

THE BENDER

CBIA, 3833 S. Staples Suite S-212, Corpus Christi, TX 78411 (361) 992- 8911 or Toll Free 1 (866) 672-7029 www.cbiala.org



New Phoenix Quarterly Speak and Eat
Saturday May 17th, 2025
5433 S. Staples Suite H
Breakfast for Dinner Potluck 6:30pm-7:30pm
Speaker: Fred C @ 8pm

Flour Bluff Unity Group Rummage Sale
Saturday May 17th, 2025 from 9am-4pm
320 Anchor St, Corpus Christi, TX 78418
Tables for rent for selling
Food and Drinks available



3rd Annual Unity Day Picnic
Saturday May 24th, 2025 from 10am-3pm
West Guth Park @ 9708 Up River Rd
Tradition 1 Workshop at 11am
Food, games and music

39th Gathering of Eagles
Renaissance Dallas Richardson Hotel
May 23rd-25th, 2025 in Richardson, TX
<https://www.dallasgatheringofeagles.org/>

CBIA Founder's Day Celebration
June 7th
1635 18th St at Alanos Clubhouse
Food and AA Trivia
1pm-4pm

SWTA 68 Summer Workshop
Our Foundation: A Simple Beginning
June 6th-8th
Wingate by Wyndham 1909 N Interstate Hwy 35
Round Rock, TX 78664

SWTA 68 Fall Voting Assembly
"On the Board Highway"
Holiday Inn Airport, Corpus Christi, TX
Oct. 10th – Oct. 12th

CBIA Hours

We will be closed May 26th for Memorial Day

CBIA PHONE NUMBER- (361) 992-8911 Calls are answered by staff during business hours Monday-Friday and by helpline volunteers at lunch, after hours and on weekends and holidays.

CBIA OFFICE HOURS (*except on Holidays*)

We will continue to work 30-hour weeks during 2025 to keep costs down.

Monday-Friday

8:30am–11:30am & 2:00pm–5:00pm

If you would like, you can call ahead with your order and we can have it ready for pick up.
If we are out of stock, we can let you know at that time.

CBIA HOLIDAYS

January
May
July

New Year's Day
Memorial Day
Independence Day

September
November
December

Labor Day
Thanksgiving- 2 days
Christmas Day



My Story AA

My name is Laure and I'm an alcoholic. My sobriety date is October 21, 1984.

I grew up in a beach town in southern California where a lot of wealthy and elite people live. My family lived comfortably, but not compared to a lot of kids at my school. I always felt different, like I didn't fit in. One of my parents was a full-blown alcoholic. The other one didn't express their feelings. I didn't bring any other kids home because I never knew what it was going to be like at home. I felt very isolated and alone, and had no friends until I discovered drugs and alcohol in junior high. By using drugs and alcohol I started making lots of friends. We did a lot of things that I thought were fun. This drinking and drugging went on for about fifteen years, until I found myself at age thirty.

Truly my last few years of drinking and using had started to take a toll within me. Slowly but surely my soul felt like it was fading away. I was hanging out with some very shady, very scary people. The drugs were taking a toll and I was drinking myself into blackouts. I would put on an emotional mask and pretend to be whatever I thought you wanted me to be, not realizing that I was selling my soul and losing myself more and more.

I recognized that I had an addiction, but I didn't recognize that I was an alcoholic. Knowing nothing about the program of recovery, and not knowing how to change anything, I felt like I was close to the bottom.

At that time, I had been being secretly 12 stepped for probably a year by a coworker, although I had no clue that's what they were doing. One Monday I came to work complaining that my boyfriend had gone on a three-day binge without me and I was totally incensed. How dare he? I needed a new boyfriend!

This was the opening my friend needed and she suggested there were all kinds of great guys at this place she knew, and we could go there the next evening. She did tell me the guys didn't drink or use. My warped mind told me, "Oh good. I can find a new boyfriend and have them buy me all the stuff I need to continue the party".

Well, I went with her and, of course, it was an AA meeting. Well, I had just a single tear going down my face through the whole meeting. What I connected to was the spirit and love and compassion in the room, the real laughter. The tissues given to somebody who is crying. The holding of their hands or hugging them. It broke my heart open.

The seed was planted that night, but I wasn't ready. It took me a few more months. But I kept coming back, not sober, but still coming. Until one Sunday I experienced the pitiful and incomprehensible demoralization that we read about in the Big Book. The meeting I had been going to was on a Tuesday night. I decided to commit to three days of sobriety. That meant the previous Monday which I was too hungover to drink was day 1. So, I was well into my second day already. I only had one more to go and I thought I could tough that out, and I did. I woke up on day four and decided I'd try it again. I kept hearing about this AA Young People's conference in Crestline, which is a mountain community in southern California. It was happening in a couple weeks and I wanted to go, so I decided to, just one day at a time, stick it out till then. I had been hearing things in the meetings- like keep coming back" work the steps or die, turn it over, and do the footwork but leave the results to your higher power. Well,

there was snow predicted in Crestline that weekend. I needed boots to wear and I was dead broke. I could only spare \$5.00 for boots. I was working on the higher power idea, but I wasn't really quite sure about anything and really didn't have a higher power, of my own understanding. But I decided to try turning it over, whatever that means. I took a drive looking for shoe stores while saying prayers to my higher power. These prayers had many conditions, like, if you really want me to go to this thing, then you need to find me some f-ing boots for five dollars.

I knew there was no way that was going to happen, but I was out to prove these AA people were wrong about a higher power in my life. That the concept of turning it over by doing the footwork and leaving the rest to the higher power wouldn't work, right? As I was driving down a busy street there was a shoe store with a big sign outside that said sale. OK, my footwork was to go into the store and find a pair of boots for five dollars. I walked in, went to the women's section, and saw no boots for five dollars. This just proved there wasn't a God or higher power.

As I was walking out, the sales guy said, hey, how can I help you? I proceeded to tell him I needed a pair of boots for five dollars. He asked what size? I told him. He said, "Well, we have a sale on boy's boots. I think I can fit you in a boy's size 7". I tried them on and they fit perfectly. I asked him how much it was and he said five dollars. Really? Maybe this AA thing might be right after all. So, I went to the Crestline conference with less than 30 days of sobriety. I was one of the brand newcomers. Many others there had 1 to 10 years of sobriety. They were all young people like me, and they were all wild and crazy- and clean and sober!

That weekend changed my life. These people became my tribe, my friends, my mentors and I still go to meetings with many of these people once a week on zoom. I'm still a newcomer at 40 years sober. We're still sober and that test of faith proved that a higher power worked in my life. That was the beginning of my relationship with a higher power of my understanding. I have been blessed and graced and grateful all these years. Plus, I still have the boots. I usually wear them when I share as an AA speaker.

Slowly but surely, that broken heart that cracked open to have the seed planted has mended and is whole again. My sobriety is truly one day at a time sobriety, and I wouldn't want it any other way.

In love and service
Laure F.

Minutes

CBIA BOARD OF TRUSTEE MEETING

Mar 10th, 2025

I. Carol opened with **Moment of Silence** followed by **Serenity Prayer** at 6pm.

- Carolyn read **CBIA Mission Statement**
- Jim S. read **General Warranties**
- Billy E. read **12 Traditions**

II. **ATTENDANCE:** Carol D. (Chair), Jim S. (Vice Chair), Billy E., Carolyn C., Dave W. (not present), Jimmy C (not present), Brain R., Rita S. (Office Manager)

III. **MINUTES:** Carol read **Minutes of Feb 10th CBIA Board Meeting.**

Carolyn made a motion to accept. **Brian** seconded. **All approved.**

IV. **FINANCIAL REPORTS:**

Feb 2025 Financials were emailed. No questions.

Jim motioned to accept. **Billy E.** seconded. **All approved.**

Feb Financials Balance Sheet:

Balance Sheet	Total Funds	Profit & Loss		
Feb 2025		Feb 2025		
Petty Cash	\$50.00	Contributions	\$1,271.14	Group & Individual
Checking	\$4,952.27	Gross Sales	\$256.76	COGS (\$892.50-\$635.74)
Prudent Reserve	\$15,658.82			
Jamboree				
Account	\$4,000.00			
Total Funds	\$24,661.09	Gross Profit	\$1,544.90	
		Total Expenses	\$2,456.99	
YTD-Feb 2025		Feb Net income	\$-912.09	
Contributions	\$3,046.26			
Jamboree	\$17.00			
Sales Profit	\$1,046.65			
Total	\$3,834.91			
YTD Expenses	\$4,928.10			
YTD Net Income	\$-1093.19			

V. **SERVICE AREAS:**

- **12th Step:** -Dave W. (*not present*)
- **Archives:** Jimmy C. (*not present*)
- **Social:** Carolyn C. -Carolyn and Rita spoke with Don about the summer event, waiting on Don to get with Ramon and the church to see if there is date and time that will work in July.
- **Coastal Bender:** Jim S.- Jim will have a story for the Bender for April. Rita said she would get him some information for the Jamboree to do an article for the Bender.

Corrections/Treatment Facilities: Brian R. said he attended the Treatment and Facilities meeting in March. They are in need of volunteers for several facilities.

- **Jamboree:** Carolyn C.-Carolyn was unable to attend meeting but Rita reported the CBJ donated \$8000 to CBIA from this year's Jamboree and had their wrap up meeting on March 8th. There are many positions open for next year's committees and they will start meeting again in July.
- **Public Information/Cooperation with Professional Community:** Carol D. Nothing new to report.
- **Nominations:** serval trustees will help with this in August.
- **Bilingual:** open

VI. OFFICE REPORT:

- A. **Rita** said the Office Manager Conference is in Memphis this year in Sept. She asked for a budget of \$1500 for her and Terry to attend. **Carolyn** moved to approve this amount and **Billy** seconded. **All approved.** **Rita** stated that she learned the new approved amount to be donated to GSO is \$7500 per year. Rita has updated the Trustee information with this new figure, that could also be donated to CBIA.

VII. OLD BUSINESS: NONE**VIII. NEW BUSINESS: NONE****IX. NEXT MEETING:**

- Next CBIA Board of Trustees meeting Monday **Apr 14th 2025** at 6:00 PM on Zoom.
- Next CBIA Quarterly Association meeting is scheduled for 6:00 PM on Monday **Apr 28th, 2025 on Zoom.**

X. CLOSING:

Brian moved to adjourn and **Jim** seconded. Motion carried.

Carol closed the meeting with prayer at **6:30PM**

Respectably Submitted,
Rita Standish
Office Manager



Speaker Meeting Updates

Alanos Group 1635 18th Street- “Friday” Night Speaker Meeting at 8PM

Doors open at 7:30pm for fellowship.

May 2nd - *Birthday Night*

May 9th – **Terry M.** (*New Women’s Group*)

May 16th – **Rosa T.** (*New Phoenix Group*)

May 23rd – **James M.** (*Nueces Bay Group*)

May 30th – **Keith M.** (*New Phoenix Group*)

New Phoenix Saturday Night Speaker Meeting

May 3rd - *Birthday Night*

May 10th – **Billy B.**

May 17th – **Fred C.** (*New Phoenix Group Quarterly Speak and Eat Potluck at 6:30 pm-7:30pm*)

May 24th – **Brian G.**

May 31st – **James N.**

*****New Men’s Meeting on Wednesdays at New Phoenix Group at 8pm*****

AA Meetings on Zoom

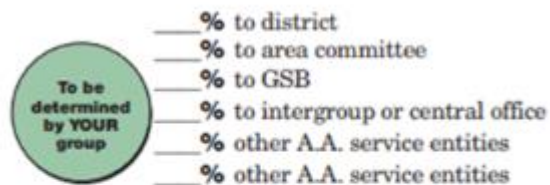
*****Note: Rockport Happy Hour Group change in ID and Passcode**

Group Name	Zoom ID #	Zoom Password	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Friday Night Speaker Meeting (CC)	434 708 8936	867742					Last Friday Only S 8:00 PM		
New Attitude Group (CC) <i>Hybrid Meetings</i>	451 546 1004	HP2016	ODN 6:00 PM		ODN 6:00 PM		ODN 6:00 PM		
New Phoenix Group (CC) <i>Hybrid Meetings</i>	886 9994 6374	336965	OLS 6:30 AM	OLS 6:30 AM	OLS 6:30 AM	OLS 6:30 AM	OLS 6:30 AM	OLS 7:00 AM	OLS 7:00 AM
New Women’s Group (CC)	580 495 1776	NWGroup	WOD 7:00 PM					WOD 3:00 PM	
Turning Point Group (CC)	677 587 2132	sober			OLS 6:30 PM			OD 6:30 PM	
Weber Nooners’ Group (CC)	295 538 7558	475272	OD Noon	OD Noon	OD Noon	OD Noon	OBB Noon	OD Noon	OD Noon
Clean & Serene Group (CC)	677 587 2132	sober					GLBT/OD 7:30 PM		
Rockport Happy Hour Group	886 6340 4648	613766		CD 5:30 PM		CD 5:30 PM			
Victoria Back to Basics	662 621 1099	218223	OD 7:00 PM	OD 7:00 PM	OD 7:00 PM		OD 7:00 PM	OD 7:00 PM	OD 7:00 PM

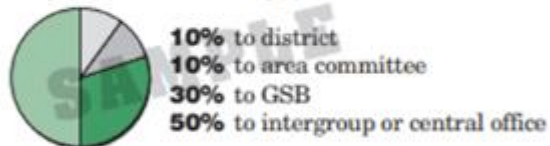
CBIA Appreciates Ongoing Support

Group Contributions : CBIA would like to express their gratitude to the AA Groups that support us all during the year as it is our second biggest source of revenue. Some groups have asked how to make distributions. The pamphlet Where Money and Spiritually Mix is good to review before your group conscience decides. Here are some examples from the pamphlet:

Samples of Group Contributions to A.A. Service Entities

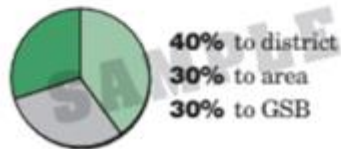


OR



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If you have no intergroup/central office:



We are grateful that individual members of our community have made Individual contributions to the Coastal Bend Intergroup. One way is to donate on the **Birthday Club** list by just sending in a donation or drop it by the office. We are pleased with how many do send contributions throughout the year and we will continue to hope for ongoing individual support through 2025.

Where Are We Now?

Actual thru
Apr 2025

Contributions	\$11,634.24
Jamboree	\$8,197.00
Gross Sales	\$4,083.55
Cost of Goods Sold	(\$2,539.46)

Gross Gain	\$21,385.93
Total Expenses	\$14,780.33
Net Gain	\$6,605.60



CBIA Birthday Club

The Birthday Club is for members who wish to contribute to CBIA on their AA birthday: \$1 per year is suggested for each year of sobriety, but members may contribute as little or as much as they wish.

Donations can be made by:

- 1) PayPal under the Donate option on our website (www.cbiaa.org)
- 2) Venmo to CoastalBend Intergroup @CoastalBend-Intergroup
- 3) Cash or check to CBIA @ 3833 S Staples Suite S-212, Corpus Christi, TX 78411

Please indicate your Home Group or City and Sobriety Date. Let us know if you do not want your birthday listed in the Bender.

NAME	HOME GROUP	SINCE	YEARS IN 2025
Gail B.	Victoria Golden Slippers Group	01/01/2011	14 Years
Terry K.	CC Sunset 7 Group	01/01/2000	25 Years
Sheila S.	CC New Phoenix Group	01/07/2007	18 Years
Charlie B.	Victoria Golden Slippers Group	01/09/2006	19 Years
Ladara C.	CC New Phoenix Group	01/09/1995	30 Years
Ceil Mc K.	CC Hilltoppers Group	01/10/1982	43 Years
Sandra E.	CC Weber Rd Nooners Group	01/20/2011	14 Years
Pat L.	CC Hilltoppers Group	01/20/2001	24 Years
Rae T.	CC Happy Hour Group	01/23/2006	19 Years
Ernest J.	CC Flour Bluff Unity Group	02/15/2004	21 Years
Rob M.	CC Zoom Turning Point Group	02/24/1985	40 Years
Mike B.	CC New Phoenix Group	03/05/2014	11 Years
Janeen H.	CC Turning Point Group	03/08/2017	8 Years
Chris N.	CC Oso Group	03/09/2009	16 Years
Rita S.	CC Oso Group	03/13/1977	48 Years
Mary C.	CC Turning Point Group	03/22/1992	33 Years
Bruce R.	CC New Phoenix Group	03/27/1985	40 Years
Phylis H.	Portland Noon Meeting	04/01/2004	21 Years
Marlive F.	Corpus Christi	04/08/1987	38 Years
Kelly K.	Corpus Christi	04/18/1986	39 Years
Fred C.	Corpus Christi	05/13/1987	38 Years
Carol D.	CC Happy Hour Group	05/24/2016	9 Years
Mary H.	CC Happy Hour Group	05/24/1995	30 Years
Jackie C.	Pleasanton, TX	06/05/2014	11 Years
Gary L.	CC New Phoenix Group	06/07/2009	16 Years
James M.	Portland Nueces Bay Group	06/13/1993	32 Years

2025 CBIA Birthday Club (*Continued*)

NAME	HOME GROUP	SINCE	YEARS IN 2025
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Terry M.	CC New Women's Group	06/18/1992	33 Years
Marie A.	CC Alanos Group	06/21/1991	34 Years
Robin P.	CC Hilltoppers Group	06/22/1986	39 Years
Bill Drews	Rockport Happy Hour Group	07/16/1981	44 Years
Libby A.	CC New Women's Group	07/12/1987	38 Years
Tammy B.	CC Weber Rd Nooners Group	08/11/1989	36 Years
April K.	Corpus Christi, TX	08/20/1984	41 Years
Scott Mc G.	CC Hilltoppers Group	08/22/2002	23 Years
Pat E.	CC New Women's Group	08/23/1987	38 Years
Butch R.	CC Weber Rd Nooners Group	08/26/2006	19 Years
Mike Q.	CC Weber Rd Nooners Group	08/28/2000	25 Years
Fred B.	Aransas Pass Group	09/01/2002	23 Years
Hank S.	CC Cullen Mall Group	09/07/1993	32 Years
Barb C-S	CC New Women's Group	09/09/1985	40 Years
Valerie B.	CC New Phoenix Group	09/13/2017	8 Years
Heather D.	CC Weber Rd Nooners Group	09/23/2009	16 Years
Dave D.	Rockport Fellowship Group	10/04/1985	40 Years
Brandelyn M.	CC New Phoenix Group	10/09/2009	16 Years
Patrick R.	CC New Phoenix Group	10/09/2009	16 Years
Harold B.	CC Weber Rd Nooners Group	10/18/2007	18 Years
Arthur A.	Nova Scotia, Canada	10/19/1998	27 Years
Tim R.	CC New Phoenix Group	10/21/2011	14 Years
Betsy H.	CC New Women's Group	10/22/2010	12 Years
Kruger D.	CC New Phoenix Group	10/23/2009	16 Years
Eddie M.	CC Weber Rd Nooners Group	10/28/2005	20 Years
Debbie B.	CC Weber Rd Nooners Group	10/31/2000	25 Years
Loralei D.	CC New Women's Group	11/06/1984	41 Years
Joanie J.	San Antonio, TX	11/28/2015	10 Years
Larry H.	Rockport Fellowship Group	12/04/1990	35 Years
Jimmy M.	Port Lavaca Group	12/14/1987	38 Years
Joe Mc M.	CC Hilltoppers Group	12/21/1980	45 Years
Tony P.	CC Hilltoppers Group	12/23/1978	47 Years
Ron S.	China, TX	12/24/2009	16 Years
John K.	CC Cullen Mall Group	12/25/1995	30 Years
Lois H.	CC New Women's Group	12/29/2007	17 Years

Memorial Contributions

Memorial Donations can be made by any AA member in memory of another AA member who passed away during the current calendar year. Continuous attendance at meetings is not required as long as they died sober. Suggested donation of \$1 per year of sobriety or a minimum of \$5. They will be listed in each Bender from the month after the donation for a year.

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Please indicate their Home Group or City and the date of their death.

Name	Home Group	Departed
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Gale S.	(Former New Phoenix Group)	06/01/2024
Nancy D.	Humility Group	06/23/2024
“Bama” John B.	New Phoenix Group	08/13/2024
Bill C.	(Former Weber Nooners)	09/24/2024

Have you heard it through the Grapevine yet?

AA Grapevine has gone social! It has its own podcast! Each week, longtime AA members Don and Sam interview different members about their experience, strength and hope. The half-hour podcast is a casual “meeting after the meeting” with jokes, fun and the typical AA banter. Listening to a few episodes is a reminder that alcoholics are not a glum lot!

New episodes are available in English each Monday at 9:00am EST. The hosts interview their guests on getting sober, service, Steps, sponsorship and more. To listen to new or past episodes, visit www.aagrapevine.org/podcast (or wherever you get podcasts). By going to the website, members are able to email, call or leave voice recordings with comments, suggestions, jokes or recovery related questions for the Ask-It-Basket. Our Tradition of anonymity will be respected with all submissions on the show.

If you are receiving the online version of the Grapevine, be sure and look up a story by Corpus Christi’s very own, Valerie E. Valerie has a web story called “In the Middle of the Boat” Enjoy!

**Helpline Help Needed!**

More people are needed for "The Helpline". The Helpline is staffed by volunteers who make sure the hand of AA is available 24 hours a day by answering the intergroup calls overnight (5 PM to 7:45 AM) and on weekends (8 AM Saturday to 8 AM Sunday or 8 AM Sunday to 7:45 AM Monday). **This is a once-per-month commitment.** A minimum of nine months sobriety is required to answer calls after office hours. **If you are available to do this vital volunteer work, please contact CBIA as soon as possible to add your name.**

Calls taken during the month of April by volunteers:

36- Calls for meeting information

2- Twelve Step Calls

20- Office Referral/Other Calls

12 Step List

If a caller needs help beyond meeting information, the helpline volunteer passes them to someone on the **12-Step List** for a longer conversation on how to get sober and stay sober. A minimum of two years sobriety is required to be on the 12 Step List. If interested please call Terry or Rita at the CBIA office (361) 992-8911 between 8:30-11:30 AM or 2-5 PM Monday thru Friday.

Local Stories Wanted For the Coastal 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.

Treatment and Facilities Committee meets the **2nd Saturday** of each month at the New Phoenix Group at 5433 S. Staples Ste H, in Corpus Christi, TX at **2pm**. Everyone is welcome, including newcomers. You might find that you would like to be of service, and you will find it very informative even if you don't commit.

District 8D Corrections Committee could use your help to carry the AA message to the incarcerated alcoholic. There are 12 Step opportunities at the Nueces County Jail, Mc Kinzie Jail Annex, SATF, and TDCJ State Prisons. (*Volunteers must pass a background check.*) You can also consider becoming an AA contact for newly released alcoholics, both men and women are needed for that. Please donate your used Grapevines to the collection box located at New Phoenix Group or CBIA. If you don't have any old issues, back issues can be purchased directly from Grapevine or monetary contributions to the Corrections Committee are also helpful! To volunteer or more information contact Dan G. (361) 900-7890 or Karen S. (362) 980-7412.

Intergroup Meetings

CBIA Board of Trustees Monthly Meeting will be held on Monday, May 12, 2025 at 6:00 PM on Zoom.

CBIA Quarterly Association Meeting will be held on Monday, July 28, 2025 at 6:00 PM on Zoom.

Group Announcements

New Phoenix Group

Group Conscience: 1st Sunday of each month at 1:15 PM

Birthday Night: 1st Saturday of each month at 8:00 PM

Location: 5433 S. Staples, Suite H in the Boardwalk Shopping Center; Park in back lot behind shopping center off Bonner St.

Hilltoppers Group

Group Conscience: 1st Tuesday of each month following the noon meeting

Location: First United Methodist Church @ 900 S Shoreline Dr, Room 210

Weber Road Nooners Group

Group Conscience: Designated Saturday of each Quarter (Jan/Apr/Jul/Oct) following the 10:00 AM meeting

Birthdays: 1st Monday of each month at noon

Location: Travis Baptist Church @ 5802 Weber Road at Schanen St; Park in lot behind church; meeting upstairs.

Calallen Group

Group Conscience: 3rd Wednesday of each month following the 6:30 PM meeting.

Birthday Night: 1st Saturday of each month with a **potluck supper** at 6:30 PM & the **birthday meeting** at 8:00 PM

Location: The Pass it on Club @ 11425 Leopard St

Flour Bluff Unity Group

Group Conscience: 2nd Sunday of each month at 12:00 noon

Birthday Night: 1st Saturday of each month with a **potluck supper** at 7:00 PM & the **birthday meeting** at 8:00 PM

Location: The Anchor Club @ 320 Anchor St

Contributions

GROUP NAME	Apr 2025	YTD 2025
Anonymous/Individual Contributions	1,772.98	6,861.00
Alice Recovery Crew		
Aransas Pass Group		
CC - A Day Of AA In CC		
CC - 5 th Tradition Group		55.00
CC - Alanos Group		200.00
CC - Bookmarks Group		
CC - Broken Chains		
CC - Calallen Group		25.00
CC - Cullen Mall Group	50.00	50.00
CC - Flour Bluff Unity Group		511.00
CC - Happy Hour Group		500.00
CC - Hilltoppers Group		
CC - Humility Group		
CC - Lucky Ones Group		
CC - New Attitude Group		25.00
CC - New Life Group	75.00	300.00
CC - New Phoenix Group		1.00
CC - New Women's Group	237.15	237.15
CC - Oso Group	151.53	151.53
CC - Sunset 7 Group (N Padre Island)		346.14
CC - Turning Point Face-2-Face Group		
CC - Weber Road Nooners Group		270.00
District 7		
Cuero Burning Desire Group		
Goliad Open Arms Group	15.00	46.76
Hallettsville Group		
Karnes City Mayfield Group		
Kingsville AL-K Group		14.50
Moulton Group		
Mathis Crossroads Group	25.00	75.00
Port Aransas Group		
Port Lavaca Group		
Port O'Connor Fellowship Group		
Portland Noon Meeting		
Portland Nueces Bay Group	10.00	40.00
Riviera SASTO Group		
Rockport Happy Hour Group		
Rockport Fellowship Group	1000.00	1000.00
Schulenburg Group		380.00
Skidmore Group		
George West Hardcore Group		
Three Rivers Choke Canyon Group		30.00
Victoria Back to Basics Group	96.30	206.24
Victoria For Sinners Only Group		100.00
Victoria Golden Slippers Group		
Victoria High Nooners Group		
Victoria-Main Stream Group		50.00
Victoria-Unity Group		45.92
TOTAL	\$1,772.98	\$11,634.24

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 helpline;
- Maintain & print meeting schedules;
- Maintain a 12-Step list whereby AA groups and individuals are able to conduct 12-Step calls which are essential to the growth of AA in the Coastal Bend area.

Services Provided

1. Maintains an office open Monday through Friday from 8:30 to 11:30AM and 2:00 to 5:00PM.
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 and on the internet.
5. Provides a 24-hour volunteer helpline during hours when the office is closed.
6. Maintains & publishes current meeting schedules in the Coastal Bend Area.
7. Publishes a monthly newsletter, the "Coastal BENDER," to keep A.A. members informed of local A.A. affairs and special events.
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