dick E. (San Gabriel)
- Jan. 24- Walt & Shirley (La Habra)
- Jan. 31- Wayne S. (Tustin)
-Fran S.

FULLERTON WED. SPEAKERS

Alano Center, 705 N. Harbor.

Speakers:

- Jan. 5- Carl B. (Orange)
- Jan. 12- Bob C. (Anaheim)
- Jan. 19- Merrill B. (Fullerton)
- Jan. 26- Don C. (Orange)
-Charles R.

GARDEN GROVE SAT. SPEAKERS

Alano Club, 9636 Garden Grove.

Speakers:

- Jan. 1- Tom B. (Garden Grove)
- Jan. 8- Carol S. (Garden Grove)
- Jan. 15- Dick H. (Ventura)
- Jan. 22- Betty P. (Huntington Beach)
- Jan. 29- Dick S. (Long Beach)
-Don S.

GARDEN GROVE THURS. SPKR.

Alano Club, 9636 Garden Grove Blvd.

Speakers:

- Jan. 6- Joe R. (Garden Grove)
- Jan. 13- Thomas H. (Huntington Beach)
- Jan. 20- Tag C. & Bruce D. (Huntington B.)
- Jan. 27- Inmates from Chino
-Jerry R.

GARDEN GROVE SUN. SPEAKERS

Alano Club, 9636 Garden Grove, Noon.

Speakers:

- Jan. 2- Chuck H. (Fullerton)
- Jan. 9- Hal M. (Garden Grove)
- Jan. 16- Grace J. (Fullerton)
- Jan. 23- Karl B. (Orange)
- Jan. 30- Bill D. (Anaheim)
-Joe D.

GARDEN GROVE MON. WOMEN

9596 Garden Grove, 8PM, Room 210.

The speaker for the first Monday, Jan. 3, will be Sue M. from Orange.

.....Ellen Van T.

HUNTINGTON BEACH FRIDAY

College View School, 6582 Lennox.

The speaker for the first Friday, Jan. 7, will be Betty T. from Irvine.

.....Peggy F.

HUNTINGTON BEACH MONDAY

The Huntington Beach Monday Study

now meets at the Main Hall at 18361

Chapel Lane, at 8 P.M.

.....Marie

LAGUNA BEACH SAT. VISIT SPKRS.

Canyon Club, 1945 Broadway, 8 PM.

Speakers:

- Jan. 1- Art & Friends (Anaheim)
- Jan. 8- Fullerton Sunday Morning (Club)
- Jan. 15- South Bay Survivors (Redondo)
- Jan. 22- Easy Does It, (Lemon Grove)
- Jan. 29- Fri. Nite Group (Anaheim)
-Mike F.

LAGUNA NIGUEL SUN. SPEAKERS

Crown Valley Sch. at Adelanto, 8 PM.

Speakers:

- Jan. 2- Surprise
- Jan. 9- Al S. (Rowland Heights)
- Jan. 16- Norm A. (Monrovia)
- Jan. 23- Cliff R. (Oceanside)
- Jan. 30- Monte S. (Burbank)
-Ken C.

LA HABRA MONDAY SPKRS.

142 La Habra Blvd., 8 PM.

Speakers:

- Jan. 3- Don B. (Newport Beach)
- Jan. 10- John N. (La Habra)
- Jan. 17- Clancy I. (Venice)
- Jan. 24- Dorie H. (Downey)
- Jan. 31- Sober Alkie

Note: Dinner served at 7PM before the meeting.....Jim Van M.



GROUP NEWS

NEWPORT BEACH HOAG HUT SAT.
Hospital, Conf. Center, 301 Newport.
Speakers:
Jan. 1- Participation
Jan. 8- Phil P. (Newport Beach)
Jan. 15- Lucetta D. (San Gabriel)
Jan. 22- Jim N. (Tustin)
Jan. 29- John A. (Laguna Beach)
.....Fred S.

NEWPORT BEACH TUES. SPEAKER
3209 Via Lido Soud, Church.
Speakers:
Jan. 4- George M. (Laguna Beach)
Jan. 11- Tom U. (Lancaster)
Jan. 18- Sue J. & Carolyn O'R. (S. Ana)
Jan. 25- Participation.
.....Sandy S.

NEWPORT BEACH THURS. SPEAKER
Ebell Club, 515 W. Balboa Blvd.
Speakers:
Jan. 6- Bill H. (Laguna Beach)
Jan. 13- Dave D. (Laguna Niguel)
Jan. 20- Marion W. (Upland)
Jan. 27- Chuck N. (L.A.)
.....Bob H.

ORANGE FRIDAY SPEAKERS
Children's Hosp. Aud., 1109 La Veta.
Speakers:
Jan. 7- Bill M. (Long Beach)
Jan. 14- Clancy I. (Venice)
Jan. 21- Johnny H. (Lakewood)
Jan. 28- Mary C. (Anaheim)
.....Don Y.

ORANGE MONDAY SPEAKERS
Friendship Club, 2191 Orange-Olive Rd.
Speakers:
Jan. 3- Ruth M. (Bellflower)
Jan. 10- Bill M. (La Crescenta)
Jan. 17- John H. (San Gabriel)
Jan. 24- Jim N. (Tustin)
Jan. 31- Joe Q. (Laguna Beach)
.....Vera J.

SANTA ANA SAT. SPEAKERS
The Villa, 1605 E. 4th St., 2PM.
Speakers:
Jan. 8- Ruth M. (Bellflower)
Jan. 15- Marian W. (Upland)
Jan. 22- Dotty S. (N. Hollywood)
Jan. 29- Margaret D. (Buena Park)
.....Norma H.

SANTA ANA MONDAY SPEAKERS
Step House 525 N. Grand Ave.
Speakers:
Jan. 3- Bob J. (San Bernardino)
Jan. 10- Fred M.
Jan. 17- Gene M. (Newport Beach)
Jan. 24- Charles J. (Covina)
Jan. 31- Bob S. (Buena Park)
.....Daryl V.

ORANGE SUN. SPEAKERS
Hosp., 401 S. Tustin Ave., 8PM.
Speakers:
Jan. 2- Frank A. (Orange)
Jan. 9- Ruth M. (Bellflower)
Jan. 16- Jayne P. (Orange)
Jan. 23- Roy B. (Orange)
Jan. 30- John N. (L.A.)
.....Virginia S.

SANTA ANA WED. SPEAKERS
Alano Club, 2112 N. Main St.
Speakers:
Jan. 5- Bob N. (Anaheim)
Jan. 12- Pat C. (Anaheim)
Jan. 19- Paul H. (Fullerton)
Jan. 26- Wally H. (Fountain Valley)
.....John S.

TUSTIN SAT. SPEAKERS
Hosp., 14662 Newport Blvd., 8 PM.
Speakers:
Jan. 1- Podium Participation
Jan. 8- Dr. Lou S. & Co. (San Bernardino)
Jan. 15- Tony S. & 2nd Steppers (Orange)
Jan. 22- Jayne P. & Friends (Orange)
Jan. 29- Harry D's Buddies (San Diego)
.....Bud S.

TUSTIN SUNDAY SPEAKER
Civic Center, Main & Centennial, 7:30
Speakers:
Jan. 2- Ed B. (Laguna Hills)
Jan. 9- Bob C. (L.A.)
Jan. 16- John A. (Laguna Beach)
Jan. 23- Chuck H. (Fullerton)
Jan. 30- Bernie M. (Anaheim)
.....Dick M.

NEW GROUPS

ANAHEIM
A new Discussion Group called the "Renew Discussion" now meets at 829 N. Helena St. at 8:30 P.M.

ANAHEIM
A new Spanish Speaking Group meets at the Alana Club, 202 W. Broadway on Friday nights.

MOVED

NEWPORT BEACH
The Men's Stag which met on Bonaire Way, Newport Beach, now meets at 15601 Tustin Village Way, Tustin, on Tuesday nights.

TUSTIN
The Tustin Saturday Under Twenty group has moved to Sunday night. Location is 1201 Irvine. -Time: 7:30 PM.

Lifeline

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DEADLINE FOR THE FEBRUARY ISSUE WILL BE JANUARY 14TH!!!!

IN MEMORIAM

Condolences and love to the families and friends of
ELMO BACHMAN
(Yucca Valley, formerly Huntington Beach)
HOWARD EMORY
(Whittier and L.A. Area)

ELMO BACHMAN...
Attended meetings in Long Beach, Huntington Beach, Corona del Mar and Santa Ana. He celebrated his 24th AA Birthday, July 26th.
He will be missed by all those whose path he crossed and loved him.

HOWARD EMORY
Howard Emory had over 30 years of AA sobriety, and had been most active in the Central Office in Los Angeles. Was Treasurer in 1953 and 1954.
He lived in Whittier but was well known to Orange County members. He also attended meetings in Long Beach.
He started the first Los Angeles AA newspaper, "The Eyeopener" and was editor for several years.
He was an outspoken, 'no nonsense' kind of man but with a deep abiding faith in A.A. and his dedication to the program was apparent in all his activities.
For all that he did for all of us we say "thank you and God Bless".



INTERGROUP COUNTY CALENDAR

Central Office	Annual Picnic	June 5th
Anniversary Open House	O.C.AA Anniversary	Aug. 21st
Easter Sunday AA Meeting	Alk-A-Thon	Nov. 12-13

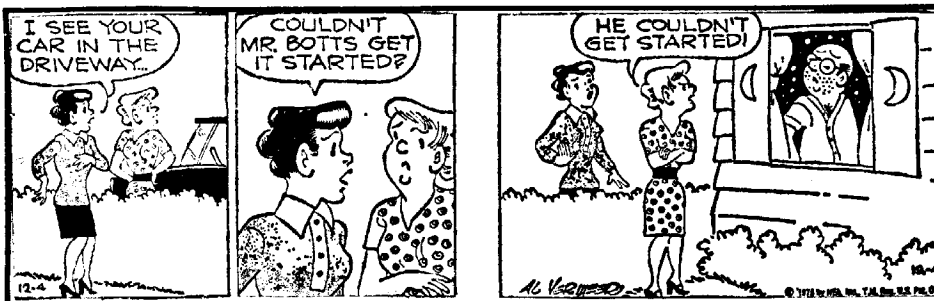
68 GROUPS REPRESENTED AT DECEMBER INTERGROUP MEETING

<p>Anaheim:- (Club) Tues. Spkr. Brea:- Mon. Disc.-Thurs Disc. Buena Park:- Sun. Spkr.-Tues. Study. Costa Mesa :- Sun. Spkr.-Mon. Disc.- (Club)Sun. noon-Tues. Spkr.- Sat. Part.- Sat. Midnite.-Mon. Newc.-Mon. Women- Thurs. Disc. Cypress:- Wed. Study-Fri. Spkr. El Toro:- Wed. Fountain Valley:- Sun. Spkr.- Wed. Fullerton :- Mon. Spkr.-Tues. Part.- Tues. Church- Thurs. Women- Fri. Study Sat. Spkr. (Club)Sun Spkr. Garden Grove:- Mon. Th. Fri. Women- (Club)Sun. Noon-Mon. Men-Wed. Yng. People-Thurs. Spkr.-Fri. Women. Huntington Beach:- Tues. Disc.- Tues. We Care- Wed. Part.-Thurs. Noon-Fri.</p>	<p>Downtown-Fri. Lennox Irvine:- Wed. Noon- Wed. Beginners Laguna Beach :- Wed. Southcoast - Thurs. Beginners-(Club) Fri. Noon Q&A. Newport Beach:- Tues. Spkr.-Thurs. Spkr.- Sat Hoag Hut. Orange:- Sun. 6PM Disc.-Sun. 8PM Disc.- Tues. Walnut Disc.-Fri. Disc.- (Club) Thurs. Beginners-Sat. 2PM-Sat. Pod. Part. Placentia:- Mon. San Juan Capistrano:- Thurs. Stag-Fri. Santa Ana:- Mon. Gar. Disc.-Fri. Gar. Topic-(Club) Tues. Study. Stanton:- Mon. 8PM- Fri. Study Tustin:- Sun. Brkfst.- Sun. Spkr.-Mon. Stag-Sun. Under 20- Tues. 4th Step. Wandering Groups:- Fri.-Sat.</p>
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CENTRAL OFFICE STATISTICAL REPORT FOR DECEMBER 1976

CENTRAL OFFICE	NOVEMBER	YEAR TO DATE	11 MO AVERAGE
REQUEST FOR SPEAKERS (Schools etc.)	11	274	25
INFORMATION ON AL-ANON	93	1095	99
MAIL INFO. & LITERATURE	141	1220	111
PUBLIC INFORMATION	504	5871	533
REQUEST FOR MEETINGS: TIME & PLACE	763	7896	648
A.A. MEMBERS CALLING C.O.	819	8940	812
NEW INQUIRY ABOUT SELF	104	1604	146
NEW INQUIRY ABOUT ANOTHER	277	2333	186
12 STEP CALLS- MALE	128	1445	131
12 STEP CALLS- FEMALE	131	1296	118
TOTAL CALLS TO CENTRAL OFFICE	2,971	31,974	2,907
TELEPHONE ANSWERING SERVICE - T.A.B.			
PUBLIC INFORMATION CALLS	209	1711	156
AL-ANON INFORMATION CALLS	66	530	48
REQUEST FOR MEETING, TIME & PLACE	602	4168	378
CROSS CONNECT - MALE	103	1046	95
CROSS CONNECT - FEMALE	114	1026	93
TOTAL CALLS TO T.A.B.	1,094	8381	762
TOTAL CALLS TO C.O. & T.A.B.	4,065	40,455	3,677
VISITORS TO CENTRAL OFFICE	872	10,771	979
TOTAL CONTACTS	4,937	51,226	4,657

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INTERGROUP HILITES.....

The most important business to come before the meeting was the presentation by the newly elected Chairman, Gordon M. of the new board and their respective positions. All the positions have not as yet been firmly set but the following are at least temporarily filled: Frank A. Vice-Chairman; JoAnne A., Special Events; Helen S., Central Office; Chris M., Group Relations; Rush H., Public Relations; Dennis S., Secretary; Dan F., Lifeline; and Joe F. (appointed to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Dave J.) not as yet assigned, and Cliff W., Institutional Director.

JoAnne A. announced the next special event, the 15th Anniversary of Central Office Open House in February. Rush H. announced that people speaking at schools etc. will have literature kits to take with them. More speakers are needed. New speakers will be accompanied by an experienced speaker. Next meeting to orient this type of work will be Jan. 6th at Central Office.

Cliff W., Institutional Director, asked that more of membership get involved. He explained the function of the H&I Committee and impressed those who have had no confinement, that they are most needed. Inmates are available to speak at outside AA meetings, but Secretaries must give 60 days notice for approval. In the absence of Helen S., the Chairman announced that the Central Office is up for a new lease for negotiation. New contract will include air conditioning and heating. Lease is being reviewed by a competent attorney. Will be presented to Intergroup.

Intergroup meetings for 1977 will be the 2nd Tuesday of each month. Board meetings will be the Wednesday preceding Intergroup.

NEXT INTERGROUP MEETING WILL BE JANUARY 11TH, 8PM.

To Central Office:
 Enclosed, amount for one year's subscription for Lifeline., also donation to Central Office for being there when I called 11 years ago, Dec. 9, 1965. Thank God for people like Jim Mills who answered the phone that morning. I will be forever grateful to him and all the many many people on AA who helped to teach me a new way of life without booze. Merry Christmas,
 Kathleen (Kelly) McD.

JANUARY 1977

MEETING DIRECTORY



A.A. CENTRAL OFFICE

2712 S. GRAND AVENUE
SANTA ANA, CAL. 92705

TELEPHONE
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HOURS:
WEEKDAYS 8AM - 9PM
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SUNDAYS & HOLIDAYS
10AM - 4:30PM

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MEETINGS ARE OPEN
AND BEGIN AT 8:30 P.M.
UNLESS NOTED.

(C) ALCOHOLICS ONLY
* DAYTIME MEETINGS

A.A. DIRECTORY SUNDAY

ANAHEIM

- *-Spkr., 11AM, 202 W. Broadway, Club.
- Beginners Part., 202 W. Broadway.
- *-(C), Disc., 5:30PM, 202 W. Broadway.
- *-Span. Spkr., 11AM, 202 W. Broadway.

BUENA PARK

- Spkr., 8150 Knott Ave., Teen Center.

CATALINA ISLAND

- *-11:30AM, 108 Metropole.

COSTA MESA

- *-High Noon Part., 2040 Placentia, Club.
- Spkr., Oddfellow's Hall, 8PM, 2476 Newport Blvd.
- (C), Disc., 7:30PM, 2040 Placentia.

FOUNTAIN VALLEY

- Spkr., 8 PM, Community Center, 10200 Slater.

FULLERTON

- (C), Disc., 8PM, 204 E. Amerige St., Teen Center.
- *-Spkr., 10:30 AM, 705 N. Harbor, Club.
- (C), Disc., 8PM, 705 N. Harbor, Club.

GARDEN GROVE

- *-12 Noon, Spkr., 9636 Garden Grove Blvd
- Disc., 8PM, Main & Stanford, Church.
- *-(C), Disc., 5:30 PM, 9636 Garden Grove.
- 12&12 Study, 7:30PM, 9636 Garden Gr.

HUNTINGTON BEACH

- *-Disc., 12:30 Noon, 19641 Surfbreaker Ln.

IRVINE

- (C), Disc., 7:30PM, UCI Humanities Bldg.

LAGUNA BEACH

- *-Disc., 2PM, 1945 Broadway, Club.
- Disc., 1945 Broadway, Club.

LAGUNA NIGUEL

- Spkr., 8PM, Crown Valley Sch., at Adelanto.

LA HABRA

- Study, 8PM, 631 N. Euclid, Church.
- Q. & A., 2PM, 142 La Habra Blvd.

NEWPORT BEACH

- *-Disc., 11:30AM, 204 Riverside, Club.

ORANGE

- Spkr., 8PM, 401 S. Tustin, Hospital.
- Disc., 11AM, 2191 Orange-Olive Rd.
- *-Part., 6PM, Hewes & Spring, Church.
- Disc., 7:30PM, 2191 Orange-Olive Rd.

SAN CLEMENTE

- *-Q&A Disc., 10:30AM, 91 Avenida Del Mar.

SANTA ANA

- *-Disc., 11AM, 2112 N. Main St., Club.
- Open Disc., 7:30 PM, 2112 N. Main St.
- Span Spk., 7:30 PM, 1301 S. Bristol.
- Beginners, 7:30PM, 525 N. Grand Ave.

STANTON

- *-Spkr., 1PM, 10936 Dale Ave.

TUSTIN

- *-Participation Breakfast, Civic Center, 10AM, Main & Centennial Sts.
- Spkr., 7:30PM, Civic Center, Main & Centennial Sts.
- Under 20, 7:30PM, 1201 Irvine.

WESTMINSTER

- Part., 7:30PM, C.C.D1 Bldg., 14072 Olive.

MONDAY

ANAHEIM

- (C), Stag, 202 W. Broadway, Club.
- (C), Womens Disc., 202 W. Broadway.
- *-12 Noon Part., 202 W. Broadway, Club.
- Book Study, 107 W. Elm St., 8PM.
- Renew Disc., 829 N. Helena St.

BALBOA ISLAND

- Study, 115 Agate

BREA

- Disc., 8PM, 875 N. Brea Blvd.

CORONA DEL MAR

- (C), Womens, 8PM, 611 Heliotrope, Ch.

COSTA MESA

- *-Disc., Noon, 2040 Placentia, Club.
- (C), Womens, 8PM, 2040 Placentia, Club.
- (C), Stag, 8PM, 2015 Charle St.
- Beginners, 2040 Placentia, Club.
- Disc., 8PM, 2043 Orange Ave. (cor. Bay)

CYPRESS

- (C), Part., 6441 Lincoln, Church.

FULLERTON

- Spkr., Hosp. 101 E. Valencia Mesa Dr.
- *-Disc., 11:30 AM, 705 N. Harbor.
- Book Study, 705 N. Harbor.

GARDEN GROVE

- (C), Women, 8PM, 9596 Garden Gr., Rm. 210
- *-Disc., 12476 Main at Stanford, 12:30PM, Church, #15.
- Eastgate Part., 7271D Garden Grove Blvd., Koll Complex.
- Disc., Stag, 8PM, 9636 Garden Grove.
- Book Study, call 556-4555 for location.

HUNTINGTON BEACH

- Disc., 8 PM, 6662 Heil St.
- (C), Women, 8PM, Edinger & Golden West. (rear of church).
- Disc., 8PM, 8251 Heil St.
- Study, 8PM, 18361 Chapel Ln., Main Hall.

LAGUNA BEACH

- (C), Stag, 1945 Broadway, Club.
- *-Big Book Study, 12:30PM, 1945 Broadway.
- (C), Women, 428 Park Ave., Church.
- Disc., 7:30PM, Gleneyre & Park Ave., Library, no smoking.

LAGUNA HILLS

- Study, 8PM, Church, El Toro off ramp.

LA HABRA

- *-(C), Womens Disc., 631 Euclid, 10:30AM.
- Spkr., 8PM, 142 La Habra Blvd.

LA MIRADA

- Disc., 14407 E. Rosecranz Ave., Ch.

NEWPORT BEACH

- *-(C), Women, 10:30AM, 204 Riverside.
- (C), Disc., 204 Riverside, Club.

ORANGE

- Spkr., 2191 Orange-Olive Rd.
- *-Disc., 12 Noon, 2191 Orange-Olive Rd.

PLACENTIA

- Part., 1314 Angelina, Church.

SANTA ANA

- *-(C), Womens Disc., 1PM, 1605 E. 4th St.
- 8PM, Span. Spk., 1301 S. Bristol.
- Spkr., 2112 N. Main St., Club.
- Spkr., 525 N. Grand Ave.

- *-12 Noon Study, 2112 N. Main St.

(Monday listings continued next page)

A.A. DIRECTORY

MONDAY CONTINUED...

SANTA ANA (CONTINUED)

-Disc., 8PM, 852 N. Garnsey.

SAN CLEMENTE

-Disc., Ch., 202 Avenida Aragon.

*-12 Noon, (C), Women Participation, 91 Avenida del Mar.

STANTON

-(C), Disc., 10936 Dale Ave., 8 PM.

TUSTIN

-(C), Stag, 8PM, 13202 Red Hill, Church.

-(C), Women Study, 8PM, 17291 Irvine, Rm. #156

WHITTIER

-(C), Women, 15215 Janine.

WESTMINSTER

-(C), Womens Disc., 7382 Garden Grove.

TUESDAY

ANAHEIM

-Speaker, Q&A, 202 W. Broadway, Club.

-Part., Church, Magnolia & Orange Aves.

BUENA PARK

-(C), Study, Rec. Bldg. Rm. D, 8PM, 8150 Knott.

CORONA DEL MAR

*-(C), Disc., 12 Noon, 611 Heliotrope, Ch.

COSTA MESA

-Part., 8PM, Grange Hall, Victoria & Thurin

-Speaker, 2040 Placentia, Alano Club.

*-Disc. 12-1PM, Lib. Arts Bldg., #6, College
-12&12 Study, 1865 Anaheim St., 8PM.

*-12X12 Study, 12 Noon, 2040 Placentia.

DANA POINT

-Part., Carpenter's Hall, 24692 Del Prado

FULLERTON

-Part., Church, 1231 East Chapman.

*-Disc., 11:30AM, 705 N. Harbor.

-(C), Disc., 705 N. Harbor.

Part., 8 PM, 137 East Glenwood.

GARDEN GROVE

-Part., 8PM, 9636 Garden Grove Blvd.

*-Disc., 12:30PM, 9636 Garden Grove.

HUNTINGTON BEACH

-Disc., 8PM, 18361 Chapel Lane at
Ellis, Church.

-(C), Womens, Church, 20400 Magnolia.

*-(C), Womens, 1PM, 7402 Edinger,
Manny's Restaurant.

-Disc., 8PM Church, 9812 Hamilton.

*-(C), Women, 1PM, Q & A, 18361 Chapel
Lane at Ellis

LAGUNA BEACH

*-Q&A, 12:30PM, 1945 Broadway, Club.

-Speaker, Church, 428 Park Ave.

-(C), Step Study, 1945 Broadway, Club.

*-(C), Women, 12:30PM, 428 Park Ave.,
Church, (Child care available).

LA MIRADA

-Disc., 15144 E. Leffingwell Ave.

LAGUNA NIGUEL

-(C), Book Study, Ch., 30121 Niguel Rd.

LOS ALAMITOS

-Disc., 8PM, Church, (1 block west of
Katella & Los Alamitos.)

NEWPORT BEACH

-Spkr., Church, 3209 Via Lido Soud.

-(C) Stag, Disc., 1714 W. Balboa Blvd.

-(C), Women, Disc., 204 Riverside.

ORANGE

-(C), Disc., Church, 1130 Walnut.

-Study, 2191 Orange-Olive Rd.

*-Disc., 12 Noon, 2191 Orange-Olive Rd

SAN CLEMENTE

-Part., 91 Avenida Del Mar, Club.

*-Disc. Noon, 91 Avenida del Mar, Club.

SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO

-Spanish, 7PM, 32141 Alipaz, #B.

SANTA ANA

-Disc., 2112 N. Main St.

*-Disc., 12 Noon, 2112 N. Main St., Club.

-Span. Spk., 8PM, 1301 S. Bristol.

-Spanish, 8PM, 852 N. Garnsey.

STANTON

-Spkr., 10936 Dale Ave., 8 PM.

TUSTIN

-(C), Disc., 8PM, Church, 1221 Wass.

-4th Step Study, 8PM, 1201 Irvine, Church.

-Mens Study, (C), 15601 Tustin Village Way.

WESTMINSTER

-Church, Van Buren & McFadden.

-Study, 7382 Garden Grove, 8 P.M.

WEDNESDAY

ANAHEIM

-Part., 202 W. Broadway, Club.

-Spkr., 202 W. Broadway, Club.

-Span. & Eng., 202 W. Broadway, Club.

*-(C), Women 1PM, 202 W. Broadway.

BUENA PARK

-Open Part., 6711 Beach Blvd.

COSTA MESA

-Question & Answer, 2040 Placentia.

-(C), Stag Study, 8PM, 2015 Charle St.

*-(C) Women, 3PM, 2040 Placentia.

CYPRESS

-Study, 8 PM, Tanglewood Club, 4862

Larwin Ave.

EL TORO

*-11:30 AM- 1PM, Disc., Base Church

Annex, M.C.A.S.

FOUNTAIN VALLEY

-Disc., 8PM, Sch., 18658 Santa Ynez.

FULLERTON

-Spkr., 705 N. Harbor, Alano Center.

*-Disc., 11:30AM, 705 N. Harbor.

GARDEN GROVE

-(C), Stag, 13091 Galway, Church.

-Yng. People, 9636 Garden Grove Blvd.

-Big Book Study, 8PM, 9636 Garden

Grove Blvd., Club.

*-(C), Women, 12noon, 9636 Garden Grove.

-(C), Serenity, 8 PM, 9621 Bixby, Ch.

HUNTINGTON BEACH

-Part., Oddfellow's Hall, 226 N. Main.

*-(C), Womens Study, 1PM, 9812 Hamilton.

IRVINE

*-Disc., Noon, 3883 Parkview Clubhouse

(Culver offramp)

-Beginners, 8PM, Ch., University & Culver.

LAGUNA BEACH

-Spkr., Womans Club, St. Anne & Gleneyre.

*-Disc., 12:30 PM, 1945 Broadway, Club.

-Q&A Spkr, 363 Gleneyre, Library.

LA HABRA

-(C), Stag, Part., 631 N. Euclid.

LA MIRADA

-(C), Womens, 14407 E. Rosecranz, Ch.

LOS ALAMITOS

-(C), Study, 7:30 PM, Bldg. #3, Rm. #140,

Air Station.

MISSION VIEJO

-Disc., Ch., Oso & Marguerita Sts.

*-(C), Women, 9:30AM, Oso & Marguerita.

NEWPORT BEACH

-Disc., 880 Irvine, N. Conf. Rm., Oakwood.

-(C), Disc., 204 Riverside, Club.

ORANGE

*-Disc., 12 Noon, 2191 Orange-Olive.

-Part., 2191 Orange-Olive Road,

Friendship Club.

-8PM, Disc., 1215 W. La Veta, 5th Fl. Hosp.

SAN CLEMENTE

-Part., 91 Avenida del Mar, Club.

SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO

*-(C), Disc., Women, 12:30 Noon, 32002

Del Obispo, Church.

SANTA ANA

*-(C), Women, 1PM, 1605 E. 4th St.

-Disc., 2112 N. Main St., Club.

-Spkr., Span., 8PM, 1301 S. Bristol.

-Beginners, Part., 525 N. Grand.

*-Disc., 12 Noon, 2112 N. Main St.

-Part. 8PM, 852 N. Garnsey.

*-Disc., 12 Noon, 2112 N. Main St.

STANTON

-Civic Center, 7800 Katella Ave.

TUSTIN

-(C), Women, 1201 Irvine, 8PM, Church.

YORBA LINDA

-8PM, 19002 Yorba Linda Blvd., Rm. 8, Ch.

THURSDAY

ANAHEIM

-Spkr., 202 W. Broadway, Club.

*-Book Study, 12:30PM, 202 W. Broadway.

BREA

-Disc., 300 E. Imperial, Church.

COSTA MESA

-Disc., 2040 Placentia, Club.

-(C), Stag Study, 1863 Pitcairn Ave.

FULLERTON

-(C), Stag, 736 West Amerige.

-Disc., (C), Women, 1231 E. Chapman, Ch.

*-Study, 11:30 AM, 705 N. Harbor.

-Step Study, 705 N. Harbor Blvd.

-Part., Hillcrest Park Lodge, E. Valley

View Road, 8 PM.

GARDEN GROVE

-Beginners, 7271 D Garden Grove Blvd.,

Koll Complex.

-Friendship, Part., Main & Stanford.

*-Study, 12:30 PM, 9636 Garden Grove.

-Spkr., 9636 Garden Grove Blvd., Club

*-(C), Women, 1PM, 9596 Garden Grove

Bldv., Room 210.

HUNTINGTON BEACH

-Book Study, 8PM, 7402 Edinger Ave., Manny's Restaurant.

*-Disc., 12 Noon, Edinger & Golden West., (rear of church).

LAGUNA BEACH

-Beginners, 1945 Broadway., Club.

*-(C), 12:30PM, Women, 428 Park, Ch.

NEWPORT BEACH

-Newcomers, 7-7:45 PM, 515 W. Balboa.

-Spkr., 8:30PM, 515 W. Balboa, Ebell C.

*-Beginners, 12 Noon, 204 Riverside, Club.

ORANGE

-Beginners, 2191 Orange-Olive Rd., Club.

*-Disc., 12 Noon, 2191 Orange-Olive Rd.

-Disc., 8PM, 401 S. Tustin, Hosp.

SAN CLEMENTE

-(C), Women, 12&12 Study, 91 Avenida del Mar, Club.

SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO

-Stag, 32002 Del Obispo, Church.

*-1PM, 32141 Alipaz, #B.

SANTA ANA

*-Disc., 12 Noon, 2112 N. Main St.

-Beginners, 2112 N. Main St.

-(C), Disc., Span. Spk. 8PM, 1301 S. Bristol.

-Disc., 5306 W. McFadden, 8PM, Church.

-Span. Spk., 8PM, 852 N. Garnsey.

SEAL BEACH

-8PM, St. Annes Ch., 10th & Coast Hwy.

STANTON

-Participation, 10936 Dale Ave., 8PM.

TUSTIN

-(C), 12&12 Study, 8PM, 1201 Irvine, Ch.

WESTMINSTER

-Disc., 8pm, 8912 Hazard, Church.

FRIDAY**ANAHEIM**

-Disc., Span. Spk. 202 W. Broadway.

-Spkr., Hosp. Aud., 1111 La Palma.

-Part., 202 W. Broadway, Club.

-(C), Stag, 8PM, 107 W. Elm St.

-Disc., 11PM, 202 W. Broadway, Club.

-11th Step Study, 8PM, 10418 Katella.

-12&12 Study, 202 W. Broadway, Club.

BUENA PARK

-8:30 PM, 6711 Beach Blvd.

-11PM, 6711 Beach Blvd.

CORONA DEL MAR

-(C), Disc., 611 Heliotrope, Church.

COSTA MESA

-Spkr., 2040 Placentia, Club.

*-(C), Women, 1PM, 2043 Orange, Ch.

*-Disc., 12 Noon, 2040 Placentia, Club.

-Study, 787 Hudson St.

-Book Study, 8 PM, 1865 Anaheim St.

CYPRESS

-Speaker, 9471 Walker, 8 P.M.

FULLERTON

-(C), Study, 1231 E. Chapman, Church.

-Part., 11:30AM, 705 N. Harbor.

-Topic Disc., 705 N. Harbor.

-Span. Spk., 8PM, 244 E. Valencia.

GARDEN GROVE

*-(C) Women, 10:30AM, 9636 Garden Gr.

-Part., 9636 Garden Grove Blvd., Club.

-Part., 11PM, 9636 Garden Grove Blvd.

-(C), Women, 8PM, 9596 Garden Grove Blvd., Room 210.

HUNTINGTON BEACH

-College View Sch., 6582 Lennox.

-Rebos, Part., 9812 Hamilton, Church.

-Part., 6261 Hooker Dr., School.

IRVINE

-Disc., 8PM, University & Culver, Ch.

LAGUNA BEACH

*-Q&A., 12:30PM, 1945 Broadway, Club.

-Under 40, 428 Park Ave., Church.

LAGUNA NIGUEL

-Disc., Crown Valley Parkway School, at Adelanto.

LA HABRA

-Speaker, 631 N. Euclid.

MIDWAY CITY

-7:30PM, 8521 Hazard St., School.

NEWPORT BEACH

*-(C), Men, Disc., 12:15PM, 204 Riverside.

-(C), Disc., 204 Riverside, Club.

ORANGE

-Disc., 2191 Orange-Olive Rd.

-Part., Sch. Hall, Hewes & Spring Sts.

*-Q&A., 12noon, 2191 Orange-Olive Rd.

-Disc., 11PM, 2191 Orange-Olive Rd.

-Spkr., Children's Hospital Auditorium, 1109 W. La Veta.

PLACENTIA

-Span. Spk., Part., 8PM, 1701 Atwood.

SAN CLEMENTE

-Spkr., Church, 202 Avenida Aragon.

SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO

-Study, 32002 Del Obispo.

STANTON

-(C), 10936 Dale, 12 Step Study, 8 PM.

SANTA ANA

-Part., Span. Spk., 8PM, 1301 S. Bristol.

-Spkr., 2112 N. Main St., Club.

*-Disc., Noon, 2112 N. Main St., Club.

-Topic Disc., 8PM, 852 N. Garnsey.

TUSTIN

-Newcomers, 7:15-8:25PM; Part., 8:30PM.

Church, 1221 Wass.

WANDERING GROUP

-Call 556-4555 for location.

SATURDAY**ANAHEIM**

-Disc., 202 W. Broadway, Club.

-Spkr., 202 W. Broadway, Club.

*-2PM, Disc. 202 W. Broadway.

CATALINA ISLAND

-Spkr., 108 Metropole.

COSTA MESA

*-Spkr., Part., 1:30PM, 2040 Placentia.

-Nite Owls, 2040 Placentia, Midnight.

-Spkr., 8PM, 2015 Charlie St.

*-Stag, 9:30 AM, 2015 Charlie St.

FULLERTON

*-11:30 AM Disc., 705 N. Harbor.

-11PM, Disc., 705 N. Harbor.

-Spkr., Oddfellows Hall, Lemon & Amerige.

GARDEN GROVE

-Speaker, 9636 Garden Grove Blvd., Club

-Disc., 12:30 PM, 9636 Garden Grove.

LAGUNA BEACH

-Visiting Spkrs., 8PM, 1945 Broadway.

-8PM, Hosp., 31872 Coast Hwy., Spkr.

LA MIRADA

-8PM, Part., 15144 E. Leffingwell.

MIDWAY CITY

-Part., 8PM, Hazard & Newland, Hut.

NEWPORT BEACH

-Hoag Hut Spkr., Hosp Conference Cntr., 301 Newport Blvd.

*-PART., 11AM, 204 Riverside Dr.

ORANGE

-Part., 2191 Orange-Olive Rd.

-Disc., 11PM, 2191 Orange-Olive Rd.

*-Disc., 2PM, 2191 Orange-Olive Rd.

SAN CLEMENTE

-Disc., 91 Avenida Del Mar, Club.

*-Disc., 12:30 noon, 91 Avenida del Mar.

SANTA ANA

-Disc., 2112 N. Main St., Club.

*-Spkr., 2PM, 1605 E. 4th St.

-Span. Spk. Part., 8PM, 1301 S. Bristol.

-Disc., 8PM, 5306 W. McFadden, School

*-Part., 1PM, 525 N. Grand Ave.

-Study, Spanish Spk., 852 N. Garnsey.

STANTON

*-(C), Part., 2:30 PM, 10936 Dale Ave.

SUNSET BEACH

-7:00PM, Bayview & Broadway.

-9:00PM, Bayview & Broadway.

TUSTIN

-Visiting Spkrs., 14662 Newport, Hosp. 8PM.

WANDERING GROUP

-Call 556-4555 for location.

WESTMINSTER

-Disc., 8PM, 7382 Garden Grove Blvd.

MONTHLY MEETINGS**ORANGE COUNTY INTERGROUP ASSOCIATION**

2ND TUESDAY, Jan. 11th, Central Office

2712 S. Grand Ave., Santa Ana, 8 PM.

F.R.E.S.H. Next meeting- January 24.

ORANGE COUNTY INSTITUTIONAL**COMMITTEE BUSINESS MEETING**

2ND SUNDAY, Alano Club, 9636 Garden

Grove, 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM.

Information Meeting, 5:30PM - 6:30PM.

LA HABRA BREAKFAST GROUP

3rd. Sunday, 401 E. Imperial Highway,

La Habra, 9:30 AM.

DANA POINT BREAKFAST GROUP

1st Sun., Restaurant, 9AM, 25052 Del Prado.

GROUP REPRESENTATIVES MEETINGS

District #5, 2nd Friday, Jan. 14th, 7 P.M.

Mercury Savings & Loan, 1095 Irvine at

Newport Blvd., Tustin.

Dist. #6B, 1st Mon., 7:30 P.M., 1863

Pitcairn Ave., Costa Mesa, 546-4825

Dist. #10, 1st Wed., 8PM, St. Andrews

Church, 1231 Chapman, Fullerton.

Dist. #12, 3rd Sat., 3PM, Church, Oso &

Margareta, Mission Viejo.

AL-ANON ALATEEN DIRECTORY

INFORMATION CENTER

700 El Camino Real, Tustin, 92680

PHONE **838-0865**

Open Mon.-Fri. 9:30AM-4:30 PM.
Meetings are open and begin at 8:30PM
unless noted. * Daytime.

Meetings listed below cooperate with but
are not a part of nor affiliated with A.A.

SUNDAY

ANAHEIM

-Beginners, 202 W. Broadway.

COSTA MESA

-7:30 PM, 2040 Placentia, Club.

IRVINE

-Disc., 7:30PM, UCI Humanities Bldg.

-Alateen, 7:30 PM, UCI Humanities Bldg.

-Preteen, 7:30PM, UCI Humanities Bldg.

ORANGE

-7:30 PM, 2191 Orange-Olive Rd., #2.

MONDAY

ANAHEIM

*-Disc., Noon, Church, 311 W. South St.

CERRITOS

-7:30 PM, 18422 Bloomfield Ave., Ch.

GARDEN GROVE

-Alateen, 9636 Garden Grove Blvd., 8PM.

-8:30PM, Church, 13091 Galway.

HUNTINGTON BEACH

-Study, 8PM, 6662 Heil St.

LAGUNA BEACH

*-Daytime, Noon, Church, 428 Park Ave.

-8:30PM, Church, 428 Park Ave.

LA HABRA

*-11AM, 150 N. Palm Ave., Church.

ORANGE

-Church, 161 Orange Ave.

-Beginners, 8PM, Hosp., 1215 W. La Veta.

PLACENTIA

-Church, 1314 Angelina.

SAN CLEMENTE

-Study, Ch. Library, 223 Avenida Aragon.

TUSTIN

-8PM, Church, 1201 Irvine.

TUESDAY

-ANAHEIM

-202 W. Broadway.

*-Non-smokers, 12noon, 720 S. Magnolia,
Church.

CORONA DEL MAR

-Comm. Ch., 8PM, 611 Heliotrope.

-Alateen, 8PM, 611 Heliotrope, Church.

COSTA MESA

-Disc., Alano Club, 2040 Placentia.

*-(C), Women, 420 W. 19th St., Church,
9:30AM, (Baby sitter available).

*-12 Noon, 2040 Placentia, Club.

FOUNTAIN VALLEY

*-12:30PM, Comm. Center, 10200 Slater #1.

-8PM, 18685 Santa Ynez.

FULLERTON

-Alanon, Alateen, 1231 Chapman, Church.

GARDEN GROVE

-(C), 8PM, 9636 Garden Grove Blvd.

HUNTINGTON BEACH

-Alateen, 8236 Ellis, 8PM, Church.

MISSION VIEJO

-Church, 24722 Chrisanta Dr., 8 PM.

ORANGE

-1001 E. Lincoln, Church.

SAN CLEMENTE

*-1PM, Church, 202 Avenida Aragon.

SANTA ANA

-Spanish Speaker, 1301 S. Bristol Ave.

WEDNESDAY

ANAHEIM

*-Alateen, 6PM, 202 W. Broadway, Club.

-Spanish Speaking, 202 W. Broadway.

EL TORO

*-Noon, 23740 El Toro Rd.

FULLERTON

*-12:30PM, 705 N. Harbor.

GARDEN GROVE

*-12 Noon, Main & Stanford, Church.

-Preteen, 8PM, 8551 Boyd Ave.

HUNTINGTON BEACH

-Church, 8PM, 6662 Heil St.

LAGUNA BEACH

-Alateen, 1945 Broadway, 8PM, Club.

SANTA ANA

*-10A.M., 2112 N. Main St., Club.

TUSTIN

-8PM, 225 W. Main St., Speaker.

THURSDAY

ANAHEIM

-107 W. Elm St.

BUENA PARK

*-10AM, 8101 Stanton Ave., Bank.

COSTA MESA

*-11:30AM, 2040 Placentia, Club.

-Stag, 287 W. Wilson, Church.

Alateen, 7:30PM, 287 W. Wilson, Church.

FULLERTON

-Study, 705 N. Harbor Blvd.

GARDEN GROVE

-Womens, 9636 Garden Grove Blvd.

HUNTINGTON BEACH

-8PM, School, 8251 Heil St.

IRVINE

-7:30PM, Church, Culver & University.

LAGUNA BEACH

*-Beginners, 12 Noon, 1945 Broadway.

LAGUNA NIGUEL

-Al-Anon & Alateen, 8PM, Church,

30121 Niguel Road.

LA HABRA

-8PM, 631 N. Euclid, Church.

LOS ALAMITOS

-8PM, U.S.N.A.F. Main Bldg., #29.

-Alateen, 7:30PM, U.S.N.A.F. Bldg. #3.

ORANGE

*-12 Noon, 1915 N. Tustin Ave.

SANTA ANA

-Beginners, 2112 N. Main St.

-Span. Spk., 1301 S. Bristol.

SEAL BEACH

-St. Anne's Hall, 10th & Coast Hwy. 8PM.

-Alateen, 10th & Coast Hwy., 8PM.

TUSTIN

-12 & 12, 8PM, 1201 Irvine, Church.

WANDERING GROUP

-Women, 8PM, call 494-0387 (Night) or
768-4298 (day).

FRIDAY

BUENA PARK

-6711 Beach Blvd.

COSTA MESA

-Disc., Alano Club, 2040 Placentia.

CYPRESS

-9137 Christopher, (Home).

FULLERTON

*-10AM, Church, 1521 W. Orangethorpe.

LA HABRA

-150 N. Palm Ave.

SANTA ANA

*-Potluck, 11:30 AM, Church, 7th & Bush.

-8PM, Span. Study, 1301 S. Bristol.

-8PM, McFadden & Euclid, Church.

TUSTIN

-Church, 1221 Wass.

SATURDAY

GARDEN GROVE

-9636 Garden Grove Blvd., Alano Club.

HUNTINGTON BEACH

-8PM, 19006 Brookhurst Ave., Bank.

SANTA ANA

-Spanish Disc., 8PM, 1301 S. Bristol.

RELATED FACILITIES

Clubs listed below are cooperating with,
but are not a part of nor affiliated with
Alcoholics Anonymous.

CLUBS

ANAHEIM

202 W. Broadway

HOURS: Every Day

COSTA MESA

2040 Placentia

HOURS: Mon. thru Fri. 9AM - 11PM

Sat. 9AM (open all night) thru Sun. 11PM.

FULLERTON

705 N. Harbor

HOURS: Every Day

GARDEN GROVE

9636 Garden Grove

HOURS: Every Day

LAGUNA BEACH

1945 Broadway

HOURS: Every Day

NEWPORT BEACH

204 Riverside

HOURS: Every Day

ORANGE

2191 Orange-Olive

HOURS: Sun, thru Thurs 9AM - 11:30 PM

Fri. & Sat.

SAN CLEMENTE

91 Avenida del Mar Phone 492-6970

Hours: Every Day

SANTA ANA

2112 N. Main

HOURS: Every Day

SANTA ANA

1301 S. Bristol

HOURS: Weekdays

Sun. & Holidays

ALANA CLUB

Phone 535-9977

" 535-0900

6AM - 11PM

ALANO CLUB

Phone 646-9967

9AM - 11PM

Sat. 9AM (open all night) thru Sun. 11PM.

ALANO CENTER

Phone 526-9469

7AM - 11PM

ALANO CLUB

Phone 534-2244

8AM - 11PM

CANYON CLUB

Phone 497-1823

11AM - 11PM

NEWPORT CLUB

Phone 548-9155

10AM - 11:30 PM.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB

Phone 637-9860

9AM - 1:00AM

ALANO CLUB

Phone 492-6970

10AM - 10PM

ALANO CLUB

Phone 558-9717

9AM - 11PM

HISPANO CLUB

Phone 556-9117

6:30PM - 11PM

9AM - 11PM

NEW YORK TO INSTALL COMPUTER

Major changes in handling information affecting each AA group in U.S. and Canada are underway in our New York office. The changes are of a magnitude that it is important that each GSR gradually become aware of them--and thus benefit from the efficiencies of electronic data processing. Following is the latest report from New York on what is happening. (And you may notice that it tells what it was like, what's happening and what things will hopefully be like).

"During the past 18 months, we have been making changes in methods and procedures in the stenographic, accounting, records and shipping departments, aimed at improving service. Some improvements are now evident, other results will take longer.

Formerly there were 3 separate lists of Groups at GSO. They were:

- 1) Group Record Cards --the basic records from which directories are compiled.
- 2) A file of address cards from which envelopes were run for all GSO mailings including Box 4-5-9.
- 3) Another file of quarterly group contribution statements. Unfortunately, these three lists did not always agree. A correction made in one was supposed to be made in all three. But there were slips, human errors and gaps in the system. We now have only one basic list of AA groups, and it is maintained on an outside computer. All Changes are put into the computer so the list is as current as possible. This outside computer prints all address labels for all of our mailings whether for Box 4-5-9, quarterly contribution statement and any other purpose. This computer also now produces the AA directories. We are still having some long delays in sending the 1st mailing to new GSRs. We are investiga-

ting ways to correct the procedure. The biggest change of all is the introduction of our own computer. The systems design phase of this project is almost completed, and the computer hardware will be ordered in December (1976). Programming is expected to be completed in early 1977, and the whole system should be fully implemented and running smoothly by mid-1977.

We are realistic enough to realize that there will be many bugs to straighten out as the various functions go on to our computer, and we hope the Fellowship will show their customary patience and understanding. But, the final result will be the capability to handle the continuing growth of AA without being buried in paperwork--and thus better service to the groups."

IMPRESS YOUR FRIENDS! TELL THEM WHAT WILL HAPPEN IN NEW YORK!

"The AA Group- Where It Begins" will be the theme of the AA General Service Conference next April in New York. As a GSR, you can get a pretty good idea of what is going on in AA from the following condensed agenda of the conference:

- Apr. 17- Orientation for delegates. Opening dinner and an AA meeting.
- Apr. 18- Presentation and workshop on "AA Principles of Rotation."
- Apr. 19- Delegate committee meetings. Briefing by the Grapevine staff. Workshop on "Communication Between All Levels of Service". A talk on "The Role of the Regional Trustee".
- Apr. 20- Conference committee meetings. Trustee elections. Visit by delegates to the GSO New York Office.
- Apr. 21- Report on World Directory. Conference committee reports. Report on possible relocation of the GSO New York Office to another city.

Committee reports. Discussions upon "Should AA Groups sell Non-Conference Approved Literature?" and upon "Box 4-5-9". A so-called sharing session on "How Group Conscience Operates" and a workshop on "The AA Group".

DEADLINE FOR UPDATING OF WORLD DIRECTORY INFO REVISED

Jan. 9 is the deadline to get current information about your group to your district committeeman. The deadline was extended because of a delay by New York in getting computer-printed lists of year-old group information to each Area.

These computer-printed lists have now been received by the committeemen for each of the 14 districts within our Mid-Southern Calif. Area.

To make it easy for each GSR to supply fresh information about his group here is how the system will work:

- 1) If you know who your district committeeman is, contact him and give him the current information about your group--even if there has been no change in the past year.
- 2) If you don't know who your district committeeman is, you should still be contacted by him.

(Each district committeeman received from New York a computer-printed list of each group in his district. This List includes the names and phone numbers of two persons in each group. Unless the committeeman knows there has been a revision in your group contact, he will contact the person who is the last-known addressee of the group).

The system sounds good and should work perfectly--if all district committee men do their job.

However if you have not been contacted get the information about your group to your district committee by the end of December.

However, if you have not been contacted, by the end of December, it would be best then to simply mail your group information to our Alternate Area Delegate. She is: Goldene Lahann, 4360 Watkins Dr., Riverside Ca, 92507 (714) 682-1019

. . . . From the Area Newsletter, Mid-Southern-Calif. Area General Service Conference of AA - December 1976.



THERE I WAS WITH A DRINK IN MY HAND, LEANING UP AGAINST A WALL...



AND WOULD YOU BELIEVE, EVERYONE ELSE WAS WALKING ON THE WALL?!



Christmas 1ST
STEP HOUSE

**CHRISTMAS DAY
DINNER**



2015 CHARLE ST.
COSTA MESA

1 TO 5P.M. - DONATION
EVERYBODY WELCOME!!

FULLERTON ALANO CENTER
705 NORTH HARBOR BLVD.
OPEN ALL NIGHT CHRISTMAS AND
NEW YEAR'S EVE!! IMPROMPTU
MEETINGS- XMAS DAY & NEW YEARS!

CHRISTMAS EVE
BUFFET STARTING AT 9:00 P.M.

ALANO CLUB

2112 N. MAIN ST.
SANT ANA, CAL.

OPEN HOUSE
CHRISTMAS EVE
BUFFET

**FRIENDSHIP CLUB
new year's eve**

PARTY AND

DANCE

Y.M.C.A. 2241 E. PALMYRA AVE.,
ORANGE, CAL.

9PM TO 1AM

FRIENDS- FOOD - FUN!!!!
DONATION \$5.00 PER PERSON
ALL WELCOME!

**RELATED FACILITIES
CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

FIRST STEP HOUSE BENEFIT

SPECIAL DINNER DANCE
THURSDAY DECEMBER 23RD
BALBOA PAVILION
DANCING & LIVE
ENTERTAINMENT....

DINNER - 5PM TO 7:30PM

Donation: \$9 Per Person

Ideal spot to watch the Annual Boat
Parade...



FRIENDSHIP CLUB

2191 ORANGE-OLIVE ROAD
ANNUAL CHRISTMAS
OPEN HOUSE

REGULAR XMAS DAY DISCUSSION
MEETING-12 NOON

WE WILL BE OPEN ALL NIGHT XMAS
EVE AND NEW YEAR'S EVE!!
EVERYBODY WELCOME!!!!

NEW YEAR'S EVE

FULLERTON SATURDAY NIGHT
SPEAKERS GROUP INVITES YOU TO
A BUFFET POTLUCK NEW YEARS EVE
PARTY....

WEDNESDAY- DEC. 31ST- 7:00 TO 1AM
ODDFELLOW'S HALL

Lemon & Amerige Sts., Fullerton
Donation: \$2.50 Adults- 75¢ Children

ALANA CLUB

202 W. BROADWAY - ANAHEIM

new year's eve

DINNER AND

DANCE

9PM - LIVE MUSIC
DOOR PRIZES!!!!

Donation: \$7 Per Couple

OPEN ALL NIGHT NEW YEAR'S EVE
AND NEW YEAR'S DAY!!!!



CANYON CLUB

1945 BROADWAY, LAGUNA BEACH
TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS MEETING
NOON-CHRISTMAS DAY

Followed by
BUFFET

EVERYONE WELCOME!!

TRADITIONAL

"NEW YEAR'S EVE MEETING"
MIDNITE 'TIL ????????

BUFFET BEFORE MEETING!

START THE NEW YEAR WITH US AT
THE CANYON CLUB, LAGUNA BEACH
1945 Broadway

ALANO of GARDEN GROVE

9636 GARDEN GROVE BLVD.

OPEN AROUND THE CLOCK XMAS
OPEN ALL XMAS EVE & XMAS DAY

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY!

ALANO of COSTA MESA

2040 PLACENTIA, COSTA MESA
OPEN 24 HOURS - XMAS EVE &
NEW YEAR'S EVE

BUFFET STARTING AT 9:00 P.M.



ALANO of COSTA MESA

new year's eve

DANCE



COSTA MESA WOMEN'S CLUB
610 W. 18TH ST.-COSTA MESA
8PM to 1AM

Roast Baron of Beef Dinner Donation
Catered by Bob E. \$6.00

Executive Chef Per Person

RED MORRIS & HIS SLUGS!!!

FAVORS - DOOR PRIZES - FUN!!!

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!!!!



