



# THE BENDER

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*“When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there. And for that I am responsible.”\**



**First Baptist Church (5<sup>th</sup> and Jefferson in Port O'Connor) is home of the Port O'Connor Group. They have meetings here at 7:00 PM on Saturdays.**

## Step 10 – Perseverance

Step 10: Continued to take personal inventory and when we were wrong promptly admitted it.

I think of the work in Steps 4-9 as a major spring housecleaning after years of neglect. Step 10 is like taking out the garbage every day so my life doesn't get so messy again.

The principle behind Step 10 is **PERSEVERENCE**.

I like to do Step 10 at the end of the day with my iPhone / iPad Calendar. I look back over the day and see if I've kept my promises. Did I do what I said I would? Considering the days' activities, was I the sort of person my dog thinks I am, the sort of person I aspire to be? If not, I put it on my agenda for tomorrow to clean it up.

Step 10 makes it possible to live my life in day-tight compartments. Instead of dragging mistakes and slights from day to day, I can clean up after myself as I go. This is essential to living life one day at a time.

Progress for me has looked like this –

- Damn I did it again;
- Damn I'm doing it again; and ultimately
- I almost did it again.

Recently I heard someone say that she had a problem with lying and her sponsor said the next time you catch yourself lying, say **WHAT I JUST SAID IS A LIE**. Nothing will get you to quit lying quicker than that.

**PROMPTLY** means **RIGHT NOW**. It doesn't mean later after I've made up stuff about it and they've made up stuff about it. It is so much easier and so much more effective to do it now.

Part of this process for me is what I think of as the **SLIPPERY SLOPE ALERT**. The idea is if I don't go there, I won't have an out of control thinking binge.

- Don't compare my insides to other people's outsides.
- Don't take it personal until all other possibilities have been ruled out.
- Don't try to figure out other people's motives. (*I have enough trouble figuring out my own motives and THAT would be useful.*)
- Don't romance the idea of acting out (*telling them off; drinking; etc.*)
- Don't count the items in the next cart in the express check-out at HEB.

# MINUTES

## CBIA BOARD OF TRUSTEE MEETING

### August 12<sup>th</sup> 2019

#### I. OPENING:

- **Terry** opened the meeting with the **Serenity Prayer** at **6:05 PM**.
  - **Ann** read the **CBIA Mission Statement**.
  - **Gail** read the **General Warranties**.
  - **Ron** read the **12 Traditions**.

#### II. ATTENDANCE:

- **Terry M.** (*Chair*), **Gail B.** (*Vice Chair*), **Linda K.** (*Financial Trustee*), **Ann B.** (*Trustee*), **Ron S.** (*Trustee*), **Rosa T.** (*Trustee*), and **Rob M** (*Office Manager*) were present.
- **Enrique M.** (*Trustee*) and **Kelly J.** (*Asst Office Manager*) were not present

#### III. MINUTES:

- Minutes of the Quarterly Meeting of July 29<sup>th</sup> were reviewed.
  - **Rosa** moved to approve the minutes as revised. **Ann** seconded. Motion carried.

#### IV. FINANCIAL REPORTS:

**Linda** (*Financial Trustee*) presented the **July Financial Report**.

- **Balance Sheet:** Total CBIA funds as of **July 31<sup>st</sup>** totaled **\$26,757.39**; **\$50.00** in Petty Cash; **\$9,220.33** in Checking; **\$15,613.06** in Prudent Reserve and **\$1,874.00** in the Jamboree Account.
- **Profit & Loss** for the month of **June:** Group & Individual Contributions **\$1,708.46**; Gross Sales (*Books, Chips & Medallions*): **\$1,007.75** (*less Cost of Goods Sold \$715.88*) Gross Gain for the month was **\$2,000.33**; Total Expenses were **\$4,184.63**; for a Net Loss of **\$2,184.30** for the month.
  - **Gail** moved approve the July Financial Report.
  - **Ron** seconded. Motion carried.

#### VI. SERVICE AREA REPORTS

- **12th Step:** **Ron** said it's doing great.
- **Archives:** **Gail** received some old records which **Marie A.** gave to **Rob** from when she was editor of the Coastal BENDER in the 1990's.
- **Bilingual:** **Enrique** was not present.
- **Coastal Bender:** **Terry** said the August BENDER looks good, but she would like to have stories from more people.
- **Corrections/Treatment Facilities:** **Linda** said she was working on a chart of meetings in Corrections Facilities. She gave it to **Rob** to review. The **Host Committee** for the **2020 Area CFC Convention** will meet next Saturday at 1:30 at the **Pass It On Club** in Calallen.

- **Jamboree:** **Enrique** was not present.
- **Nominations:** **Ann** said we have four qualified candidates for the trustee election on October 28<sup>th</sup> (*Anita, Barb, Harry and Judy*).
- **Public Information/Cooperation with Professional Community:** **Terry** said she had nothing to report.
- **Social:** **Rosa** said the next social event will be the Halloween Dance which will be held on Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup> at All Saints Episcopal Church, where it was last year. The Social Committee will meet each Sunday right after the noon meeting at New Phoenix until the event.

## VII. **OFFICE REPORT**

- Office Update – **Rob** said we have received a three-year lease extension which increases the rent \$41.65 per month or \$500 per year. Our base rent will be \$595 per month. This does not affect the annual expense escalation bill we receive in the first quarter each year.
  - **Linda** moved to sign the lease extension. **Gail** seconded. Motion carried.

## VIII. **OLD BUSINESS:**

- **None.**

## IX. **NEW BUSINESS:**

- **None.**

## X. **NEXT MEETING:**

- Next CBIA Board of Trustees meeting will be Monday **September 9<sup>th</sup>** at 6:00 PM in the CBIA Office.

## XI. **NEXT QUARTERLY MEETING:**

- Next CBIA Quarterly Association meeting is scheduled for 6:00 PM on Monday **October 28<sup>th</sup>** at All Saints Episcopal Church (*3026 S Staples*).

## XII. **CLOSING:** Our Father.

- **Ron** moved to adjourn. **Ann** seconded. Motion carried.
- **Terry** closed the meeting with prayer at **7:05 PM**.

Respectfully submitted,

*Rob M.*

Office Manager



# Bender Bits & Pieces



## Special Events

### 2019 Southwest Regional Forum (October 11<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> in Houston) \*

Every two years a regional forum comes to each AA Region. We are part of the five-state Southwest Region. Our regional forum will be next month in Houston. This is a great opportunity to attend a regional forum without traveling very far. The General Service Board, the General Service Office, AA World Services and AA Grapevine will be represented. They will make presentations and answer questions on what is going on at the national (*US and Canada*) level. (*See flier for more information.*)

### SWTA68 Fall Voting Conference and Assembly (October 18<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> in San Antonio) \*

The Fall Voting Conference and Assembly for our area will be held October 18<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> at the San Antonio Marriott Northwest (*3233 NW Loop 410 in San Antonio*). Area officers will be elected at this assembly for two-year terms starting in January 2020. In addition, votes will be taken on several resolutions. This is the main opportunity for GSR's to represent their groups in the business of AA. Registration is \$10. (*See flier for more information.*)

### CBIA Halloween Dance (October 26<sup>th</sup> in CC) \*

The popular CBIA Halloween Dance will again be held at All Saints Episcopal Church (*3026 S Staples in Corpus Christi*). Tickets are available for \$7. from Social Committee members and at the CBIA Office. (*See flier for more information.*)

### SWTA 68 2020 Winter Workshop (January 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> in Port A) \*

Save the date. The Southwest Texas Area 68 2020 Winter Workshop will be held January 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> at the Port Aransas Civic Center (*710 W. Avenue A in Port Aransas*). The conference hotel is the **Hampton Inn** (*2208 Highway 361 in Port Aransas*). The Conference Rate is \$89 / night. (*See flier.*)

### 2020 Coastal Bend Jamboree (January 24<sup>th</sup> - 26<sup>th</sup> in CC)

Save the date. The **2020 Coastal Bend Jamboree** will be **January 24<sup>th</sup> - 26<sup>th</sup>** in Corpus Christi. See jamboree website (<http://www.cbjamboree.org/>) for more information. Online registration is now available.



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## Special Events (Continued)

### SWTA 68 2020 Correctional Facility Conference (Feb 21<sup>st</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> in CC) \*

Save the date. Southwest Texas Area 68 will hold its annual Correctional Facility Conference in Corpus Christi on February 21<sup>st</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2020. The event will be held at the Emerald Beach Hotel. This is a rare opportunity to attend a Corrections Conference and take the TDCJ Volunteer Training (required to volunteer in state corrections facilities) without traveling very far. (See flier.) Volunteers are needed to staff the host committee and subcommittees. (See Service Opportunities below.)

### 2020 International Convention (July 2-5, 2020 in Detroit, MI) \*

Every five years AA has an international convention. The next one will be in Detroit, MI July 2<sup>nd</sup> thru July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

The four-page registration form 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 some meetings. The registration form is attached in PDF format.

On-line registration started on September 9<sup>th</sup> at [www.aa.org](http://www.aa.org). You must register in order to make a hotel reservation at the conference rate. A limited number of hotel rooms have been set aside for this convention. If you know you will be attending, you should register on-line and make hotel reservations as soon as possible in order to reserve a room convenient to the convention.

## Holidays

### Columbus Day (Monday, October 14<sup>th</sup>)

#### Hilltoppers No Meetings when Church is Closed

The Hilltoppers Group does not have meetings on days when the church is closed for holidays – including Columbus Day, Monday October 14<sup>th</sup>. Neither the noon meeting nor the 5:30 PM meeting will be held that day. Hilltoppers meets in First Methodist Church (900 S. Shoreline, Room 244).



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## 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 (*See attached application to sponsor at SATF*) \*

- **Attend Meetings** 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.)
- **Activity Sponsors** take people to meetings once a week or so. (*Minimum one year sober and prior clearance*).
- **Step Sponsors** work the steps with people. (Minimum two years sober and prior clearance.)

#### Avalon (Formerly Reality Ranch) – Corpus Christi

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

#### Live Oak County Jail – George West

- **Attend Meetings** 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-F 7:30 – 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.



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## 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](mailto:cbia@grandecom.net) in a Word document or similar format.

### CBIA Halloween Dance Committee (Each Sunday in October in CC)

The CBIA Halloween Dance Committee will be at 1:15 PM at New Phoenix (5433 S. Staples Suite H in the Boardwalk in Corpus Christi) each Sunday in October. Be a part of planning and putting on this fun event. Service opportunities are available.

### SWTA 68 2020 Correctional Facility Conference – Host Committee (October 26<sup>th</sup> in CC)

The next SWTA 68 2020 Correctional Facility Conference planning meeting will be on **October 26<sup>th</sup>** 2019 at 1:30 pm at the **Pass It On Club** (11425 Leopard in CC). Volunteers are needed to staff the host committee.

### CBIA Trustee Election (October 28<sup>th</sup> in CC) \*

Three trustees will be elected to the Coastal Bend Intergroup Association's board at the Quarterly Meeting at 6:00 PM on Monday, October 28<sup>th</sup> at All Saints Episcopal Church (3026 S Staples in Corpus Christi). The new trustees will replace three trustees whose terms expire in January of 2020. The new terms will be from January 2020 to January 2022. By-Laws require that you must be present to be elected. (*See attached form for more information.*)





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## Coastal Bend Area District Meetings

### District 7 (Saturday November 16<sup>th</sup> in Schulenburg)

District 7's next meeting will be on Saturday, **November 16<sup>th</sup>** at 9:00 AM at the **Expo Building in Wolters Park** (901 Kallus in Schulenburg).

### 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, **October 26<sup>th</sup>** in CC)

District 8D's next meeting will be at **2:00 PM** on Saturday, **October 26<sup>th</sup>** at **New Phoenix** (5433 S. Staples Suite H in the Boardwalk in Corpus Christi).

### District 8E (Saturday **October 5<sup>th</sup>** in CC)

District 8E will meet at **1:30 PM** on Saturday, **October 5<sup>th</sup>** at the **Calallen Pass It On Club** (in the Hilltop Community Center at 11425 Leopard in Corpus Christi).

### District 15 (Saturday, **October 26<sup>th</sup>** in **Rockport**)

District 15's next district meeting will be at **2:00 PM** on Saturday, **October 26<sup>th</sup>** at **Peace Lutheran Church** (1302 W. Market Street in Rockport).



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## Group / Meeting Changes

### Discontinued Meetings

#### Falfurrias Second Chance Group Has Folded (2)

The **Falfurrias Second Chance Group** has folded. They were meeting at **8:00 PM** on **Thursdays** at **Maranatha Assembly of God** (*100 Negri Street at W. 285 in Falfurrias*). Some people who used to attend this meeting now attend the **Premont Group** at **7:00 PM** on **Fridays** at the **Hidalgo Park Baptist Church** (*330 SE 4<sup>th</sup> Street in Premont*).

### Relocated Meetings

#### Palacios Group Has Moved (2)

The **Palacios Group** has moved to the **Palacios Public Library** (*326 Main Street in Palacios*). They still meet at **3:00 PM** on **Sundays** and at **7:00 PM** on **Wednesdays**.

#### Robstown Desire Group Has Moved & Changed Its Name (2)

The **Robstown Desire Group** has moved to the **Pentecostal Holiness Church** (*318 W. Avenue B in Robstown*) and changed its name to **Robstown Turning Point Group**. They still meet at **7:00 Pm** on **Mondays** and **Fridays**.



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## 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 #.)*

*(Fliers / Registration available at <https://60th.icypaa.org> if flagged with an &)*

**2019 Southwest Regional Forum** *(October 11<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> in Houston) \**

**SWTA 68 Fall Conference and Voting Assembly** *(October 18<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> in San Antonio) \**

**CBIA Halloween Dance** *(October 26<sup>th</sup> in CC) \**

**SWTA 68 Winter Workshop** *(January 17<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> in Port Aransas) \**

**2020 Coastal Bend Jamboree** *(January 24<sup>th</sup> - 26<sup>th</sup> in CC)*

**SWTA 68 Corrections Conference** *(February 23<sup>rd</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup> in CC) \**

**2020 AA International Convention** *(July 2<sup>nd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup>, 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](http://cbiaa.org) - printable schedules.

**AA Meetings in Corpus Christi \***

**AA Meetings in CC Surrounding Area \***

**AA Meetings in Victoria & Surrounding Area \***

## Coastal 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.



Sara M.	CC- New Women's Group	10.01.1993	26 Years
Rob V.	CC-Hilltoppers Group	10.01.1979	40 Years
Dave D.	Rockport-Fellowship Group	10.04.1985	34 Years
Mari Kay	Portland-Nueces Bay	10.07.1995	24 Years
Marcia E.	CC-5 <sup>th</sup> Tradition Group	10.08.2011	8 Years
Patrick R.	CC-New Phoenix Group	10.09.2009	10 Years
Michael B.	CC-New Phoenix Group	10.11.2008	11 Years
Tom P.	Aransas Pass Group	10.17.1973	46 Years
Crystal M.	CC-Early Morning Fellowship	10.18.2003	16 Years
Harold B.	CC-Weber Nooners Group	10.18.2007	12 Years
Arthur A.	CC-Hilltoppers Group	10.19.1998	21 Years
Karen C.	CC-New Women's Group	10.20.1988	31 Years
Sharon S.	CC-New Women's Group	10.21.2006	13 Years
Betsy H.	CC-New Phoenix Group	10.22.2010	9 Years
Karen V.	CC-New Women's Group	10.23.1996	23 Years
Eddie M.	CC-Weber Nooners Group	10.28.2005	14 Years
Debbie B.	CC-Weber Nooners Group	10.31.2000	19 Years
Sam L.	Port Aransas Group	10.31.2008	11 Years
Andy B.	Port Aransas Group	10.31.1986	33 Years

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**Intergroup Meetings**

**CBIA Board of Trustees Monthly Meeting** will be held Monday **October 14<sup>th</sup>** at 6:00 PM in the CBIA Office (3833 S. Staples, Suite S-212).

**CBIA Quarterly Association Meeting** will be held Monday October 28<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM at All Saints Episcopal Church (3026 S. Staples in CC).

**District Meetings**

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

**District 7** (Victoria 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 1:15 PM. **Birthday Night** is first Saturday of the month at 8:00PM. (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 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month. **Birthday Meeting** is last Saturday of the month.

<b>Group Contributions</b>		
<b>GROUP NAME</b>	<b>SEP 2019</b>	<b>YTD 2019</b>
Alice Group		
Anonymous/Individual Contribution	32.00	467.00
Aransas Pass Group		
Beeville-Freedom Group		
Beeville-Hope Group		
Beeville-Serenity Group		
Beeville-Shepherd's Group		
CC-Alanos		200.00
CC-Bookmarks Group	50.00	200.00
CC-Calallen Group		587.19
CC-Clean & Serene Group		
CC-Crosstown Group		
CC-Cullen Mall Group		100.00
CC-Day of AA		250.00
CC-Early Morning Fellowship		
CC-Fellowship Group at Charlie's Place		
CC-Fifth Tradition Group		
CC-Flour Bluff Unity Group		
CC-Friday Night Speaker Meeting		
CC-Grace at 7		50.00
CC-Happy Hour Meeting		
CC-Hilltoppers Group		1,047.57
CC-Humility Group		200.00
CC-Just for Today Group		
CC-Lucky Ones		24.65
CC-Mountain Toppers		300.00
CC-New Attitude Meeting		291.33
CC-New Life Group	10.00	70.00
CC-New Phoenix Group	27.00	288.00
CC-New Women's Group	147.60	679.90
CC-Oso Group		294.80
CC-Primary Purpose		178.83
CC-Rodd Field Group		450.00
CC-Saratoga Group		75.00
CC-Sunset 7 Group (N Padre Island)	500.00	800.00
CC-Turning Point Group		
CC-Weber Road Nooners Group		3,359.20
District7		720.00
Falfurrias-2nd Chance Group		
Goliad-Open Arms Group		74.46
Hallettsville Group		50.00
Karnes City-Mayfield Group		300.00
Kingsville-AL-K Group		
Moulton Group		25.00
Mathis -Crossroads Group		
Port Aransas Group		400.00
Port Lavaca Group	116.84	660.86
Port O'Connor Group		40.00
Portland -Jaywalkers Group		
Portland -Nueces Bay Group		
Quarterly Meeting 7 <sup>th</sup> Tradition		60.00
Riviera-SASTO Group		100.00
Robstown Desire Group		
Rockport-Anything Goes Group		
Rockport-Happy Hour Group	120.00	480.00
Rockport-Fellowship Group		53.47
Schulenburg Group	60.76	60.76
Sinton-Grupo Secunda Chanza		
Skidmore Group		
Three Rivers-Choke Canyon Group		
Victoria-Airport Group		
Victoria-Back to Basics Group	134.74	498.69
Victoria-For Sinners Only Group		83.75
Victoria-High Nooners Group		
Victoria-Main Stream Group	25.00	100.00
Victoria-Men's Group		
Victoria-Unity Group		146.23
Victoria-Women's Group		35.00
Yorktown Group		285.78
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1,223.94</b>	<b>\$14,087.47</b>

## Addresses for Group Contributions for 2019-2020

### Coastal Bend Intergroup (Suggested 50% \*)

#### **CBIA**

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### Districts (Suggested 10% \*)

#### **District 7 Treasurer**

P.O. Box 5324  
Victoria, TX 77903

#### **District 8D Treasurer**

P.O. Box 61135  
Corpus Christi, TX 78466

#### **District 8E Treasurer**

% Daniel B.  
4025 Sweet Bay Dr.  
Corpus Christi, TX 78418

#### **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](http://cbiaa.org) under *DONATE*). Group Contributions are always at the discretion of the group conscience.

## 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.

## 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.

# Asociación Inter-grupo de la Zona Costera

## Declaración de Principios

La misión de la asociación inter-grupo de la zona costera es proveer el primer contacto vital al alcohólico en busca de ayuda. La oficina de AIZC [siglas en español, en inglés CBIA], se mantiene para el beneficio de aquellos que siguen sufriendo. Para cumplir con esta tarea tan importante la oficina de CBIA debe:

- Establecer una línea de ayuda las 24 horas
- Imprimir los horarios de las reuniones de AA
- Mantener una lista con los 12 Pasos

Con lo cual Grupos de AA e individuos puedan conducir llamados de los 12 Pasos, esenciales en el crecimiento de AA en la Zona Costera.

## Servicios Prestados

1. Horario de oficina, lunes a viernes de 7:30 a 11:30AM y de 1:30 a 5:30PM.
2. Provee información y referencias sobre A.A. .
3. Mantiene una lista de los 12 Pasos y listado de personas para trabajar los 12 pasos.
4. Provee un listado de A.A. en el directorio telefónico.
5. Provee servicio de voluntarios contestando llamadas las 24 horas mientras la oficina esta cerrada.
6. Publica los horarios de todos los grupos en el área costera sin costo.
7. Publica una hoja informativa, la "Coastal Bender", para mantener a los miembros de A.A. informados de los acontecimientos locales y de los eventos especiales A.A..
8. Compra y venta de literatura "Aprobada en Conferencia" ('CONFERENCE APPROVED'), y mercancía no aprobada como Medallones de Aniversario y Monedas de Sobriedad.
9. Conduce reuniones mensuales de fideicomisarios. Todos los miembros de Alcohólicos Anónimos son bienvenidos a estas reuniones asimismo es importante contar con su opinión.
10. Conduce Reuniones cada cuatro meses para evaluar a los grupos en actividades Inter-grupo y para buscar que participen en cuestiones de la CBIA.
11. Mantiene comités de trabajo para servicio en el área de la zona Costera.



# Los Grupos Hispánicos

## HORARIO

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### Grupos en Corpus Christi

- **Grupo Nueva Esperanza** (552 Old Robstown Road, Corpus Christi) **8:00 De la Noche** (todos los días).
- **Grupo Primer Paso** (1635 18<sup>th</sup> 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. 3<sup>rd</sup>, Kingsville) **7:00 De la Noche** (Miercoles)

### Grupo en Moulton

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

### Grupo en Port Lavaca

**Grupo Nuevo Amanecer** (213 E. Austin, Port Lavaca) **7:00 De la Noche** (Lunes, Miercoles y Viernes)

### 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)

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