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# Newsletter

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### Intergroup Meeting

1st Wednesday of the month, 7 PM  
**Zoom ID: 909 825 4700**  
**Password: intergroup**

**Board of Directors Meeting**  
3rd Thursday of the month  
7:00 PM

### General Service, District 8

3rd Wednesday of the month  
6:00 PM GSR School  
7:00 PM Meeting

Spiritual Living at 3891 Ridge Rd, Riverside.  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81358831671>

### District 14

3rd Wednesday of the month  
GSR School 6 PM  
District 14 GSR 7PM  
Arid Club  
120 S. Harvard, Hemet 92543

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8960076690>  
Pw: District14

### Hospitals & Institutions

3rd Sunday of the month, 3 PM  
Redlands Unity Club,  
1307 Brookside, Redlands 92373

**Area 9**  
[Msca09aa.org](http://Msca09aa.org)

### Step

**Made a searching and fearless  
moral inventory of ourselves**

### Tradition

**Each group should be  
autonomous except in matters  
affecting other groups or AA as  
a whole.**

### Concept

**At all responsible levels, we  
ought to maintain a traditional  
“Right of Participation,”  
allowing a voting representation  
in reasonable proportion to the  
responsibility that each must  
discharge.**

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## Principle Four

**Honesty—  
An inventory of self.**

**Central Intergroup Office of the Inland Empire**

**Board of Directors**

**Chairman: Duke W.**

**Vice Chairman: Elizabeth E.**

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**Secretary: Ryan K.**

**Members At Large**

**Bill S.  
Diane L.**

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Saturday Worker Diane L.  
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Office Manager: Carolyn V.**

Letters to the Editor or Articles for the Newsletter must be received by the 15th of the month for consideration of publication in the following month's issue.

Please submit your material for *The Inland Empire Newsletter* to:  
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P.O. Box 189  
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E-mail: aacentral@sbcglobal.net

**April 2025**

- Michael P. 23
- James G. 39
- Kim H. 36
- Larry H. 32
- Angel H 14
- Sue G. 18
- Richard K. 36
- Tom V. 29
- Greg R. 32



**March  
Central Office Activity Report**

AA Calls	189
12 Step Calls	1
Other Calls	15
Visitors	121

<b>TOTAL:</b>	
<b>Website</b>	
Visitors	56538
Countries	62
Subscribers	724

<b>TOTAL:</b>	57324
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**Thanks to all who are of service.  
It makes a difference!**

**In Loving Memory**

**Bill C.  
Bill M.  
Floyd J.,  
George S.  
Tyree E.**

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**We thank all of the birthday celebrants for their contributions to the Central Office Birthday Club.**

# April Newsletter 2025

## Inland Empire Central Office Of AA

### Personal Donations

February 2025

	CONTRIBUTIONS	INDIVIDUAL DONATIONS	BIRTHDAY DONATION	COFFEE KITTY	PERSONAL CONTRIBUTION	TOTAL INDIVIDUAL DONATIONS	TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS	TOTAL
A Friend Of Bill			9.00			9.00	9.00	\$9.00
Coffee Kitty				12.23		12.23	12.23	\$12.23
Jeano M.					44.00	44.00	44.00	\$44.00
Redlands Unity Group				0.06		0.06	0.06	\$0.06
Not Specified				0.91		0.91	0.91	\$0.91
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$9.00</b>	<b>\$13.20</b>	<b>\$44.00</b>	<b>\$66.20</b>	<b>\$66.20</b>	<b>\$66.20</b>

### VAGABOND GROUP

[www.snafubar.com@vagabonds](mailto:www.snafubar.com@vagabonds)

**NOTICE: WE MUST HAVE YOUR RESERVATIONS AND PAYMENT AT LEAST THREE WEEKS IN ADVANCE OF EACH CAMPOUT TO RESERVE A SITE FOR YOU. THANKS!**

**Saturday:** Alanon meets 11 a.m., Potluck 5 p.m. during Standard Time and 6 p.m. during Daylight Savings Time, followed by Business meeting and A.A. Campfire meeting, Bring firewood.

**April 11-12, 2025**  
**Lake Guajome, Oceanside**

Reservations required, Contact the  
WAGON MASTER: Nancy 951-609-5396  
Sites: 1 -4, 7-12 \$50 w/hookups

Directions: from Hwy 15, take Hwy 76 west 11 miles go west on Hwy 76. Bring Firewood!

**May 9-10, 2025**  
**Rancho Jurupa, Rubidoux**

Reservations required, Contact the  
WAGON MASTER: Peggy P. 951-776 -0532  
Site: 12 1-5,69-75 \$116/102 w/hookups W/E/S /2/1

Directions: Hwy 60 to Rubidoux Blvd. and go to Crestmore Road Turn Right. Bring Firewood!

**June 13-14, 2025**  
**Lake Skinner, Temecula**

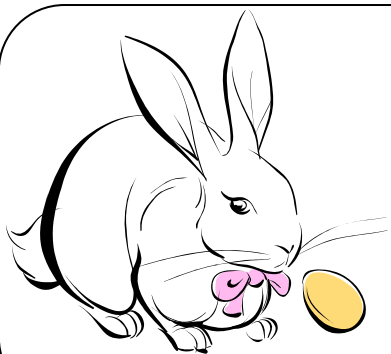
Reservations required, Contact the  
WAGON MASTER: Albert and Tammy 951-231-5797  
Sites: 320-325 351-354 \$104 w/hookups

Directions: Hwy 15, take Rancho California Rd east until it turns into Warren Rd for about a mile, turn right into park entrance. Bring Firewood!

Please submit all of your events and / or letters. We would love to put them in the newsletter.

# Thank You !!

Chris S., Lisa H Greg M., Alex M. Pete , Michelle, Madline



THANK YOU  
VOLUNTEERS!!

Thanks to these volunteers for keeping Central Office running smoothly for the past month.

Donations can be made via :

**PayPal** aacentral@sbcglobal.net

**Zelle:** aacentral@sbcglobal.net

**Venmo:** Inland Empire Central Office Of Alcoholics Anonymous Inc.@aacentral

Or send to P.O. Box 189

Colton, Ca 92324



## 7TH TRADITION CHALLENGE

*"Now that we are sober in A.A., the word 'support' has to do with sharing, people, self-respect, gratitude, and what we are priviledged to give - not take - in material terms."*



**We are self-supporting through our own contributions ~ Many of our branches are suffering from lack of support (GSO, Area, H&I, Central Office). How much does one drink cost? If it were not for Alcoholics Anonymous, we'd be drinking plenty!**

**Drop the cost of one drink into your home groups basket when it comes by . . . you can't afford not to!**





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Lenguaje del corazón  
Le langage du cœur



REGISTER BY  
**APRIL 15**  
FOR EARLY-BIRD  
PRICING

2025

# A.A. INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

Join your friends in Vancouver,  
British Columbia, Canada  
**July 3-6**

## HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE...

- ▶ Thursday night block party
- ▶ Flag Ceremony
- ▶ Stadium meetings
- ▶ Old Timers Meeting

AND MORE...including 250+ meetings,  
hospitality suites, and a full slate of  
panels and workshops

**HOUSING IS  
STILL  
AVAILABLE!**

**REGISTER NOW**



**LEARN MORE**

[aa.org/international-convention](http://aa.org/international-convention)

[2025ic@aa.org](mailto:2025ic@aa.org)

# PICNIC PLANNING COMMITTEE

**INLAND EMPIRE CENTRAL OFFICE**  
Alcoholics Anonymous

**OPPORTUNITIES TO BE OF SERVICE:**

KIDS GAMES

HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT

FOOD/ DRINKS / SNOWCONES

RAFFLES FOR BASKETS AND 50/50

TRANSPORTATION

CLEAN UP

## MEETS ONLINE

**Zoom ID: 9098254700**

**Password: intergroup**



Questions? Call Central Office during business hours 909.825.4700

## EVERY 2ND WEDNESDAY @7PM

Join Us for Music, Food  
and Entertainment!

# **57th Inland Empire Central Office Picnic**

*Sylvan Park • 601 University St. • Redlands, CA 92374*

Sunday, June 1, 2025

10 AM - 4PM

Tickets: Adults \$10 Kids \$6. 2 & under free

**Lunch Served  
from 11:00am to 1:30pm  
Speaker Meeting @ 2pm**

PLEASE BRING  
DESSERTS



*No Pets Please!!*

57th Inland Empire Central Office  
**Annual Picnic Fundraiser Event**  
at Sylan Park in Redlands June 1, 2025

# **RAFFLE** *Baskets*



QUESTIONS? CALL DURING OFFICE HOURS 909.825.4700

**Donate your group "baskets"  
to the office by May 31st. Drop  
offs at the event are  
welcomed.**




 Find us on Facebook

The Courage to Change

**SOBOBA**  
CASINO RESORT  
951-665-1000

**NOW 3 FULL DAYS**

**IEAAC**

36th Inland Empire AA Convention  
April 4-6, 2025

**Soboba Casino Resort Event Center**  
San Jacinto, CA

Speaker Line-up

Bill C. - Torrance, CA \* Amy S.D.- Louisville, KY  
Jida - Agua Dulce, CA \* Glynis H.- Los Angeles  
\*More Speakers TBA

\*\*Speakers and events subject to change

**Events**

- Gary P. Golf Tournament
- Friday Night Ice Cream Social & Interview with a Drunk
- Friday night Fun for the Young and Young at Heart
- Saturday Night BBQ
- A Day at The Races- Competition
- Sunday Breakfast & Sobriety Countdown ' Darkness to Light'
- Sober Family Feud - Sponsor vs. Sponsee

Visit [www.IEAAC.org](http://www.IEAAC.org) for more Info

This we owe to A.A.'s future: To place our common welfare first;  
To keep our fellowship united. For on A.A. unity depend our lives,  
And the lives of those to come.

**36th Annual IEAAC**  
**Gary P. Memorial Golf Tournament**  
Friday  
April 4th, 2025  
Soboba Springs Golf Course

**8:00AM**  
TEE TIME  
**\$90.00**

REGISTER ONLINE AT  
**IEAAC.ORG**  
OR SCAN THE QR CODE.



San Jacinto, CA

**CLICK HERE**



**ANY QUESTIONS**  
Matt I. (612) 670-1415

*All proceeds go to the IEAAC.*

IEAAC is held April 4-6, 2025  
Join us at the IEAAC from Friday-Sunday, for an entire weekend of recovery. We'll have some great speakers, nightly entertainment, great food, games, fellowship, music, dancing & fun. See you all there!

22777 Soboba Rd. San Jacinto, CA

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

**2025 BRIDGING THE GAP**

Workshop Weekend

TEMPORARY CONTACTS

**September 5<sup>th</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> 2025**

Hosted by Area 5  
The Greater Los Angeles Area  
**Sheraton Ontario Airport Hotel**

429 N Vineyard Ave. Ontario, CA 91764 (909) 937-8000  
Room Rates \$155+tax Room Code BTG

The Annual Bridging the Gap Workshop Weekend consists of presentations, discussions, shared experiences and breakout sessions.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY  I would like to volunteer to help

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Service Position \_\_\_\_\_ Area \_\_\_\_\_  
Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Breakout session topics you would like: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Registration</b>	Before July 1st \$50	EarlyBird In-Person Weekend Registration: \$50	<input type="checkbox"/>
	After July 1st \$60	In-Person Weekend Registration: \$60	<input type="checkbox"/>
Saturday Only Day Pass	\$40	Saturday Mile Banquet	\$50 <input type="checkbox"/>
Online Attendance	\$60 <input type="checkbox"/>	Vegetarian	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Total Person One \$ _____</b>			

Register Online at [BTGWW.org](http://BTGWW.org) or Mail this form to and a check to:  
BTGWW 10001 E Evans Ave #62D Aurora, CO 80247



**EASY DOES IT WEEKEND**

AT CAMP SEELY IN CRESTLINE, CALIFORNIA (map on back)  
AA and AL-ANON  
46 YEARS of MAGIC IN THE MOUNTAINS  
May 2, 3, & 4, 2025

Check our website for more information: <http://www.easydoesitweekend.org>  
Theme: FAVORITE SPORTS TEAM (Not all campers participate - it's up to you!)

Rustic heated cabins with beds. Bathrooms and showers are not inside cabins. Singles and couples are welcome - limited number of couple cabins → First come, First served. Five great hot meals, fabulous meetings, plus a dance, raffle, horseshoes, games, and more!

All for just **\$150** per person ~ no one under age 18  
Bring warm clothing, bedding, and a towel (see website for a more complete list)  
**No pets ~ No special food requests ~ No soliciting ~ No Refunds**  
Call Registrar to confirm availability: Christina R. (626) 421-1952  
For further info: Camp Chair Marilyn C. (714) 307-6006

**Rough Terrain may not be suitable for the physically impaired;** if you have any medical condition, you are responsible for your own care - the First Aid Attendant is there for minor first aid treatment only.  
**Check-in begins at noon on Friday.**

May 2, 3 & 4, 2025

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone number \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_ *\*Only put an email if it is OK for EDIW to send you notices\**  
Couple \_\_\_\_\_ Single \_\_\_\_\_ SPECIAL REQUEST \_\_\_\_\_  
IF YOU WANT TO SHARE CABIN WITH SOMEONE SPECIFIC PUT THEIR NAME HERE \_\_\_\_\_  
IF YOU HAVE BEEN TO CAMP BEFORE & WANT A SPECIFIC CABIN REQUEST CABIN # \_\_\_\_\_ (NOT GUARANTEED)

**\$150 per person. Pre-registration is required.** Make check or money order payable to  
**Easy Does It Weekend** and mail to: PO Box 1492 South Pasadena, CA 91030.  
Your cancelled check is your confirmation. Visit our website or call the registrar for availability near date of event.  
Mail your registration early to ensure your spot.



**MEN'S AA BBQ**  
 Saturday, May 17, 2025 4:00-8:00 pm

Raffles, Chicken/TrifTip, Fellowship & Fun

SPEAKER: MIKE S.

Flabob Airport  
 4130 Mennes Ave. Riverside 92509

**TICKETS \$25**

For Info Call: Dave Mc: 951-312-1514 GARY C.: 951-858-7574

**MAAD DOG DAZE**

**2025 CONVENTION DATES**

Friday, September 5th - Sunday, September 7th

51st Ninth District Committee Meetings  
 Dates are as follows, please join us for fun & fellowship!

Central Office @ 2pm OR Zoom

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26TH

SUNDAY, MARCH 23RD

SUNDAY, APRIL 27TH

SUNDAY, JULY 27TH

SUNDAY, AUGUST 24TH



**IN PERSON:**

Central Office  
 35-325 Date Palm Dr., Ste 107  
 Cathedral City, CA 92234



**ONLINE:**

Zoom  
 ID: 924 237 7111  
 Passcode: Intergroup

9th Annual AA  
 with Al - Anon Participation  
 "Serenity by the Sea" Retreat

[www.serenitybytheseaoriarito.com](http://www.serenitybytheseaoriarito.com)



**Save the Date**

October 17-19, 2025

Rosarito Beach Hotel & Resort

Charter Bus Service Available

**PASSPORT REQUIRED**



For more Retreat information, Contact:

Nan T.	(909) 973.3827	nanthornburg@gmail.com
Randy H.	(909) 721.4981	twohampton@sbcglobal.net
Lucille H. "Al-Anon"	(951) 377.0617	twohampton@sbcglobal.net
Steve S.	(949) 413.7926	luxdesign@ymail.com

Registration Forms available early June



join  
 share  
 engage

AA community  
 unity  
 service  
 recovery



**USA Deaf & ASL Interpreted  
 Alcoholics Anonymous  
 Meetings**



For the ASL AA Community of  
 Deaf, Hard of Hearing and late-  
 deafened alcoholics who have  
 the desire to stop drinking



Save the Date!

# 2025 A.A. International Convention

July 3-6, 2025



Language of the Heart  
Lenguaje del corazón  
Le langage du cœur



Scan here!



**A.A. DESERT ROUNDUP**  
WITH AL-ANON PARTICIPATION  
RENAISSANCE ESMERALDA RESORT & SPA



**JUNE 5, 6, 7, 8, 2025**  
INDIAN WELLS, CALIFORNIA

ONLINE REGISTRATION OPEN January 2nd through May 30th  
TO REGISTER GO TO: [www.desertroundup.com](http://www.desertroundup.com)  
A \$4 convenience fee is charged for all credit card purchases.

**GENERAL INFORMATION**  
Sandy W. (760) 902-9087  
Karly R. (760) 832-2275



**TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

Registration Badges Required at all Meetings.

Day	Time	Event
Thursday	Noon - 7:30 pm	Registration/Badge Pickup
	8:00 pm	A.A. Speaker Meeting
	9:30 pm	Ice Cream Social
	9:30 pm	Sing-along/Karaoke
Friday	7:00 am	Golf Tournament
	7:00 am	A.A. Participation Meeting
	8:00 am	Registration/Badge Pickup
	9:00 am	A.A. Topic/Discussion Meeting
	10:30 am	Al-Anon Topic/Discussion Meeting
	12:30 pm	A.A. Topic/Discussion Meeting
	1:45 pm	Al-Anon Topic/Discussion Meeting
	2:00 pm	A.A. History Meeting
	4:00 pm	A.A. Longtime's Meeting
	6:30 pm	A.A. Young People's Meeting
8:30 pm	A.A. Opening Meeting	
Saturday	6:30 am	2 Mile Fun Run/Walk
	7:00 am	A.A. Participation Meeting
	8:00 am - 4:30 pm	Registration/Badge Pickup
	9:00 am	A.A. Topic/Speaker Meeting
	9:00 am	Al-Anon Topic/Discussion Meeting
	10:00 am	Al-Anon Topic/Discussion Meeting
	10:30 am	A.A. Mens Stag
	10:30 am	A.A. Womens Stag
	11:45 am	Al-Anon Luncheon/Meeting
	2:30 pm	A.A. Al-Anon Family Meeting
5:30 pm	Al-Anon Topic/Discussion Meeting	
6:00 pm	A.A. Banquet/Meeting	
7:45 pm	(Approx) Video Broadcast - Speaker	
8:45 pm	A.A. Topic/Discussion Meeting	
9:00 pm	DJ Dance	
Sunday	7:00 am	A.A. Participation Meeting
	8:15 am	Breakfast
	9:30 am	A.A. Closing Meeting

**RENAISSANCE**  
RESORT & SPA  
BOOK RESERVATIONS ONLINE  
<https://book.passkey.com/go/desertroundup2025>  
**CALL 1-800-446-9875**  
Room Rate \$163.00 + Tax + Resort Fee of \$6.00  
Note: 2 night minimum/4 guests per room max  
Special rate available until room block is filled.  
But no later than May 20th.  
Pool facilities for registered guests only  
**PRE-BOOK VIP POOL CHAIRS/CABANAS**  
[www.poolside.com](http://www.poolside.com)  
44-460 Indian Wells Lane, Indian Wells, CA 92210  
Hard direct line: (760) 733-4444

**Important Convention/Hotel Policies:**

- Register for convention prior to making hotel reservations. Special rate is only available to Roundup attendees beginning 3 days prior to and 3 days after event (June 2nd-11th, 2025).
- Room cancellations must be made with the hotel 3 days prior to arrival date without penalty; else 1 night plus tax will be charged.
- All attendees must be registered and wear badges to all ticketed events (excluding dances).
- Tickets are sold on a first come, first served basis. For best seating, purchase tickets early. Some events will sell out.
- If you wish to sit as a group, please send in registration forms with payment together. If registering online, we request one person purchase the table(s).
- Tickets are not mailed, please pick them up at Pre-registration table when you arrive. Receipts will be emailed, if a legible email is provided.
- Tickets will be sold at onsite registration until closed or sold-out. Only Ice Cream Socials and Dance tickets will be sold at the door.
- No refunds on canceled events after May 23rd; tickets are transferable or may be donated to a newcomer.
- Registration fees are non-refundable, non-transferable.

SERVICE ANIMALS are welcome. Personal pets whose function is to provide comfort or emotional support DO NOT qualify as service animals under the Americans with Disability Act.

THANK YOU for understanding.



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**CONVENTION REGISTRATION**

Name (LAST) (FIRST)  
Address  
City, State & Zip  
Telephone ( )  
Email  
Name Tag to Read  
Group or City  
AA  Al-Anon  Guest

Name (LAST) (FIRST)  
Address  
City, State & Zip  
Telephone ( )  
Email  
Name Tag to Read  
Group or City  
AA  Al-Anon  Guest

	QTY	AMT	TOTAL
Registration	@	\$ 25.00	
Fri. Night Dance	@	\$ 5.00	
Sat. Al-Anon Luncheon	@	\$ 35.00	
Tables of 10	@	\$350.00	
Vegetarian Meals			
Sat. Night Banquet Meeting	@	\$ 55.00	
Tables of 10	@	\$550.00	
Vegetarian Meals			
Sat. Night Dance	@	\$ 5.00	
Sun. Breakfast/Meeting	@	\$ 30.00	
Tables of 10	@	\$300.00	
Friday Golf Tournament	@	\$110.00	
2 Mile Fun Run/Walk	@	\$ 20.00	
Ice Cream Social	@	\$ 5.00	
<b>TOTAL ENCLOSED</b>			
Check No.			
Cash			

**SPORTING EVENTS**

**GOLF TOURNAMENT** \*DEADLINE: MAY 30th  
(Pre-Registration Required) NO ON-SITE SIGN-UP  
Tournament - Friday at 7:00 am Shotgun Start  
Golf Course - Indian Wells Golf Resort - Celebrity Course  
Sign Waiver at Check-in Table at Golf Course

Name (LAST) (FIRST)  
Telephone ( )  
Handicap Required  
Paired With

**Fees:**  
1 Day: \$110, Tournament Only, Friday (incl. cart)

**2 MILE FUN RUN/WALK**  
(Pre-Registration Required)  
Saturday at 6:30 am  
Pick up T-shirt and sign waiver at the Hostess/Volunteer Table  
Name (LAST) (FIRST)  
Telephone ( )

**Fees:** \$20 / includes  
Regular T-Shirt  S  M  L  XL  XXL  
or Tank Top  S  M  L  XL  XXL  
If you are paying for more than one person, please include his/her name on a separate enclosure.  
For more information call Rick D. (562) 497-0113

**TO VOLUNTEER**

Hostess/Hospitality/Registration  
Security/Onsite Ticket Sales  
Please go to [www.desertroundup.com](http://www.desertroundup.com)  
For More Information Call Donna D. (818) 497-1097

Make Checks payable to **Desert Roundup**,  
Mailed to: P.O. Box 10128, Palm Desert, CA 92255.

If not mailed before May 24th,  
plan to register at convention.  
No refunds on canceled events after May 23rd

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THANK YOU for understanding.



## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA AA CONVENTION**

THEME: THE BIG BOOK COMES ALIVE IN 2025

SEP 05 - SEP 07, 2025

The 2025 Southern California AA Convention planning has begun. This section identifies important facts about this year's roundup

- The Roundup is **September 5 - 7, 2025**.
- The 2025 Southern California AA Convention will take place at the Westin Rancho Mirage Resort. Located at 70705 Ramon Rd, Rancho Mirage, CA 92270
- **We are working the new website up and running.**
- If you have any questions you can **submit an inquiry** online by clicking the "Contact SCAAC" option from the menu.

Please check out this website for further updates. We will keep you informed.



# Central Office

## Everything Needed For You and your Meeting

**Newsletter**



**24 Hour Support**



**Meeting Directories**  
**Website**



**Connecting People  
with 12th Step Volunteers**



**Promote Group  
Events**

**Sobriety  
Chips**



**Books and Literature**

**909-825-4700**

## Speaker Lists Needed

If you have a current speaker list can you please provide it to the office



***The Gateway to District 8***    April 2025    **Archives Committee**

When attending AA meetings in any of these cities you are in AA's Area 09, District 8:

Serving: Norco, Corona, Mira Loma, Rubidoux, Riverside, Mentone, Redlands, Moreno Valley, Yucaipa, Calimesa, Big Bear, Bloomington, Blue Jay, Colton, Crestline, Fontana, Grand Terrace, Highland, Lake Arrowhead, Loma Linda, Rialto, Running Springs, San Bernardino

What is a District?

The local district communicates directly with the groups and provides the district group conscience for the area assemblies and links the area delegates and the General Service Representatives (GSRs). In layman's terms, we are the local business meeting outside of the AA meetings seeking to provide outreach to the Alcoholic who still suffer through various methods. New GSRs, **"The most important job in AA" are always needed.** One of these methods is to work on various committees.

This month the focus is on our Archives Committee. What exactly is that???

The idea for organizing a historical collection of the Fellowship's records came from co-founder Bill W. in the early 1950s. Bill was becoming increasingly concerned that "the history of Alcoholics Anonymous is still veiled in the deep fog." Knowing that the office correspondence was loosely maintained in the drawers at the General Headquarters, he set out to arrange our historical records. He personally recorded oldtimers' recollections in the Akron/Cleveland area; he sent out boxes of blank tapes to others, encouraging them to record their recollections.

Your District 8 Archives Repository is located at 7111 Arlington Ave., Suite B, Riverside, CA. and has a top-notch collection of materials that you will find absolutely fascinating. The Archives Committee has a traveling booth display that can be found at many of our local conventions, special AA events and showings can be available upon request. Archives not only collects but also educates, informs and inspires. The Archives Committee Chair position is open and District 8 would love to have you.

**Attending these meetings is a great way to connect with other members, learn about available service opportunities, and help support AA's mission of reaching the alcoholic who still suffers.**

**The monthly meetings are held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays at 7:00 PM. GSR School begins at 6:30 p.m. Its focus is to assist new GSR's with information that will help you be successful in AA service work and help you to know the information you should be sharing with your home groups.**

**Both meetings take place in person and virtually!**

Riverside Center for Spiritual Living  
3891 Ridge Road  
Riverside, CA 92503  
(Across the way from Fairmont Park)

**For those unable to attend in person, a Zoom option is available: Zoom ID: 9099511212 (no pw)  
We truly hope you will join us!**

# April Newsletter 2025

INTERGROUP MEETING: March 5, 2025

**Duke opened the meeting @ 7:00pm with the Serenity Prayer**

**Board Members in attendance:** Duke, Diane, Carolyn, Ryan, Wilson, Elizabeth

**12 Traditions Read:** Amy

**Secretary Report:** Ryan K. Motion: Teresa 2<sup>nd</sup>: Tim D.

**Treasurer's Report:** Wilson Motion: Vanessa 2<sup>nd</sup>: Tim D.

**New Intergroup Reps:** Alfred from Arid Club, Luis from Umbrella Group, Mike H&I WELCOME!

**P.I. Report:** George G. George reported now able to get on Instagram. He cleared off all the old postings and started populating with current postings including the Picnic flier & Central Office's general information flier.

**H&I: New Rep Needed.** New Liaison joined , welcome Mike. He reported that many Recovery Homes & Treatment Centers are needing Panels. Panel Leaders & Members are needed. Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday there is an H & I meeting held at Unity Club in Redlands for those interested. 1307 Brookside Ave. Redlands, CA 92373

**Office Rprt:** Carolyn Carolyn reports "status quo" at the office. Bills are paid and taxes are complete. The Spanish Central Office is holding a convention in May. They have offered up they have room(s) available if wed would like to host any meetings. Looking for a person interested in being a Chair to head this up. Please contact Central Office for further details.

**12 Step:** Carolyn Status Quo per Carloyn.

**GSR Report:** George G. There are upcoming events in April & May. More information to come. District 8 has the following open positions: Committee chairs for Archives, Cooperation with the Elder Community, and Corrections. DCM Sub-District chairs for: - Fontana, Bloomington, Rialto, Colton, Grand Terrace, San Bernardino, Highland, Loma Linda, San Bernardino Mountains area. <https://mscoa09aa.org/district-8/>

**Pinic:** Diane This is the **only** Central Office fundraiser. AA Group or individual gift basket donations for the Raffle are needed. Please contact the office for further info. Water & Soda donations are needed. Tickets are available at Central Office. All volunteers are welcome! Come & check us out, the meetings are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm on the Intergroup Zoom. See flyers at <https://aainlandempire.org/special-events>.

**Convention:** Wilson Registration is open and numbers are down in comparison to last year. Please sign up ASAP. The on-line signups will be closing March 22, 2025. If you want to pre-register or golf, register now. Open registration will be available at the event. <https://aainlandempire.org/special-events>.

**Al-Anon Report:** Amy A. Pending Al-Anon representative. Upcoming event April 4-6 in Ontario. For more info go to the website <https://al-anon.org/>.

**Old Business:** Duke W. Had (2) board spots open. Diane will continue to serve as a member at large till spots are filled. Thank you, Diane!

**New Business:** Duke W. Need new Intergroup board member.

**Tradition #3:** Tm D. Thank you to Tim D. for sharing.

**Volunteer Next #4:** H & I Mike.

**Birthdays:** Mike 10yr (2/28/15) – Diane 25yr (3/4/00) – Amy A. 9yr (2/14/16) **Congratulations!** 🎂 🎉 🥳

**Announcements:** Picnic Volunteers needed. Please join us on the ZOOM meeting. See the website for more information. CAMP SEALY is coming soon, 1<sup>st</sup> weekend in May. Check the website for further information.

**Motion to Close:** Motion made by: Vanessa 2<sup>nd</sup>: Teresa

**Take a Look at This**

**Archives** Open every Sat 10am –1pm  
Sundays open by special appointment.  
Sat (951)785-0845  
7111 Arlington Ave. Suite B  
Riverside, Ca 92503

Please go to [ainlandempire.org](http://ainlandempire.org)  
Check your meeting locations days and times to see if they need updating. If you do have changes please email us at [aacentral@sbcglobal.net](mailto:aacentral@sbcglobal.net) Also, view **Special Events**

Faithfully Yours in Service,  
The Board Members



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Please let the Newsletter know if this information is not current!

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P.O. Box 51446, Irvine, CA 92619-1446  
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General Service Office  
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James A Farley Station  
New York, NY 10116-2407

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**MSCA DISTRICT 14**, P.O. Box 198, San Jacinto, CA 92553  
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**MSCA DISTRICT 17**, P.O. Box 1131, Temecula, CA 92593-1131  
Canyon Lake, Lake Elsinore, Murrieta, Perris, Sun City, Temecula

**HOSPITALS & INSTITUTIONS COMMITTEE  
TREASURER'S REPORT-JANUARY 20, 2025 THRU FEBRUARY 16, 2025**

Respectfully submitted by Mark Rodekuhr

<u>GROUP / INDIVIDUAL</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>	<u>GROUP / INDIVIDUAL</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
BANNING- TUESDAY NOON BOOK STUDY	\$10.00	REDLANDS-6:30 AM ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT GROUP	\$40.00
BANNING-MONDAY NOON BIG BOOK STUDY	\$7.00	REDLANDS-ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT GRP # 140541	\$100.00
BANNING-SATURDAY MORNING 7:00 AM	\$25.00	REDLANDS-FRIDAY NIGHT MEN'S STAG GRP # 134210	\$30.00
BEAUMONT-AS BILL SEES IT GRP # 151025	\$20.00	REDLANDS-INLAND GROUP MONDAY NIGHT	\$25.00
CORONA-LUCKY LADIES 6PM WEDNESDAY GRP # 15328	\$41.60	REDLANDS-TUESDAY DISCOVERY GROUP	\$15.00
FONTANA-ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT	\$50.04	RIVERSIDE-ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT HOUR	\$171.32
FONTANA-ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT	\$54.83	RIVERSIDE-ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT HOUR	\$118.95
MORENO VALLEY-AWAKENINGS AA MONDAY 5:00 PM	\$93.33	SAN BERNARDINO-STRAIGHT UP AA	\$84.00

**SUB TOTAL**

**\$ 301.80**

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**\$ 584.27**

**TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS  
TOTAL LITERATURE**

**\$ 886.07  
\$ 16,545.35**



**Inland Empire Central Office Of Alcoholics Anonymous**

**Group Donations**

February 2025

	TOTAL	
	FEB 2025	JAN - FEB, 2025 (YTD)
Banning Mon. Noon Big Book		82.00
Banning Sat. 7am	50.00	50.00
Banning Sun 7 AM		30.00
Banning Tue noon Living Sober Book Study		60.00
Beaumont As Bill See's It #151025	20.00	20.00
Beaumont Mon Candlelight	195.00	195.00
Beaumont Plain Wrap Mens Mtg	180.00	180.00
Big Bear Monday As Bill Sees it		100.00
Claremont Sunday 11th Step Group 8am		493.95
Colton As Bill Sees It-Sat. Noon	50.00	90.00
Colton Fri Friendship Grp		50.00
Corona Lucky Ladies Wed 7pm		104.00
Corona Unity Group 000309468		750.00
Corona Wed Night Men's Stag 262104		125.00
Fawnskin 625424		100.00
Fontana Attitude Adjustment	127.94	244.70
Hemet Att. Adj. 7am Daily	200.00	200.00
Hemet Women in Recovery		90.00
Jerome K.	160.00	160.00
Mentone Where's The Beach	60.00	60.00
Moreno Valley Awakenings Monday 5pm	93.33	93.33
Moreno Valley Here's How		100.00
Norco Monday Group FNV 174635		143.10
Rancho Cucamonga Older then Dirt 730		50.00
Rancho Cucamonga M Old School Meeting		100.00
Rancho Cucamonga Sun 7p As Bill Sees It	75.00	75.00
Rancho Cucamonga Valley Alano Wed Noon	40.00	40.00
Redland's Inland Group Mon 730pm		345.00
Redlands 630AM Attitude Adjustment 100740		160.00
Redlands Att. Adj. 0140541	100.00	100.00
Redlands Discovery Group	75.00	75.00
Redlands Friday Nite 7pm Men's Stag 134210	120.00	120.00
Redlands Noon Woman's BB 690646		150.00
Redlands Sunday 700 pm Candlelight		100.00
Redlands Tues 7PM Zoom This Too Shall Pass Group		48.72
Redlands Women's BB Wed. 630		160.00
Riverside Pigs No More Fri. 7pm Men Stag		60.00
Riverside (RAAH) Attitude Adjustment Hr.		671.14
Riverside Friday Came to Believe	0.82	0.82
Riverside Mon. Salad Bowl	100.00	100.00
Riverside Sober Sisters		60.00
Riverside Thursday Night Casa Blanca	100.00	250.00
Riverside Wed. Along Spiritual Lines		97.52

# Inland Empire Central Office Of Alcoholics Anonymous

## Group Donations

February 2025

	TOTAL	
	FEB 2025	JAN - FEB, 2025 (YTD)
Rubidoux Alana Grp	100.00	100.00
San Bernardino Sat. Straight Up AA		25.00
Sun City Tue 7am Men's Stag		53.00
Upland 630AM Attitude Adjustment Zoom #000369258	165.60	391.50
Upland San Antonio Attitude Adjustment 630am 61123		90.00
Woman's Monday 1030am Step Study 99467		37.80
Yucaipa Umbrella Group 684550	844.00	1,318.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,856.69</b>	<b>\$8,299.58</b>



**101 out of approximately 1100 groups contributed to Central Office so far this fiscal year.  
That represents roughly 13% of the meetings in the Inland Empire.**

## Inland Empire Central Office Of AA

### Statement of Activity YTD Comparison

February 2025

	TOTAL	
	FEB 2025	JAN - FEB, 2025 (YTD)
Revenue		
Contributions		
BAM	4.41	29.48
Birthday Contributions	9.00	31.00
Group Contributions	4,009.45	9,731.46
Personal	154.82	375.25
<b>Total Contributions</b>	<b>4,177.68</b>	<b>10,167.19</b>
Credit Card Surcharge	37.00	90.00
Investments		
Dividend, Interest (Securities)	0.35	0.74
Interest-Savings, Short-term CD		1,562.22
<b>Total Investments</b>	<b>0.35</b>	<b>1,562.96</b>
Misc. Literature		
Sales of Product Revenue	322.15	775.35
<b>Total Misc. Literature</b>	<b>322.15</b>	<b>775.35</b>
Net Sales Income		
Book Covers		
Sales of Product Revenue	65.00	90.00
<b>Total Book Covers</b>	<b>65.00</b>	<b>90.00</b>
Books		
Sales of Product Revenue	4,232.11	12,865.31
<b>Total Books</b>	<b>4,232.11</b>	<b>12,865.31</b>
CD-DVD-Audio		
Sales of Product Revenue	11.40	11.40
<b>Total CD-DVD-Audio</b>	<b>11.40</b>	<b>11.40</b>
Directories		
Sales of Product Revenue	118.00	267.00
<b>Total Directories</b>	<b>118.00</b>	<b>267.00</b>
Medallions		
Sales of Product Revenue	872.00	2,715.58
<b>Total Medallions</b>	<b>872.00</b>	<b>2,715.58</b>
Pamphlets		
Sales of Product Revenue	174.00	303.97
<b>Total Pamphlets</b>	<b>174.00</b>	<b>303.97</b>
<b>Total Net Sales Income</b>	<b>5,472.51</b>	<b>16,253.26</b>
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$10,009.69</b>	<b>\$28,848.76</b>

Inland Empire Central Office Of AA

Statement of Activity YTD Comparison

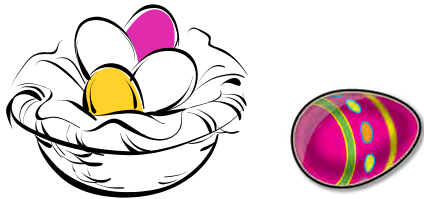
February 2025

	FEB 2025	TOTAL JAN - FEB, 2025 (YTD)
Cost of Goods Sold		
Cost of Goods Sold	3,870.16	11,756.88
<b>Total Cost of Goods Sold</b>	<b>\$3,870.16</b>	<b>\$11,756.88</b>
<b>GROSS PROFIT</b>	<b>\$6,139.53</b>	<b>\$17,091.88</b>
Expenditures		
Business Expenses		
Business Registration Fees	25.00	44.00
<b>Total Business Expenses</b>	<b>25.00</b>	<b>44.00</b>
Contract Services		
Accounting Fees	325.00	325.00
<b>Total Contract Services</b>	<b>325.00</b>	<b>325.00</b>
Facilities and Equipment		
Rent	1,172.49	2,344.98
Utilities	150.42	457.11
<b>Total Facilities and Equipment</b>	<b>1,322.91</b>	<b>2,802.09</b>
Operations		
Alarm	55.96	114.92
Merchant Service Fee	79.82	175.05
Postage, Mailing Service	0.00	0.00
Quickbooks Payroll Fee	68.00	136.00
Register Over/Short		0.00
Supplies	18.54	18.54
Telephone, Telecommunications	131.22	212.44
<b>Total Operations</b>	<b>353.54</b>	<b>656.95</b>
Other Types of Expenses		
Insurance - Liability, D and O	150.42	150.42
<b>Total Other Types of Expenses</b>	<b>150.42</b>	<b>150.42</b>
Payroll Expenses		
Medical	500.00	1,500.00
Taxes	596.68	1,240.11
Wages	6,122.34	12,052.68
<b>Total Payroll Expenses</b>	<b>7,219.02</b>	<b>14,792.79</b>
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$9,395.89</b>	<b>\$18,771.25</b>
<b>NET OPERATING REVENUE</b>	<b>\$ -3,256.36</b>	<b>\$ -1,679.37</b>
<b>NET REVENUE</b>	<b>\$ -3,256.36</b>	<b>\$ -1,679.37</b>



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