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COVERING NEWS FOR SCTA OF COCAINE ANONYMOUS

San Antonio Austin Laredo The Valley Kerrville Cedar Park



PREAMBLE

Cocaine Anonymous is a fellowship of men and women who share their experience, strength and hope with each other that they may solve their common problem and help others to recover from their addiction. The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop using cocaine and all other mind-altering substances. There are no dues or fees for membership; we are fully self-supporting through our own contributions. We are not allied with any sect, denomination, politics, organization, or institution. We do not wish to engage in any controversy and we neither endorse nor oppose any causes. Our primary purpose is to stay free from cocaine and all other mind-altering substances, and to help others achieve the same freedom.

HOTLINE INFO



These phone numbers are available to anyone with questions about recovery. If you would like to be added to the hotline phone list, please contact:

hotline@ca-scta.org

San Antonio – (210) 232-6382

Kerrville - (830) 719-4889

Austin (512) 339-4357

The Valley (956) 255-2576

Laredo (956) 413-6588

GROUP DONATIONS

Area:

7th Tradition Properly Armed S.A. \$50 / Area
7th Tradition Area Meeting Cash \$50 / Area
7th Tradition Area Meeting Cashapp \$35 / Area
7th Tradition Primary Purpose Club 101 \$50 / Area
7th Tradition Keyon W \$50 / Area

H&I Donations:

No donations received.

CAWS 2023 Atlanta



37th Annual C.A. World Service Convention

May 25-29 2023

Atlanta Marriott Marquis

265 Peachtree Center Ave. NE

Atlanta, GA

Registration now open: https://caws2023.org/

AREA NOMINATIONS

Current nominations for area chairs:

Hot Line – Jennifer H
Public Information – Ira H., Scott, Jes

Chips & Literature – Charlie H. -- elected Hospitals & Institutions – Erich -- elected Structure and Bylaws – Bea -- elected Unity Chairpersons – Cory S. -- elected

Please visit www.ca-scta.org to view the Structure requirements.

We hope this is helpful and please consider stepping up for our area.

UNITY EVENTS

5th Annual C.A. Camping Trip

https://www.mountainbreezecamp.com

October 21st - 23rd

Free Camping, Pay RV Sites & Cabins

If you want cabin text Mark N 512-217-4725. cabins just have bed and AC Close to New Braunfels if you would want a nicer place to stay

\$\$\$ Treasure Hunt \$\$\$

This is a new feature of the newsletter. Somewhere, imbedded in the newsletter are two questions. The answers will be in one of the archived newsletter. If you find the answer, write it on an index card and be the first one to give it to the newsletter chair person at the area meeting. Two winners, \$10 each Happy Hunting!

SUBMISSIONS

Experience, Strength & Hope

World Convention Experience. Did it impact your life?

I'm humbly grateful to be alive and sober today thanks to a loving higher power, great sponsorship, and the beautiful message of Cocaine Anonymous carried through this wonderful fellowship to reach the suffering addict like myself. To see the marvelous work of the program and its promises being made manifest in my life by all those who've come before me carrying this message. I have found hope, faith, and courage amongst the chosen few. In honor of what I've been taught, I can't keep something if I don't give it away. In so doing I'll keep it simple and thank you in advance for reading. My name is Carlos G. I'm a recovered drug addict and alcoholic. My sobriety date is October 30, 2021. My home group is The 4th Dimension Group of CA in McAllen, Texas. My experience at this year's world convention begins with all the millions of little moments of serendipity and synchronicity combined to create the build-up to what would be one of the strongest family reunions I've ever been to with its poetic deep in the heart of Texas theme. Upon arriving Friday morning with members of my home group. Registration was a precursor to opening my eyes and heart to seeing the warmth and love that would continue to grow and flow through our stay. Our lanyards led to easy conversations that would soon be pinned for sharing at meetings. The hotel's ambiance and natural lighting set the stage for peaceful tranquility. Out in the open the one thing I was ashamed of being at one time an addict, was now worn with peace as more recovery would lead the way. Who was the newsletter chair in 2012? Attending workshops that spiritually strengthened me, to finding myself letting go and letting God. Trusting. Having the opportunity to chair meetings and watch my buddy chair his first ever meeting at worlds was awesome! To the intimate conversations had. To painfully falling asleep laughing with my brothers. This is to say it was well worth it. Every speaker had such a unique story to share. My life drastically changed in recovery for the better. I'm battling several things in my personal life, yet with the strength of my higher power and the desperation of a drowning man when I came into these rooms. When they say it gets better, it does, I could've never dreamt it this way. I'm looking forward to next year in Atlanta. Thanking everybody for the work they put into developing these events. If you're thinking about attending, please do. "We shall be with you in the Fellowship of the Spirit, and you will surely meet some of us as you trudge the Road of Happy Destiny." yours always 🙏

Carlos G.

Hello. My name is Ken. This was my first ever CA World Convention. I was so excited to go to this event. I really loved all of the events that were going on all over the place. Who was the Sunday morning speaker at the camping trip in Nov. 2019? Enjoyed the workshops that I got to attend. I enjoyed the short speaker meetings. I think those were a very cool addition if they were new. But since this was my first world convention I don't know if they ever did those before. I love the speaker meetings they were awesome, awesome people who came and spoke to eight or 900 of us however many were in that auditorium. I enjoyed the fellowship that went on in between everything and on and on into the small hours of the night in many cases. I got to meet new people I got to make new friends. I went to every single day from the very opening of the convention to the end of it. It was an experience I am never ever going to forget. Someone said this will change your life. I'm pretty sure it changed my life. I look forward to going to other conventions now. I think my next goal is to go to a regional convention. Ken M.

Experience, Strength & Hope Future Submissions Scan QR Code to Submit December Newsletter Theme:

We decided to ask folks about serenity, and what that means to them.



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UPCOMING C.A. EVENTS

Recovery in the Rockies Convention

Sept. 9-11 2022

Salt Lake City Downtown Marriott

Salt Lake City, UT

Florida Area C.A. Convention

Sept. 16-18 2022

Embassy Suites by Hilton Fort Lauderdale

1100 SE 17th St.

Fort Lauderdale, FL

Tennessee Area Cocaine Anonymous Convention

Sept. 30 – Oct. 2 2022

Marriott Hotel

5795 Poplar Ave.

Memphis, TN

C.A. Ireland 2022 Convention

Oct. 21-23 2022

Crowne Plaza Hotel

Blachardstown D15T1FD

Co. Dublin

28th Annual C.A. Midwest Regional Convention

Nov. 4-6 2022

The DoubleTree By Hilton

175 Hutchinson Ave.

Worthington, Ohio

Thus We Grow – CA European Regional Convention 2023

March 24-26 2023

Celtic Manor Resort

Newport, South Wales NP18 1HQ, UK