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CENTRAL OFFICE NEWSLETTER

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Central Office Volunteer Coverage

All shifts are currently filled! But……

We are always in need of Relief Volunteers. A Relief Volunteer will step in and cover a shift if the regular volunteer can't make it. It is on an as-needed basis.

"The other Steps can keep most of us sober and somehow functioning. But Step Eleven can keep us growing..."

Alcoholics Anonymous, The Language of the Heart (p. 240)



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STEP 11	"Sought through prayer and meditation to improve our conscious contact with God as we understood Him, praying only for knowledge of His will for us and the power to carry that out."

Meeting Notes

Monday Night Doyle Drivers Women's Group

7:00pm-8:00pm

at The Southern Solano Alano Club
2046 Columbus Parkway

MENS 12&12 BOOK STUDY

Southern Solano Alano Club
2046 Columbus Parkway

WEDNESDAYS

NEW TIME: 7:00-8:00pm

The Hole in the Donut Saturdays 10:00am-11:00am



American Canyon
Underground Fellowship
11 Poco Way,
American Canyon

Vallejo Fellowship Early Birds Meeting

Monday—Sunday

7:00am-8:00am

1115 Amador St,
Vallejo



Saturday Came to Believe Candlelight meeting 7:00pm-8:00pm

1175 Church St. BENICIA

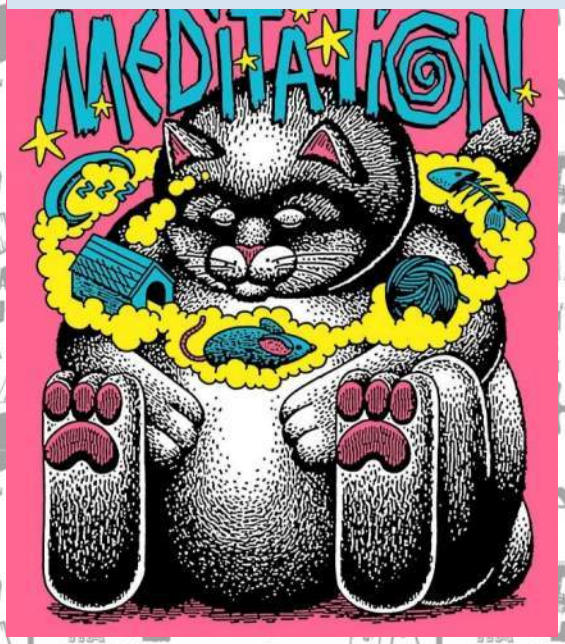


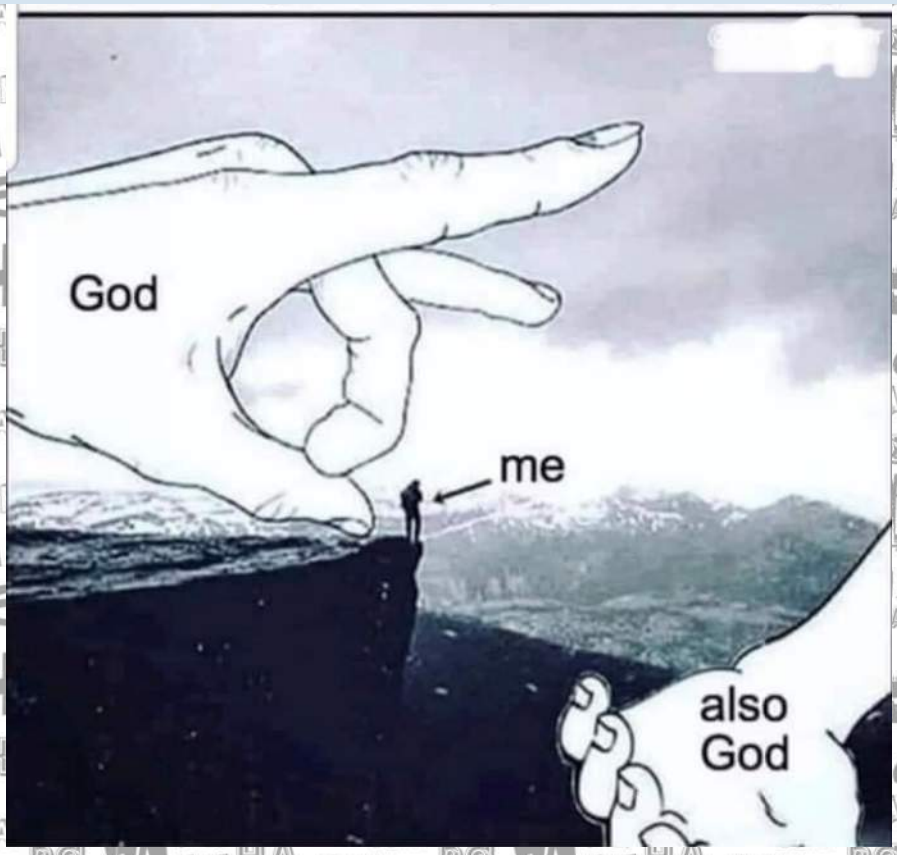
Get to the Point

Topic Discussion
Mondays 8:00pm-9:00pm
St. Pauls Church
120 East J. Benicia

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WE ARE NOT A GLUM LOT!



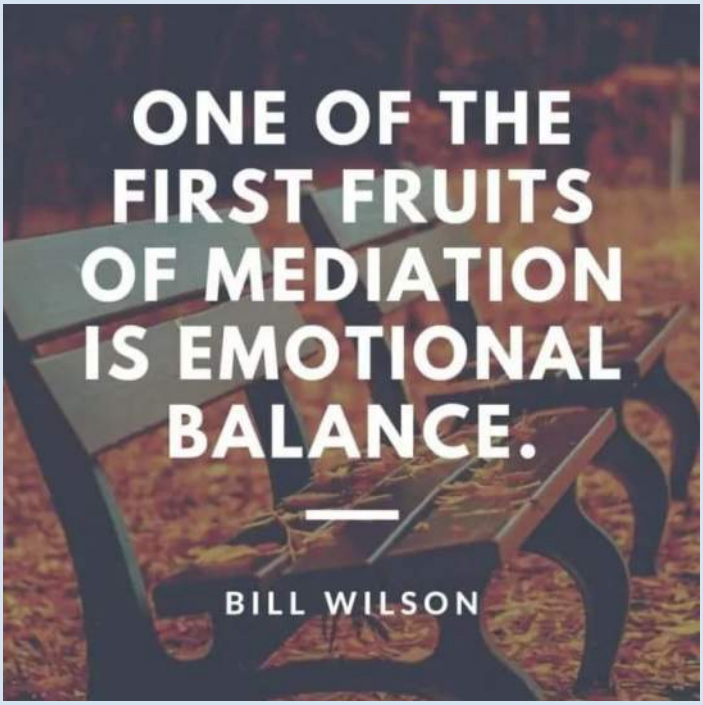


If you pray only when you're in trouble . . . you're in trouble.



Billie Jo: Would like to invite everyone to share her experience as a District Committee Meeting Chair (DCMC) on Monday November 9th at 6pm at Pizza Pirate 72 Solano Square, Benicia. Followed by a meeting at 7 pm (zoom also).
ZOOM MEETING #
839 2618 0073
Passcode: 504675

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The Central Office Business meeting is the first Wednesday of every month at 6:30pm at the Southern Solano Alano Club. 2046 Columbus Pkwy around back



November Sobriety Birthdays



Raoul N. 11/03/2005
Charlie W. 11/06/1977
Buz M. 11/12/1987
Chris L. 11/15/1976
Alex H. 11/17/2010
Amber P. 11/18/2011
Craig P. 11/18/2014
Alicia Z. 11/19/2009
Leona G. 11/23/2011
Chuck N. 11/24/2005
Richie G. 11/24/1988
Jim C. 11/29/2002
Jay B. 11/30/2013
Star B. 11/30/2013

District 09 Southern Solano

Monthly Birthday Speaker Meeting

At Northgate Church

2201 Lake Herman Rd, Benicia

November 13th at 8:00pm

Dawn M.

From Martinez, CA

HOST GROUP:

First Street Group

50/50 raffle!



November 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 This isn't the complete list of meetings in District. Check the website **aasolanosouth.org** for the latest.	2 Attitude Adjustment Get to the Point Discussion St. Paul's Episc. 1st & J St., Benicia 8:00-9:00 PM Every Monday	3 Zoom Sober Online 7:00 am to 8:00 am Zoom ID# 208-975-0077 Passcode# 480-984 Every Tuesday	4 **CENTRAL OFFICE Business Meeting** first Wednesday of every month at 6:30pm So. Solano Alano Club. 2046 Columbus Pkwy around back	5 Benicia Hill Top Discussion 1305 West 2nd St. Benicia Congressional Church 8:00-9:00pm No Smoking Every Thursday	6 Vallejo Fellowship 12:00 Noon to 1:00pm 1115 Amador St, Vallejo Every Friday	7 Vallejo Fellowship Speaker Night starts at 6:45pm 1115 Amador St, Vallejo First Saturday of the Month
8 Go to Any Lengths **hybrid** **in person and online** 9:30am-10:30am 416 O'Farrel Dr. Benicia Zoom: 857-669-5455 Password: sundays	9 DISTRICT 09 **GENERAL SERVICE Business Meeting** the second Monday of every month at 7pm Zoom Id: 841 6742 5294 PW: yaysober!	10 **Vallejo Fellowship Business Meeting** 2nd Tuesday of every month at 6:45 at the Vallejo Fellowship 1115 Amador St	11 Vallejo Fellowship Early Birds 7-8:00am 1115 Amador St, Vallejo Every Wednesday	12 Daily Reflections Southern Solano Alano Club 2046 Columbus Pkwy Noon-1pm Every Thursday	13 **District 09 Monthly Meeting** Birthday Speaker **2nd Friday every month** 8:00pm Northgate Church Benicia	14 2 or More Big Book Study 9-10:00 am Reception Hall 101 Temple Way Vallejo Every Saturday
15 Women's Big Book Study Vallejo Fellowship 1115 Amador St, Vallejo 1:30pm-2:30pm	16 As Bill Sees It Speaker/Discussion Noon-1:00pm Heritage Presbyterian Church 1400 East 2nd St Benicia	17 Benicia Straits Speaker Discussion Southern Solano Alano Club 2046 Columbus Pkwy, Benicia 7:30-8:45 Every Tuesday	18 Reuniones En Español (Spanish speaking meeting) Wednesdays 7pm-9pm 1115 Amador St. Vallejo	19 11th Step Meditation Meeting So. Solano Alano 2046 Columbus Pkwy, Benicia 6:30-7:30pm Every Thursday	20 First Street Group Big Book Study Heritage Presbyterian Church 6:30pm 1400 E 2nd Street Benicia	21 Serenity on Saturday Speaker/Discussion, Online Zoom 881 3928 1979 10:00-11:00am Every Saturday
22 Benicia Sunday Night Discussion St. Paul's Church 1st & J St., Benicia 8-9:00 PM Every Sunday Bday meeting 4th Sunday	23 Attitude Adjustment Daily Reflections St. Paul's Church 1st and J. Street, Benicia 7:00 AM-8:00 AM	24 Here & Now Big Book Study Online Zoom: 865 7556 2290 Noon-1:00 Every Tuesday	25 American Canyon Fellowship Big Book Meeting 5:30-6:30pm 11 Poco Way Suite E American Canyon	26 Vallejo Fellowship Early Birds 7:00-8:00AM 1115 Amador St, Vallejo Every Thursday	27 Woman's Solution Group Southern Solano Alano Club 2046 Columbus Pkwy, Benicia 10:30am to 11:30am	28 Came to Believe Candlelight Meeting Light House Church 1175 Church Street, Benicia 7:00-8:00pm Every Saturday
29 *denotes "closed" meetings. Only humans with a desire to stop drinking are encouraged to attend.	30 The Doyle Drivers Women's Group* Southern Solano Alano Club 2046 Columbus Pkwy 7:00-8:00pm Every Monday	Benicia First St. Group Heritage Pres. Ch. 1400 E 2nd St Benicia 6:30-7:30pm Every Tuesday	Men's 12&12 Study * Southern Solano Alano Club 2046 Columbus Pkwy, Benicia 7:00-8:00pm Every Wednesday	Attitude Adjust St. Paul's Episc. 1st & J St. Benicia 7-8:00 AM Mon-Sat	Benicia Young Peoples Group Fridays 6-7pm Southern Solano Alano Club 2046 Columbus Parkway	A Vision For You Noon-1:00pm Alano Club 2046 Columbus Pkwy around back

The Vallejo Fellowship is located at:
1115 Amador St, Vallejo, CA
Telephone number is 707-557-6318

A.A. ON THE WEB

Alcoholics Anonymous: aa.org

Southern Solano AA: aasolanosouth.org

NorCalAA: norcalaa.org

SOUTHERN SOLANO CENTRAL OFFICE MONTHLY

Birthday Speaker Meeting

Dawn M. From Martinez, CA



Friday, November 13th, 2026

8:00 pm at NORTHGATE CHURCH in Benicia

Hosted by the First St. Group

Northgate Church is located at
2201 Lake Herman Road in Benicia

50/50 Raffle!
Childcare available


VFS
VALLEJO FELLOWSHIP
ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
UNITY
SERVICE
24
HOURS
RECOVERY
— ESTABLISHED 1945 —
VALLEJO FELLOWSHIP
1115 Amador St.
Vallejo, CA 94590
Thanksgiving
AA MARATHON MEETING
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2026
Gratitude in Action. Recovery in Service.
Come on down and be part of the fellowship!
A day of meetings, gratitude and holiday celebration — sober.
MARATHON MEETING SCHEDULE
7:00 AM – 8:00 AM Meeting 1
8:30 AM – 9:30 AM Meeting 2
10:00 AM – 11:00 AM Meeting 3
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM Meeting 4
3:00 PM – POTLUCK DINNER
5:30 PM – 6:30 PM Meeting 5
7:00 PM – 8:00 PM Meeting 6
8:30 PM – 9:30 PM Meeting 7
10:00 PM – 11:00 PM Meeting 8
11:30 PM – 12:30 AM Meeting 9
Holiday Celebration
SOBER TOGETHER
Fellowship • Gratitude
Food • Recovery
Community • Unity
For more information, contact:
Mike M.
(707) 228-2038
Shenisha
(916) 271-0971

SOUTHERN SOLANO AA

WINTER WONDERLAND

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5TH

DAN FOLEY CULTURAL CENTER

1499 N. Camino Alto, Vallejo, CA 94589

DOORS OPEN	DINNER SERVED	SPEAKER MEETING	RAFFLE & DJ DANCE
5:00 PM	6:00 PM	8:00 PM	AFTER

AA SPEAKER
Anna D. from Alamo

Al-Anon Speaker
Clare S. from Benicia

FEATURING

- Professionally Catered Dinner (includes appetizer)
- Potluck Desserts
- Family Activity Table
- Speaker Meeting
- Raffle Baskets and 50/50 Raffle
- DJ Dance after the speaker meeting

TICKETS: $30

CHILDREN 12 AND UNDER FREE

Tickets available at Central Office and Groups
Speaker meeting is free

More Information Contact
Sarah B. 808-446-0472 or Mandy H. 805-636-6543

AA Home Groups

We Need Your Raffle Baskets!

2026 Winter Wonderland
at Dan Foley Cultural Center
Saturday, December 5th

This year we are asking for only one raffle item from each group, and we are making this a contest!
We would love to see your home group's personality and winter spirit. At the party everyone can vote for their favorite basket.
The Home Group that wins gets bragging rights for the next year!







We suggest passing around a box to collect donations to purchase your group's raffle basket. Please let your home group members know that the sale of raffle tickets helps support the cost of the Winter Wonderland.

Please deliver your basket to Dan Foley Cultural Center between 2 and 4pm on December 5th.

Any questions contact Sarah B. 808-446-0472

District 09 Solano South is looking for a few willing volunteers to be of service to our district.

Hi everyone.

I was privileged to serve for the past 2 years on Panel 75 and oh boy did I enjoy my commitment. I have been in Benicia for so long that I mentioned to my sponsor that I really needed to branch out and start going to meetings outside my comfort zone. Be careful what you ask for because my Higher Power gave me the challenge of being the District Committee Meeting Chair. I attended monthly meetings in Petaluma and at first I had no idea of what was happening having never attended a District meeting. However, I was pleasantly surprised to find a group of fun alcoholics who also had no idea what was expected of us. Turned out to be a true pleasure to host monthly District meetings with my fellowship and attend assemblies throughout the year. I found out that all my duties only required a Willingness To Serve My District and share any information I learned at the District Meeting and bring it back to my local area. We'll I certainly did make fast friends and reunite some ole friendships. Turned out to be the best service position ever. I had FUN!!!!

Would like to invite everyone to share my experience on November 9th at 6pm Pizza Pirate 72 Solano Square Benicia and zoom meeting as well as in-person at 7 pm. **ZOOM MEETING # 839 2618 0073 Passcode: 504675**

We have service positions opening and this is a great opportunity to keep your home group informed of what is happening with AA in New York. For example, we have the 5th edition of the Big Book of Alcoholics Anonymous coming soon in 2027. I submitted my AA story in writing and was thanked for my story. However, my story was not accepted. But at least I completed a goal and that makes me very proud.

The only requirement for this simple program called AA IS A DESIRE TO STAY SOBER. Help others and be of service.

Thank you for allowing me to be of service

Billie Jo Casey DCMC District 09
New email: billiejocasey1960@gmail.com
707 553 3252

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THE
HOLIDAY
Party
Together We Stay Sober
UNITY SERVICE AA RECOVERY
PLANNING MEETING
JOIN US ON
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18TH
3PM
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH
3PM
AMERICAN CANYON
UNDERGROUND FELLOWSHIP
11 Poco Way
American Canyon, CA 94503
Nice
Sally
Senna
Brandon
Lily
Bill
Nick
Jessie
Naughty
Mark
Jessica
Tyler
Olivia
Brad
Conner
Lindsay
Stay on the Nice List and help us with just an hour of your time!
SET UP AND DECORATE
COFFEE AND DRINKS TEAM
WELCOME TEAM
SERVE DINNER
TICKET
RAFFLE TICKET SALES
PARTY CLEANUP TEAM
Questions?
Contact Mandy H. 805-636-6543
or Sarah B. 808-446-0472
Food, Fellowship and Fun... What More Do We Need?
ONE DAY AT A TIME ★ ONE HOUR AT A TIME ★ ONE MOMENT AT A TIME

AA Central Office 7th Tradition Digital Payments:

We are operation with our digital payments! If you are making a group contribution you need to email me the name of the group, which method you used, the amount, and what date you made the payment. If I don't get these it will be considered an individual contribution. Always be sure to include our code in your memo/note section ***aasoso*** If you have question, do not hesitate to call/email/text.

John M. Treasurer 707-992-9294 jtmead800@gmail.com

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Northern California Hospital and Institution Committee

Carrying the message of A.A. to the alcoholic in Corrections and Treatment facilities and facilities serving alcoholics in Northern CA

South Solano County H & I needs meeting volunteers!

Meeting Volunteers bring meetings into local hospitals, recovery centers, detoxes and jails. They usually go into a facility to conduct a one hour meeting once a month.



National Vallejo

Volunteers needed to facilitate an AA meeting Mondays at 1pm.

Vallejo Detox

Volunteers needed to facilitate an AA meeting Sundays at 2pm.

Crestwood Behavioral Health in Vallejo

Volunteers needed to speak at an AA meeting on Tuesdays at 6pm.

Napa State Hospital

Volunteers needed to speak at an AA meeting on the first Wednesday of the month at 6pm.

Genesis House

Volunteers needed to facilitate an AA meeting on the 3rd or 4th Saturday of the month at 7pm, as well as volunteers to speak at the meeting.

Please contact H&I Representative Nan for full details at 925-330-7813 or nathibs@cloud.com