PIPELINE

COVERING NEWS FOR SCTA OF COCAINE ANONYMOUS

San Antonio Austin Laredo The Valley Kerrville Cedar Park Pflugerville



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 Donations:

Area Meeting 7th Tradition 1/21-\$87/Area
Sisters in Action SA 1/21-\$30/Area
Austin Step Sisters 1/21 - \$100/Area
Properly Armed SA 1/21 - \$65/Area
Through the Wringer SA 1/21 - \$50/Area
McAllen 4th Dimension 1/21 - \$25/Area
CA Area 7th Tradition 1/21 - \$31/Area
Liz T. 1/21 - \$40/Delegate Travel Fund

H&I Donations:

No Information Provided for this Newsletter Release

CAWS 2023 Atlanta



37th Annual C.A. World Service Convention

May 25-29, 2023

Atlanta Marriott Marquis

265 Peachtree Center Ave. NE

Atlanta, GA 30303

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

AREA ELECTIONS

Elections for Area Chairs:

Archivist: Liz T.

Vice Chairperson: Tammy L.

Treasurer: Matt M.

Chips & Literature: Charly H.

Internet: Kenyon W.

Newsletter: Ken M.

Alternate Delegate: Liz T.

Public Information: "Open" -- Nominee's: Kyle, Vanessa G., Scott H.

Archive Chair: "Open" - Nominee's: Ira H., Shane M. Alex A.

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

Celebrate Around the World



The purpose of Celebrate Around the World is to promote enthusiasm and unity within the fellowship of Cocaine Anonymous and financially support the fellowship's effort to carry the message of recovery and raise money to help send delegates to the World Conference." It is held on an annual basis, on the first Saturday in March. Please come join us on Saturday, March 4 at the Rio Vista Park Pavilion in San Marcos, 555 Cheatham Street. There will be a Fun Run at 9:00 AM, and the event after is from 10:30 AM - 2:30 AM. There will be plates of food for sale, games (bocce ball, volleyball, and giant jenga), 50/50 raffle, karaoke, and an auction.

For more information, see the flyer at ca-scta.org or call Jane B at 512-801-8010 In the spirit of Tradition 6, C.A. is not allied with any sect, denomination, politics, or institution.

The Austin-Karaoke Party

This will be the first C.A. event hosed in Austin since the World Convention. The event will be put on by our Austin fellowship and will feature food, karaoke, raffles and some soon-to-be-announced surprises. In Fall of 2021, how many nominations were there for area chairs? A committee meeting will be held to start laying the foundation for this event. We are hopeful to hold the Unity meeting after one of Austin's larger meetings to maximize participation in the planning of this event.

San Antonio Second Annual Fundraiser Drag Show



Last year's drag show raised over \$3,000 enough to send 126 newcomers to the C.A. World Convention. This year's will be a fundraiser to pay for the Camping Trip and the C.A. Ocean Party. This event will make it possible to pay for these two (2) events upfront. This will be Area event that will feature performers from our entire Area. In the spirit of Tradition 6, C.A. is not allied with any sect, denomination, politics, or institution.

Food, Fellowship, and an amazing show, we ae hopeful that this year's show will be the biggest indoor event of the year. In Fall 2019, how much did group donations total? We have set a date for Saturday April 1,2023. See attached flyer below for more details.

C. A. Ocean Party

This event will take place in Corpus Christi, Texas in late May or early June. The event will feature games, fire pit speaker, and food. This event maybe an overnight event. Future details TBA.

\$\$\$ 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 newsletters. If you find the answer, write it on an index card and be the first one to give it to the newsletter chairperson at the area meeting. Two winners, \$10 each Happy Hunting!

Submissions

Many people tend to associate Valentine's Day with the romantic love of a partner. It's been thought of as a sweet and harmonious day of the year, but for the everyday addict, this can be one of the worst times to deal with an emotion that many have given up on. Everybody just wants to love someone else, however, that doesn't mean that they don't want to be loved themself. Addictions happen to all classes of life. They are not supposed to be limited to one or the other because they can change any personnel involved into the person they only ever read about. In order for a person to find what is lost, we must first learn to love the lost mannerism. Many people assume at times that that person is someone else, but usually, that person is the individual we see in the mirror every morning. For people to love others, a deep love for themselves is necessary. The holidays are only as hard as we ever make them out to be. I have always wanted to love one person, but how am I supposed to love the person next to me if I can't even love my own reflection? Times get hard for people. It's how life is thought to be lived. For someone to grab the person they want to hold forever, other things must be let go to make room for special cargo. Together, we are learning to let go because when that special person finally does arrive, we might not ever want to lose our grip. That person might just be the forever person.

Happy Valentine's Day – Alec

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

- 1. What does the word "recovery" mean to you?
 Or
 - 2. How did you get introduced to recovery?



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UPCOMING C.A. EVENTS

Thus We Grow – C.A. European Regional Convention 2023

March 24-26, 2023

Celtic Manor Resort

Newport, South Wales NP18 1HQ, UK

Pacific Northwest Regional Conference

March 31st – April 2nd, 2023

Double Tree Suites – Southcenter

Seattle, WA 98188

206-849-4521

Southwest Regional Convention



April 21-23, 2023

Wyndham Garden Hotel

2001 S. Meridian Ave., Oklahoma City, OK 73108

Registration: caoklahoma.org or call 405-500-0701