



District 6 Newsletter

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District Meeting

April 28, 2018

Host Group

Came to Believe AFG

District Meeting Location

Cedar Park First United Methodist Church
600 W Park St.
Cedar Park, TX 78613

Contact

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kcraig10@att.net

Agenda

Registration/Breakfast.....8:00 A.M.
Workshop.....9:30 A.M.
Business Meeting.....10:30 A.M.
Potluck Lunch.....11:30 A.M.
Adjourn.....2:00 P.M.

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**SUMMER NEWSLETTER INPUTS DUE
May 21, 2018**

My Story

(by Sheila Q.)

You know, I guess I could tell you how my life started and what it was like then and blame lots of things on what my parents did or didn't do for the way I am today. However, I know that's not reality, and the way I react today to life or what brought me to Al-Anon are the same things that keep me here. My story has changed from when I first arrived, and I blame no one for the choices I made until I finally got to the rooms of Al-Anon.

My childhood was happy, scary, unpredictable, and full of love. Most of the adults in my life drank. Drinking, partying, and chaos were the norms. My dad had a full time job but retired when I was young with health issues as a result of heavy cigarette smoking and drinking. Up until then, things seemed OK, or "normal." My mom went to work in an uncle's bar, and my dad would sit and drink and smoke while she worked. My brothers and I depended on my grandparents during this time, or we were home alone or at the bar. My mom was loving, but very busy from work, household chores, gardening, and a night life. Now, I know she did the very best she could.

We lived on a farm so I learned to hunt, fish, milk cows, make hay, raise a garden, ride horses, slop hogs, and feed chickens, pigs, cows, turkeys, peacocks, and horses. I also enjoyed a lot of other fun adventurous excitement that goes along with farming. Needless to say, I was a tomboy. These were happy times! I loved that farm; the animals and my grandmother were my staples. We come from very hard working people.

I also endured sexual abuse early in life and as a young girl and know that this is unfortunately common for men and women in alcoholic homes. While I don't wish this on any child, I know my Higher Power was always with me, and I am the person I am today because of everything I experienced in life. It also seems that I have many opportunities to share my experiences with women in the program.

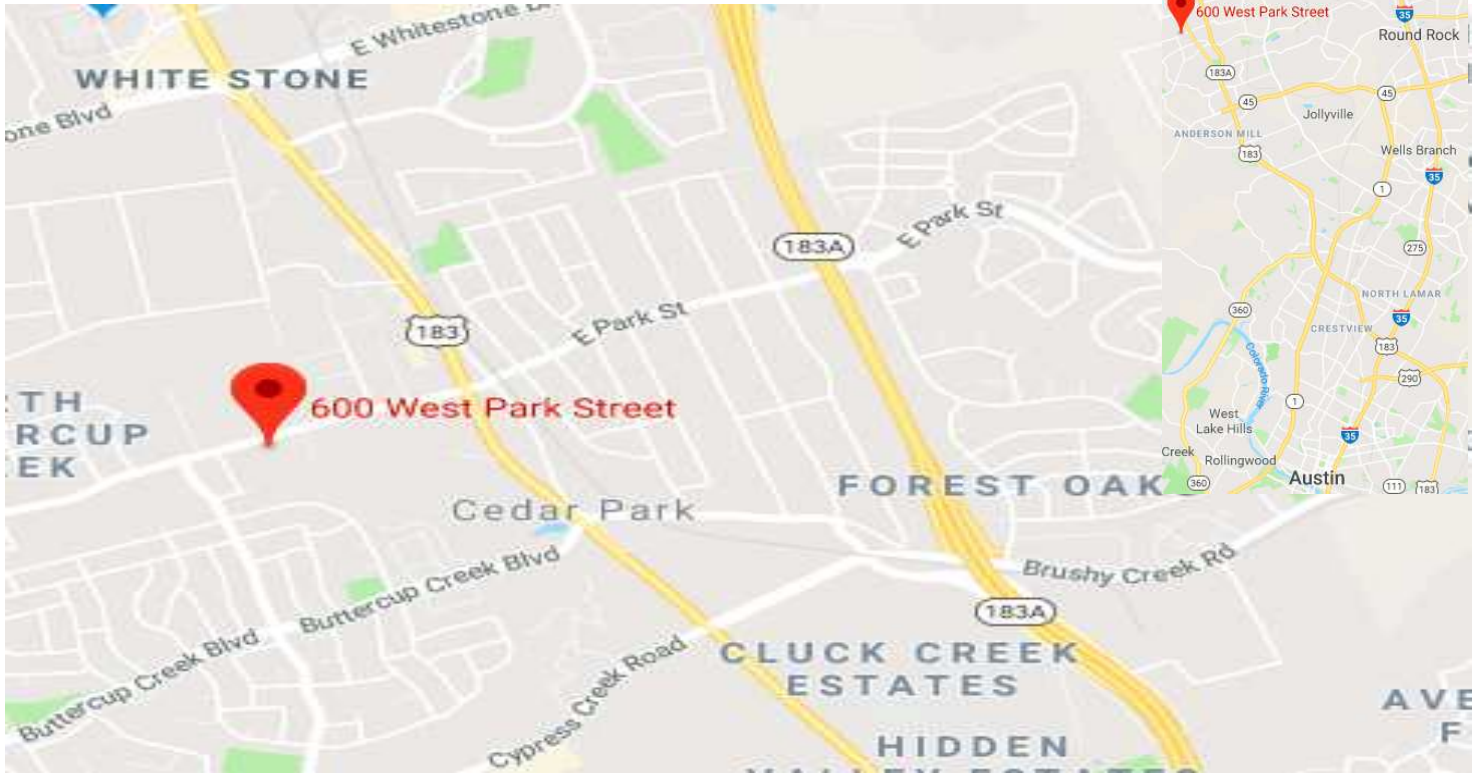
In my teens, I drank (a lot), did some drugs, and really didn't have to answer to anyone. I'm very lucky to be alive. So many of my friends didn't make it, from car wrecks, fights, over doses, and other diseases directly related to untreated Al-Anonism or alcoholism. I didn't have any balance in life, had low self-esteem, and looked to bad boys for love. I was very promiscuous and thought it was love.

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Directions: District Meeting – April 28, 2018
 Cedar Park First United Methodist Church
 600 W Park St, Cedar Park, TX 78613
 Contact: Kim C. (740) 751-8515



From the South

- Take I-35N from downtown Austin to Exit 142A, 183 N to Lampassas.
- Follow 183 N to Cedar Park.
- Make left on W Park St.
- The destination will be on the left.

From the North

- Take I-35 S from Georgetown.
- Exit 256, 1431, University Blvd.
- Make a right on 1431.
- Make left on N Bell Blvd.
- Make right on W Park.
- The destination will be on the left.



Please remember that the lunch is potluck, so bring your favorite dish. GRs should bring their service manuals for use during the meeting and are also encouraged to bring a written group report to be included in the next newsletter.





Future Events

Apr 13-15, 2018	TEAAC, Alateens
Apr 28	District 6 Meeting, Cedar Park First United Methodist Church Cedar Park, TX
May 4-6, 2018	East Texas Area Alanon/Alateen Assembly (Beaumont, TX)
May 21	Austin Information Ctr. Board Mtg., (Austin Info Center)
July 21, 2018	District 6 Meeting Delegates visit Wimberley Presbyterian Church 956 FM 2325 Wimberley, TX

My Story (cont'd)

In school, I thought I didn't fit in but through my Fourth Step, I uncovered that I actually participated in lots of activities. I was a cheerleader, majorette, served on the yearbook team, played sports, and sang in choir. I always had the stinking thinking going on from a young age. At school, I did very well until my senior year when my grandmother died from diabetes [maybe untreated Al-anon(ism)]. I almost quit school, but my guidance counselor called my parents to school and wouldn't let me quit. I'm so grateful to Mr. Gonzales.

I got pregnant right after graduation, got married, and had a beautiful baby girl. Her father was the first love of my life. When we split up, I felt like I was going to die. I soon turned to other men for comfort, my go-to. I had to have someone that I thought loved me, and I them, to fixate on to feel secure, and this is what I thought was happiness.

My daughter is the joy of my life today. She did not, however, have the best upbringing. Despite this, she is a wonderful daughter, mother to two girls, and great wife. Today, I hope to be a better example due to the program.

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I moved to Texas in the early 80s, and married my second husband. There were many affairs and relationships in between. We met in a bar (my go-to place for prey/next victim), and we had a love-hate love affair. When I wanted to settle down, he wanted no part of it. I remember the last time he disappeared for days. I sat on my front porch crying, praying to God for help (the only time I really prayed, when all hell broke loose), wondering why I was in so much pain and why I felt as if I were dying? Sound familiar? I thought I was different than most people and that everyone else had "the" secret to happiness.

I believe that I too suffer from the disease of alcohol(ism) – the I, the self, the me, or what I like to refer to as Internal Spiritual Malady. That night, as I sat on my porch feeling like I was dying, I didn't know where to turn, and I called a suicide hot line just looking for someone to listen. The lady on the phone ask if I ever heard of Al-Anon? That phone call got me and my husband into recovery and introduced me to a new way of life. I went to meetings and had a sponsor for about three years and then again divorced, did a geographical cure, and moved closer to family (co-dependence).

After I moved, I quit going to meetings, found another guy in a bar, and got married. He didn't speak English and was 18 years younger than me, a drinker, and spicy, (my picker just kept getting worse as my disease progressed).

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My Story (cont'd)

I remember thinking – “Wow, I am improving.” We dated six months before he moved in with me and married after one year. After my third marriage and divorce, I had many one night stands, affairs, one-way relationships, and only then did I finally hit a low rock bottom. Men were no longer the answer, and I couldn't live with them or without them. I was restless, irritable, and discontent. Everything in my life up to this point all led me to look for an answer to my problems. I almost lost my job, had no clue who I was, and was alienating myself from my family and a precious daughter and granddaughter that I loved very much.

I knew where to go for help. I went to counseling and Al-Anon. I was diagnosed with PTSD from this disease, which is also common. I needed professional help to uncover the buried memories from my childhood. I had no clue that alcohol(ISM) was the problem. I was willing to do anything this time. I got a sponsor right away, did whatever she told me, and tried to go to as many meetings as possible, which was about three or four per week. I still go to about three per week.

My home group is the best group, I am so grateful! We make newcomers the most important people in the room. We make sure they are welcomed, listened to, and most importantly – Loved! But, what I am most grateful for are the women and men in AA and Al-Anon, and my sponsor (who is the best sponsor in the world and who suggested that I go to open AA meetings). This really opened my eyes to this disease. It also healed me from the bitterness and anger I felt for my family. I believe that absolutely nothing in this world happens by mistake, and my attitude is everything. I pray to remain willing, open, and honest. Acceptance and rigorous self-honesty are the keys to life for me. Today, I know one thing for sure – “I don't know much of anything.”

I'm getting ready to begin studying the principles a third time to discuss the relationship across the same Step, Tradition, and Concept. What a blessing this program has been. My self-discovery and the relationships just keep getting deeper and better. I am truly a grateful Al-Anon and plan to keep coming back to help carry the message to others that need help the way I did when I arrived 12 years ago. I must mention the wonderful gift of sponsorship! I sponsor the most loving women. I have learned so much from them about myself and feel so loved. Words cannot express my feelings and how they have changed my life.

Through a daily routine of RPMs (reading, prayer, and meditation), I grow in my experience of a Higher Power. It's so true what they say – to believe in God is not good enough. For me, I have to live in GOD – a conscious daily awareness of a living, all-knowing, all-loving God. This is a daily surrender of my will. As soon as I get out the door, usually in traffic, I take it back, but that's OK. This is what keeps me surrendering. This is what keeps me sane and able to live life on life's terms.

The promises have come true for me in recovery and Al-anon has saved my life. The solutions and answers I sought for all of my life are in the literature, meetings, conferences, my sponsor, phone calls, RPMs, and you. I have so many true friends and am so grateful that I found what was inside of me all along – my spirit, Good Orderly Direction, aka GOD! Thank you!





Officer Reports

District Representative – Judy W.

Thank you to those who have responded to updating your GR-1, Group Rep Change Forms! I hope to bring more blank GR-1 forms and our district's latest contact information (from the database) to the next district meeting scheduled for April 28th (in Cedar Park).

It is very challenging having approximately 80 groups in our district, to have multiple names per group, and wrong names in our Area's District 6 Group Records database. For this reason, my plan in the future will be to send the district communications to the GRs and continue reaching out to other groups that do not have a GR named. Our District 6 South and North Public Outreach Coordinators, Spanish Coordinator, Alternate District Representative, and I plan to visit those groups to help update our district's records. We will invite the Information Center's Meeting Committee to also help validate group information. Updating/validating your group's meeting information helps our district work closely with the Austin Information Center to keep their records as accurate as possible, so when those in need reach out, we can provide accurate responses. WSO will continue to send their all electronic information to the Current Mailing Address (CMA) contact.

Since our January district meeting, an Area World Service Committee (AWSC) Transition Meeting was held (1/26 to 1/28) in Gonzales, Tx. The meeting offered opportunities for topic refreshers, learning new things, and networking with other new three-year term AWSC members. Some key highlights included:

- Sharing our District 6 coordinators' contact information for Public Outreach, Spanish, and Alateen with neighboring DRs from District 5 (Houston) and District 13 (Kerrville). We also discussed Spanish bilingual translation ideas with District 4's previous DR and now our new Area Alternate Delegate.
- Receiving a very helpful demo of the Texas Web site. The new service manual can be downloaded (free) off the main Texas Web site, <http://texas-al-anon.org/members>.

- Reminder that the hardcopy manuals will no longer be free and sent to the groups. (I have asked the Information Center to send English and Spanish service manuals to our next District meeting. Estimated Cost: \$5)
- Verification that the latest GR-1 Forms (English or Spanish) and many helpful WSO guidelines are now found under the Texas East link.
- Attending a workshop on Knowledge Based Decision Making (KBDM); presentation (English or Spanish) is under East TX Area Information and Guidelines.
- Confirmation that The Forum (a previously free subscription) will no longer be sent to the groups; it must be purchased.
- Discussion that prep work by the DRs from Districts 4, 5, and 7 on realignment is expected to begin. Minor group changes are expected to be the start of the realignment based on geographic group locations. We hope the DR work will be published in a future Beacon so that a vote may occur at the November 2018 Assembly meeting.
- A Task Force was appointed to formalize interview questions for the recertifying Alateen Sponsors that want to use a self-guided study approach. Only two Alateen trainers exist so our Area Alateen Coordinator is also interested in getting more trainers ready throughout our Area.

Our Area Delegate sent District 6 a very nice Thank You note for our love gift to help supplement her out-of-pocket expense when she attends the annual April World Service Conference. I will bring the card to the next district meeting.

Hope to see everyone in Cedar Park!

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Officer Reports (cont'd)

Secretary's Report – Doon R.

Meeting Minutes

January 20, 2018

**Hosted by: Central Texas Serenity Seekers AFG
Grace United Methodist Church Fellowship
Hall**

Judy W., District Representative, called the meeting to order at 9:01 A.M. and thanked the host group, Central Texas Serenity Seekers AFG. Barbra H. from the host group welcomed everyone.

A moment of silence was observed, followed by the Serenity Prayer and the reading of the Twelve Traditions, Twelve Concepts of Service and General Warranties of the Conference. Judy W. welcomed 5 new GR's and asked them to see her for a new GR-1 Form. After introductions, the Ask It Basket was passed.

The business meeting began at 9:01 A.M. with the officers' reports (Page 5).

Judy W. presented her report and asked for assistance in learning G-mail for group e-mails. She announced her e-mail for District purposes: etx.district6@gmail.com

The 7th Tradition basket was passed. \$198.00 was collected.

Anna A. recognized chairpersons who participated in Fall Assembly and reported on its success.

Doon R. asked if there were any corrections or additions to the October 21, 2017 minutes as printed in the "Winter 2018 District 6 Newsletter." There was one correction: page 7, Update, July district meeting will be on July 21, 2018. The minutes were approved as corrected. Changes to the group meeting schedule will be brought to Janie by Judy W.

Robert G. presented the 2017 District 6 4th Quarter Operating Statement. (Page 9)

The coordinators' reports followed. (Page 11) Paula H. reported for AIS Liaison (position unfilled).

Everyone enjoyed participating in a Jeopardy game led by Barbra H., Robin C., and Julie R.

The group took a 20-minute break and resumed at 10:50 A.M.

Pat E. is the Registrar for TEAAC, 4/13-15, 2018. Bennie P. is Registrar for POSSE, 3/23-25, 2018. Robert G. requested that all district business be mailed to the Treasurer's PO Box, not to his residence.

Judy W. presented a summary of the current district meeting format in preparation for new business meeting topics with an aim to working on education and taking our program to the next level. She requested groups consider hosting the October 2018 district meeting.

Doon R. called the roll. There were 46 attendees with 26 voting GRs. A 2/3 majority was 17 votes; a simple majority was 14 votes.

Old Business: Robert presented the proposed budget for 2018. Some discussion followed regarding financial needs of Archives and content of Archive literature. Discussion to resume after lunch.

The group broke for lunch from 11:34 A.M.

The business meeting resumed at 12:30 P.M.

Doon R. took a count of members still in attendance. There were 44 members with 24 voting GRs. A 2/3 majority being 16 votes; a simple majority being 13 votes.

Old Business Continues: Robert G.'s presentation of the 2018 budget resumed. After further elaboration, it was unanimously approved as revised.

Deanna M. reported that progress on the distribution of Alateen school posters has been very challenging. Additional volunteers are needed to help provide feedback on streamlining the process.

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Officer Reports (cont'd)

January 20, 2018 Meeting Minutes (cont'd)

There are still 17 schools to get posters to. She is learning the chain of command. Seekers of Serenity AFG is forming a group to work on the project. Rosemary and Kelly T. will help support her.

Bill W. provided an update on the "Thought Force on increasing Alateen and Alateen GR membership and participation in Al-Anon functions." Its conclusions: active outreach is the goal, along with personal outreach, keeping in mind the slogan Let it Begin with Me and Step Twelve. He encouraged GRs to go to meetings and announce what Alateen meetings are available, to announce every week, and to get certified, so they'll know what they're talking about. He also encouraged them to motivate their group members to get certified. Bill made some posters. The Thought Force was dissolved.

New Business: Judy W. led a discussion on format of future district meetings. GRs considering several ideas: speakers on the study of principles (Traditions/Concepts); conflict resolution; games; knowledge-based decision making at district level; A Day in Al-Anon – Traditions; and a workshop on the new service manual.

Judy W. asked for volunteers for a "District Workshop Thought Force" to present ideas at the April 28, 2018 district meeting. Cathy M., Betty B., Josie R., Barbara M., and Peggy D. agreed to serve on the committee.

Jessica P. announced the deadline for the newsletter cover story is due by February 28, 2018. She asked if there has ever been a request to have the newsletter in Spanish. Paula H. stated she'd translated Secretary minutes in the past. Her experience was that it was not as effective as face-to-face communication, and an inroad with feedback first might be helpful. Jessica

asked if we can have the newsletter in Spanish on the Web site. Pat I. suggested a social media link.

Judy W. expressed the desire to gather info about Alateen participation regarding 1/2 scholarships for POSSEE attendance and mentioned that a list of past motions is needed. Per Anna A, old Newsletters contain previous motions and have been provided to Jessica P.

Ask It Basket questions were answered. (Page 8)

The GR reports followed. (Page 14)

Important Dates:

- April 13-15, 2018 – TEAAC, Gonzales, TX
- May 3-5, 2018 – ETAAA Assembly, Beaumont, TX

Future District Meetings:

- April 28, 2018 – Hosted by Came to Believe AFG, Cedar Park (4th Sat.)
- July 21, 2018 – Hosted by Wimberley AFG (3rd Sat.) – Delegate visits
- October 21, 2018 – Host to be announced (3rd Sat.)
- January 19, 2019 -- Host to be announced (3rd Sat.)

The meeting closed at 2:40 P.M. with the Al-Anon Declaration.

Respectfully submitted with gratitude in service,
Doon R., District 6 Secretary

Treasurer's Report

See the 2017 District 6 Operating Statement for the 4th Quarter (Page 9).





Ask It Basket January 20, 2018

1. What is the position of Al-Anon on the use of social media (Facebook, Instagram, Pinterest) for outreach?

Answer: WSO is working on further guidelines on social media. The service manual has words of advice about respecting anonymity. At the group level, a private Facebook page has been beneficial to build good fellowship among the members.

This might be a good one-day workshop topic – inviting an “expert” or two to describe how Facebook and other social media can be taken advantage of at the group and district levels. It sounds like Alateen could be a separate discussion at the workshop.

General discussion followed regarding concerns for anonymity and personal privacy; that it does not take the place of a sponsor; and that there should be someone to monitor content. Per Pat E., WSO has monitors for content.

Judy W. will ask Kay C. about WSO guidance as we try to engage younger members. Pages 110-116 in our service manual provide some guidelines and suggestions.

2. Ideas on how to retain newcomers?

Answer: Make more personal contact after meetings, follow-up call, group e-mail (some that are not still coming want to remain on e-mail list), greeter at meeting who has packet for newcomer.

3. Ideas on how to get better contributions from members?

Answer: Make sure Service Manual 7th Tradition language is read, encouraging people to donate what they can. GR can communicate to group that donation is more than just rent. It can also be applied toward the budget for Area, District, and AIS contributions, for newcomer’s literature, GR participation, and public outreach.

4. Any funds available for info packets/booklets? Our group goes through a lot. It’s expensive for our smallish group.

Answer: Some groups can’t sustain the gift of newcomer packets. GRs and officers need to say that we have certain financial obligations and are entirely self-supporting. Groups can have a meeting on the 7th Tradition and can build their own less expensive, mini newcomer packets.

5. What is the process for current AMIAS to be recertified?

Answer: A current AMIAS can recertify by viewing the online manual, having a phone interview with a trainer sending in the paperwork, and completing a background check.

It is recommended that we attend a workshop, even if it is not necessary, in order to share experience, strength, and hope.

Al-Anon Information Service (AIS) Center

First Quarter Report on Austin Al-Anon Alateen Information Center(AAIC) Board Meeting Northland Al-Anon Room, Austin TX Tuesday February 20, 2018

AAIC Chair’s Report

As of January 3, 2018, Janie H. became the new Austin Area Information Center Office Manager/Volunteer Coordinator. Kitty G. retired after 17 years of service. We are grateful for all that Kitty has done. In response to the August survey, the AAIC will be open on M,Tu,W 10-2; Thur 10-2; Friday 12-7PM; and Sat 10-2. Carolyn K. has donated a fax/scan/copy machine to the Center.

Treasurer’s Report

The AAIC had a profit of \$646.90 at the end of 2017. The budgeted income for 2018 is \$66,775. There is an anticipated surplus of \$3000. for 2018 (not including any updates in technology equipment/supplies.)

District Report

Judy W. gave a report on the District 6 Meeting of

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Officer Reports (cont'd)

2017 District 6 Operating Statement (4th Quarter)

District 6 Operating Statement		1st Q 2017	2nd Q 2017	3rd Q2017	4th Q 2017		
Income	Budget	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Actual	
D6 Basket Collection	500.00	155.00	92.00	105.00	165.00	517.00	
Total Group donations including newsletter subscriptions	6,000.00	1,804.68	1,664.26	1,946.37	5,063.38	10,478.69	
Bank Interest	10.00	2.21	2.22	2.37	2.55	9.35	
Collection for Delegate	-		130.00	-	-	130.00	
Miscellaneous	-		-	-	-	-	
Contribution from Unallocated Funds to cover proposed expenses	3,075.00		-	-	-	-	
Total Income	9,585.00	1,961.89	1,888.48	2,053.74	5,230.93	11,135.04	
Expenses							
Alateen Coordinator	1,000.00	125.00	552.47	96.58	76.74	850.79	
Alateen Liason Coordinato	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Archives	75.00	-	-	-	-	-	
Rent / District Meeting	1,000.00	50.00	50.00	50.00	150.00	300.00	
DR Int'l Convention	-	-	-	-	-	-	
DR Expenses	1,200.00	226.92	238.08	11.69	41.16	517.85	
Alt. DR Expenses	500.00	50.82	16.50	35.64	55.00	157.96	
Secretary Expenses	200.00	44.48	43.23	49.83	29.34	166.88	
Treasurer Expenses	300.00	100.00	-	-	300.00	400.00	100.00 For 2016
Newsletter Editor	100.00	-	-	-	-	-	
Forum / Literature	150.00	-	11.00	-	11.00	22.00	
AMIAS	50.00	-	-	-	-	-	
Newsletter Publication	2,400.00	617.81	621.74	649.60	548.72	2,437.87	
Public Outreach North	500.00	-	-	-	-	-	
Public Outreach South	1,000.00	-	-	-	-	-	
Spanish Coordinator	200.00	-	-	-	-	-	
P.O.S.S.E. Scholarship	200.00	62.50	-	-	-	62.50	
Donation to TEAAC	500.00	-	-	-	-	-	
Delegate to Assembly	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Gift to Delegate	-	-	130.00	-	-	130.00	
Bank Charges	10.00	-	-	-	-	-	
Miscellaneous	200.00	-	153.71	70.82	77.41	301.94	District Meeting Supplies
Total Expenses	9,585.00	1,277.53	1,816.73	964.16	1,289.37	5,347.79	

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Officer Reports (cont'd)

2017 District 6 Operating Statement (4th Quarter) - cont'd

District 6 Operating Statement		1st Q 2017	2nd Q 2017	3rd Q2017	4th Q 2017	
Income	Budget	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	Actual
Reserves						
International Reserve	1,801.43	1,801.43	1,801.43	1,801.43	1,801.43	For DR's Attendance
T.E.A.M.	171.51	171.51	171.51	171.51	171.51	One-Day Seminar on Service
Assembly Funds	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	2,000.00	Return of Deposit ETAA (+500.00)
Prudent Reserve	4,792.50	4,792.50	4,792.50	4,792.50	4,792.50	Approximately 1/2 Annual Budget
Kristy Fund	1,043.38	1,043.38	908.38	908.38	908.38	1/2 Scholarships for TEAAC
Total Reserves	9,308.82	9,308.82	9,173.82	9,173.82	9,673.82	
Reserves						
Reserves	9,308.82	9,308.82	9,173.82	9,173.82	9,673.82	
Allocated Funds	682.00	682.00	682.00	682.00	682.00	Posters For Schools
Allocated Funds	3,075.00	3,075.00	3,075.00	3,075.00	3,075.00	Anticipated to Cover 2017 Expenses
Allocated Funds	65.50	65.50	65.50	65.50	-	CAP Metro over (moved to Unallocated)
Allocated Funds						no allocation at this time
Allocated Funds						no allocation at this time
Allocated Funds						no allocation at this time
Unallocated Funds	5,433.60	4,954.04	5,066.79	6,115.37	9,622.43	Return of Loan to ETAAA (+2,000.00)
Bank Balance (1/1/17)	18,099.92	18,085.36	18,063.11	19,111.69	23,053.25	
Bank Balance	on 12/31/16	on 3/31/17	on 6/30/17	on 9/30/17	on 12/31/17	

Al-Anon Information Service (AIS) Center (cont'd)

New Business

A recommendation was made to purchase a computer, internet service, Wi-Fi, a mouse, Office 365, and a new office sign. Carolyn K. provided a cost breakdown of all items, including a cost comparison of utilizing AT&T vs Spectrum. A motion was made and passed to accept the technology upgrades, a new sign, and Spectrum Internet and phone service.

Mary Evelyn M. will chair the Finance Committee.

Adam C is the new web master.

Kate H. will be the Meeting List chair.

Information Center Report

Janie H. stated that there were 150 calls and 116 walk-ins from January 1st and thru February 16th. High volume was from Tuesday thru Thursday, and between 10AM and 2PM. The five top literature sales, from highest to lowest, were

How A-Anon Works, newcomers packets, Paths to Recovery, daily readers, and Blueprint for Progress.
Literature Inventory: Cost \$9,251 and Retail Value \$11,541.
Orders made by the case are most cost effective.

Volunteers are needed at AAIC for the fourth Thursday of the month and on Saturdays.

Some group meetings are not on the list. The Meeting List subcommittee will meet to develop a procedure for ensure that the Area Group Records coordinator, as well as the AAIC, is informed of meeting changes.

Cathy K. was voted the new AAIC Liaison and will attend AAIC, AWSC, and Assembly meetings. Rather than attending District 6 meetings, Cathy will send a summary of the AAIC minutes to the District Alt GR, Anna R., and Anna will give the quarterly reports to the District. Anna will send the District Meeting reports/minutes to Cathy who will present them at the AAIC meetings.





Officer Reports (cont'd)

2018 District 6 Approved Budget

District 6 Approved Budget For 2018	
	2018
Income	Budget
D6 Basket Collection	500.00
Total Group Donations including newsletter subscriptions	7,500.00
Bank Interest	10.00
Collection for Delegate / Gift	-
Miscellaneous	-
Contribution from Unallocated to cover proposed expenses	3,250.00
Total Income	11,260.00
Expenses	
Alateen Coordinator	1,000.00
Alateen Liason Coordinator	-
Archives	250.00
Rent / District Meeting	750.00
DR Int'l Convention	1,500.00
DR Expenses	1,100.00
Alternate DR Expenses	500.00
Secretary Expenses	250.00
Treasurer Expenses	500.00
Newsletter Editor	100.00
Forum / Literature	250.00
AMIAS / Background Checks	50.00
Newsletter Printing	2,500.00
Public Outreach North	500.00
Public Outreach South	750.00
Spanish Coordinator	500.00
P.O.S.S.E. Scholarship	250.00
Donation to TEAAC	-
Delegate to Assembly	-
Gift To Delegate	150.00
Bank Charges	10.00
Miscellaneous	350.00
Total Expenses	11,260.00





Coordinator Reports

Forum/Literature

(by Michelle P. – new coordinator)

It is an honor to be of service as the Forum and Literature Coordinator for District 6. I am looking forward to a fun three years.

It was great to have so many members buying literature from the literature table at the last district meeting. Just as a reminder, if you call the Austin AIS a week prior to the district meeting with what your group needs and let them know that you would like to pick it up at the district meeting, you can save on postage. I will have it ready at the literature table.

Everyone who attends the district meetings will have an opportunity to win a free one-year subscription of The Forum. Make sure you fill out the entry form, and a winner will be drawn during the meeting.

THE FORUM



Members are encouraged to subscribe to their own copy of The Forum, either in print or online through your computer or mobile device.

The Forum can be ordered from the Al-Anon member's website at www.al-anon.alateen.org/members. For the password, enter your home group name, followed by "afg" (without the quotes).

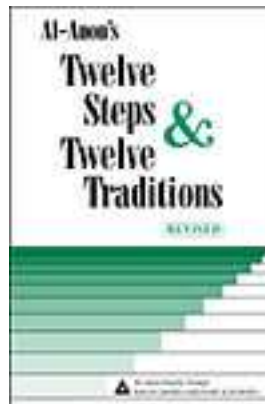
Public Outreach (North)

(by Susan T. – new coordinator)

Public Outreach North spent the first few months visiting almost all our Al-Anon groups in the North area. It was great developing relationships with the other Al-Anon groups and getting their ideas for outreach. The plan is to visit rehab. facilities, counselors, medical people, and people in the judicial system and leave Al-Anon information, as well as local Al-anon meeting information with them to pass on. We hope to also be available at family day at rehab. facilities and share Al-anon information.

Recommended Book of the Quarter Al-Anon's Twelve Steps & Twelve Traditions (Revised) (B-8 C)

From the Preface...



The Twelve Steps describe our Legacy of shared experience in recovery. The Twelve Traditions illustrate our Legacy of unity. This book focuses on our first two Legacies, and includes a description of each Step and Tradition, followed by a reflection and a story.

[Electronic version of The Forum](#)



(by Dave L.. – new coordinator)

Volunteers needed!

There are several opportunities for volunteers to do public outreach work. Places in District 6 South where we previously had meetings for family members include: the Austin Transition Center in Del Valle, the Phoenix House treatment center (near downtown), and Promises Austin in Spicewood (on the third Wednesday of every month). We could re-start those meetings if we had a core of volunteers to coordinate and staff the Al-Anon meetings. We could start the meetings with a few volunteers and then try to create a larger pool of volunteers so that no one gets burned out. If you could go to a treatment center once or twice a month to share your experience, strength, and hope, please send an e-mail to daveoutreach@att.net

Public Outreach (South)





Coordinator Reports (cont'd)

Spanish Coordinator
(by Pat I. – new coordinator)

Informa el coordinador hispanohablante

Acabo de ser elegido ser su servidor fiel. Pienso empezar mi servicio por visitar a cada uno de las reuniones hispanohablantes de Al-Anon y Alateen en nuestro distrito en las primeras meses del 2018. Espero aprender de Vds., compartir experiencia, fortaleza, y esperanza, y ofrecerles ayuda si la necesita y si lo puedo.

En este momento no existe un listo completo y corriente de todas las reuniones hispanohablantes y bilingües del Distrito 6--los Condados de Bastrop, Bell, Blanco, Caldwell, Coryell, Falls, Hays, Lee, McLennan, Travis, and Williamson. Si su grupo no oye de mi pronto, por favor, les pido que me envíen un mensaje de texto o un email, o que me llaman.

¡Que empiece por nosotros!

*Muchas gracias.
Pat I.
919-923-6871
pat-i-alanon@earthlink.net*

Newsletter Coordinator
(by Jessica P. – new coordinator)

For the “Winter 2018” issue of the newsletter, we mailed 122 copies and had none returned as undeliverable. Total cost for this issue was \$502.73. If anyone has suggestions for additional information to be included in the newsletter, please let me know.

The input due date for the “Summer 2018” edition is May 21, 2018.

Please make sure your Current Mailing Address is up to date with the Area Records Coordinator. If you did not change your mailing address and did not receive the latest edition of the newsletter, please let me know. Remember, you can always find the on-line version at <http://austinalanon.org/>, under the District 6 tab.

If you would like to contribute a story or have any ideas for the next edition of the newsletter, please contact me.

Report of the Spanish-language Coordinator

I was just elected your trusted servant. I decided to begin my service by visiting each of the Spanish-language Al-Anon and Alateen groups in our district in the first months of 2018. I hope to learn from you, share experience, strength, and hope, and offer help when it's needed and I can give it.

At the moment, there is no complete, up-to-date list of all the Spanish language and bilingual groups in District 6--in Bastrop, Bell, Blanco, Caldwell, Coryell, Falls, Hays, Lee, McLennan, Travis, and Williamson counties. If your group doesn't hear from me soon, please text, email, or call me.

Let it begin with us!

Many thanks,
Pat I.
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Al-Anon/Alateen Related Acronyms

AAPP - Area Alateen Process
Person

AI - Al-Anon Information Service

AMIAS - Al-Anon Member Involved
in Alateen Service

AWSC - Area World Service
Committee

CAL - Conference Approved
Literature

CMA - Current Mailing Address

DAC - District Alateen Coordinator

DR - District Representative

EIN - Employer Identification
Number (tax ID number)

ETAA - East Texas Area Al-
Anon/Alateen

ETAAA - East Texas Area Al-
Anon/Alateen Assembly

GR - Group Representative

ISR - Information Service
Representative

LDC - Literature Distribution Center

P.O.S.S.E. - Program of Sponsors
Sharing Everything

PQ - Public Outreach

PSA - Public Service Announcement

TEA AC - Texas East Area Alateen
Conference

TEAM - Together Empowering Al-
Anon Members

WSC - World Service Conference

WSO - World Service Office

(A.A. - Alcoholics Anonymous)

Group Reports

Faith AFG
(by Michael Z.)

Greetings from Northwest Austin!
Our group meets at 7:30 P.M. on
Thursday nights at The Unity
Church of the Hills (9905 Anderson
Mill Rd. Room 131). Our
attendance continues to be very
healthy throughout the winter
months. We are a newcomers
meeting, and on average welcome
at least one newcomer each
Thursday. We have a tradition of
gifting each newcomer with the
"How Al-Anon Works" book to help
introduce them to the program.
Come on by if you're in the area on
a Thursday night and hear from all
those that wish to share their
experience, strength, and hope,
and some laughter.

Hope for Today AFG, South Austin
(by Josie R.)

Our Al-Anon solution-based
meetings are open to new
members and seasoned ones too!
All are welcome! Our group meets
at noon, every Tuesday, near the
corner of Brodie Lane and William
Cannon Drive in Austin, TX (3326
Paisano Trail, Zion Rest Baptist
Church). In an effort to nurture the
health of our group, members
completed questions from "Al-
Anon Guidelines: Taking a Group
Inventory." The results were typed
up, time was reserved to review
these results, and a baseline
document was created. This Fourth
Step, group-inventory process took
initiative, courage, patience, and
perseverance. It was a privilege to
participate and contribute to the
on-going care of our group.

Anderson Mill AFG
(by Jessica P.)

Our group meets on Tuesdays at
7:30 P.M. at Unity Church of the
Hills. We have a healthy group of
ongoing members and continue to
see new comers and offer a
newcomer's packet to them. We
have a regular group conscience
and steering committee meetings
where we put our Traditions and
Concepts into action twice a
month. We celebrate Al-Anon
birthdays on the fourth Tuesday of
every month and hand out a chip.
We also have a speaker on the fifth
Tuesday of the month. Right now,
we are in search of a new
Treasurer from within the group.

Future Events around Texas

[A Day in Al-Anon: "Blossoming Into
Recovery"](#)

April 21 @ 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Parkway Presbyterian Church 3707
Santa Fe St. Corpus Christi, TX
78411, 3707 Santa Fe St.
Corpus Christi, TX 78411

[Area 53 – Serenity Prayer T-Shirt
Fundraiser – Spring Assembly 2018](#)

[23rd Annual Mouth of the Brazos
Conference](#)

May 18 - May 20
Lake Jackson Civic Center
333 Highway 332 East
Lake Jackson, TX 77566

[East Texas Al-Anon/Alateen Fall
Assembly](#)

November 2 - November 4
Longview, TX





Service Arms

There are four service arms that groups may choose to support after meeting their own expenses. These are listed below with their addresses. Please remember to indicate your group number, so group contributions can be acknowledged. Personal contributions are also gratefully accepted.

AL-ANON INFORMATION CENTER 6301 Manchaca Road, Ste. F Austin TX 78745 (512) 441-8591	DISTRICT 6 Robert G. PO Box 342194 Lakeway, TX 78734 (860) 922-0743
EAST TEXAS AREA (ETAA) Treasurer-ETAA P.O. Box 34102 San Antonio, TX 78265	WORLD SERVICE OFFICE AFG, INC. 1600 Corporate Landing Pkwy Virginia Beach, VA 23454-5617 (800) 344-2666 www.al-anon.alateen.org

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Web Sites

WSO	www.al-anon.org/members (log in using your group name followed by "AFG")
Texas	www.texas-al-anon.org/ (password: anonymity)
Austin	www.austinalanon.org





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8301 Manchaca Road, Ste. F, Austin TX 78745 512-441-8591 inside Texas: 888-287-2115



Al-Anon/Alateen meeting information: Central Texas AustinAlanon.org ;
Texas State-wide www.texas-al-anon.org ; Worldwide 1-888-425-2666 or www.Al-Anon-Alateen.org

Austin Al-Anon Groups		Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
Far North West	Anderson Mill, 9905 Anderson Mill , Unity Church of the Hills {31438} ¹ for childcare see below	-	-	7:30 BDS	-	-	-	-
	Esperanza, 9518 Anderson Mill Rd Rm2G (502900)Spanish	-	-	-	12-1:30 DE	-	-	-
	Faith, 9905 Anderson Mill Rd , Unity Church of the Hills (50251)	-	-	-	-	7:30 N	-	-
	Paths To Recovery, 10205 N FM 620 , St Thomas Moore Catholic, Parish Activity Center {30594662}	-	Noon D	-	-	-	-	-
	Steps To Freedom, 9905 Anderson Mill , Unity Church of the Hills {63707} ¹ for childcare see below	-	-	-	-	-	-	9:00am *BS
¹ Arrange childcare for any meeting at Unity Church of the Hills - contact 512-413-4128 1 week prior to meeting								
North (of 183)	Serenity & Solutions, 2100 Kramer Lane , Braker 1 Bldg, Suite 300 {30601162}	-	-	-	7:30 D	-	-	-
	Suburban Friends, 601 W Braker , St Marks UMC, @ Braker & Motherall behind church {63989}	-	-	-	-	-	Noon S	Noon D
West (of MOPAC/Loop1)	Austin Men In Recovery, 1500 N Hwy 360 , St Michael's Episcopal {30595993}	-	-	7:30 M/DS	-	-	-	-
	Bee Caves Road, 1460 Redbud Trail , Westlake UMC, Bldg. M Rm 134 (behind church) {44296}	-	-	-	-	-	Noon *S	-
	Bridge to Shore, 4214 N Hwy 360 , Riverbend Church, Quad 1A {66642}	5:45 *DG/B	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Choices In Recovery, 1500 N Hwy 360 , St Michael's Episcopal, Cry Rm {30589827}	-	-	-	-	-	12:30 D	-
	Great Hills, 9508 Great Hills , Triumphant Love {501623}	-	-	-	-	7:30 PD	-	-
	Highlanders, 5206 Balcones Dr , Highland Park Baptist {30612862}	-	-	-	12:30 D	-	-	-
	Hilltoppers, 3838 Steck Ave , Hillcrest Baptist, room A161 - click here to go to On-Line meeting	-	Noon N	Noon D 6:00 W 7:30M/DS	Noon C	Noon ST	Noon D	9:00am D 10:30am D Noon D
	Monday Night, 4214 N Hwy 360 , Riverbend Church, Quad 3A {30595707}	-	5:45 *D	-	-	-	-	-
Step Forward, 8134 Mesa Drive , St. Matthews {503399}	-	-	2:30 DS	-	-	-	-	
Central (area bordered by 183, MOPAC, Lady Bird Lake & I-35)	2222, 3003 Northland Dr. (MOPAC & 2222), Covenant Presby, Rm 103 {50527685}	-	-	-	-	6:00 SD	-	-
	Al-Anon In Recovery, 2203 San Antonio, University Presby Rm 203 , free co-op garage bring slip - courtyard door {30561921}	-	-	-	-	-	Noon D	-
	Allandale Happy Hour, 5906 Wynona , St. John's UMC, Annex, Rm A {37268}	-	5:30 D/S	-	-	-	-	-
	Independence, 4425 Red River , Red River Church, park rear, enter rear door {28863}	-	-	-	-	-	7:00 *DS	-
	Just for Today, 901 Trinity Street , 1 st Baptist, Rm 230, Closed holidays {65134}	-	-	Noon DS	-	-	-	-
	Live Let Live, 6809 Guadalupe , Galano Club {52581}	-	-	-	7:00 GL/D	-	-	-
	Northland, 2809 Northland Drive {13021}	8:00 *S/B	10am D 8:00 *N/B	10am D	10am D 8:00*DG/B	10am D	10am D	Noon *D
East (of I-35)	Re Nacer, 8935 Exchange Dr. Roca Eternal Church, Spanish . {pending}	-	-	-	-	7:30 to 9:30 E	-	-
	Serenidad, 5909 Reicher Dr. Sacred Heart Catholic, Spanish Bilingual {pending}	6:30 D Bilingual	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Valor Para Cambiar, 7901 Cameron Rd, Bldg. 2, #142 , Spanish	6-8:00 E☉	-	-	7-9:00 E☉	7-9:00 E☉	-	-





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South (of Lady Bird Lake)	Courage to Change, 2128 Barton Hills Drive , at Barton Skyway, St. Mark's Episcopal {43791}	-	6:45 DS	-	-	-	-	-
	Discovering Choices, 617 Clifford Street	-	-	-	-	Noon RW	-	-
	Doce Pasos de Al-Anon, 7000 Woodhue Dr , San Francisco de Asis Episcopal Church, {pending}	-	-	6:00 D	-	-	-	-
	Help For Today, 1106 W Dittmar Rd , Texas Star Recovery Center, in conf. room {30533588}	-	5:30 DN	-	6:00 D	-	-	-
	Hope 4 Today, 3326 Paisano Trail , Zion Rest {30520186}	-	-	Noon DS	-	-	-	-
	La Alegría De Vivir, 4410 Norwood , {30679385} Spanish	-	5-7 DE	-	5:00-7 DE	-	9-11am DE	-
	Living Gratitude, 7210 Brush Country , Abiding Love Lutheran, 2 nd floor, room 203 {53583}	-	-	7:00 to 8:30 L	-	-	-	-
	Nueva Vision, 617 Clifford , Bilingual {30595421}	-	-	-	6:30 S	-	-	-
	Personal Freedom, 2701 S Lamar , Austin New Church, fellowship hall {30630267}	-	-	-	-	6:15 L	-	-
	Serenity Seekers, 5501 W. Hwy 290 , Unity Church, Alpha Rm {63811}	-	-	-	-	-	6:00 N/S	-
	Spiritual Awakenings, 3701 West Slaughter Lane , Bethany Lutheran, room 107 {503739}	-	Noon D	-	-	-	-	-
	Unity, 617 Clifford Street , {44320}	5:30 S	-	-	7:00 L	-	-	10am D
	Westlake, 2525 Wallingwood Drive , Timberline Office Condominiums, Bldg. #7, Suite 703 {24562} On Sundays there are 2 Sunday Lit meetings at 9:30am, one is co-ed the other women only. Sunday at 5:30 there are 2 Parents meetings.	9:30am *L 9:30am WL 5:30* PD 5:30* PD 8:00 *R 8:00 *PD	8:00 *S	Noon*PD 8:00 *R	Noon*D 8:00 *C	9:15am L 8:00*D	5:30 *W 8:00 *C	Noon *D 8:00 *D
	Women In Recovery, 617 Clifford Street , {30619108}	-	7:00 RW	-	-	-	-	-

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E = Española	P = Al-Anon Parents	* = AA meeting at same time	

Alateen Groups		Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
Austin	Northland, 2809 Northland Drive {27869}	-	-	-	-	8:00 *D	-	-
	South Austin Alateen, 617 Clifford Drive {pending}	-	5:30 D	-	-	-	-	-
	Westlake Pre-Alateen, 2525 Wallingwood Dr , Timberline Office Park #7, ages 6-12 {501966}	-	-	-	-	-	-	Noon *D
Bastrop	Ride to Sanity, 267 Phelan Road , {503748}	-	7:30 D	-	-	-	-	-
Cedar Park	Hope, 120-B Commercial Pkwy , {30613192}	1:00 D	-	-	-	-	-	-
Georgetown	Georgetown, 2409 Dawn Dr , ages 12-19 {501260}	-	8:00 *D/N	-	-	-	-	-
Lakeway	Lakeway, 2203 Lakeway Blvd , Rm 11 {pending}	-	-	-	-	-	-	10am D
Marble Falls	Marble Falls, 1101 Bluebonnet Dr , 1 st UMC.	-	7:30 D	-	-	-	-	-
Round Rock	Thursday Alateen, 1705 Gattis School Rd , Grace Presbyterian {30687197}	-	-	-	-	7:00 D*	-	-

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always check AustinAlanon.org for most current schedule





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Bastrop	Freedom Finders, 267 Phelan Rd. , CR 36, off Hwy 95, Pioneer AA Club {50148}	-	6:00 S	-	-	6:00 D	-	-
	Let It Begin With Me, 603 Spring St. , Calvary Episcopal in Gethsemane Bldg. {pending}	-	-	-	-	7:00 D	-	-
Buda	Keep It Simple, 2315 FM 967 , Living Word {30684035}	-	-	7:00 L	-	-	-	-
	Serenity Seekers, 2315 FM 967 , Living Word {30629936}	-	-	-	-	-	-	10:30am D
Burnet	Burnet, 601 N Wood , @ Epiphany Episcopal	-	-	-	-	-	Noon D	-
Cedar Park	Came To Believe, 120-B Commercial Pkwy. , {30507146}	-	6:00 D	6:15 D	-	6:15 D	Noon D	-
	GFA Fuente De Paz, 400 Old Hwy 183 , Spanish {30636595}	-	-	7:00-9:30 E	-	7:00-9:30 E	-	-
	Hope, 120-B Commercial Pkwy. , {46469}	1:00 *DS	-	-	-	-	-	10:30am* DS
	Survival to Recovery, 120-B Commercial Pkwy. , {30674456} – only meets 2nd&4th Sundays of month	6:15 D	-	-	-	-	-	-
Creedmoor	New Illusions, 12401 FM 1625 , AA club house, Creedmoor, {pending}	-	-	-	8:00 DE Bilingual	-	-	-
Dripping Springs	Dripping Springs, UMC, Hwy 12, 1 mile N of 290, trailer home behind church {63542}	-	-	-	-	Noon D	-	-
Elgin	Just For Today, 216 W 3rd , 1 st UMC {30503794}	-	-	6:30-7:45	-	-	-	-
Georgetown	Georgetown, 2409 Dawn Drive {13235}	-	8:00 *D/N	-	-	-	-	-
	Hope For Today, 4945 Williams Dr. , Scott & White Clinic, lobby Conf Room {30586552}	-	3:30 D	-	-	-	-	-
	Living Solution, 1525 W University Ave. , Church of Christ {30628985}	-	-	7:00 DL	-	-	-	-
	Living Solution, 1303 S Elm St. , {30628985}	-	-	-	-	7:00 DL	-	-
	Solo Por Hoy, 1019 College Ave. Spanish {13235}	-	6-7:30 EB	-	-	6-7:30 EB	-	-
	W Georgetown, 1525 W University Ave. , Church of Christ {61813}	-	-	-	-	-	-	11am ND
Giddings	Giddings, 578 East Industry {46863}	-	-	8:00 *D	-	-	-	-
Kingsland	12 Steps, 508 RR 2900 , Packsaddle Fellowship	-	-	-	-	-	5:00 S	-
	Winner's Circle, 508 RR 2900 , Packsaddle Fellowship	6:00 D	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lagrange	One Day At A Time, 156 N Monroe , {35061}	-	Noon D	-	-	-	-	-
	Lagrange, 121 College , 1 st Baptist {30619110}	-	-	-	Noon LD	-	-	-
Lakeway	Lakeway, 1718 Lohmans Crossing Rd. , Emmaus Catholic bldg B1, {501102}	-	-	Noon D	-	Noon D	-	-
	Lake Travis Parents, 1310 RR620S , Suite C10 {30607307}	-	6:45N 7:00 P	- Noon D	-	-	-	-
	3 C's, 2203 Lakeway Bld , Lakeway Church, Rm11{501991}	-	-	-	8:00 *D	-	-	-
Llano	Keep Coming Back, 708 Bessemer , Holy Trinity {502242}	-	-	-	-	-	-	10am D
Marble Falls	ODAT, 1101 Bluebonnet Drive , 1 st UMC	-	7:30 D	-	-	-	-	-
	Serenity, 1101 Bluebonnet Drive , 1 st UMC	-	-	-	-	Noon D	-	-
New Braunfels	Just For Today, 408 Gruene Rd. , United Church of Practical Christianity {30507286}	-	-	-	7:30 D	-	-	-
Pflugerville	Path to Serenity, 902 Old Austin Hutto Rd. , Ste.400. Parking across street {65373}	-	-	7:30 N 8:00 *D	-	-	-	-
Round Rock	Courage To Change, 1705 Gattis School Rd. , Grace Presbyterian, room 4 {30671145}	-	-	-	-	7:00 D	-	-
	Freedom to Recover, 4010 Sam Bass Rd. , RR Presby, Children's Education Bldg, {53440}	-	-	-	7:30 *DS	-	-	-
	Hope and Serenity, 1705 Gattis School Rd. , Grace Presbyterian, room 4 {30662988}	-	-	7:00 P	-	-	-	-
	Seekers of Serenity, 1705 Gattis School Rd. , Grace Presbyterian, room 4 {503277}	-	-	Noon D	-	-	-	-
	Serenity Trail, 710 Bluff Dr. , Grace Lutheran, @ corner Lime Rock & Bluff in Grace House {48186}	-	-	-	-	-	7:30 SD	-
San Marcos	San Marcos, 130 W Holland , 1 st Lutheran {25172}	-	-	7:30 D	-	-	-	11am D
	Welcome Home, 510 N Guadalupe , United Campus Ministry, library {63539}	-	-	-	-	-	Noon DS	-
Taylor	Taylor, 905 W Lake Dr. , 1 st UMC Fellowship Hall {30609011}	-	-	-	-	6:30 D	-	-
Wimberley	Wimberley 956 FM 2325 , Presby Church, {31273}	4:30 D	Noon D	-	-	7:30 D	Noon D	-





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Gatesville, Hamilton, Harker Heights, Killeen, Salado, Temple & Waco
last updated March 8, 2018 - Check for updates to this schedule at <http://austinalanon.org>

Waco beeper number: 254-808-4757.

Killeen answering service: 254-290-9541 bhartbarger10@gmail.com

Austin Al-Anon/Alateen Information Center: Phone: 888-287-2115 or 512-441-8591

6301 Manchaca Road, Ste. F, Austin TX 78745.

This list on the Web at: AustinAlAnon.org/NCTxlist.htm

Al-Anon World Service Office, worldwide meeting information: 888-425-2666.

Texas Al-Anon web site, state-wide meeting information: www.texas-al-anon.org

Abbreviations:

AFG = Al-Anon Family Group

am = Morning meeting times

B = Babysitting

C = AFG Adult Children of Alcoholics

⊙ Closed meeting = limited to Al-Anon & prospective members

D = Discussion meeting

DS = Discussion, steps once a month

N = Newcomers/Beginners

S = 12 Steps study

ST = Steps, traditions once a month

* = AA meeting at the same time

{#} = WSO Registration Number

Groups listed at their request. Groups listed on this directory have an informal agreement with the Austin Information Center that the group will abide by the Al-Anon Traditions and welcome any Al-Anon member. Listing in this directory does not constitute approval of any group's manner of practicing the Al-Anon program. If the group you attend is not right for you, please try another.

CLICKING ON UNDERLINED ADDRESS WILL LANCH GOOGLE MAPS WITH DRIVING DIRECTIONS TO THAT ADDRESS.

Al-Anon Groups		Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
Harker Heights	Central Texas Serenity Seekers, 403 E FM 2410 (Knights Way) , Trinity Baptist Church, Harker Heights, TX 76548 {13326}	-	-	7:00 D	Noon D	6:15 N 7:00 L	-	-
Salado	Let It Begin With Me, 650 Royal , UMC {30612988}	6:00 D	-	-	-	-	-	-
Temple	One Day at a Time, St. Luke's Catholic, 2807 Oakdale , Ed. Bldg {37078}	-	-	8:00 D	-	-	-	-
	Glass House, 102 N 2nd St @ Barton , 1st Methodist, Room 110 {43210}	-	12:15 D	-	-	-	-	-
Waco	Heart of Texas, 1624 Wooded Acres , Church of the Holy Spirit {13583}	-	7:00 D	-	-	-	-	-
	Bellmead AFG, 1011 Boston St , St Joseph's Catholic {30515668}	-	7:00 D	-	-	7:00 D	-	-
	TE-CAM, 305 North 30th , at Waco Drive, St. Albans Episcopal (Non-smoking) {63990}	-	-	6:00 D	-	-	6:00 D	-
	TNT, 7129 Delhi Rd , community bldg behind Crestview Church of Christ {40605}	-	-	10:00am D	-	10:00am D	-	-

Alateen Groups		Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
Harker Heights	Fort Hood Area Alateen, 403 E FM 2410 (Knights Way) , Trinity Baptist Church, {30634211}	-	-	-	-	7:00 D	-	-
Waco	Waco Alateen, 305 North 30th , at Waco Drive, St. Albans Episcopal {503746}	-	-	6:00 D	-	-	-	-

This meeting schedule is maintained as a service of the Austin Al-Anon Information Center ~ please call the Info Center to report changes.

Alcoholism is a family disease. Living with the effects of someone else's drinking is too devastating for most people to bear without help. In Al-Anon & Alateen we learn individuals are not responsible for another person's disease or recovery from it. You did not cause it, you cannot control it, and you cannot cure it.





EAST TEXAS AREA ALANON/ALATEEN ASSEMBLY

May 4 - 6, 2018

Come Go With Me

(and bring a friend!)



Designated Hotel Information

Holiday Inn Beaumont Plaza

3950 I-10 South

Beaumont, TX 77705

(409) 842-5995

Cut off date - April 4th, 2018

Ask for ETAAA Rate

\$107 for Double/King

Breakfast Included up to 4 per room

ETAAA - All Meetings

Clifton Event Complex

8727 Highway 124

Beaumont, Texas 77720



Bring your poodle skirt and saddle shoes!



GR ___ DR ___ AMIAS ___ FIRST ASSEMBLY (Y/N) ___ OTHER ___

Name _____ Name on Badge _____

Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Group Name _____ District # _____ # of Years in Program _____

Phone # _____ Email _____

Doors and Registration Open at 2:00 p.m on Friday May 4th

___ \$20 Al-Anon Early Registration

___ \$25 Al-Anon Registration (after 4/1/18)

___ \$20 AA Registration

___ \$5 Alateen Registration

Make Checks Payable to District 8

Mail to: District 8
ETAAA Registration
975 Roosevelt Dr, Silsbee, TX 77656



Need Info? Email Jennifer at 2018etaaaspringassembly@gmail.com or Call at 409-658-0042

Alateen Notice: When registering, all Alateens must turn in a completed Behavioral Guidelines Form and be accompanied by a responsible, registered adult. Notarized Permission and Medical Forms are to be kept by the responsible registered adult. Forms can be obtained from an Alateen Sponsor or Alateen Coordinator.

