



# JUST FOR TODAY

Recovery \* Unity \* Service

**TUCSON AREA  
INTERGROUP INC.**

December 2024

OUR 3 LEGACIES  
DECEMBER

12

## STEP 12

### Living The Message

#### STEP TWELVE

##### Recovery

*Having had a spiritual awakening as the result of these Steps, we tried to carry this message to alcoholics, and to practice these principles in all our affairs.*

#### TRADITION TWELVE

##### Unity

*Anonymity is the spiritual foundation of all our traditions, ever reminding us to place principles before personalities.*

#### CONCEPT TWELVE

##### Service

*The Conference shall observe the spirit of A.A. tradition, taking care that it never becomes the seat of perilous wealth or power; that sufficient operating funds and reserve be its prudent financial principle; that it place none of its members in a position of unqualified authority over others; that it reach all important decisions by discussion, vote, and whenever possible, substantial unanimity; that its actions never be personally punitive nor an incitement to public controversy; that it never perform acts of government; that, like the Society it serves, it will always remain democratic in thought and action.*

My sponsor has taught me that I cannot transmit what I do not have. For me, the essence of step twelve is to apply the principles of the program I have learned from practicing the steps in my life to the best of my ability. In other words, walk the talk by being a demonstration that this program really does work!

On a daily basis, these are questions I ask myself to gauge my spiritual fitness: Can I handle challenging situations like a rational adult? Can I stay in the moment? Can I "suit up and show up" for others? Can I be thankful and content with my life as it actually is? Can I place these principles before my personality? Can I remain teachable and right sized? Can I be honest with myself and others? Can I finally stop beating myself up for my imperfections and embrace all my humanity? Above all, can I have enough compassion to seek to understand others even if they cannot understand me? These are the ways I test myself for how effective I am in regards to doing what my Higher Power wills for me. I have found that the most effective way to carry the message of the Alcoholics Anonymous program is by showing others how well it works through my own actions.

Obviously, I am not perfect and life challenges happen so I do not always utilize the tools of this program gracefully. I am okay with that today because the point is I "pick up the kit of spiritual tools that has been laid at my feet" and I use them! Some tools I utilize very deftly and other tools I am still learning how to use properly so I am still clumsy with them. Practice makes progress, not perfection!

*Tina P., Tucson, AZ*

## Join Us For Great Service Opportunities!

### Bridge the Gap

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# Central Office News

Website Updates: You can now contribute directly to the Christmas and NYE Alcothons via AATucson.org! Use the "Get Involved" dropdown menu and select "Service Work". Links to the Venmo accounts for both committees are available there.

New Meeting Schedules: It is time for new printed meeting schedules! Please check your group or meeting listing on the website and inform Central Office of any discrepancies. We are ordering the Fall/Winter 2024 schedules 11/12/24.

Home Answering Service: We have shifts available so please share this at meetings and with anyone interested in being of service. Please refer them to Central Office for more information at 520-882-7422 or by email at info@aaticuson.org.

JFT: is still being printed at Central Office and those with subscriptions will receive it in the mail. We are keeping a supply available in the office for those interested in picking up a copy. And a copy will be uploaded to the website.

We are looking for a new Just For Today newsletter editor for 2025. Please contact Central Office for more information, and thank you to Maureen for her work this year.

As always, thank you to all the volunteers and those who have made contributions to help keep Central Office running smoothly!!!

~Susan B. (Coordinator) & Elissa M. (Assistant Coordinator)

## P.Y.M.W.Y.M.I. October 2024

Alan E., Byran & Valerie C., Dona P., Elizabeth T., Lynne L., Fernando R., Katrina S., Mollie & Sally H., Reggie T.

## October 2024 Central Office Calls\* & Web Hits



Info Calls: 59  
12 Step Calls: 2  
Web Views: 16,974  
Unique Web Visitors: 4, 535



\*Calls taken during Central Office Business Hours

## Treasurer's Report November 4, 2024

Total Operating Funds .....	\$ 49,996.23
Income .....	\$ 10,188.96
Cost of Goods Sold .....	\$ 3,857.64
Gross Profit .....	\$ 6,331.32
Total Expenses .....	\$ 8,187.78
<b>Net Income/Loss .....</b>	<b>- \$ 1,856.46</b>
Current available operating funds total \$48,558.40, which equals 4.22 months operating expenses. We have also established a savings account holding our prudent reserve of \$20,726.55, which equals 15.02% of our annual budget.	

## Miscellaneous Income - October 2024

Received from meetings @ Central Office ..... \$ 254.76  
Just For Today Subscriptions..... \$ 0.00  
PC (Personal Contributions) ..... \$ 494.40  
**TOTAL \$ 748.76**

# DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS!

### TGIF!

Christian 4 years  
Dave K. 4 years  
Rachel 4 years  
Barry 18 years  
Renee M. 18 years  
Janie H. 19 years  
Bridget S. 25 years  
Terry P. 34 years

### AAFTERNOON TEA

Ashley K. 5 YRS  
Dale I. 5 YRS  
Veronica S. 5 YRS  
Teresa L. 36 YRS

### COURAGE TO CHANGE

Dan S. 8 years  
Lynne L. 46 years

### BASIC AA

Eli H. 2 years

### 801

Patrick S. 13 years  
Steven G. 14 years  
Matt G. 5 years

### BASIC AA (NOV)

David B 3 YRS  
Matt L. 4 YRS  
Mary T. 19 YRS  
Laura S. 39 YRS

### HOPI

Will T. 40 years  
Terry Z. 35 years

## AA en ESPAÑOL

Southern AZ Hispanic AA Office:  
2914 E. 22nd St. #1 Tucson, AZ 85713  
*Esta Abierto la oficina solamente  
cuando hay reunions.*

Reunion del Intergroup en Espanol:  
Ultimo Viernes del Mes 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.  
Junta de Informacion Publica en Espanol:  
Cada Martes 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.  
*Se busca representantes de cada grupo  
in esta Reunion*

Luis Rene (520) 406-7643 es la persona  
en carga de Literatura en Espanol.

Esa Literatura ya se puede comprar directamente  
del "Area" para evitar cargas de enviada.  
Coordinador de Intergroup en Espanol atiende a  
Reuniones del Distrito cada mes.  
Sus gastos fueron aprovados. Se busca  
alguien para ser lider del Comite de Correccion.  
La oficina de Intergroup en Espanol tiene mucha  
literatura que se puede usar.

**Miembros de AA buscando ayuda  
pueden marcar:**

**(520) 622-5112**

**[www.OISAdTucsonAA.org](http://www.OISAdTucsonAA.org)**

**Facebook: Alcoholicos Anonimos—Sur de Arizona**

## **2024 New Year's Alcothon Potluck & Marathon Meetings**

**From 10AM December 31<sup>st</sup> 2024  
Until 12PM January 1<sup>st</sup> 2025**

*Marathon Meetings on the hour*  
*Main Meeting-6:30PM; Dance-9:00 PM*  
Tucson Woman's Club  
6245 E Bellevue (Behind Trader Joes)

For information contact Central Office (520) 882-7422  
or email [Info@aatucson.org](mailto:Info@aatucson.org)

For Contributions via Venmo: [AA-Tucson.org/service-work](https://www.venmo.com/AA-Tucson.org/service-work)

## **Meeting Spotlight!**

*New Meeting at  
The NW Alano Club*

***E.C.K.G.***

*Saturdays and Sundays at 3pm*  
**Sat.—Open, Discussion, Newcomer**  
**Sun.—Open, Step Meeting, Newcomer**

**3120 W Curtis Rd,  
Tucson, AZ 85705**

# Tucson Area Intergroup, Inc. (TAI) Committee Meeting Minutes — November 10, 2024

## Open meeting with the Serenity Prayer, Preamble and Purpose of the Intergroup

**Secretary's Report** – Chip J. Minutes from Oct. meeting shared and corrected. Motion to approve, Ron; 2nd Ken;

**Treasurer's Report** –Ken J. Current avail. funds for operation: \$48,558.40 which is equal to 4.22 mo. op. expenses.

**Central Office** –Susan B. And Elissa M.—Website: To help support the Christmas and New Years Alcothons you can go to aatucson.org, use the get involved drop down menu, select service opportunities. Contributions for the events can be sent via Venmo! HAS: Shifts are available for the home answering service. New Meeting Schedules: Fall/Winter 2024 schedules go to the printer on 11/12/24. JFT: We are in need of a new JFT editor for January 2025. Please contact the Central Office for more information. A big THANK YOU to Maureen for her work this past year! JFT is still being printed at the Central Office and mailed to members with paid subscriptions. Hard copies at Central office.

**Corrections** – Patricia D- No new information since last committee Meeting

**Bridge the Gap** – Ryan- No Report

**PI /CPC** – Deborah S (PI)/Jim H (CPC) - Next meeting 10/23/24 at Central Office. New PI chair to be elected. Jim will stand for another term as CPC chair. Committee to print updated Business cards and Rack cards. Spanish Language CPC rep supplied information packets to the District Attorney's office in Spanish. Committee to work on new contacts with the U of A Nursing and Medical college.

**Treatment** – Courtney B/Dee- Next meeting is Friday 11/15/24 via Zoom. Committee to submit motion for increasing the annual Treatment Committee budget.

**Grapevine** – Sarah- No Report.

**Events** – Dave D- Late nighters is sponsoring the Christmas Alcothon and TGIF! Group has volunteered to co-host. Free at last group will be sponsoring the New Years Alcothon. Fliers and Marathon meeting schedules available at Central Office for Christmas Alcothon; NYE Alcothon Fliers and Schedules coming soon!

**Historian** – Kimberly S- No report due to October Meeting Cancellation.

**Homebound Outreach** - Colleen B- Not Present

**Seventh Tradition**- Ask someone to read 10th Tradition

**Spanish Speaking Liaison** –open

**Area Liaison/Vice Chair** – Pat S-District 11 Update. The current Treasury balance for District 11 is \$14,479.37; District 11 Surplus Funds-A Motion was made that District 11 distribute excess surplus funds of \$9,875.45 70/30 (\$6,912.82/ \$2,962.63) split between GSB and Grapevine Carry Message Project. The motion was voted on and failed (8 opposed and 3 in favor). More motions and discussion will be added to the November 2024 District 11 meeting agenda. Alt DCMC Marty R. is chairing the Ad-hoc committee to review and edit District 11 handbook. You can reach out to Marty at rexr18@yahoo.com or (520) 449-0271 to join committee. DCMC Lisa P.-Follow up on the 2024 Area 03 Convention. 549 people registered, 264 pre registered and 256 registered on site. 167 banquets were sold. We did not have a report on the merchandise that was sold. Summary: Income - \$38,842.89 Expenses - \$34,571.62 Excess to Area 03 - \$4,271.27. District 11 is supporting the "Holiday Serenity Survival School" Workshop. Honest, Open and Free Group and Serenity Sisters Group are Co-hosting the event. Area 03 Update: 2025 International Convention: 245 Days to the 2025 International Convention! Please see the convention update on the Meeting Guide App News tab for more information. November 2024 Assembly Summary: 5th edition BB in process. GSO Received about 2,500 stories, narrowed to 159. Plain Language Big Book - Released 11/1. 17,000 sold in the first hour. 42,000 sold on the first day. Only 70,000 copies were available for the first printing. 2025 Area 03 BUDGET- PASSED unanimously. Motion 2024-21(Finance and Spanish Panel)- 4th edition Spanish BB made available ASAP as PDF on AA.org. PASSED

**New Business** - GV Coordinator resigning. Gabriel V Nominated. Current Alt. GV / La Vina Coordinator. APPROVED. Al-Anon Liaison – open position

**Old Business**—Discuss rent increase at Tucson Women's Club – Ad-Hoc committee to be formed to negotiate Women's Club rent and research other venues for future 2025 annual events.

**New Business**—Elections: Chair-Ted M. elected; Secretary-Open; VC/AL-Eileen B. to finish term for Pat S. thru 2025; CPC-Jim H. elected to a new term; Grapevine-Open; Historian-Patrick F.; Homebound Outreach-Open; PI-Josette. New "at large" Admin Subcommittee members to be elected in January, 2025. Next IG Mtg. December 8, 2024

**IG Rep announcements:** TGIF! offers Free Childcare Friday, 5:45pm St. Mark's Presbyterian Church, 3809 E 3rd St.

**Adjournment with I am Responsible**

# Group Contributions thru October 2024

11th Step Meditation Meeting	50.00	Sat Morn Women's	175.00	Sahuarita Brand New	75.00
12 @ 12 (NW Alano)	700.00	Saturday Serenity Group	1,100.00	Sahuarita Monday Nite BB	100.00
12&12 Group GV	350.00	Golf Links Group	356.00	Sat Morn Women's	175.00
12 Step Message & Principles	300.00	Good Life Group	150.00	Saturday Serenity Group	1,100.00
6 pm Weeknight Newcomers	1,420.00	Grapevine Book Club Mtg.	11.75	Simply Sober Meeting	112.00
801 Group	242.28	GV Daily Reprieve Group	458.38	Smoke Free Nooners	15.00
9/11 Group	550.00	GV 12 and 12 Study Group	86.80	Smoke Free Nooners Zoom	75.00
a Daily Reprieve	150.52	GV Afternoon Delight Group	137.12	Sober Lunch Group	183.82
A Step Study	500.00	GV Lamplighters	110.00	Sober Saturdays	400.00
AA for Alcoholics	675.00	GV Men's Group	100.00	Sober Sisters AA	40.00
AAfternoon Tea Women's	275.00	GV Miracle Group	175.00	Solutions 445 Group	1,950.00
ABC Group	1,104.90	GV Mon. Night Big Book	100.00	Something Less Stuff	630.00
Airport Area Nooners	300.00	GV Nooners	1,073.37	Southside	596.62
Ajo Group	90.00	GV Serenity Seekers	250.00	Southwest Happy Hour	240.00
Amen Mens Stag	492.60	GV Sober Sisters	80.00	Step Sisters	1,525.00
Anonymous Groups	970.11	GV TGIF	150.00	Sun. AM Biz and Prof.	1,096.15
Back Door Friends	517.00	GV Young People	200.00	Sunday Morning AA Group	250.00
Basic AA	787.99	Himmel Park	324.68	Sunny Side Up Group	667.00
Benson Sobriety House Noon	50.00	Honest, Open & Free	120.00	Sunrise Sobriety	564.45
Between the Tracks	14.08	Hopi Group	580.00	Surrender Group	200.00
Biz & Professional Men's	496.50	Houghton Sunset	400.00	Survivors Big Book Study	223.00
By the Book	646.96	Jaywalkers	210.55	SW Happy Hour	240.00
Campus Newcomers	321.18	John S.	100.00	TACYPAA	20.00
Cat Mtn. Spriit. Kindergarten	675.00	Just Show Up Group	270.50	TGIF	1,172.48
Catalina Big Book Study Grp.	440.00	Language of the Heart Group	9.22	The Right Place	236.00
Catalina Wednesday Night	350.00	Language of the Heart Zoom	79.22	Thurs 11th Step	50.00
Clean Air Group	280.00	Lodestar of Hope	1,000.00	Thursday Sharing Group	125.00
Courage to Change Group	105.00	Men Seeking Guidance	1,000.00	Thursday W Ajo Big Book	300.00
Crow's Nest Benson	96.62	Michael J	5.00	Tucson Into Action Group	193.73
Desert Drifters	400.00	Midvale Morning Group	890.84	Tucson Men's	1,040.00
Design for Living Group	173.06	Monday Audio Big Book	25.00	Tucson Survivors BB Study	366.00
District 11-119	125.00	Mon. Night Pantano Virtual	57.28	Tues Men's Stag	650.00
Dove Mountain Group	962.00	Morning Awakening	298.00	Tues Night Vistoso Retreads	150.00
Each Day New Beginning GV	520.00	Morning Shades	1,066.72	Twelve Stepping Sisters	402.50
Eastside Nooners	764.50	New Beginnings	550.00	Upon Awakening	200.00
Eastside Sat AM'ers	910.00	New Dimension Virtual Mtg.	1,263.11	Vail Serenity Meeting	180.00
EL Sabado	40.00	Non-Smokers Group	43.00	Vistoso Retreads	180.00
Faith Not Fear Group	400.00	Northside Group	300.00	Wasson Peak	200.00
Fantastic Breakfast Group	216.00	Odds & Ends	642.23	Wednesday Guys Group	195.00
Feed Your Sobriety	951.43	OV Happy, Joyous & Free	968.00	Weeknight Newcomers Group	1,060.00
Final Frontier	1,008.40	Oro Valley Men's Stag	274.50	West Ajo BB Study	117.00
Fourth Dimension	100.00	Overton Sunday Morning	1,137.85	Wild Group	0.00
Free at Last	196.62	Pantano Group	115.55	Women By The Book	363.91
Free Spirit Group	200.00	Pink Triangle	184.02	Women from the Heart	934.00
Fresh Start Group	940.95	Pre-Weekenders	119.00	Women of Hope	238.00
Friday Morning Fun Group	600.00	Primary Purpose	482.00	Womens Big Book Promise	60.00
Friends of Bill W Meeting	471.00	Rainbow Connection	19.40	No name	175.83
Get A Life	300.00	Retired Professionals	359.47		
				<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>57,630.75</b>

***You or your group can contribute directly to the Christmas and/or New Year's Alcothons via Venmo by going to [AATucson.org/service-work](https://www.aatucson.org/service-work)***

**REPRESENTED  
GROUPS AT THE  
NOVEMBER 2024  
INTERGROUP MTG.**

**MEETINGS**

12 @ 12  
ABC Group  
Basic AA  
Free At Last  
Freedom Group  
Get A Life  
Little House  
Midvale Morning Group  
Morning Shades  
New Dimension  
NW Newcomers Group  
Primary Purpose  
Solutions Group  
Something Less Stuffy  
Stone Sober  
Sunday Morning AA  
Survivor's Big Book Study  
TGIF!  
Thursday Share Group  
Woman's Solution Group  
Morning Shades Zoom  
A Step Study  
Weeknight Newcomers

**COMMITTEES &  
SUBDISTRICTS**

Corrections  
CPC/PI  
Historian  
Special Events Coordinator  
Subdistrict 11-110-115  
Treatment

**2024  
Christmas Alcothon**

December 24th, 12:00pm

to

December 25th, 4:00pm

at the

Tucson Woman's Club  
6245 E. Bellevue St.

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Food  
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# THIRD LEGACY

Committee meetings may still be via Zoom due to COVID-19. In-person meetings are at 1920 E. Spring Street. Check the website @ <https://aatucson.org/calendar/> and click on the Calendar for links to Zoom meetings or call the Committee Chair for information.

## **Tucson Area Intergroup, Inc.**

info@aatucson.org.  
Meets 2nd Sun. Monthly  
@ 1:30 p.m. via Zoom  
& at Central Office

## **Area Liaison**

Pat S. (520) 405-0965

## **CPC & PI Committees**

**CPC:** Jim H. (520) 392-5689  
**PI:** Debbie S. (520) 955-2055  
Meet 4th Wed. Monthly  
@ 5:30 p.m. at Central Office

## **Bridge the Gap Committee**

Ryan I. (520) 261-9766

## **Treatment Committee**

Courtney B. (520) 867-1559  
Meets 3rd Fri. Monthly  
@ 5:30 p.m. on Zoom

## **Corrections Committee**

Patricia D. (520) 403-7245  
Meets 3rd Sat. Quarterly  
@ 10:30 a.m. via Zoom  
January, April, July, October

## **Grapevine Committee**

Sara Mc. (480) 560-4861  
Meets 2nd Sat. Monthly  
@ 10:00 a.m.  
via Zoom & Central Office

## **Historical Committee**

Kimberly S. (443) 858-2505  
Meets 2nd Saturday Monthly  
@ 8:00 a.m. at Smoke Free Nooners,  
3620 N. 1st Ave. Tucson, AZ 85719

## **Homebound Outreach**

Colleen (520) 370-0564  
Future meeting dates TBD

## **Events Liaison:**

Dave D. (520) 603-0304

## **Area 03**

Arizona Area Committee,  
PO Box 13714,  
Scottsdale, AZ 85267

## **SWACYPAA 2025 Host Committee**

Chair: David (612) 875-7983  
Meets Bi-Monthly 1st & 3rd Sun. @ 3:00 p.m.  
St. Philip's in the Hills  
La Parroquia building, Palo Verde room

## **District 11-000 Pima County**

**DCMC:** Lisa P. (520) 419-6248  
Meets 3rd Thurs. Monthly  
@ 7:00 p.m. via Zoom & at St. Kateri Tekakwitha  
507 W. 29th Street Tucson. AZ 85713.  
*All GSRs and DCMs have a voice & vote.*

## **Northwest Sub-District 11-110**

### **Southwest Sub-Dist. 11-115**

**DCM:** Jody S. (520) 869-8678 tebuhl@gmail.com.  
Meets 2nd Wed. Monthly @ 6:00 p.m.  
via Zoom and at NW Alano Club  
3120 W. Curtis Rd., Tucson, AZ 85705

### **Central Sub-District 11-111**

**DCM:** Elissa M.  
(469) 235-3843. Meets 2nd Wednesday Monthly  
@ 7:00 p.m. via Zoom & Central Office

### **Eastern Sub-District 11-114**

**DCM:** Karla W. (949) 683-8678  
Meets 3rd Wed. Monthly @ 6:00 p.m.  
at 7820 E. Broadway Tucson, AZ 85710

### **Sub-District 11-119**

**DCM:** Jackie H. (262) 930-4661.  
Meets 2nd Thurs. Monthly @ 6:00 p.m. at St. Francis  
Episcopal Church, 600 S. La Canada, Green Valley

### **Spanish Sub-District 11-122**

**Spanish Hotline:** (520) 622-5112.  
Meets 1st Monday Monthly  
@ 7:30 p.m. in person at  
Spanish Intergroup Office  
2914 E. 22nd Street #1 Tucson, AZ 85713

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