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Absolute
Beacon
Christ
Deliverer
Essence
Giver
Guardian
Holiness
Liberator
Omnipotent
Peace
Redeemer
Savior
Supreme

Almighty
Celestial
Composer
Divine
Eternal
God
Hero
Infinite
Lord
Omnipresent
Power
Rescuer
Source

Architect
Champion
Creator
Emancipator
Everlasting
Group
Holiness
Invincible
Nature
Omniscience
Protector
Sacred
Spirit

happy new year!

NORCAL INTERGROUP SOBER BIRTHDAY SPEAKER MEETING

JANUARY 6TH 2024

Saturday Night All Saints Church 7pm to 8pm
2150 Benton Dr. Redding, Ca.



JAN. 26TH-28TH, 2024

Shasta Winterfest 2024 is a weekend-long gathering of fellow members and non-members of Alcoholics Anonymous, Al-Anon & Alateen. The event is inspired by recovery and filled with guest speakers, marathon meetings, special events, prize drawings, literature and other resources. Shasta Winterfest will be held on January 26th - 28th, 2024, at the Holiday Inn; 1900 Hilltop Drive, Redding, CA 96002

See www.shastawinterfest.com for details

"Carry the Message"

NORCAL ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS NEWSLETTER

*Serving Shasta, Tehama,
Siskiyou and Trinity Counties*

Northern California Intergroup (NorCal Intergroup) is a service board of alcoholics serving A.A. groups in Shasta, Tehama, Trinity and Siskiyou counties. Intergroup provides alcoholics with services that an individual group can't provide. Intergroup maintains a website and a 24/7 telephone service.

It also answers 12-step calls, provides meeting information and maintains the schedule for the area. Intergroup is supported through voluntary contributions, and it's primary purpose is to carry the message of Alcoholics Anonymous to alcoholics who still suffer.

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ACTUAL PHOTO OF ME EXPLAINING TO MY FRIENDS STEP ONE

**STEP ONE: WE ADMITTED WE WERE
POWERLESS OVER ALCOHOL - THAT OUR
LIVES HAD BECOME UNMANAGEABLE
TRADITION ONE: OUR COMMON WELFARE
SHOULD COME FIRST; PERSONAL RECOVERY
DEPENDS UPON A.A. UNITY**

EDITORS: PATTY H., KAY F. AND HEATHER L.

THE FULL YEAR OF BOTH THE FINANCIAL AND GROUP DONATIONS FOR 2024 CAN BE VIEWED AT THE ALANO CLUB

THE 2023 Financials

INCOME	DECEMBER	TO DATE	%
GROUP DONATIONS	301.13	8598.80	32.7
INDIVIDUAL DONATIONS	96.31	5360.66	20.4
LITERATURE SALES	81.00	4746.05	18.1
COIN SALES	111.75	1370.05	5.2
LITERATURE DONATIONS	5.10	92.80	0.4
7TH TRADITION	17.00	157.00	0.6
X MAS DONATIONS	4159.97	5940.97	22.6
TOTAL INCOME	4772.26	26266.33	100.0
EXPENSES			
WAGES	542.99	6062.85	24.3
LITERATURE PURCHASES	294.62	4075.37	16.4
COIN PURCHASES	78.85	899.01	3.6
ALANO CLUB RENT	320.00	3692.50	14.8
ANSWERING SERVICE		1200.00	4.8
WELLS FARGO COPY LEASE	190.54	2095.91	8.4
SPECTRUM	39.99	479.88	1.9
OFFICE SUPPLIES	386.48	778.43	3.1
QRTLY STATE TAXES		204.71	0.8
QRTLY FED TAXES		992.51	3.9
RENT DONATION(CHURCH)		20.00	1.9
WEB EXPENSES	10.95	211.32	0.1
P.O. BOX		204.00	0.1
BUSINESS LICENSE		62.00	0.3
WORKMANS COMP		793.45	3.1
CHRISTMAS PARTY EXP	1712.01	3139.01	12.6
TOTAL EXPENSES	3576.43	24910.95	100.1
TOTAL INCOME	4772.26	26266.33	
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NET PROFIT/LOSS	1195.83	1355.38	
BEGINNING BALANCE	13487.95		
MONTH NET INCOME	1195.83		
TO PRUDENT RESERVE	-175.00		
PRUDENT RESERVE	4450.00		
ENDING BALANCE	14508.78		

Group Donations

ANDERSON AM SATURDAY	\$1,817.00
ANY LENGTHS GROUP - Anderson	\$850.00
AS BILL SEES IT	\$0.00
ATTITUDES IN ACTION	\$0.00
Band of Brothers Group	\$200.00
Beginnings Shasta Group	\$268.00
Big Book Study	\$0.00
CARRY THIS MESSAGE GRP	\$0.00
Double Winners Group	\$140.00
Down Stairs Group	\$0.00
FIRST THINGS FIRST	\$225.00
FLIMSY REED GROUP	\$215.75
FLOATING GROUP	\$165.08
FREE AT LAST I	\$325.00
FREE AT LAST II	\$500.00
FRIDAY NIGHT YOUNG PEOPLE	\$100.00
HAPPY VALLEY	\$0.00
HI RAILS GROUP	\$90.00
Hole in the Donut Group	\$40.00
HOT TOPICS GROUP	\$125.00
HOW IT WORKS GROUP	\$75.00
3 In 1 Group	\$8.00
IT'S ALL GOOD	\$301.00
LADIES NIGHT OUT GROUP	\$50.00
Lake Shastina Group	\$0.00
LANDING ZONE	\$100.00
3 LEGACIES GROUP	\$100.00
LEWISTON GROUP	\$110.00
LEWISTON OPEN DISC	\$0.00
Made A Decision Group	\$82.62
MIDDLE OF THE ROAD GRP	\$0.00
MIXED BAG	\$15.00
Monday Big Book Study	\$100.00
MONDAY MENS STAG 164267	\$240.00
MUSTARD SEED GROUP	\$500.00
NEW START	\$206.77
NOR CAL WINTERFEST MTG	\$1,340.50
NORTH VALLEY TRUDGERS	\$215.00
PALO CEDRO GROUP	\$15.00
PRAYER AND MEDITATION GRP	\$56.12
PRIMARY PURPOSE BB STDY	\$160.00
PROF. "DOC" MEETING	\$95.90
RED BLUFF LIVE & LET LIVE	\$0.00
RED BLUFF RECOVERY Roundup	\$250.00
REDDYPAA	\$100.00
RULE 62 GROUP	\$50.00
Solutions Group	\$100.00
SASTA GROUP, MT. SHASTA	\$0.00
Saturday Sisters Group	\$115.40
Shasta Beginners Group	\$50.00
SISTERS BY CHOICE	\$272.17
SOUNDNESS OF MIND GROUP	\$50.00
STEP SISTERS	\$296.74
STEPPING OUT SISTERS- REDDING	\$281.03
STEPS WE TOOK	\$609.19
SPIRITUAL PROGRESS	\$514.00
SUNDAY MORNING MTG	\$83.50
Sunday Morning Gratitude Mtg	\$140.00
THREE LEGACIES	\$0.00
THURS. MEN'S STAGG GROUP	\$100.00
THURS SAINT MICHAELS	\$0.00
TUES CONNECTION	\$0.00
Tue. Night Lit. Study	\$65.00
5 O'CLOCK SOMEWHERE	\$152.50
WE AGNOSTICS	\$40.00
WED. NIGHT CANDLELIGHT GRP.	\$100.00
WED NEWCOMERS	\$0.00
WED NIGHT LIVE	\$50.00
WOMEN FREEDOMBOUND	\$348.29
WNL GROUP	\$50.00
WOMEN ON THE WAGON GRP	\$0.00
7 @ 7 ZOOM GROUP	\$491.25
ZOOM BIG BOOK	\$105.50
ZOOM NEW START	\$122.67
MEN'S NO NAME GROUP	\$570.00
No Name	\$400.00
Young People Group	\$95.55

Events and Opportunities

"BEST HOLIDAY PARTY EVER!!!" WOULDN'T YOU AGREE?

"A big shoutout to our incredible NorCal Intergroup Holiday Party Committee members! Your hard work, creativity and dedication crafted a truly fun and festive Holiday Party. Thanks to each of you, our celebration was a tremendous success and am truly grateful for your outstanding contributions." Carmel M. (Holiday Party Chairperson 2023)

SHASTA COUNTY (Area 16) H & I Monthly Business Meeting ~ Tuesday, January 2nd

Shasta County H & I holds their monthly business meetings on the 1st Tuesday of the month, 6pm @ **the All Saints Church, Eaton Hall, 2150 Benton Drive, Redding**. For more information on Shasta County H & I, please contact the Area Chair, Renee P. @ 530-227-5445.

TRINITY COUNTY (Area 18) H & I Monthly Business Meeting ~ Wednesday, January 3rd

Trinity County H & I holds their monthly business meetings on the 1st Wednesday of the month, 7:30pm @ **St. Patrick's Catholic Church, 102 Church Street, Weaverville**. For more information on Tehama County H & I, please contact the Area Chair, Diane C @ 707-815-5042.

INTERGROUP Birthday Speaker Meeting ~ Saturday, January 6th

This is a regular monthly *Intergroup Birthday Speaker Meeting* held on the 1st Saturday of each month, celebrating birthday milestones with chips and cake, at 7pm @ **the All Saints Church, Memorial Hall, 2150 Benton Drive, Redding**. If your group would like to host a meeting, please contact Chris M. @ 707-548-1817. More information coming!

DISTRICT 9 (Siskiyou County) Monthly Business Meeting ~ Sunday, January 7th

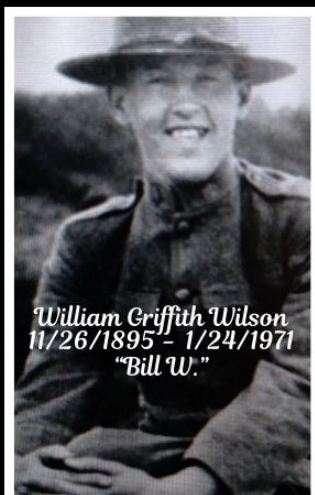
District 9 holds their monthly business meetings on the 1st Sunday of the month, 10:00-11:30 am. The meeting is hybrid. The physical meetings are held at **the Weed Community Center, 161 E. Lincoln Ave., Weed, CA**. The zoom **meeting ID is: 733 826 1415 / PW: 530530**. **Click HERE to attend.**

TEHAMA COUNTY (Area 17) H & I Monthly Business Meeting ~ Thursday, January 11th

Tehama County H & I holds their monthly business meetings on the 2nd Thursday of the month, 5:30pm @ **Red Bluff Presbyterian Church, 838 Jefferson St., Room 4 (in back of courtyard), Red Bluff**. For more information on Tehama County H & I, please contact the Area Chair, Michael V. @ 530-200-6872.

INTERGROUP Monthly Business Meeting ~ Tuesday, January 23rd

Intergroup open positions: co-sec, co Treasurer, co newsletter, co-outreach



William Griffith Wilson
11/26/1895 - 1/24/1971
"Bill W."

New York Times/Jan. 26th, 1971
"Bill W. leaves a program of recovery to 495,000 acknowledged alcoholics in 15,000 AA groups throughout the U.S. and in 88 countries." In Bill's own recovery from alcoholism, he envisioned with fiery enthusiasm a chain reaction among drunks, one carrying the message to the next. He emphasized the mental obsession that alcoholics have around alcohol coupled with the physical allergy. He leaves a legacy of hope for all suffering from the disease of alcoholism.

PARAPHRASED BY PATTY H.