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Bookmarks

Early History

The goal of the steering committee was to create an open AA discussion meeting that draws upon various literature such as AA pamphlets, AA newsletters, AA manuals and guidelines, AA books, and other historical materials as source documents. The meeting format is varied – panel discussion, interactive, workshop, or narrative.

The meeting is held at 6:00 pm Monday evenings at Covenant Baptist Church, 7001 Williams Drive, Corpus Christi, Texas 78412. Average attendance is 10-12 members per meeting. The meeting is non-smoking and an open discussion format listed with the local Intergroup Association.

The meeting format is designed to allow for as much discussion time as possible within the one-hour time frame. Changes from local custom – reading “How It Works” and “The Twelve Traditions” are omitted. The weekly chairman does not make a qualifying statement. The only chip offered at the meeting is a white desire chip at the opening of the meeting. Oral announcements are not made. Attendees reciting the AA Responsibility Statement conclude the meeting rather than the Lord’s Prayer.

The opening meeting on October 6, 2008 saw the steering committee perform the AA Traditions Play. Since then, topics have ranged from Information on Alcoholics Anonymous, Questions & Answers on Sponsorship, The AA Group-Where It All Begins, Self Support: Where Money and Spirituality Mix, Box 4-5-9, A Member’s-Eye View of AA, AA Tradition – How It Developed, Markings, 44 Questions, Is AA For Me, Is AA For You, Problems Other Than Alcohol, The AA Member-Medications and Other Drugs, Understanding Anonymity, Three Talks to Medical Societies by Bill W., Young People in AA, a Grapevine Workshop, and so on.

The meeting was not originally registered as a group with Alcoholics Anonymous.

Subsequent Developments

On October 19, 2009 Bookmarks officially registered as a group with the General Service Office. The group elected a GSR and Alternate GSR and began disbursing funds to various service entities.

A second weekly meeting was added at 6:00 pm Thursday. The purpose to the Thursday meeting was to read and discuss books about AA. The first book chosen to read was "Language of the Heart."

- James H. (12.17.1993) Bookmarks, Corpus Christi, TX

Editor's Note: This is the sixth of a series of articles on the history of AA Groups in the Coastal Bend Area. If your group's history has not been documented and submitted to the CBIA and you would like to have your history published, send it to cbia@grandecom.net.

Step 1 - Honesty

Step 1: We admitted we were powerless over alcohol and our lives had become unmanageable.

In over 20 years of drinking, I never once entertained the possibility that I might be an alcoholic -- in spite of overwhelming evidence that I was. I never drank moderately; I drank like a wet and dry shop vacuum from the start.

Then the two week binge that got me into AA scared the hell out of me. The rate of progression accelerated. I found myself doing things I said I would never do -- drinking in the morning; missing work because of drinking. Worst of all, in the middle of that binge, alcohol stopped working for me -- it stopped killing the pain and it stopped taking me to oblivion. I was afraid that if I continued drinking I would go crazy and if I stopped I would fly apart. I was afraid that life as I had known it was about to end and it did. What I did not know is that was a good thing.

The precursor to Step One is Step Zero: This stuff has to stop. I had that one nailed down before I got here. I was sick of hangovers; sick of blackouts; sick of trying to explain things I could not remember; sick of inexplicable dents in my car; sick of trying to find the damn car for that matter; sick of fights with my ex- about my drinking; sick of the struggle to hide my drinking; sick of hiding bottles and forgetting where I put them; sick and tired of being sick and tired. Without that, I would never have gone to my first meeting. I aspired to be a member of the Farmington Country Club. I did not aspire to be a member of Alcoholics Anonymous.

The first step is actually quite simple --

- Alcoholism is an insidious, incurable, progressive, killer disease and
- I have it.

The first half of step one, "We admitted we were powerless over alcohol" means there is no hope I will ever be able to control my drinking. For 20 years I tried to find a better strategy for

managing my drinking. Today I know that thinking you need a strategy for your drinking is a sure sign of an alcoholic. Social drinkers do not need a strategy -- when they start to feel it they stop. I never thought like that. I never even wanted to think like that. Why would you want to stop when it was just getting good?

Being powerless over alcohol means that I cannot safely drink. I believe that for me to start drinking again would set off a chain reaction in my life that would resemble a major train wreck. I believe that for me to drink would be to play Russian Roulette with only one empty chamber.

I had more trouble with the second half of the first step: "We admitted that our lives had become unmanageable." Do not tell me my life is unmanageable. I had been a professional manager for 15 years. The externals of my life looked great. I had a great job, a corner office, a 10-year-old relationship, a lovely home, a new car and two Pekinese who adored me.

And then it occurred to me that I had surrounded myself with non-alcoholic adult children who were doing for me things I should have done for myself. My ex- got me up, fed, dressed and headed for the office. My secretary told me when it was time to go to a meeting or go home. I had delegated everything to the people who worked for me and then I forgot who I gave it to. I would have foolish staff meetings where I would say things like "Could we have an update on this project?" I had no idea who was working on what. I just hoped somebody was.

I realized I was bankrupt -- spiritually, emotionally, physically, and mentally. I had chug-a-lugged myself into a deep hole that I could not get myself out of. Continuing to hang on as I had been was hopeless. So I decided to surrender.

~ Rob M. (2.24.1985) 5th Tradition Group, Corpus Christi, TX

MINUTES

CBIA BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING

November 10th 2014

I. OPENING:

- **Ron** opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer at 6:01 PM.
- **A.J.** read the CBIA Mission Statement.
- **Ed** read the 12 Traditions.

II. ATTENDANCE

- **Ron S.** (*Chair*), **Andrea G.** (*Vice Chair*), **George D.** (*Treasurer*), **A.J. A.** (*Trustee*), **Joe R.** (*Trustee*), **Johnie S.** (*Trustee*), **Mike B.** (*Trustee*), **Ed B.** (*Trustee-elect*), and **Rob M.** (*Office Manager*) were present.
- **Kelly J.** (*Assistant Office Manager*) was not present.

III. MINUTES:

- Minutes of the October 27th Quarterly Meeting were reviewed.
 - **Mike** moved to approve the minutes as revised. **Johnie** seconded. Motion carried.

IV. FINANCIAL REPORTS:

- **George** presented the October Financial Report.
- **Balance Sheet:** Total CBIA funds as of October 31st were \$17,902.28; \$50.00 in Petty Cash; \$3,839.46 in Checking; \$12,599.62 in Prudent Reserve and \$1,413.20 in the Jamboree Account.
- **Profit & Loss** for the month of August: Contributions \$2,053.24; Gross Sales (*Books, Chips & Medallions*) \$2,566.75 (less Cost of Goods Sold \$2,113.50); Gross Gain for the month \$2,506.49; Total Expenses were \$2,670.98 for a Net Loss of \$164.49 for the month.
 - **Johnie** moved to approve the financial report as presented. **A.J.** seconded. Motion carried.

V. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- **12th Step:** **A.J.** said the Helpline is working well. We are working on a workshop for helpline staff.
- **PI/CPC:** **Andrea G. Tonya C.** gave an AA talk to the parents of Early Head Start kids. District 8D will host the Area 68 Southwest Texas PI/CPC Convention in Corpus Christi in September 2015.
- **Corrections:** **Joe R.** continues to support meetings at Reality Ranch and SATF. He noted that a request to provide AA meetings at CRTC (Court Residential Treatment Center) in Sinton was referred to George who is also the DCM for District 15.
- **Coastal Bender:** **Mike B.** said the BENDER was going out on time and in good shape.
- **Bilingual:** **Andrea G.** had nothing to report.
- **Nominations:** **Mike** reported that four new trustees were elected at the October Quarterly Meeting.

- **Social:** **Johnie S.** said the Halloween Dance was a success. She will have a final financial report after the Social Committee Meeting this coming Saturday. She was confident that revenue from the sales of admission tickets and raffle tickets covered all expenses (*except for rent to All Saints which was covered by an anonymous donation.*)
- **Jamboree:** **Ron S.** said the flier / registration form is being finalized and is scheduled to be mailed out the week of Thanksgiving. Rob will send the form with Bits & Pieces (11.15) and the BENDER (12.01).
- **Archives:** **Ron S.** stated that he will display CBIA archives in binders at the Jamboree. Rob stated that he planned to run an article by Randy F., (CBIA Office Manager from 1995 – 2006) on the history of Coastal Bend Intergroup Association during that period in a future issue of the Coastal BENDER.

VI. **OFFICE REPORT**

- **Office Update** – Rob M. stated that since there were no objections to the letter he proposed declining to accept contributions from the non-alcoholic relatives of a deceased member of AA, he would return the checks with the letter.

VII. **OLD BUSINESS:**

- None.

VIII. **NEW BUSINESS:**

- An email just received from District 8E DCM **K.C.H.** alleging the unauthorized sale of copyrighted material at the 2014 Jamboree was reviewed. The consensus was that Rob would draft a statement to be signed by the vendor stating that we do not want him to do that. The statement will be circulated to the trustees and if acceptable, the Jamboree chair will be asked to send it to the vendor.
- There was some discussion about whether or not we could afford to have a New Year's Eve Dance this year. Given that the rent on the facility will be covered by an anonymous contribution and that the revenue from the Halloween Dance covered all expenses except for the rent, the consensus was that we would have a New Year's Eve Dance.

IX. **NEXT MEETINGS**

- Next Monthly **CBIA Board of Trustees Meeting** is scheduled for Monday, December 8th at 6:00 PM in the CBIA Office.
- Next **CBIA Quarterly Association Meeting** is scheduled for 6:00 PM on Monday, January 26th 2015 at All Saints Episcopal Church (*3026 S Staples, where the last quarterly meeting was held*).

XI. **CLOSING:**

- **Mike** moved to adjourn. **Johnie** seconded. Motion carried
- **Ron** closed the meeting with prayer at 6:57 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Rob Marek
Office Manager



Bender Bits & Pieces



CBIA Office Holiday Schedule

The CBIA Office will be closed for one day only:

New Year's Day, Thursday 01.01.2015.

The office will re-open the following day for our normal business hours:

January 2nd, Friday 01.02.2015.

While the office is closed the Helpline Committee will answer the phones 24 hours a day.

Special Events

Area 68 South West Texas Winter Workshop (January 30th – February 1st in Fulton) *

The Winter Workshop for this Area will be held January 30th – February 1st in Fulton. It will be hosted by District 15 at the Fulton Convention Center. *(See the attached flier for details.)*

2015 Coastal Bend Jamboree (January 23rd – 25th, 2015 in CC) *

The 61st Annual Coastal Bend Jamboree will be held January 23rd – 25th at the Holiday Inn Marina (707 N. Shoreline Blvd in Corpus Christi). This popular conference is the premier event each year in Coastal Bend area AA and must not be missed. **The final flier / registration form is attached.**

Some of us who know we will be attending the Jamboree and have the funds are sending in our registration now. It would be help with the Jamboree's cash flow if you can do that.

The Jamboree will be held at the Holiday Inn Marina for one year only while the third floor of the Omni Bay Front is re-done. Attached is a flier for the hotel, which is offering a special conference rate of \$111. Free parking will be provided.



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2015 International Convention (*July 2-5, 2015 in Atlanta, GA*) *

Every five years AA has an international convention. The last one was in San Antonio in 2010. The next one will be in Atlanta, GA July 2nd thru July 5th, 2015.

The four-page registration form attached provides a wealth of information about the conference, the city and the registration and hotel reservation process. Forms are available in the intergroup office and at many meetings. The registration form is attached in PDF format.

On-line registration started September 3rd. You must register (*at www.aa.org under "Online Registration"*) in order to make a hotel reservation at the conference rate. If you know you will be attending, you should register and make hotel reservations as soon as possible in order to reserve a room convenient to the convention.



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Service Opportunities

2015 Coastal Bend Jamboree Committee (January 10th in CC)

The 2015 Jamboree Committee will meet at 9:30 AM on Saturday, January 10th at the Alanos Cottage (1635 18th Street at Fig in Corpus Christi). The final walk through meeting will be held at 6:00 PM on Thursday, January 23rd at the hotel.

Volunteers Needed for 2015 SWT Area 68 Winter Workshop (January 30-Feb 1st 2015 in Fulton)

District 15 is hosting the Southwest Texas Area 68 Winter Workshop January 30th – February 1st in Fulton. The next host committee meeting will be immediately after the monthly District 15 Meeting at 3:00 PM on Saturday January 17th at 814 Wharf Street in Rockport. Get involved in planning this workshop. Service opportunities are available.

Volunteers Needed to Carry the Message in Corrections Facilities

Volunteers are needed to carry the message to alcoholics in corrections facilities. You must be at least 18 years old and not been in trouble with the law (*arrested, incarcerated, pending, etc.*) for at least 18 months. In these situations, men work with men and women work with women.

SATF – Corpus Christi

1. **Attend Meetings** to support separate men's and women's meetings at 8:00 PM on alternate Fridays. (*NA provides meetings every other Friday.*)
2. **Activity Sponsors** take people to meetings once a week or so. (*Minimum one year sober and prior clearance.*)
3. **Step Sponsors** work the steps with people. (*Minimum two years sober and prior clearance.*)



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Service Opportunities (Continued)

Volunteers Needed to Carry the Message in Corrections Facilities (Continued)

Reality Ranch – Corpus Christi

1. **Attend Meetings** to support a men's meeting at 8:00 PM every Sunday.
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Live Oak County Jail – George West

1. **Attend Meetings** to support a men's meeting at 7:00 PM every Wednesdays. *(Prior clearance is required).*

If you are interested in any of these service opportunities,

- Women should call District 8D Corrections Chair Joyce T. at (361) 549-9321.
- Men should call CBIA Corrections Trustee Joe R. at (361) 510-9509 for facilities in Corpus Christi.
- Men should call Dist 8E Corrections Chair Jesse T. at (361) 815-3239 for Live Oak County Jail.

Where clearance is required, provide Joyce or Joe your full name, as it appears on your driver's license and your driver's license number and state at least a week prior to service.

Local Stories Wanted for the BENDER

Consider writing your recovery or an article on an AA discussion topic for publication in this newsletter. Submit your article to cbia@grandecom.net in a Word document or similar format.

Raffle Items Needed for Coastal Bend Jamboree *

The Coastal Bend Jamboree Committee is in need of raffle items for the Jamboree, such as:

- **Gently used items** *(things that you could re-gift),*
- **Gift Cards** *(from restaurants or stores),*



Service Opportunities (Continued)

Raffle Items Needed for Coastal Bend Jamboree (Continued)

- **Outdoor activity items** (*beach trips, fishing, yoga, movies*),
- **Other items** (*coffee accessories, tool sets, valentine goodies, sports fan accessories*),
- **Monetary donations**, but
- **Please, no clothing.**

Donations can be dropped off at the CBIA Office during business hours (*Monday – Friday 7:30 – 11:30 AM and 1:30 – 5:30 PM*) or call Dina P. (361) 331-8849 or John W. (361) 877-1642. (*See enclosed flier.*)

2015 Jamboree Committee Needs Gear

The Committee needs donations of light-duty display easels. If you have unwanted display easels (*suitable for holding foam-core posters – not for holding flip charts*) that you are willing to give to the Committee, they could be used for this and subsequent Jamborees. If you can accommodate this request, please contact Carolyn K at (361) 779-3971

Volunteers Needed for PI/CPC Conference (September 2015 in CC) *

There are many diverse service opportunities for AA members (*including newcomers*) for the Area 68 Public Information / Cooperation with the Professional Community Conference which will be held in Corpus Christi in September of next year. We will need:

- Meeting Chairs
- Hospitality
- Bilingual
- Registration
- Special Needs
- Audio / Visual
- General Volunteers

Enclosed is a volunteer sign-up sheet. GSR's & DCM's gathering names of volunteers for their group or district, should submit the forms for new (*additional*) volunteers at least monthly (*e.g. August 1st; September 1st; and October 1st etc.*) so the volunteers can be contacted. Refer any questions to John W. at (361) 877-1642 or jmwatson52@gmail.com.



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Service Opportunities (Continued)

Volunteers Needed for PI/CPC Conference (Continued) *

Volunteers will be invited to attend the final committee meeting in August 2015 to meet with their respective Sub-Committee Chairs.

January Helpline Schedule / 12 Step List *

Attached is the Helpline schedule for January. These are the volunteers who are making sure that the hand of AA is available 24 hours a day in the Coastal Bend area by answering the phones overnight (5 PM to 8 AM) and on weekends (8 AM Saturday to 8 AM Sunday; or 8AM Sunday to 8 AM Monday). A minimum of six months sobriety is required to answer the phones. The helpline is pretty well staffed at present.

If someone needs help beyond meeting information, the helpline passes them to someone on the 12-Step List for a longer conversation and maybe a visit to discuss how to get sober and stay sober. A minimum of two years sobriety is required to be on the 12-Step List. We can always use more people on the 12-Step List. We especially need people (*particularly women*) in the surrounding area (*like Beeville and Alice*). If you would like to be on the 12-Step List or on the Helpline, call Rob or Kelly at the CBIA Office (361) 992-8911 or (866) 672-7029.



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Group / Meeting Changes

Port Aransas Group Returns to Winter Hours *(Daily in Port A)*

The Port Aransas Group has returned to their Winter Hours. Their daily meetings will now start at 7:00 PM instead of 8:00 PM. This does not apply to the Speak & Eat Meeting the 3rd Saturday of each month. The potluck supper will still start at 7:00 PM and the Speaker Meeting will still start at 8:00 PM. They meet at Trinity by the Sea Episcopal Church (433 Trojan in Port Aransas).

Port Aransas Serenity Sisters *(Tuesdays in Port A)*

A new women's group has formed in Port Aransas. The Serenity Sisters meet at 8:00 PM on Tuesdays at Trinity by Sea Episcopal Church (433 Trojan in Port Aransas). This is a closed discussion meeting.



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District Meetings

District 7

District 7 will not have a district meeting in January 2015.

District 8C Next Meeting (*Saturday, January 17th in Kingsville*) *

District 8C's next meeting will be at 1:30 PM on Saturday, January 17th at the Serenity Club (819 N. Third Street in Kingsville).

District 8D Next Meeting (*Saturday, January 17th in CC*)

District 8D's next will be at 2:00 PM on Saturday, January 17th at Humility (2777D S. Staples at Annapolis in Bel Air Center in Corpus Christi).

District 8E Next Meeting (*Saturday, January 17th in CC*)

District 8E's next meeting will be at 2:00 PM on Saturday, January 17th at the 24 Hour Club (302 S. Brownlee at Laredo in Corpus Christi).

District 15 Next Meeting (*Saturday, January 17th in Rockport*)

District 15's next meeting will be at 2:00 PM on Saturday January 17th at 814 Wharf Street in Rockport). The host committee for the Fall Winter Workshop in Fulton will meet immediately after the district meeting at 3:00 PM in the same venue.



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Save the Dates

*(Future Events - Fliers included for events flagged with an *.)*

Coastal Bend Jamboree *(January 23rd – 25th in CC) **

SWT Area 68 Winter Workshop *(January 30th – February 1st 2014 in Fulton) **

2015 International Convention *(July 2-5, 2015 in Atlanta) **

2015 Area 68 SW Texas PI/CPC Conference *(September 2015 in CC)*

AA Meeting Schedules for Our Area

Current AA meeting schedules for areas serviced by the Coastal Bend Intergroup are attached:

- **AA Meetings in Corpus Christi ***
- **AA Meetings in CC Surrounding Area ***
- **AA Meetings in Victoria and Surrounding Area ***

Bender Mission Statement

Our primary purpose is to carry the AA message to the still suffering alcoholic. A secondary purpose of The Bender is to keep the CBIA Area of South Texas informed as to the events, meeting changes, Board of Trustee actions / decisions, and other news of interest to AA's in the area. Finally, as a newsletter we provide a forum for the broad spectrum of views held by our members. Publication of any article submitted will be at the discretion of the Bender Editor as advised by the CBIA Board. A controversial subject, as long as it does not concern an outside issue and involves principles and not personalities, will be considered for publication. As a general guideline, any letter or article that is of interest to members of AA and in good taste is worthy of publication. However, an article or letter that advocates ignoring or violating the Traditions, Concepts, or General Service Conference actions will not be considered for publication. All decisions will be made under the direction of God as expressed through our group conscience.



Terry H.	Just For Today Group	01/01/2002	13 Years
Terry K.	Sunset Seven Group	01/01/2000	15 Years
Franz W.	New Life Group	01/01/1983	32 Years
Merced P.	New Phoenix Group	01/01/1986	29 Years
CeCe P.	Bookmarks Group	01/04/2000	15 Years
Pat P.	District 15	01/01/1974	41 Years
Carrie S.	District 15	01/05/2002	13 Years
Frank A.	Hilltoppers Group	01/07/1985	30 Years
John H.	New Phoenix Group	01/07/1985	30 Years
Bobby W.	Weber Nooners Group	01/07/2006	9 Years
Ceil Mc K.	Nueces Bay Group	01/11/1982	33 Years
Doreen H.	Weber Nooners Group	01/11/2006	9 Years
Brad W.	Weber Nooners Group	01/14/1978	37 Years
Franny J.	Turning Point Group	01/15/2008	7 Years
Randy F.	New Life Group	01/20/1999	16 Years
Pat L.	Nueces Bay Group	01/20/2001	14 Years
Sandra E .	Weber Nooners Group	01/20/2011	3 Years
Donna K.	Weber Nooners Group	01/21/1986	29 Years
Michael A.	Calallen Group	01/22/2006	9 Years
George F.	Weber Nooners Group	01/23/1972	43 Years
Jackie B.	Portland Jaywalkers	01/23/1988	27 Years
Rae T.	Bookmarks Group	01/23/2006	8 Years
Pam D.	Hilltoppers Group	01/24/2009	6 Years
Linda M.	Weber Nooners Group	01/25/1991	24 Years
Tom G.	New Phoenix Group	01/26/1986	29 Years
Daniel B.	New Life Group	01/28/2011	4 Years
Jimmy K.	AL-K Group	01/29/1997	18 Years

Don't see your group's birthdays? For best results e-mail your group's birthdays to CBIA at cbia@grandecom.net.

December 2014

	<u>OFFICE HOURS/District 7</u>		<u>AFTER HOURS</u>	<u>YEAR TO DATE</u>
12TH STEP CALLS	2	1	0/0	47/13
INFORMATIONAL CALLS	150	15	<i>After Hours only tracks 12th Step calls.</i>	

Intergroup Meetings

CBIA Board of Trustees Monthly Meeting will be held Monday January 12th at 6:00 PM in the CBIA Office (3833 S. Staples, Suite S-212).

CBIA Quarterly Association Meeting will be held Monday, January 26th at 6:00 PM at All Saints Episcopal Church (3026 S. Staples in CC). Each group gets a vote at this meeting.

District Meetings

See Bits & Pieces section for information on district meetings in the Coastal Bend area:

- District 7** (Victoria Area)
- District 8C** (Kingsville - Alice Area)
- District 8D** (Corpus Christi Area)
- District 8E** (Corpus Christi Area)
- District 15** (Portland, Port A, AP, Rockport Area)

Group Announcements

New Phoenix Group Conscience is held the last Sunday of the month at 2:00PM. **Birthday Night** is first Saturday of the month at 8:00PM. **Potluck Supper** is second Saturday of the month at 7:00 PM. (5433 S. Staples, Suite F in The Boardwalk.)

Hilltoppers Group Conscience is the 1st Tuesday of the month following the Noon meeting. (First United Methodist Church, 900 S. Shoreline Dr., Room 244)

Weber Road Nooners Group Conscience is held the 1st Saturday of each Quarter (Jan/Apr/Jul/Oct) following the 10:00AM meeting. **Birthdays** are celebrated the first Monday of each month at noon. (Travis Baptist Church, 5802 Weber Road at Schanen, park in rear, meeting upstairs.)

Calallen Group Conscience is held the 3rd Wednesday of each month following the 6:30PM meeting, **Birthday Night** is the 1st Saturday of the month. (Potluck at 6:30PM, Meeting at 8:00PM). (Pass it on Club, 11425 Leopard (Hilltop).

Flour Bluff Unity Group Conscience is held the 2nd Sunday of each month at noon. **Birthday Night** is the 1st Saturday of the month with **Potluck Supper** at 7:00 PM and **Birthday Meeting** at 8:00PM at The Anchor Club (320 Anchor St. in CC).

Turning Point Group Conscience is held the 1st Wednesday of each month. **Birthday Meeting** is last Saturday of the month.

Group Contributions		
GROUP NAME	Dec. 2014	YTD 2014
ICYPAA		106.71
Alanos		300.00
Alice		60.00
Alive & Free		
Aransas Pass	22.00	138.00
Beeville - Hope Group		
Beeville - Serenity Group		
Beeville - Shepherd's Group		
Beeville - Freedom Group		
Bookmarks Group		200.00
Calallen Group (Pass It On)		1157.29
Clean & Serene Group		
Crosstown Group		
Cullen Mall Group		250.00
Daily Reprieve Group	100.00	200.00
District7	81.19	973.98
District 8D		
District 8E		23.00
Early Morning Fellowship		
Falfurrias - 2nd Chance Group		115.00
Fellowship Group @ Charlie's Place		760.00
Fifth Tradition Group		95.00
Flour Bluff Unity Group		
Friday Night Speaker Meeting		
Goliad Open Arms Group		43.59
Hilltoppers Group		500.00
Humility Group		50.00
Ingleside Living Sober Group		
Just for Today Group		
Karnes City - Mayfield Group		190.00
Kingsville - AL-K Group	500.00	
Mathis-Crossroads Group		60.00
Mountain Toppers		60.00
Newcomers Meeting		
New Life Group		35.00
New Phoenix Group	276.41	880.58
New Women's Group	83.45	618.62
Oso Group		390.00
Port Aransas Day Tripper's Group		
Port Aransas Group		150.00
Portland - Jaywalkers Group		150.00
Portland - Nueces Bay Group		
Primary Purpose Group		
Riviera Group		
Robstown Group		
Rockport - Anything Goes Group		225.00
Rockport - Happy Hour Group		160.00
Rockport - Fellowship Group	400.00	1050.00
Rodd Field Group		
Rx for Sobriety		
Sandia Group		53.00
Skidmore Group		50.00
Sunset 7 Group (N Padre Island)		284.70
T-3 Group		43.00
Three Rivers - Choke Canyon Group		75.00
Turning Point Group		163.97
Victoria Women's Group		45.00
Weber Road Nooners Group		2674.20
Wenholz Women's Group		60.00
Anonymous/Individual Contribution	289.75	1,869.25
TOTAL		\$15,199.64