

CBIA, 3833 S. Staples Suite S-212, Corpus Christi, TX 78411 (361) 992-8911 or Toll Free 1 (866) 672-7029 www.cbiaa.org "When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there. And for that I am responsible."*



The New Attitude Group's **Day of AA in Corpus Christi** was held on Saturday, April 14th at St. John's United Methodist Church (5300 S. Alameda in Corpus Christi). Approximately 150 - 200 people attended this popular event.



Founded in 1997, Clean & Serene is the Coastal Bend's only GLBT (*Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual & Transgender*) meeting. They meet at 8:00 PM on Fridays in the Pantry Building behind All Saints Episcopal Church (3026 S. Staples in Corpus Christi).

Taking Care of Yourself

Discharging or Re-Charging

As a sponsor in AA and other 12 step programs, I imagine that I have a virtual battery gauge -- similar to the battery gauge in my old truck that let me know if the batteries in the truck and the connected Airstream were being re-charged by the alternator or if they were discharging and running down without being re-charged.

On a 2,200 mile road trip with my Airstream travel trailer, I did notice that the battery was discharging as I drove. The alternator was not re-charging the batteries. After stopping in a remote rest area to walk my dog, I couldn't re-start the truck because the batteries were dead. I have since learned to watch this and other gauges more closely.

As a member of the fellowship helping others and, especially, as a sponsor, I need to watch my internal virtual battery gauge. If I'm in good shape physically and spiritually, then working with others can actually re-charge my battery -- as long as I remain detached and don't take on other people's problems as my own. It is as if the current from my higher power flows through me to them, recharging my battery in the process.

If I'm not in good shape, physically and spiritually; if I take on their problems as my own; if I don't accept that I can't fix them or their problems, then my battery is running down and I'm headed for trouble. This is much harder with relatives and close friends in whom I have a lot invested.

When I was five years sober I was spending all my AA socializing time hanging out with the small flock of newcomers I was sponsoring. I was not spending much time with my sponsor or other old timers. I got damn near as crazy as the newcomers were. One day when we were all a hot mess at the same time, the thought occurred to me I should load them all in my convertible and drive to the bridge so we could all jump together.

I have since learned that if I don't take care of myself, I won't be much help to anybody else. When I was a teenager and being trained to be a lifeguard, the Red Cross taught me to think of my own safety first and then do whatever I could to help others without putting myself at risk. Otherwise, we would both drown.

In 1995, the theme of a convention I attended in Connecticut was "Everybody has a higher power." They gave out refrigerator magnets with the theme on them. My sponsor had me add "and it's not you, Rob" to my magnet before I stuck it on my refrigerator.

Taking care of myself means not letting myself get too

- Hungry
- Angry
- Lonely or
- Tired.

Taking Care of Yourself (Continued)

Taking care of myself means going to meetings and talking about what's going on with me. Taking care of myself means not withholding anything from my sponsor.

If I were forced to pick a single slogan as my very favorite, it would be "Do the next right thing." I use that a lot. Over the years people have frequently misquoted me. "Do the next best thing" means something entirely different.

Anything I need to do to take care of myself is a right thing. All of the suggestions of the program are right things. However, if I'm hungry the NEXT right thing is to eat something. If I'm angry, the NEXT right thing is to step away from the situation so I don't do or say something I will regret later and process the anger -- to ask "What am I afraid of". If I'm lonely, the NEXT right thing is often to make a sober contact and talk about what's going on with me with my Sponsor or another member of the program. If I'm tired, the NEXT right thing is to take a nap or go to bed early. If I'm restless irritable and discontent and I've missed several of my regular meetings, the NEXT right thing is to go to a meeting.

- Rob M. (2.24.1985) Weber Road Nooners Group, Corpus Christi, TX

MINUTES

CBIA BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING March 12th 2018

I. <u>OPENING:</u> (6:00PM)

- **Franny** opened the meeting with the **Serenity Prayer** at 6:05 PM;
- Rosa read the CBIA Mission Statement:
- Harold read the General Warranties: and
- Linda read the 12 Traditions.

II. <u>ATTENDANCE:</u>

- Franny J. (Vice Chair), Harold B. (Financial Trustee), Linda K. (Kingsville AK-K Group), Rosa T. (Trustee), and Rob M (Office Manager) were present.
- Jimmy V. (Chair), Terry M. (Trustee), and Kelly J. (Asst Office Manager) were not present.

III. MINUTES:

- Minutes of the Board Meeting of February 12th were reviewed.
 - o Harold moved to approve the minutes as read. Rosa seconded. Motion carried.

IV. FINANCIAL REPORTS:

- Harold presented the February Financial Report:
 - Balance Sheet: Total CBIA funds as of February 28th totaled \$46,408.96;
 \$50.00 in Petty Cash; \$24,804.05 in Checking; \$12,604.05 in Prudent Reserve and \$8,950.86 in the Jamboree Account.
 - **Profit & Loss** for the month of January: Group & Individual Contributions \$295.53; Jamboree Contribution \$15,549.57 Gross Sales (*Books, Chips & Medallions*) \$1.170.75 (*less Cost of Goods Sold \$860.04*); Gross Gain for the month was \$16,155.81; Total Expenses were \$2,504.68; for a Net Gain of \$13,651.13 for the month.
- Linda moved to approve the December Financial Report. Rosa seconded. Motion carried.
- Harold presented the proposed 2018 Budget. Highlights include:
 - o Net revenues and expenses equal to \$40,104;
 - o Net revenues are budgeted equal to last year's actual net revenues;
 - o Last year's surplus is the source of increasing prudent reserve by one month
 - o Increasing Prudent Reserve to 5 months of current expenses now; To 6 months at the end of the year.
 - o Giving back \$1,000 in AA literature contributions to corrections facilities, PI/CPC pamphlets & pamphlet racks, and AA Literature in Spanish.
 - o Increasing salaries of Office Manager and Assistant Office Manager from \$10 to \$11 an hour.
- Linda moved to approve the 2018 Budget as presented. Rosa seconded. Motion carried.

VI. SERVICE AREA REPORTS

- 12th Step: Jimmy was not present. Rob said the helpline is well staffed and running smoothly.
- <u>Archives</u>: Jimmy was not present. **Rob** said the CBIA archives will be displayed at Founder's Day in June.

VI. SERVICE AREA REPORTS (Continued)

- <u>Bilingual</u>: Rosario said she will commit to visiting the 10 Spanish-speaking groups in the Coastal Bend area during her rotation. Rob said he would go along to photograph the meeting rooms for the BENDER (and say only "Mi llamo Roberto, soy alcohólico.")
- <u>Coastal Bender</u>: Terry was not present. **Rob** said Terry reviewed the **Bender** before it was published. It went out on time.
- Corrections: Linda K. said CBIA's 2018 Budget provides for donating 4 cases of books for corrections (3 in English; 1 in Spanish). She plans to visit other corrections facilities, in addition to the facility she supports.
- <u>Jamboree</u>: Franny J. said she and **Rob** attended the wrap-up meeting for the 2018 Jamboree. The event was a success by any standard. The net profit of \$15,549.57 was donated to CBIA. The Jamboree Committee will be on hiatus until July.
- <u>Nominations</u>: Franny J. said she has a good candidate for the open Trustee position to be elected at the April 30th Quarterly Meeting. She is working on an Intergroup workshop to be held after a District 8D meeting this summer. We are considering having a CBIA table at Founder's Day.
- **PI/CPC: Terry M**. was not present. **Rob** said **Terry** plans to have a booth at the **ROSC Fair** in May. She also plans to place four literature racks stocked with pamphlets in the community.
- <u>Social</u>: Rosario said Founder's Day will be Saturday June 9th at All Saints Episcopal Church in Corpus Christi.

VI. OFFICE REPORT:

- **Rob** said we have been billed \$902.66 as our share of the annual rent escalation adjustment. This standard lease provision compensates the landlord for increases in operating expenses (*utilities*, *taxes*, *etc.*) since the original lease was signed.
 - o **Harold** moved that we pay the rent escalation adjustment. **Rosa** seconded. Motion carried.

VII. OLD BUSINESS:

• None.

VIII. NEW BUSINESS:

• None.

IX. <u>NEXT MEETING:</u>

• Next CBIA Board of Trustees meeting will be on Monday April 9th at 6:00 PM in the CBIA Office.

X. NEXT QUARTERLY MEETING:

• Next CBIA Quarterly Association meeting is scheduled for 6:00 PM on Monday April 30th at All Saints Episcopal Church (3026 S Staples). We will elect one new trustee at that meeting.

XI. CLOSING: Our Father.

- Linda moved to adjourn. Rosa seconded. Motion carried.
- **Franny** closed the meeting with prayer at 7:15 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Rob M.

Office Manager









Holiday Happenings - Memorial Day (Monday, May 28th)

CBIA Office Closed (Monday, May 28th in CC)

The Coastal Bend Intergroup Office will be closed Monday, May 28th in observation of Memorial Day. The helpline committee will answer the phones while the office is closed. The office will re-open at 7:30 AM on Tuesday, May 29th for normal business hours.

Weber Nooners Holiday Meeting at 10:00 AM (Monday, May 28th in CC)

The Weber Road Nooners Group will have a 10:00 AM holiday meeting on Monday, May 28th in addition to the regularly scheduled noon meeting on that day. The Weber Road Nooners' Group meets at Travis Baptist Church (5802 Weber Road at Schanen in Corpus Christi).

Hilltoppers No Meetings when Church is Closed (Monday, May 28th in CC)

The Hilltoppers Group does not have meetings on days when the church is closed for holidays – Monday, May 28th. Hilltoppers meets in First Methodist Church (900 S. Shoreline, Room 244). This includes the noon meeting and the 5:30 PM meeting on that day.









Special Events

CBIA Trustee Election (Monday, April 30th in CC) *

At its quarterly meeting on April 30th, the Coastal Bend Intergroup Association elected **Ron S.** (5th Tradition Group) **Trustee** for a term from May 2018 to January 2020. Ron will be the 12th Step / Helpline Trustee.

<u>District 15 Relationship Workshop</u> (Monday, May 19th in CC) *

District 15 is hosting a Relationship Workshop with Jim and Catherine A. at 5:00 PM on Saturday, May 19th, at 814 Wharf Street in Rockport. The workshop will follow the district meeting at 4:00 PM and be followed by dinner at 6:00 PM. The Rockport Fellowship Group has a speaker meeting at 7:00 PM -- all at the same venue.

CBIA Founder's Day (Saturday, June 9th in CC) *

Enclosed is a save the date flier for CBIA's Annual Founders' Day which will be held on Saturday, June 9th from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM at All Saints Episcopal Church (3026 S. Staples in Corpus Christi - where the event was held last year). \$7 includes lunch, speakers, entertainment and door prizes. There will also be a bake sale, raffle baskets and a silent auction.

SWTA 68 Summer Workshop (July 20th - 22nd in Victoria) *

District 7 is hosting the Southwest Texas Area 68 Summer Workshop at the Hilton Garden Inn (123 Huvar Street in Victoria.) See attached flier for details. This is an excellent opportunity to observe and participate in the business of AA at the area level without having to travel very far. Various service opportunities are available.









Service Opportunities

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.

SATF – Corpus Christi

- <u>Attend Meetings</u> to support separate men's and women's meetings at 8:00 PM on alternate Fridays. (NA provides meetings every other Friday.) (New development: prior clearance is now required to attend meetings at SATF.)
- <u>Activity Sponsors</u> take people to meetings once a week or so. (*Minimum one year sober and prior clearance*).
- <u>Step Sponsors</u> work the steps with people. (*Minimum two years sober and prior clearance*.)

Avalon (Formerly Reality Ranch) - Corpus Christi

• <u>Attend Meetings</u> to support a men's meeting at 8:00 PM every Sunday. (*Prior clearance is required*).

<u>Live Oak County Jail – George West</u>

• <u>Attend Meetings</u> to support a men's meeting at 7:00 PM every Wednesday. (*Prior clearance is required*).

If you are interested in any of these service opportunities, call the CBIA Office (361) 992-8911 during business hours (M-F7:30-11:30 AM and 1:30-5:30 PM)

Where clearance is required, provide us your full name, as it appears on your driver's license, your driver's license number and state and state of issue at least 3 weeks prior to service. You must also indicate which specific meeting(s) you plan to attend.

To volunteer in state prison facilities, you must complete a Department of Criminal Justice training session. This training is very helpful for people who volunteer in any corrections facility, but it is a prerequisite for state jails and prisons. The training is offered in state facilities in Beeville and elsewhere.









Service Opportunities (Continued)

Helpline / 12 Step List

The Helpline is staffed by 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 8 AM 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.

Local Stories Wanted for the BENDER

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

CBIA Founder's Day Committee Next Meeting (Sunday, May 6th in CC)

Be a part of planning and producing this fun event. Service opportunities are still available. The next organizational meeting will be held on Sunday, May 6th at 1:30 PM at New Phoenix (5433 S. Staples Suite H in the Boardwalk in Corpus Christi).









Coastal Bend Area District Meetings

District 7 (Saturday May 19th in Victoria)

District 7's next meeting will be on Saturday, May 19th at 9:00 AM at St. Francis Episcopal Church (3002 Miori Lane in Victoria).

District 8C (Kingsville Area)

District 8C does not currently have a DCM and no district meetings are scheduled at this time.

District 8D Next Meeting (Saturday May 26th in CC)

District 8D's next meeting will be at 2:00 PM on Saturday, May 26th at New Phoenix (5433 S. Staples, Suite H, in Corpus Christi).

District 8E (Saturday, May 12th in CC)

District 8E will meet at **1:30 PM** on Saturday, **May 12th** at the **Anchor Club** (320 Anchor Street in Corpus Christi).

District 15 (Saturday, May 19th)

District 15's next **district meeting** will be at **4:00 PM** on Saturday, **May 19th** at **814 Wharf Street** in Rockport. There will be a **Relationship Workshop** with Jim and Catherine A. at **5:00 PM** in the same venue, followed by **dinner** at **6:00 PM**. The Rockport Fellowship Group has a **speaker meeting** at **7:00 PM**, also at 814 Wharf Street in Rockport.









Group / Meeting Changes

Meetings Canceled

Ingleside Living Sober (Thursdays at 6:30 PM in Ingleside) (2)

The Ingleside Living Sober Group has folded. They met at 6:30 PM on Thursdays in Ingleside.

Blind Faith Group (Thursdays at 7:00 PM in CC) (2)

The Blind Faith Group has folded. They met at 7:00 PM on Thursdays at Our Lady of Pilar Church in CC.

Other Changes

Robstown Desire Group Moves to New Venue and Changes Meeting Days (2)

The Robstown Desire Group has moved next door to Templo Ebenezer (110 N. First Street in Robstown). They now meet on Mondays and **Thursdays** at 7:00 PM (They previously met at First Presbyterian Church on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays.)

Grace At 7 Group Changes Name / Format (Thursdays in CC) (1)

Originally called Grace After 5 this group required 5 years of sobriety to share in their meeting. They have re-named themselves Grace at 7 and dropped the sobriety requirement for sharing. They meet at Grace United Methodist Church (14521 Northwest Blvd on the Robstown / Calallen line) in a permanent building behind the church at 7:00 PM on Thursdays.

Rodd Field Group Changes Starting Time to 7:30 (Sundays in CC) (1)

The Rodd Field Group has changed the starting time for its Sunday meeting to 7:30 PM. (They previously met at 7:00 PM.) They meet at Bayview Behavioral Hospital (6629 Wooldridge Road in Corpus Christi).









Addresses for Group Contributions for 2018-2020

Coastal Bend Intergroup (Suggested 50% *)

CBIA

3833 S. Staples Suite S-212 Corpus Christi, TX 78411

Districts (Suggested 10% *)

District 7 Treasurer

P.O. Box 5324 Victoria, TX 77903

District 8E Treasurer

4025 Sweet Bay Dr. Corpus Christi, TX 78418 **District 8D Treasurer**

P.O. Box 61135 Corpus Christi, TX

District 15 Treasurer

2402 Twin Oaks Dr. Portland, TX 78374

Area 68 Southwest Texas (Suggested 10% *)

SWTA 68 Treasurer

P.O. Box 3136 Early, TX 76803

General Service Office (Suggested 30% *)

GSO

P.O. Box 459

New York, NY 10163-0459

Suggested percentages are from AA Pamphlet F-3, **SELF-SUPPORT: Where Money and Spirituality Mix** (Available on our web site: cbiaa.org under DONATE). Group Contributions are always at the discretion of the group conscience.









Save the Dates

(Future Events - Fliers included for events flagged with an *.) (Fliers are on the area website aa-swta.org if flagged with an @.) (Fliers / Registration available on aa.org if flagged with a #.)

CBIA Founder's Day Planning Committee (Sunday, May 6th in CC)
CBIA Founder's Day (Saturday, June 9th in CC) *

2018 Texas State AA Convention (June 22-24 in Dallas-Fort Worth Area)
SWTA 68 Summer Workshop (July 20th -22nd in Victoria) @

SWTA 68 PI/CPC Conference (September 28th -29th in San Antonio) @

2019 Coastal Bend Jamboree (January 25th - 27th 2019 in Corpus Christi)

2020 AA International Convention (July 2nd - 5th, 2020 in Detroit, MI)#

AA Meeting Schedules for Our Area

For current AA meeting schedules for areas serviced by the Coastal Bend Intergroup, visit our website cbiaa.org - printable schedules.

- AA Meetings in Corpus Christi *
- AA Meetings in CC Surrounding Area *
- AA Meetings in Victoria & Surrounding Area *
- Los Grupos Hispanos *

Coastal BENDER Mission Statement

Our primary purpose is to carry the AA message to the still suffering alcoholic. A secondary purpose of <u>The Bender</u> 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.



Sarah C.	Hilltoppers	05/01/2006	12 Years
Karen J.	Rockport Fellowship	05/05/1991	27 Years
Mike M.	Hilltoppers	05/05/1982	36 Years
John J.	Rockport Fellowship	05/11/1987	31 Years
Fred C.	Corpus Christi	05/13/1987	31 Years
Carole M	Rockport Fellowship	05/13/1996	22 Years
Kathy O.	Saratoga Group	05/14/1978	40 Years
Franny J.	Oso Group	05/15/2008	10 Years
Tracie S.	Fifth Tradition	05/17/2010	8 Years
Judy M.	Goliad Open Arms Group	05/20/1989	29 Years
Linda K.	Kingsville AL-K	05/20/1979	39 Years
Laura G.	Weber Nooners	05/23/2001	17 Years
Debra F.	Hilltoppers	05/24/1982	36 Years
Mary H.	Fifth Tradition	05/24/1995	23Years
Heather N.	Turning Point	05/24/2007	11 Years
Beth M.	Rockport Fellowship	05/26/2008	10 Years
Nancy C.	Corpus Christi	05/28/2004	14 Years
Kelly H.	Oso Group	05/31/1987	31 Years

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

April 2018

	OFFICE HOURS/Dist. 7		AFTER HOURSYEAR TO DATE			
12 TH STEP CALLS	12	2	0/0	21/4		
INFORMATIONAL CALLS	109	15	After Hours only tro	acks 12th Sten call	S.	

Intergroup Meetings

<u>CBIA Board of Trustees Monthly Meeting</u> will be held Monday May 9th at 6:00 PM in the CBIA Office (3833 S. Staples, Suite S-212).

<u>CBIA Quarterly Association Meeting</u> will be held Monday July 30th 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:

> <u>District 7</u> (Victoria Area) <u>District 8D</u> (Corpus Christi Area)

> District 8E (Corpus Christi Area)

<u>District 15</u> (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.)

<u>Hilltoppers Group Conscience</u> 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.)

<u>Calallen Group Conscience</u> is held the 3rd Wednesday of each month following the 6:30PM meeting. <u>Birthday Night</u> 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. <u>Birthday Night</u> is the 1st Saturday of the month with <u>Potluck Supper</u> at 7:00 PM and <u>Birthday Meeting</u> at 8:00PM at The Anchor Club (320 Anchor St. in CC).

<u>Turning Point Group Conscience</u> is held the 1st Wednesday of each month. <u>Birthday Meeting</u> is last Saturday of the month.

Group Contributions					
GROUP NAME	Apr. 2018	YTD 2018			
Alice Group					
Anonymous/Individual Contribution		2.00			
Aransas Pass Group Beeville-Freedom Group					
Beeville-Hope Group					
Beeville-Serenity Group					
Beeville-Shepherd's Group CC-Alanos					
CC-Bookmarks Group	80.00	80.00			
CC-Calallen Group		71.43			
CC-Clean & Serene Group					
CC-Crosstown Group CC-Cullen Mall Group	50.00	100.00			
CC-Day of AA	200.00	200.00			
CC-Dorothy's Group					
CC-Early Morning Fellowship					
CC-Fellowship Group at Charlie's Place CC-Fifth Tradition Group					
CC-Flour Bluff Unity Group		100.00			
CC-Friday Night Speaker Meeting					
CC-Happy Hour Meeting					
CC-Hilltoppers Group CC-Humility Group					
CC-Just for Today Group					
CC-Lucky Ones		1.91			
CC-Mountain Toppers					
CC-Newcomers Meeting	10.00	20.00			
CC-New Life Group CC-New Phoenix Group	10.00 49.50	20.00 187.57			
CC-New Women's Group	36.48	300.13			
CC-Oso Group	119.54	271.18			
CC-Rodd Field Group		200.00			
CC-Saratoga Group	100.00	100.00			
CC-Sunset 7 Group (N Padre Island) CC-Turning Point Group	193.16	193.16			
CC-Weber Road Nooners Group	725.40	1782.40			
CC-Wenholz Women's Group					
District7	10.50	10.50			
Falfurrias-2nd Chance Group Goliad-Open Arms Group	10.50	10.50			
Ingleside-Living Sober Group					
Karnes City-Mayfield Group					
Kingsville-AL-K Group		120.00			
Mathis -Crossroads Group Port Aransas -Port A Day Tripper's Group		130.00			
Port Aransas Group		400.00			
Port Aransas-Serenity Sisters					
Port Lavaca Group		45.13			
Port O'Connor Group Portland -Jaywalkers Group					
Portland -Nueces Bay Group					
Quarterly Meeting 7 th Tradition					
Riviera-SASTO Group					
Robstown Group Rockport-Anything Goes Group					
Rockport-Happy Hour Group					
Rockport-Fellowship Group		38.31			
Sandia Group					
Schulenburg Group					
Sinton-Grupo Secunda Chanza Skidmore Group		12.00			
Three Rivers-Choke Canyon Group		12.00			
Victoria-Back to Basics Group	422.90	665.95			
Victoria-For Sinners Only Group	113.00	163.00			
Victoria-High Nooners Group					
Victoria-Main Stream Group Victoria-Men's Group		25.00			
Victoria-Unity Group		69.08			
Victoria-Women's Group		30.00			
Yorktown Group	\$2,130,48	\$5 218 75			
TOTAL	\$2,130.48	\$5,218.75			

Los Grupos Hispanos **HORARIO**

Grupo en Corpus Christi

- Grupo Nueva Esperanza (552 Old Robstown Road, Corpus Christi) 8:00 De la Noche (todo los dias).
- Grupo Primer Paso (1635 18th Street, Corpus Christi) 8:00 De la Noche (Miercoles); Mediodia (Sabado).
- Grupo Serenidad (408 Brownlee, Corpus Christi) 8:00 De la Noche (Martes y Domingo);
- Grupo Tres Legados (1019 S. Port, Corpus Christi) 8:00 De la Noche (Lunes, Martes, *Miercoles* y *Jueves*);

Grupo en Flatonia

• Grupo Flatonia (208 E. North Main Street, Flatonia) 7:00 De la Noche (Jueves)

Grupo en Kingsville

• Grupo Un Dia a La Vez (819 N. 3rd, Kingsville) 7:00 De la Noche (Miercoles)

Grupo en Moulton

• Grupo Moulton (301 N. Hackberry, Moulton) 7:00 De la Noche (Lunes)

Grupo en Schulenberg

• Grupo Schulenberg (901 Kallus, Schulenberg) 7:00 De la Noche (Domingo)

Grupo en Sinton

Grupo Segunda Chance (215 Sodville, Sinton) **8:00 De la Noche** (Martes y Viernes)

Coastal Bend Intergroup Association Mission Statement

The mission of the Coastal Bend Intergroup Association is to provide the vital first contact to the alcoholic seeking help. The CBIA office must be maintained for the benefit of those still suffering. Of primary importance to this goal, the CBIA Office is to

- Establish a 24-hour help-line;
- Print meeting schedules; and
- Maintain a 12-Step list

whereby AA groups and individuals are enabled to conduct 12-Step calls which are essential to the growth of AA in the Coastal Bend area.

Coastal Bend Intergroup Association Services Provided

- 1. Maintains an office which is open Monday through Friday from 7:30 to 11:30AM and 1:30 to 5:30PM.
- 2. Provides information and referrals for A.A. inquiries.
- 3. Maintains a 12 Step listing and calls individuals for 12 Step work.
- 4. Provides an A.A. listing in the Telephone directory.
- 5. Provides a 24 hour volunteer phone answering during hours when the office is closed.
- 6. Publishes meeting schedules of all groups in the Coastal Bend Area at no charge.
- 7. Publishes a monthly newsletter, the "Coastal Bender", to keep A.A. members informed of local A.A. affairs and special events.
- 8. Purchases and sells "CONFERENCE APPROVED' literature, and non-conference approved Anniversary Medallions, Sobriety Chips.
- 9. Conducts monthly Trustee meetings. All members of Alcoholics Anonymous are welcome at these meetings and Group Input is essential.
- 10. Conducts Quarterly Meetings to keep groups apprised of Intergroup activities, and to seek group participation in CBIA affairs.
- 11. Maintains service committees for service work in the Coastal Bend Area.