



DECEMBER 2008

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**TELESERVICE NEEDS YOU!  
OPEN SHIFTS--  
Saturday – 4pm to 8 pm**

**Sobriety requirement is 6 months.  
PLEASE announce at meetings.**

Teleservice is looking for reliable people to do 12-step work when called upon. Please contact Central Office if you want to make yourself available to do 12-step work. We have a waiting list for those folks interested in doing service work. To make yourself available for an open shift on the Teledesk place your name on the shift waiting list by calling Central Office at 454-1771. The Sobriety requirement for shift volunteers and the 12-step list is six months.

Please contact Central Office 916-454-1771, or **Devin G. 916-801-2040** for more information.

Happy Holidays  
**Happy Holidays**



**CENTRAL OFFICE VOLUNTEER SERVICE**

**FLYERS**

DECEMBER 11<sup>th</sup>  
JANUARY 13<sup>th</sup>  
FEBRUARY 11<sup>th</sup>  
MARCH 11<sup>th</sup>  
APRIL 13<sup>th</sup>  
MAY 12<sup>th</sup>  
JUNE 11<sup>th</sup>  
JULY 13<sup>th</sup>

**BY THE WAY**

DECEMBER 30<sup>th</sup>  
JANUARY 30<sup>th</sup>  
FEBRUARY 27<sup>th</sup>  
MARCH 30<sup>th</sup>  
APRIL 30<sup>th</sup>  
MAY 29<sup>th</sup>  
JUNE 30<sup>th</sup>  
JULY 31<sup>st</sup>

**Holiday Closings**  
**December 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> - Christmas**  
**January 1<sup>st</sup> – New Years Day**  
**Closed for Inventory January 3<sup>rd</sup>**

Central Office would like to have volunteers arrive at 9:00AM on the above dates. Free coffee and donuts are available in exchange for a couple of hours of their time to assist in the monthly mailings. Please call 454-1771 to let us know you plan to attend.

**SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES  
AT THE CCFAA CENTRAL OFFICE**

1. We need volunteers to help with the assembly for mailing of the **Flyers on: Tuesday, December 11<sup>th</sup> at 9AM.**
2. We need volunteers to help with the assembly for mailing of the **By the Way on: Tuesday, December 30<sup>th</sup> at 9AM.**

**2009 Deadline Dates for Submissions**

<u>Month</u>	<u>Flyers</u>	<u>By The Way</u>
January	Monday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup>
February	Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>
March	Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>
April	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup>
May	Monday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup>
June	Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup>
July	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup>
August	Monday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 14 <sup>th</sup>
September	Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup>
October	Monday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup>
November	Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>
December	Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup>

**All submissions need to be in by 5:00pm.**

**OFFICE OPERATIONS COMMITTEE**

Tuesday, December 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:00PM  
9960 Business Park Dr., Suite 110  
Sacramento, CA 95827

**DELEGATE'S MEETING**

Saturday, December 20<sup>th</sup>  
New Delegates: 2:00PM  
All Delegates: 3:00PM  
2703 El Camino Ave., Sacramento CA

**CNIA Area Committee Meeting**

December 20<sup>th</sup> at 10:00AM  
East Yolo Fellowship  
1040 Soule Street  
West Sacramento, CA

**H&I Monthly Meeting**

December 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:00PM  
Coco's Restaurant  
1830 Arden Way, Sacramento, CA  
(New Meeting Address)

**CNIA WINTER ASSEMBLY**

January 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup>, 2009  
Placerville Fairgrounds  
Contact DCM@westernsloped22

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**GROUP DELEGATES**

*Please let us know who you are so we can send your group a **FREE** copy of By The Way and the **Flyer mailing** each month. We want to be sure we have up-to-date information about your group meeting location, day, time, and format. CCFAA is here to be of service to you and your group. Does your group have a CCFAA Delegate? Every registered group is entitled to be represented. Your group's participation helps us to do a better job of service to our Alcoholics Anonymous Community. Call us if you would like to know more about the duties and rewards of being a CCFAA delegate.*

*Please feel free to visit your Central Office.  
9960 Business Park Dr., Suite 110,  
Sacramento, CA 95827*

**ALL REGISTERED GROUPS**

*Please send us an electronic (soft) copy of your flyer so we will be able to put them **on our website**.  
Email: [centraloffice@asacramento.org](mailto:centraloffice@asacramento.org)*

**TELESERVICE ACTIVITY REPORT  
October 2008**

<u>Teleservice</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>YTD</u>
12 Step	65	501
Meetings/Info	447	4872
Total Calls	512	5373

**TELEDESK ACTIVITY REPORT  
October 2008**

<u>Teledesk</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>YTD</u>
12 Step	14	60
Meetings/Info	569	4559
Total Calls	583	4619

**PI/CPC NEEDS YOU!**

MONTHLY MEETINGS EVERY  
2<sup>ND</sup> WEDNESDAY AT 7:00PM  
Citrus Heights City Hall, Kroeger Hall  
6237 Fountain Square Dr. off Greenback

**WEEKLY SPEAKER MEETINGS**

**CAMERON PARK GROUP ~ WHEN:** Every Saturday, 8:00PM to 9:30PM. **WHERE:** Light of the Hills Church, 3100 Rodeo Dr., Cameron Park. On Dec. 06 the speaker is Gary G. from Reno NV, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> is Dale M. from Elk Grove (this meeting will be at Shingle Springs Community Center), Dec. 20<sup>th</sup> is Victor R. from Citrus Heights, Dec. 28<sup>th</sup> is Birthday Night and the speaker will be Lauren M. from Placerville.

**FOLSOM WAY OF LIFE GROUP ~ WHEN:** Every Thursday, 7:00PM. **WHERE:** Journey Church, 450 Blue Ravine Road, Folsom.

**ROSEVILLE TUESDAY NIGHT GROUP ~ WHEN:** Every Saturday, 8-9:30PM. **WHERE:** 315 Lincoln St., Roseville. Directions: I80 to Riverside; Riverside becomes Vernon; Right on Grant; Left of Oak; Left on Washington under the bridge; Right on Church St.; Right on Lincoln St. There is additional parking in the back.

**SUNRISE SPEAKER MEETING ~ WHEN:** Every Sunday from 11:00AM-12:00PM. **WHERE:** Sunset No-Al Alano Club, 5809 Gibbons Drive, Carmichael. We have local speakers who inspire and inform. All are welcome.

**MONTHLY SPEAKER MEETINGS**

**ACTION GETS IT GOING: ~ WHEN:** Last Tuesday of the month. **WHERE:** Deterding Park, 1415 Rushden Drive, Sacramento, CA 95864; off Hurley Way at the traffic light between Watt and Morse Avenues. The last Tuesday will also be birthday night with one 10 minute speaker and one 20 minute speaker.

**AUBURN FELLOWSHIP ~ WHEN:** Every third Saturday at 7:30PM. **WHERE:** 228 Palm Avenue Auburn, CA 95603.

**DAVIS HOPE GROUP ~ WHEN:** First Saturday of each month at 7:00PM. **WHERE:** St. Martin's Church, 640 Hawthorne at Sycamore in Davis.

**ELK GROVE FELLOWSHIP ~ WHEN:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of every month. Potluck at 6:30 PM and Speaker at 8:00 PM **WHERE:** Native Sons Hall 9151 Grove St., Elk Grove; corner of Kent and Grove Streets.

**GALT FELLOWSHIP ~ WHEN:** 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of every month. Dinner at 6:00PM and Speaker at 7:00PM. **WHERE:** 169 4<sup>th</sup> St., Galt. Our Group will supply the main course. Bring your favorite side dish or just yourself and some friends. **WHO:** December 06 dinner is Roast Turkey, speaker is Steve M. of Elk Grove. January 03 dinner is Beef Stew, Speaker is Don R. of Latrobe. February 07 dinner is spaghetti and meatballs, speaker is Carole H. of Lodi. March 07 dinner is Corned Beef and Cabbage, speaker is Jason P. of Turlock.

**GROUP ONE ~ WHEN:** Third Sunday of the month. The noon meeting is a speaker meeting. **WHERE:** 2804 T St., Sacramento.

**GROUP THREE: WHEN:** Third Saturday of the month at 8:00PM. **WHERE:** 8760-D La Riviera Drive, Sacramento, CA (behind Jack in The Box). The main speaker will be Ann S. from the Friday Night Arden and Morse Group and the ten minute speaker is Jim D. of the Sunday Night Recovery Hour Group.

**MONTHLY SPEAKER MEETINGS (cont'd)**

**HOPE AND SERENITY SPEAKER MEETING ~ WHEN:** First Saturday of the month at 8:00PM. **WHERE:** UC Davis Cancer Center, 4501 X Street, Sacramento. Parking \$2.00 (UCD required). Groups interested in hosting a meeting please contact Harold O. at (916) 991-2709. December speaker is Adam C. of Roseville and the January speaker is Edie from Sacramento.

**NORTH HALL GROUP ~ WHEN:** Saturday December 20<sup>th</sup> at 8:00pm. **WHERE:** North Hall, 3460 2nd Ave --at the corner of 34th street and 2nd avenue north of Broadway and east of Alhambra. **WHO:** 20 minute speaker is Patti S. of North Hall and the 40 minute speaker is Rick from Santa Rosa.

**NORTH SACRAMENTO GROUP ~ WHEN:** First Saturday of every month 8:00PM. **WHERE:** 2330 Fairfield St., Sacramento, 95814.

**SACRAMENTO MONTHLY SPEAKER MEETING ~ WHEN:** 2nd Saturday of every month at 8:00PM. **WHERE:** Centennial Methodist Church, 5401 Freeport Blvd., Sacramento (1 block North of the intersection of Fruitridge & Freeport Blvd). **WHO:** December 13 is Ed V. of Granite Bay, Jan. 10<sup>th</sup> the speaker will be Ron D. from Fair Oaks, Feb. 14<sup>th</sup> Tamara B. from Roseville, March 14<sup>th</sup> Terry D. from Roseville, April 11<sup>th</sup> Penny P. from Livermore, May 9<sup>th</sup> Marty S. from Murrieta, June 13<sup>th</sup> Theresa N. from Dayton, NV. Please join us for dinner with the speaker & committee @ Marie Callender's on Freeport @ 6:00 PM. Please RSVP for the dinner by leaving a message for June M. at 916-543-0003. (Please include your phone number and number of guests.)

**SACYPAA: ~ WHEN:** Fourth Saturday of the month at 8:00PM.. **WHERE:** St Marks United Methodist Church 2391 St. Marks Way, Sacramento. For directions or more information, visit [www.sacypaa.org](http://www.sacypaa.org) or call Jordan at 916-261-2068 or Chelsea at 916-271-2342.

**TRADITIONAL GROUP ~ WHEN:** 4th Sunday of every month at noon. **WHERE:** 2703 El Camino Ave. at Fulton Ave.

**GROUP NEWS DECEMBER**

**GROUP THREE: Eleventh Step Meditation Meeting Saturdays from 9 – 10:30am.** Instead of a chair, there will be a reading from one of the following: AA Daily Reflections, Came to Believe, As Bill Sees It, or Sober Living. The reading is followed by a 20-minute meditation and discussion. 8760 – D La Riviera Dr. (behind Jack in the Box).

**NORTH SAC GROUP: New Women's Step Study Meeting on Wednesdays at 2:00pm.** 2330 Fairfield Street, Sacramento, CA. This is a 1 ½ hour meeting.

**MONDAY NITE CLUB: Meets every Monday Night at 7:00pm** 17<sup>th</sup> and L Street in the Goethe Hall. Birthday night is the last Monday of the month. All are welcome so come and join us for cake and fellowship. Also, a big thank you to our trusted servants that go the extra mile to make our meeting a success!

**WE CAN FRIDAY NIGHT GROUP: Has moved to 6040 Watt Ave., North Highlands Community Center.** They will still be meeting on Wednesday and Friday nights at 7:00pm.

**WE CARE GROUP: Has moved to 5301 Dewey Drive, Fair Oaks, Northridge Church.** They still meet on Sundays from 7:00pm to 8:00pm.

**SPECIAL EVENTS DECEMBER**

**ACYPAA 2009: 37<sup>th</sup> Annual All California Young People in AA Round-Up. March 12-15, 2009.** Irvine Marriott, 18000 Von Karman, Irvine, CA 92612. 949-533-0100. For more information contact Grace A. 9449-230-9259 or www.acypaa2009.org.

**GALT FELLOWSHIP: Christmas Alkathon December 24<sup>th</sup> 7:00pm thru December 25<sup>th</sup> 8:30pm.** There will be lots of food and fellowship. 169 4<sup>th</sup> St., Galt, CA.

**GREENHAVEN GROUP: 28<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on January 18<sup>th</sup>, 2009.** Potluck at 6:30pm with the speaker meeting at 8:00pm. The main course will be provided, please bring a side dish to share. 625 Florin Road, Sacramento, Faith Presbyterian Church.

**HAPPY CAMPERS GROUP: December Promises Meetings by Candlelight Tuesday Evenings in December.** December 2<sup>nd</sup> is Promises 1, 2 & 3, December 9<sup>th</sup> is Promises 4, 5 & 6, December 16<sup>th</sup> is Promises 7, 8 & 9, and December 23<sup>rd</sup> is Promises 10, 11 & 12. Dessert potluck at 7pm with the meeting beginning at 8pm. St. George Episcopal Church, 5600 Winding Way, Carmichael, CA.

**NORTH AUBURN GROUP: 10 Year Anniversary January 1, 2009.** Potluck dinner at 5:30pm, speaker at 7:00pm and raffle at 8:30pm. The speaker will be Ben M. from Roseville, CA. 11577 E Ave., Auburn.

**NORTH HALL: Christmas Alkathon Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> at 8:00pm through Dec. 25<sup>th</sup> at 8:00pm.** Come join North Hall in creating a safe place for some food, sobriety and serenity during the holiday season. 3460 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Sacramento, CA.

**NORTH HALL: New Years Alkathon Dec. 31<sup>st</sup> at 8:00pm through Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 8:00pm.** Come join North Hall in creating a safe place for some food, sobriety and serenity during the New Years Celebrations. 3460 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue, Sacramento, CA.

**NORTH SAC GROUP: Christmas Alkathon December 24<sup>th</sup> from 7:00pm to 11:00pm and December 25<sup>th</sup> from 7:00am to 11:00pm.** The North Sac Group is located at 2330 Fairfield Street, Sacramento, CA.

**NORTH SAC GROUP: New Years Alkathon December 31<sup>st</sup> from 7:00pm to 11:00pm and January 1<sup>st</sup> from 7:00am to midnight.** The North Sac Group is located at 2330 Fairfield Street, Sacramento, CA.

**SPECIAL EVENTS DECEMBER (cont'd)**

**OAK PARK FELLOWSHIP: 29<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration on February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2009.** Doors open at 5:00pm for fellowship and fun, potluck dinner at 6:00pm, speaker meeting at 7:00pm followed by a raffle at 8:00pm. The speaker will be Paulie H. from the Easy Does It Group. 39<sup>th</sup> Street and 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Oak Park, at the corner church.

**ROSEVILLE TUESDAY NIGHT GROUP: Hospitals and Institutions Workshop on December 13<sup>th</sup> from 2:30 – 4pm.** Where do they go? Why do they go in? What do they get out of it? Spend a couple of hours in fellowship and find out. 315 Lincoln St., Roseville, CA. We'll provide sodas, water, cookies, and snacks.

**ROSEVILLE TUESDAY NIGHT GROUP: 64<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration on Saturday, January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2009.** Jones Hall, Placer County Fairgrounds. 6:00pm is a dessert potluck with the speaker Wayne B. from Santa Monica at 7:30pm. Raffle immediately following the meeting. Dance will start at 10:00pm; DJ'd by "The Sundance Kid".

**SPRING FLING 2009:** Visit the Spring Fling website for a list of positions and sobriety requirements.

**TRADITIONAL GROUP: Christmas and New Years Alkathons!** Meetings begin on Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm with meetings every two hours until 8:00pm on Dec. 25<sup>th</sup>. New Years Meetings will begin on Dec. 31<sup>st</sup> at 6:00pm with meetings every two hours until 8:00pm on Jan. 1<sup>st</sup>. All meetings are open. Please bring your favorite dish to share.

**TRADITIONS AND CONCEPTS STUDY GROUP: "Bill Discusses the Twelve Traditions" December 31<sup>st</sup> from 6:00 – 7:00pm.** 11427 Fair Oaks Blvd. (near Madison Ave. and next to Fair Oaks Park). Bill W. tells how the principles safeguarding Alcoholics Anonymous unity developed.

**TUESDAY NITE BEGINNERS GROUP: Holiday Speaker/Potluck Meeting December 9<sup>th</sup>.** Potluck starts at 6:30pm, and the speakers start at 8:00pm. 10 Min. speaker will be Cynthia L from River Park Recovery and 40 min. speaker will be L.C. B. from Elk Grove Group. Beverages, pizza and paper goods provided. Bring a dish to share. 2620 Capitol Ave., Sacramento, Trinity Cathedral Church.

**WACYPAA XII: Western Area Conference in Reno, NV!! Friday, January 2, 2009.** Banquet, Guest Speaker and Dance. Grand Sierra Resort and Casino, 2500 E. Second St. Reno, NV 89595. www.grandsierraresort.com. For more information contact Scott C. 775-443-5414, Ray H. 775-746-6315 or www.wacypaaXII.org

**As I Sow . . .**

Now with this time I have so graciously been allowed, I shall construct a garden.

Yes, within this body I shall build a garden from the soil that is there. I shall sift out the seeds of my will and replace them with the seeds of the will of God.

I shall extract the seeds of fear, and in their place I shall plant the seeds of moral and spiritual fortitude.

I shall screen out the seeds of incompetence and sow the seeds of ability.

I shall completely remove the seeds of jealousy and greed, and plant the seeds of love and temperance.

I shall throw out the seeds of anger, and replant with understanding.

I shall fertilize and nurture these seeds, in my garden, with clean thoughts, spiritual medication and physical relaxation.

And when my garden matures, I shall harvest serenity and tranquility. I shall reap the ability to see, whereas before I had been blind. I shall gather the pods of love and tolerance for my fellow man.

And when my granary is full, I shall humble myself before my God, and ask that these fruits be distributed to the needy, for surely I will have an abundance.

# BIRTHDAYS DECEMBER



## BIRTHDAY CLUB

**Jean A. 31 yrs,**  
**Sharon Z. 30 yrs,**  
**Ed B. 12 yrs,**  
**Joyce W. 12 yrs**

### Late Submissions:

**Terry H. 20 yrs,**  
**Tammy M. 1 yr**



**AA UNITY GROUP:** Teresa A. 1 yr,  
Brent 1 yr

**ACTION GETS IT GOING:**  
Kimberly O. 13 yrs, Scott O. 7 yrs

**BY THE GRACE:** Diana S. 26 yrs,  
Martha 5 yrs

**CORDOVA GOOD MORNING GROUP:**  
Kris M. 3 yrs

**COURAGE TO CHANGE:**  
Pamela B. 23 yrs, Michael R. 13 yrs, Ali  
R. 8 yrs

**DAILY ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT:**  
Chris L. 27 yrs, Kitty P. 15 yrs,  
Bryant O. 5 yrs, Debbie H. 2 yrs,  
Bill B. 1 yr, Tobi 1 yr

**GALT FELLOWSHIP:**  
Roger R. 46 yrs, James P. 6 yrs,  
Barbara 3 yrs, Peggy W. 3 yrs,  
Mike 2 yrs, Julie G. 1 yr, Robert 1 yr

**GROUP ONE:** Bizzle G. 7yrs,  
Carl P. 3 yrs, Arthur M. 2 yrs,  
Jacob S. 1 yr

**MONDAY NITE CLUB:**  
Jerry W. 5 yrs

**NATOMAS GROUP:**  
Connie C. 22 yrs, Denise C. 24 yrs,  
Doug B. 13 yrs, Elaine L. 12 yrs,  
Christine S. 12 yrs, Bruce A. 10 yrs,  
Mike C. 8 yrs, Kate 4 yrs,  
Shannon Mc. 2 yrs, Karen G. 1 yr

**NORTH HALL:** Liz S. 29 yrs, Suzanne  
S. 24 yrs, Lauri S. 23 yrs, Shon D. 22  
yrs, Kathleen M. 19 yrs,  
Art G. 19 yrs, Karlin M. 19 yrs,  
Rae Ann D. 19 yrs, Dave N. 18 yrs,  
Brian M. 17 yrs, Jerry M. 16 yrs, Patricia  
M. 15 yrs, Brad T. 14 yrs, Stacy B. 13  
yrs, Rita H. 13 yrs,  
Maria G. 12 yrs, Taz 11 yrs,  
Maggie M. 7 yrs, Valerie R. 6 yrs,  
John G. 6 yrs, Bob R. 6 yrs,  
Frank H. 5 yrs, Devean S. 5 yrs,  
David H. 5 yrs, Anthony V. 5 yrs, Donald  
D. 3 yrs, Doug A. 3 yrs,  
Kat 3 yrs, Mo B. 3 yrs,  
Lee Ann W. 2 yrs

**OAKTREE FELLOWSHIP:**  
Carl P. 19 yrs, Steve K. 19 yrs,  
Ron B. 18 yrs, Gail S. 15 yrs,  
Renee 11 yrs, Carson W. 9 yrs,  
Debra C. 7 yrs, Nancy W. 6 yrs,  
David C. 4 yrs, Robert J. 4 yrs

**RIO LINDA GROUP:**  
Jennifer C. 7 yrs, Linda R. 4 yrs, Jackie  
S. 3 yrs, Lloyd D. 4 yrs,  
Dan M. 3 yrs, Brad A. 2 yrs

**ROSEVILLE MONDAY NIGHT GROUP:**  
Doug B. 20 yrs, Alan F. 15 yrs

**SHARING AND CARING:**  
Mike B. 22 yrs, Jim W. 20 yrs,  
Dona W. 20 yrs, Robert L 12 yrs, Chuck  
T. 12 yrs, Tom P. 9 yrs,  
Tracy P. 8 yrs, Reanna W. 4 yrs,  
Heather P. 4 yrs, Jan M. 3 yrs,  
Derek D. 3 yrs, Katie M. 3 yrs,  
Rex A. 2 yrs, Pike S. 2 yrs,  
Danika M. 2 yrs, Jill M. 2 yrs,  
James H. 2 yrs, Kim S. 2 yrs,  
Jesse G. 1 yr, Kate G. 1 yr,  
Kaitlin T. 1 yr, Nancy T. 1 yr,  
Don T. 1 yr, George S. 1 yr,  
Michael J. 1 yr, Clint L. 1 yr



**TRADITIONAL GROUP:**  
Dottie B. 47 yrs, Jessie P. 45 yrs,  
Mary A. 31 yrs, Howard H. 26 yrs, Craig  
W. 21 yrs, Chris K. 21 yrs, Richard W.  
20 yrs,  
Charlene W. 20 yrs, Alison B. 19 yrs,  
Kristin F. 17 yrs, Bob C. 17 yrs,  
Rob R. 17 yrs, June M. 14 yrs,  
Darren L. 13 yrs, Stacey b. 13 yrs,  
Ken B. 11 yrs, Roger R. 10 yrs,  
Robert A. 9 yrs, Lawrence G. 7 yrs, Tess  
L. 7 yrs, Valerie R. 6 yrs, Valentine T. 6  
yrs, Tim C. 5 yrs,  
Nick S. 4 yrs, Tammy M. 4 yrs, Michael  
E. 3 yrs, Raymond L. 2 yrs, Shery B. 2  
yrs, Cynthia N. 2 yrs, Heather K. 2 yrs,  
Maggie M. 1 yr,  
Dan B. 1 yr, Richard W. 1 yr,  
Joe G. 1 yr, Mark R. 1 yr, Paul M. 1 yr,  
Lisa M. 1 yr

**WHAT A WAY TO START A  
WEEKEND:** Christine L. 27 yrs,  
Maureen 21 yrs, Charlene 20 yrs,  
Kitty P. 15 yrs, Ali D. 9 yrs

**WINTERS KITCHEN TABLE GROUP:**  
Ann B. 37 yrs, Lee P. 33yrs,  
Lawren B. 24 yrs, Mel T. 20 yrs,  
Jan M. 9 yrs, Dan C. 7 yrs,  
Rick R. 5 yrs

**LATE SUBMISSIONS:**  
**BY THE GRACE:**  
November Claudia S. 27 yrs

**CORDOVA SERENITY SEEKERS:**  
November Marge S. 42 yrs,  
Elizabeth R. 23 yrs  
December Ken D. 33 yrs

**GROUP THREE: December**  
Leslie A. 29 yrs, Pat A. 28 yrs,  
Jesse E. 26 yrs, Everett C. 25 yrs,  
Ed W. 25 yrs, Denise C. 24 yrs,  
Andy B. 23 yrs, Janet H. 23 yrs, Pamela  
B. 23 yrs, Mel P. 22 yrs,  
Jorge H. 22 yrs, Harold M. 22 yrs,  
Ron S. 21 yrs, Cathy S. 20 yrs, Bridgette  
B. 18 yrs, Steven T. 18 yrs, Robert M. 18  
yrs, Maureen K. 18 yrs, John B. 17 yrs,  
Susan R. 17 yrs,  
Edie W. 16 yrs, Jimmie S. 16 yrs,  
Michael V. 14 yrs, Robert A. 14 yrs,  
Larry R. 14 yrs, Paul M. 13 yrs, Kimberly  
O. 13 yrs, Anthony L. 13 yrs, Elaine L.  
12 yrs, John E. 12 yrs,  
Gary R. 12 yrs, Joe N. 12 yrs,  
Naima C 12 yrs, Eileen M. 11 yrs,  
Sue Z. 11 yrs, Brian L. 11 yrs,  
Paul H. 11 yrs, Sandy R. 11 yrs,  
Rich P. 11 yrs, Charles R. 11 yrs,  
Mark R. 11 yrs, Eileen M. 11 yrs, Frank  
C. 10 yrs, Melodee V. 10 yrs, Laine S.  
10 yrs, Cheryl S. 10 yrs, Shirley J. 10  
yrs, Jack H. 10 yrs,  
Maria R. 10 yrs, Michael P. 10 yrs,



**LATE SUBMISSIONS:**

**GROUP THREE (cont'd):**

Connie R. 10 yrs, Roger R. 10 yrs,  
 Brandon R. 10 yrs, Tania S. 10 yrs, Mike  
 C. 10 yrs, Michael C. 9 yrs,  
 Jeff M. 9 yrs, Connie M. 9 yrs,  
 Lynn C. 9 yrs, Robert T. 9 yrs, Shannon  
 S. 9 yrs, Tami T. 9 yrs,  
 Tracy P. 9 yrs, Connie M. 9 yrs,  
 Josh K. 9 yrs, Bob C. 8 yrs,  
 Debbie B. 8 yrs, Philip H. 8 yrs,  
 Bud G. 8 yrs, Mike N. 8 yrs,  
 Ed O. 8 yrs, Charles S. 8 yrs,  
 Andy S. 8 yrs, Teresa V. 8 yrs,  
 Robert B. 8 yrs, Cindy J. 8 yrs,  
 Ricki A. 8 yrs, Al P. 7 yrs, Billy J. 7 yrs,  
 Justin M. 7 yrs, Abe C. 7 yrs,  
 Dana M. 7 yrs, Carlmon W. 7 yrs,  
 Charlene A. 7 yrs, Cindy W. 6 yrs, Rena  
 B. 6 yrs, Trudy H. 6 yrs,  
 John K. 6 yrs, Rosanne M. 6 yrs,  
 Thomas N. 6 yrs, Sally R. 6 yrs,  
 Jerry L. 5 yrs, Jocelyn J. 5 yrs,  
 Scarlett S. 5 yrs, Travis D. 5 yrs, Robert  
 C. 5 yrs, Clinton C. 5 yrs,  
 Starla B. 5 yrs, Verne W. 5 yrs, Amanda  
 R. 4 yrs, Theresa R. 4 yrs, Jenny M. 4  
 yrs, Matthew J. 4 yrs,  
 Tim H. 4 yrs, Thomas H. 4 yrs, Kimberly  
 E. 4 yrs, Brandie C. 4 yrs, Jeff C. 4 yrs,  
 Ruben R. 3 yrs,  
 Tim M. 3 yrs, Avette V. 3 yrs,  
 Shawn M. 3 yrs, Red H. 3 yrs,  
 Michael E. 3 yrs, Daniel L. 2 yrs,  
 Maria F. 2 yrs, Kimberly S. 2 yrs,  
 Suzy H. 2 yrs, James S. 2 yrs,  
 Jason F. 2 yrs, Cheryle S. 1 yr, Jennifer  
 E. 1 yr, Mark D. 1 yr,  
 John C. 1 yr.

**LATE SUBMISSIONS**

**JUST RIGHT GROUP:**

Diane S. 26 yrs

**ROSEVILLE TUESDAY NIGHT**

**GROUP:** Ed K. 41 yrs, Lois S. 32 yrs,  
 Ted L. 32 yrs, Betty M. 26 yrs,  
 Linda G. 26 yrs, Connie F. 21 yrs,  
 Yvonne G. 20 yrs, Wendell 19 yrs,  
 Suzanne L. 18 yrs, Frank C. 17 yrs,  
 Priscilla C. 16 yrs, Geri G. 16 yrs,  
 John Q. 14 yrs, Joe V. 14 yrs,  
 Chris L. 13 yrs, Jeff S. 12 yrs,  
 Ruth P. 10 yrs, Dave C. 8 yrs,  
 Adam C. 8 yrs, Julie W. 5 yrs,  
 Mike F. 5 yrs, Aaron A. 4 yrs,  
 Bill G. 4 yrs, Randy C. 4 yrs,  
 Karen S. 4 yrs, Brian M. 4 yrs,  
 Marilyn K. 3 yrs, Melissa B. 3 yrs, Eliony  
 W. 3 yrs, Chris F. 3 yrs,  
 Tim L. 3 yrs, Jacque G. 3 yrs,  
 Cecilia W. 3 yrs, Mary R. 3 yrs,  
 Richard C. 3 yrs, Nancy P. 2 yrs,  
 Vicki T. 2 yrs, Doc 2 yrs, Rob S. 2 yrs,  
 Janet C. 1 yr, Gary J. 1 yr,  
 Alice B. 1 yr, Trisha M. 1 yr,

**WOODLAND TRADITIONAL GROUP:**

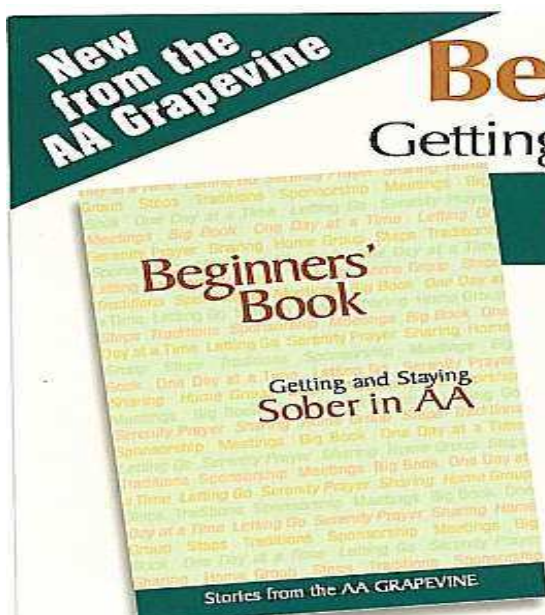
Millie C. 20 yrs, Tim Mc. 1 yr,  
 Lisa B. 1 yr, Patrick Mc. 1 yrs,  
 Althea B. 1 yr



**We are having a lot of groups with late submissions. Please be advised that late submissions will be posted in the next month's edition of BTW. We have posted exact dates of submission deadlines in the master calendar and on the website for your convenience.**



**Book-Of-The-Month Club Selection**



**Beginners' Book**  
 Getting and Staying Sober in AA

*A new life has been given us...  
 a "design for living" that really works.*  
 – Alcoholics Anonymous, Page 28

In this collection of AA Grapevine stories, AA members share what helped them get sober and handle their new lives of recovery.

Full of useful suggestions, insights, and solutions to problems common to the newly sober, this book provides solid tools for recovery. Plus the experience, strength and hope of AA members going forward to find a life full of vitality and joy.

**To read a sample selection, go to [www.aagrapevine.org](http://www.aagrapevine.org)**

The AA Grapevine does not accept group contributions. It is self-supporting through the sale of magazine subscriptions and Grapevine items.

## I. Opening

A. Call to Order at 2:00 pm  
D. 7th Tradition \$56.00

B. Open with Serenity Prayer  
E. Delegate Check-in/Group Announcements

C. Traditions Read  
F. Birthday Total Years – N/A

## II. Preliminary Business:

## A. Delegate and visitor Check-in: total delegates = 42

Group Name	Delegate Name	Last attended
12 Traditions/12 Concepts Study	Absent	08/16/08
4 <sup>th</sup> Dimension	Absent	04/19/08
AA Unity Group	Vince S.	11/15/08
<b>Action Gets It Going</b>	<b>Nancy McO.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
ACYPAA	Absent	05/17/08
<b>Auburn Beginner's Group</b>	<b>Eva K.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Auburn Fellowship	Absent	07/19/08
<b>Auburn Wed Night Y P's Group</b>	<b>Trish P.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Auburn Women's Step Study GR</b>	<b>Trish P.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Bill's Friend's Fellowship	Brian V.	11/15/08
<b>By The Grace</b>	<b>Cheryl W.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Capital City Men's Group	Absent	01/19/08
<b>Citrus Heights Group</b>	<b>Terry S.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Come As You Are Group	Absent	12/15/07
<b>Cordova Friday Night Group</b>	<b>Mike R.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Cordova Serenity Seekers	Absent	09/20/08
Daily Attitude Adjustment- Fair Oaks	Absent	09/20/08
<b>Destiny Group</b>	<b>Mike McF.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Dry Dock Group	Absent	08/16/08
<b>Downtown Young People's</b>	<b>Domenica</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
East Yolo FWP	Absent	10/18/08
<b>Elk Grove FWP</b>	<b>Greg A.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Elk Grove Group</b>	<b>Robert S.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Fair Oaks Monday Night</b>	<b>Chris C.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Fit For Life	Absent	09/20/08
<b>Folsom Big Book</b>	<b>Debra D.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Folsom Friday Night Group</b>	<b>Lee P.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Folsom Saturday Morning Group</b>	<b>Michael S.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Folsom Way Of Life</b>	<b>Mary R.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Free Our Minds	Absent.	10/18/08
Friday Night Book Study	Absent	09/20/08
<b>Friday Night Family Group Of AA</b>	<b>Ray L.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Galt Fellowship	Absent.	10/18/08
Gibbons Noon	Absent	04/19/08
<b>Greenhaven Group</b>	<b>Pamela L.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Grounded In Recovery	Absent	07/19/08
<b>Group one</b>	<b>Russ C.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Group Three</b>	<b>Leslie M.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Happy Campers	Absent	09/20/08
<b>Hope &amp; Serenity Spkr Mtg</b>	<b>Cliff O.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Keep It Simple</b>	<b>Richard K..</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Mad @ Kenneth Group	Absent	02/16/08
Midtown Solutions	Absent	10/18/08
<b>Monday PM Women Group</b>	<b>Maurine B.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Natomas Group</b>	<b>Christine H.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Never On Tuesday	Absent	02/16/08
<b>New Hope Group</b>	<b>Michael K.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>No Legs Just Steps Group</b>	<b>Ron M.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>

Group Name	Delegate Name	Last attended
<b>North Auburn Group</b>	<b>Mike O.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
North Hall Group	Absent	09/20/08
<b>North Highlands Fireside Group</b>	<b>Melanie</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
North Sacramento Group	Absent	07/19/08
<b>Oak Park Fellowship</b>	<b>Cindy C.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Oak Tree Group</b>	<b>Karen J.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Orangevale Open Group</b>	<b>Mike H.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Other Meeting, The	Absent.	09/20/08
<b>Rebellion Dogs</b>	<b>Eric H.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Recovery Plain and Simple	Absent	05/17/08
<b>Rio Linda Fellowship</b>	<b>Cliff O.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Roseville Fifth Street Fellowship	Absent.	10/18/08
<b>Roseville Tuesday Night Group</b>	<b>June M.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Roseville Twelve and Twelve BS</b>	<b>Peggy R.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Saturday Morning Reflections	Absent	08/16/08
<b>SACYPAA</b>	<b>Jonathan B.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Serenity Book And Study Group	Absent	09/20/08
<b>Sharing And Caring Group</b>	<b>James T.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Simply AA</b>	<b>Karen Y.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Sisters in Sobriety	Absent	03/15/08
<b>Sixty Minute Solution</b>	<b>Matt N.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Solutions Weekend group</b>	<b>June M.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Southport Serenity</b>	<b>Deborah D.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Spiritually Speaking</b>	<b>Lynn S.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Spring Fling Group	Absent	02/16/08
Step Two Men's Group	Absent	05/17/08
<b>Students Of Sobriety</b>	<b>David L.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Sunday Night Men's Meeting	Absent	05/17/08
Sunday Reflections	Absent	07/15/06
Sunset Saturday 11:30	Absent	10/18/08
Sunset Wed. Women's	Absent	02/16/08
Thank God It's Smoke Free Men's	Absent	10/18/08
Thank You, Thank You, Thank You	Absent	03/15/08
The Welcome Group	Absent	09/20/08
<b>Too Young Group</b>	<b>Scott O.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Traditional Group</b>	<b>Ida L.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
<b>Traditions &amp; Concepts Study Group</b>	<b>Jonathan C.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
Tuesday Night Beginners Group	Absent	03/15/08
Tuesday Night Gibbons	Absent	02/16/08
Twelve Bridges Destiny	Absent	02/17/07
Twelve Bridges Step Study	Absent	04/21/07
<b>What A Way Women's Weekend Group</b>	<b>Kathy K.</b>	<b>11/15/08</b>
White Flag Men's Group	Absent	06/21/08
Women For Women Fair Oaks Group	Absent	07/19/08

## B. Quorum: Met – 42

**C. Attending Elected Positions:**

CCFAA Chairperson: Steve B. Present	Asst. Chairperson: John Q. Present	Tele-Service Chair Present
Recording Secretary: Darlene O. Present	OOB Chairperson: Mike K. Present	Treasurer: Ray L. Present
OOB Member: Lee P. Present	PI/CPC Chairperson Chuck Present	OOB Member: Terry S. Present
By Laws & Procedures Chairperson: Bill D Present	OOB Member: Brian B. Present	NCAA Delegate: June M. Present
Special Needs Chairperson: Karen Y. Present	H&I Kimberly: Absent	Birthday Chairperson: Christine Present
	Picnic Chairperson: Diane H. Present	

**III. Approval of Minutes** – Tabled until December due to election of Trusted Servants.

**IV. Approval of New groups:** No New Groups.

**V. Reports of Trusted Servants:** There are no reports this month due to the elections.

**VI. Reports Special Committees, Delegates, Liaison & Invited Guests**—None due to elections.

**VII. Old Business:**

**VOTE ON A BUDGET** : Per Operating Procedures 14.9.5 – A simple majority of the voting Delegates is required for passage of the budget.

Voting results are as follows:

- 17 For Budget
- 14 Against Budget
- 1 Abstention

The budget passed by the simple majority required.

**VIII. New Business**—Elections of 2009 Trusted Servants. Results as listed:

**ELECTION RESULTS: 2009 TRUSTED SERVANTS**

CHAIRPERSON	STEVE B.
ASSISTANT CHAIRPERSON/CNIA LIAISON	JOHN Q.
TREASURER	RAY L.
RECORDING SECRETARY	DARLENE O.
OPERATIONS COMMITTEE DELEGATE	KAREN Y.
OPERATIONS COMMITTEE DELEGATE	MARY R.
BY-LAWS PROCEDURES CHAIRPERSON	CINDY C.
FAITHFULL FIVERS/BIRTHDAY CLUB	NANCY M.
PI/PCP CHAIRPERSON	CHUCK H.
SPECIAL CHAIRPERSON	LYNN S.
NORTHERN CA COUNCIL DELEGATE	DIANE H.

Thank you to the Election Committee: Paul S., Betty K., Steve B., and Tim.

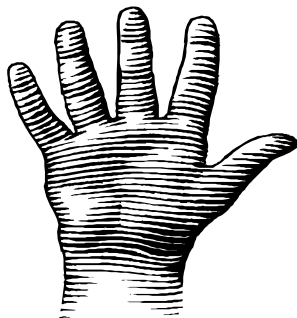
A **“Thank You”** to all outgoing Trusted Servants for their dedication this last year.

**IX. Closing**—The meeting closed at 5:00PM with the Lord's Prayer.

--Respectfully submitted, Darlene O.

# Faithful Fivers

94 members as of 10/30/08



I am responsible. When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there. And for that: **I am responsible.**

**Be a Faithful Fiver**

A regular monthly donation is all it takes.

- Register with the Central Office as a Faithful Fiver member so you receive a charitable contribution receipt at the end of the year. You can donate any of the following ways:

▪Mail a check every month to:  
CCFAA Faithful Fivers,  
9960 Business Park Dr., Ste. 110,  
Sacramento, CA 95827

**OR**

- Bring a check or cash into the office

**OR**

- **THE PREFERRED METHOD:** Use your online banking bill pay to set up a recurring payment. Payee: “CCFAA Faithful Fivers” Central Office address, as above; Account #: “your name”.

## REGISTER TO PLEDGE YOUR SUPPORT

Please fill in and return with your first contribution to:

CCFAA Central Office  
Faithful Fivers  
9960 Business Park Dr., Ste. 110  
Sacramento, CA 95827

Or e-mail to:  
centraloffice@asacramento.org

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

May we acknowledge you as a new member of the Faithful Fivers in our next issue of By The Way? (Mark box for yes, we use first names and last initials only.)



## TREASURER'S REPORT OCTOBER 2008

			October 2008	Oct 08	Jan-Oct 08	Prorated Budget	Budget
1	Ordinary Income/Expense						
2	Income						
3	4020 - AAWS Literature Sales			6,848.02	70,144.98	76,250.00	91,500.00
4	4025 - In-House Publication Sales			1,382.66	15,196.77	16,666.67	20,000.00
5	4100 - Group Contributions			8,774.59	76,541.84	84,166.67	101,000.00
6	4110 - Anonymous Contributions			0.81	641.81	2,500.00	3,000.00
7	4120 - Birthday Contributions			134.00	2,104.00	1,666.67	2,000.00
8	4125 - Postage & Delivery Income	Office Services Revenue		513.00	4,013.00	2,416.67	2,900.00
9	4130 - Faithful Fivers			700.00	7,588.00	0.00	0.00
10	4440 - Interest Income			135.43	1,507.53	1,666.67	2,000.00
11	4460 - Picnic Revenue			0.00	10,999.66	7,083.33	8,500.00
	4480 - Special Events Revenue			3,741.00	4,599.00	0.00	0.00
12	Total Income			22,229.51	193,336.59	192,416.67	230,900.00
13	Cost of Goods Sold						
14	5000 - Literature Costs						
15	5010 - Cost of AAWS Literature Sold			4,887.22	50,412.93	54,166.67	65,000.00
16	Literature Costs/Adjustment			66.00	-594.89	166.67	\$200.00
17	Total 5010 - AAWS Literature			4,953.22	49,818.04	54,333.33	65,200.00
18	5025 - In-House Publication						
19	5030 - Paper Stock & Staples			997.42	4,321.98	3,083.33	3,700.00
20	5035 - Printing Equipment			788.05	4,884.17	3,750.00	4,500.00
21	5040 - Copy costs			545.63	5,006.78	6,250.00	7,500.00
22	Total 5025 - In-House Publication			2,331.10	14,212.93	13,083.33	15,700.00
23	Net Income - 5025 In-House Publication			-948.44	983.84	3,583.33	4,300.00
24	Total Cost Of Goods Sold			7,284.32	64,030.97	67,416.67	80,900.00
25	Gross Profit			14,945.19	129,305.62	125,000.00	150,000.00
26							
27	Expense						
28	Equipment Expense						
29	5670 - Equipment Rental			190.78	551.17	604.17	725.00
30	5765 - Equipment Repairs & Maint.			0.00	621.50	2,233.33	2,680.00
31	5675 - Equipment Purchase			0.00	1,368.24	833.33	1,000.00
32	Total Equipment Expense			190.78	2,540.91	3,670.83	4,405.00
33	Insurance						
34	5680 - Worker's Compensation			0.00	506.33	833.33	1,000.00
35	5684 - D & O Insurance			0.00	1,002.00	1,250.00	1,500.00
36	5685 - General Liability			0.00	795.00	1,250.00	1,500.00
37	Total Insurance			0.00	2,303.33	3,333.33	4,000.00
38	Meetings/Conference Expense						
39	5620 - Manager Training			70.79	410.87	458.33	550.00
40	5655 - Delegates Meeting			0.00	0.00	416.67	500.00
41	5785 - Employee Travel			120.00	908.78	833.33	1,000.00
42	Total Meetings/Conference Expense			190.79	1,319.65	1,708.33	2,050.00

## CCFAA Delegate's Meeting Minutes – November 15, 2008 (cont'd)

	<b>Office Expense</b>				
	5640 · Postage & Delivery	74.58	2,177.15	2,916.67	3,500.00
	5650 - Licenses & Permits	0.00	200.00		
	5700 · Office Supplies	680.95	2,413.75	1,250.00	1,500.00
	5710 - Moving Expenses	0.00	7,909.12	0.00	0.00
	5720 · Occupancy Improvement	0.00	2,072.23	1,666.67	2,000.00
	5740 · Miscellaneous Expense	0.00	537.43	416.67	500.00
	5760 · Rent	<b>866.00</b>	13,274.00	12,916.67	15,500.00
	5770 - Office/Network Software	0.00	626.89	416.67	500.00
	<b>Total Office Expense</b>	<b>1,621.53</b>	<b>29,210.57</b>	<b>19,583.33</b>	<b>23,500.00</b>
	<b>Utilities - 5770</b>				
	5782 · Garbage	0.00	822.09	833.33	1,000.00
	5790 · Gas & Electric	220.04	2,935.89	2,500.00	3,000.00
	5790 - Telephone	300.86	3,266.75	3,166.67	3,800.00
	5792 · Website Hosting	0.00	95.40	125.00	150.00
	5796 - Security System	0.00	107.97	0.00	0.00
	<b>Total 5770 Utilities</b>	<b>520.90</b>	<b>7,228.10</b>	<b>6,625.00</b>	<b>7,950.00</b>
	<b>Other Committees - 6200</b>				
	5990 - Picnic Committee	0.00	4,260.37	3,750.00	4,500.00
	6210 - PI/CPC Expense	202.50	3,222.14	1,666.67	2,000.00
	6220 - Special Needs Committee	0.00	0.00	125.00	150.00
	6230 - Teleservice Committee	0.00	51.35	125.00	150.00
	<b>Total Other Committees</b>	<b>202.50</b>	<b>7,533.86</b>	<b>5,666.67</b>	<b>6,800.00</b>
	<b>Professional Fees</b>				
	5610 · Accounting	105.00	1,185.00	2,083.33	2,500.00
	5625 - Website Admin	0.00	500.00	2,500.00	3,000.00
	5630 - Network Admin	400.00	1,600.00	800.00	960.00
	5645 - Office Admin	0.00	654.00	4,000.00	4,800.00
	<b>Total Professional Fees</b>	<b>505.00</b>	<b>3,939.00</b>	<b>9,383.33</b>	<b>11,260.00</b>
	<b>Payroll Expenses - 5400</b>				
	5410 · Management Salary	3,842.50	33,386.21	38,425.00	46,110.00
	5415 · Clerical Wages	3,025.25	34,532.58	22,962.50	27,555.00
	5416 · Payroll Tax Expense	670.53	6,825.23	6,666.67	8,000.00
	5470 - Retirement Benefits	150.00	300.00	1,500.00	1,800.00
	5681 · Healthcare Benefits	325.00	3,025.00	5,250.00	6,300.00
	<b>Total 5400 · Payroll Expenses</b>	<b>8,013.28</b>	<b>78,069.02</b>	<b>74,804.17</b>	<b>89,765.00</b>
	<b>Bad Debt Expense - 5686</b>	<b>-0.01</b>	<b>-0.01</b>	<b>166.67</b>	<b>200.00</b>
	<b>Credit Card Fees - 5695</b>	<b>75.15</b>	<b>428.94</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>
	<b>Bank Charges - 5690</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>32.72</b>	<b>58.33</b>	<b>70.00</b>
	<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>11,319.92</b>	<b>132,606.09</b>	<b>125,000.00</b>	<b>150,000.00</b>
	<b>Net Income</b>	<b>3,625.27</b>	<b>-3,300.47</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>

*"For me, AA is a synthesis of all the philosophy I've ever read, all of the positive, good philosophy, all of it based on love. I have seen that there is only one law, the law of love, and there are only two sins; the first is to interfere with the growth of another human being, and the second is to interfere with one's own growth. I stood off and took a long look at life and the values I found in it: I saw a paradox that he who loses his life does indeed find it. The more you give, the more you get. The less you think of yourself the more of a person you become." © 2003 AAWS, Experience, Strength and Hope, p. 431*

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**Edmonton Intergroup Manager's Seminar**

At the end of September I had the privilege of attending the 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Intergroup/Central Office AAWS Seminar. "The purpose of these yearly seminars is to foster greater unity among AA members, groups, areas, regions and service boards through the exchange of ideas and experiences and to provide an opportunity for attendees to discuss relevant AA and central office operations." In essence, it is a continuation of the three legacies of unity, service and recovery at the level of special workers and service boards.

The seminar was excellent training in intergroup/central office operations. In no other way can I imagine getting the help or guidance that I needed. I came into this position at Central Office without the benefit of a transition period. The former and interim office managers were gone and I was left to extract the information from part-time staff, volunteers and a totally new OOC and Delegate Chairperson. Add to the experience a do-it-yourself move and personnel changes and you will have a glimmer of an insight into just how *special* this work has been.

Attending this conference was a lifeline for me. I tapped into a wellspring of support and experience. Although not as well attended as past years (so I am told), I was able to meet with other managers and trusted servants, attend workshops and participate in discussion groups. And, I had the opportunity to meet with the former Office Manager who shared her experience, strength and hope. She was most generous with her time and sharing and I am most grateful. There's more—if you have ever had the opportunity to spend some time with Beverly C., you know I got to laugh a lot! The humor was welcomed.

I attended workshops on:

- Contributions
- Office Procedures
- Volunteers
- Links to Outside Agencies
- Cooperation with Service Committees
- Newsletters

I was just amazed at how many different ways the same task could be performed within AA. Each region or area has a slightly different twist to carrying the message and they all work well. I heard many wonderful ideas and gathered lots of printed information that may well be of use to CCFAA in serving the groups within this fellowship and improving our 12-Step work. I'll share more with you as time allows.

The Chairman of the Board of AA was present to let us know what is new in AA's world. We also got updates from GSO Office Manager, Greg Muth and Grapevine Board Controller, Eugene O'Brien. We learned that there will be an historic turnover on the General Service Board: 6 of the 9 Board members will be rotating out. GSO has entered into another 10-year lease for the location on Riverside and renovations are in the works for archival vaults and other green energy measures. The Grapevine is being re-designed and GV will be giving central offices postcard displays of GV literature for the bookstores. We have been told to expect increases in the prices of AAWS and GV literature for 2009.

One of the ideas that I picked up at the seminar was the use of intergroup/central office information brochures. Many Intergroups publish and distribute informative brochures to let local AA's know what services the office provides for the fellowship and for the still suffering alcoholics. I think it is good to let newcomers (and those who have been around and don't know) what central office is and is not, and what services central office provides. We hope to have that brochure out for the first of the new year.

At the end of the seminar I felt a wonderful sense of renewal. I did not know that I was so spiritually undernourished until I was able to be in a supportive environment with people who understood what my day was like. It was a priceless gift to be with people who focused on solutions-*and*, with a great deal of humor and fellowship. And all is well.

Rae W.  
Central Office Manager

**Group Contributions November 2008**

	Gp No	NOV	YTD
AA UNITY GP	10480		793.31
AA WOMEN'S STEP STUDY (AUBURN)	11361		25.00
ACTION GETS IT GOING	10480	44.20	102.50
ALL TRIBES GROUP	10483		30.00
ALMOST FOLSOM SATURDAY AA	10079		45.00
ARDEN MORSE GROUP	10004		350.00
AS BILL SEES IT MENS DAVIS	10397		45.00
AS BILL SEES IT ORANGEVALE	11106	200.00	497.75
AS BILL SEES IT PLACERVILLE	10314		21.00
ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT DAVIS	10547		452.06
AUBURN DRY DIGGINS	10005		50.00
AUBURN FWP	10006	30.00	330.00
AUBURN OVER 50 GROUP	10010		304.00
AUBURN WEDNESDAY Y P	11514		155.43
BEEN THERE DONE THAT	10636		428.10
BIG BOOK BASICS	11393		109.90
BIG TIME SOBRIETY	10335		25.00
BROWNSVILLE SERENITY GRP	11536		35.00
CAMERON PARK GROUP	10019		75.00
CAMERON PARK WOMEN'S GROUP	10372		4.82
CAPITOL CITY MEN'S GROUP	11251		663.38
CATHEDRAL GROUP	10022		1,205.00
CENACLE GROUP	11356		160.00
CITRUS HEIGHTS AA@NOON	10467		160.00
CITRUS HEIGHTS GROUP	10034	27.65	178.16
CLARKSBURG MEETING	10531		1,600.00
COLFAX FRIENDS OF BILL	11058		235.50
COME AS YOU ARE GROUP	10615		943.00
CORDOVA BIG BOOK STUDY	10045		150.00
CORDOVA K.I.S.S. GROUP	10042		149.37
CORDOVA LUNCH BUNCH	10591	40.00	420.00
CORDOVA ROAD TO FREEDOM	10590		303.80
CORDOVA SATURDAY NIGHT	10679		25.00
CORDOVA SERENITY SEEKERS	10352		178.20
COURAGE TO CHANGE	10053		232.50
DAILY ATTITUDE ADJ. - FAIR OAKS	10381	615.41	4,254.62
DAILY DIRECTION AA	11276		150.00
DAVIS FRIDAY NOON GROUP	10351	100.00	500.00
DAVIS HOPE GROUP	10054		200.00
DESTINY GROUP	11313		240.00
DISTRICT 27			0.55
DIXON DRY DOCKS	10530		125.00
DIXON NO NAMES GROUP	10057		97.50
DOBBS'S WILD BUNCH	10058		70.00
EAST YOLO FELLOWSHIP	10063		505.00
ELK GROVE CAME TO BELIEVE GRP	10016		750.00
ELK GROVE FELLOWSHIP	10673	271.46	1,469.11
ELK GROVE GROUP	10434		588.00
ELK GROVE POA WOMEN'S	10496		266.23

ELK GROVE SOBRIETY SISTERS	11199		197.23
ESPEE FELLOWSHIP	10064		20.00
FAIR OAKS BEGINNERS	10072		151.68
FAIR OAKS MONDAY	10344		52.00
FAIR OAKS VILLAGE GROUP	15054		250.00
FIFTH & L GROUP	11043		375.00
FIRST THINGS FIRST	10365		240.34
FIT FOR LIFE	10330		731.73
FLYING BLIND BIG BOOK STUDY	11479		360.00
FOLSOM BIG BOOK	10545		2,082.40
FOLSOM FRIDAY NIGHT	10501		1,126.69
FOLSOM NOON NEW LIFE	10517		200.00
FOLSOM SATURDAY MORNING MTG	10607		440.00
FOLSOM TUESDAY NIGHT MEN'S	10371		476.97
FOLSOM WAY OF LIFE	10557		1,200.00
FOLSOM WEDNESDAY NIGHT GROUP	10078		206.84
FOLSOM YOUNG PEOPLE	10624		196.82
FOURTH DIMENSION GROUP	11013		545.83
FOX HALL (YUBA CITY)	10311		40.00
FREEDOM GROUP	10083		135.42
FRIDAY NIGHT AA MEETING - CARM.	10623		50.00
FRIDAY NIGHT DOUBLE A GROUP	10288		279.25
FRIDAY NITE FAMILY GROUP AA	10655		200.00
FRUITVALE GROUP	10526		165.52
GALT FELLOWSHIP	10090		1,000.00
GIBBONS NOON	10668		544.15
GRANITE BAY/LAKESIDE	10097		150.00
GREENHAVEN GROUP	10109		1,359.26
GROUP ONE	10111		90.00
GROUP THREE	10112		1,695.86
HAPPY CAMPERS	10457		138.00
HAPPY DESTINY	11065		179.02
HAPPY HOUR RANCHO GROUP	11024	100.00	400.00
HELPING HANDS	10671		265.42
HIGH FLYERS	10476		325.00
HOLY SMOKELESS	10115		130.00
IN ALL OUR AFFAIRS	10396		510.00
INTO ACTION	10533		200.00
JUST AA	11622		52.05
KEEP IT SIMPLE SPIRITUALLY	11107		630.00
KEEP IT SIMPLE, ELK GROVE	11348		66.60
LINCOLN HILLS GROUP	11338	87.00	163.00
LINCOLN THURSDAY NIGHT GP	10539	55.31	400.13
LIVING SOBER WOMEN - FRIDAY	10345		196.00
LOOMIS FELLOWSHIP	10132		340.00
LOOMIS WED BIG BOOK STUDY	10681		60.00
LOOMIS WOMEN'S STEP STUDY	11069		180.00
MAD @ KENNETH GROUP	10683		146.98
MARYSVILLE SERENITY GP	10142		50.00
MEN AT WORK	11016		80.00
MONDAY NIGHT WOMEN'S STEP STUDY	10159		225.00
MONDAY PM WOMENS (GIBBONS)	10118		289.17
MORE WILL BE REVEALED	11629		156.25

MOTHERLODE FELLOWSHIP	10186		200.00
MYSTIC CHIX	10635		309.02
NATOMAS GROUP	10411		358.93
NEVER ON TUESDAY	10653		1,515.00
NEW HOPE GROUP	10172		963.10
NORTH AUBURN GROUP	10656	10.00	62.02
NORTH HALL GROUP	10177	472.97	803.71
NORTH HIGHLANDS FIRESIDE GP	10166		57.99
NORTHERN CA WOMAN TO WOMAN	11168		850.00
OAK TREE GROUP	10180		2,292.52
OLD TIME VALUES	11627		83.99
ONE DAY AT A TIME GROUP	10387		190.00
ORANGEVALE OPEN	10182		193.00
ORANGEVALE SIXTY MINUTE GP	10490		500.00
PATHWAY TO SPIRITUALITY	10191		99.26
PHOENIX FWP	10193		460.00
PINE GROVE FELLOWSHIP	10651		10.00
PLACERVILLE HANGTOWN GROUP	10198		96.00
PROMISES GROUP - DIXON	11510		90.00
RAILROAD FLAT AA GROUP	11077		5.00
RANCHERIA FELLOWSHIP	11555		165.20
RANCHO MURIETA GROUP	10609		1,630.43
RECOVERY PLAIN AND SIMPLE	11609		25.00
REBELLION DOGS	10363		493.46
RIO LINDA FELLOWSHIP	10203		50.00
RIVER PARK RECOVERY	10553		405.00
RIVER PINES AA	10955		20.00
ROCKLIN FWP	10677	50.00	500.00
ROCKLIN RACETRACK GP	10436		100.00
ROLOFF TO RECOVERY MEN'S	10435		120.00
ROSEVILLE 5TH STREET FWP	10465		120.00
ROSEVILLE MONDAY NITE FWP	10208	100.00	300.00
ROSEVILLE TUESDAY NIGHT	10215		4,901.60
ROSEVILLE TUESDAY NIGHT 12&12	10646	180.00	569.18
ROUND TABLE GROUP	10217	50.00	85.00
RULE 62	11083		500.00
SACRAMENTO DOWNTOWN MEN	10640		393.38
SACRAMENTO MONTHLY SPEAKER	15028	600.00	600.00
SATURDAY E.D.I.	10527		546.43
SATURDAY MORNING REFLECTIONS GRP	11110		568.85
SECOND CHANCE GROUP	10494		600.00
SERENDIPITY AS BILL SEES IT	11111		255.00
SERENITY BOOK & STEP STUDY	10613	100.00	760.00
SERENITY LUNCH GROUP	10233		100.00
SHARING & CARING FWP	10222		167.00
SIERRA PINES	10687		404.40
SIERRA STEP SISTERS	10678		96.64
SIERRA WEDNESDAY AM GP	10224		25.14
SIMPLY AA	11335		67.53
SISTERS OF SOBRIETY	10665		190.00
SIXTY MINUTE SOLUTION GROUP	10500	64.83	909.68
SOBRIETY SPEAKS	11567	100.00	400.00
SOUTHPORT SERENITY	10627		356.85

SPIRITUALLY SPEAKING GROUP	10238		320.80
STIX CHIX-PLACERVILLE	11630		190.40
STRAIGHT MEN'S GROUP	10259		2,000.00
SUNDAY MORNING SERENITY	10504		591.50
SUNDAY NIGHT MENS MEETING	10475		364.00
SUNDAY NIGHT RECOVERY HOUR	10261		1,256.00
SUNDAY REFLECTIONS	11362		107.00
SUNRISE SPEAKER MEETING	10262	60.56	619.90
SUNSET HAPPY HOUR WOMEN	10267		185.00
SUNSET SATURDAY	10266		300.00
SUNSET WEDNESDAY WOMEN 11AM	10273		468.00
THANK GOD IT'S SMOKE FREE	10487	30.52	296.58
THE OTHER MEETING	11526		20.00
THREE LEGACIES GROUP	10280		250.00
THURSDAY NIGHT MEN'S GROUP	10281		377.50
TIME TO START LIVING	11103		40.00
TOO YOUNG	10682		116.13
TRADITIONAL GROUP	10283	569.97	1,888.14
TRADITIONS & CONCEPTS MTG	11706	14.35	70.17
TUESDAY MIDTOWN GROUP	11515		298.46
TUESDAY NIGHT BEGINNERS	10459		40.51
TUESDAY NIGHT BYOB AUBURN	11640		77.89
TUESDAY NIGHT CARMICHAEL	10285		120.00
TUESDAY NIGHT GRP-PLYMOUTH	11327		25.00
TWELVE BRIDGES STEP STUDY	11543		223.46
TWELVE STEP TO SOBRIETY	10971	50.00	225.00
VALLEY SPRINGS FELLOWSHIP	11093		44.00
WE CAN FRIDAY NIGHT GP	10660		20.00
WE CARE GROUP	10293		200.00
WEDNESDAY NIGHT 12X12 BK STDY	11176		282.00
WEDNESDAY WOMEN'S STEP STUDY DAVIS	10067		22.20
WELCOME GROUP	11415		750.34
WHAT A WAY TO START A WKND	10296		381.50
WHITE FLAG MEN'S GROUP	10299		323.75
WILLING WOMEN	11469		479.54
WINTERS KITCHEN TABLE	10304		214.35
WOMAN FOR WOMAN	10227		100.00
WOMEN IN RECOVERY	11104	57.46	219.42
WOMEN ON WEDNESDAYS	11806	20.00	20.00
WOMEN UNDER CONSTRUCTION	10309		345.81
WOMEN'S CLOSE KNIT GROUP	10534		150.00
WOODLAND TRADITIONAL GROUP	10650	50.00	550.00
ZINFANDEL & CORDOVA LANE GROUP	11047	30.00	118.50
		<b>4,181.69</b>	<b>79,702.56</b>

*In Memoriam*  
 Hallie Rae Southworth passed away in November 2008 with 33 years of sobriety. In 1975, Hallie began a career as a drug and alcohol counselor. Hallie touched many lives in and out of the recovery community. She will be missed by friends, sponsees, and her home group, What A Way to Start A Weekend, in Fair Oaks.



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