



# JUST FOR TODAY

Recovery \* Unity \* Service

**TUCSON AREA  
INTERGROUP INC.**

January 2026

## OUR 3 LEGACIES January



### STEP ONE

We admitted we were powerless over alcohol – that our lives had become unmanageable.

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### TRADITION ONE

Our common welfare should come first; personal recovery depends upon A.A. unity.

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### CONCEPT ONE

Final responsibility and ultimate authority for A.A. world services should always reside in the collective conscience of our whole Fellowship.



### Back Against The Wall

I have heard others in Alcoholics Anonymous say the "gift of desperation" is the primary qualifier for our program. I could not agree more! I was not able to listen to anyone nor was I willing to learn anything until this disease beat me up thoroughly enough that I knew it had me "out for the count"! My own ideas, plots, plans, willpower, and solutions had to fail utterly. I had to have no doubt that I was completely defeated! For so long, my stubborn arrogance prevented me from admitting to myself that my way just was not working to stay sober! I have learned it is not necessarily about what is right or what is wrong, it has become more about what works or what does not work for me. Everything I was doing during my years of being loaded and for the following two years after I became abstinent but that was not sufficient for me to stay sober indefinitely. I figured after torturing myself enough doing the "program of Tina" and getting poor results, I would run the experiment of doing the program of Alcoholics Anonymous to see if the results were better. At that point, I had nothing left to lose. I was homeless, hopeless, and stuck in alcoholic insanity. I was at my personal rock bottom with nowhere to go other than up! It was at this point I decided to put the shovel down because I was sick and tired of digging my own grave! I walked into the rooms of Alcoholics Anonymous feeling broken and ashamed that with two years of abstinence, I was just as sick, or more so, than another newcomer in the program with less than a month sober! With my back against the wall, I finally found what works!

Tina P.

## Join us for Great Service Opportunities

### Homebound Outreach

*Open position*

### Bridging the Gap

Contact: Paul R. 520-444-7997

### Cooperation with the Professional Community

Contact: Jim H. (520) 392-5689

### Public Information

*Position Open*

### Treatment

*Position Open*

### Corrections

Contact: Marty (520) 954-5870

### Grapevine

Contact: Erin P. (949) 981-9474

### Events

Contact: Position Open

### History

Contact: Patrick F. (480) 239-2478

### SWACYPAA

Contact: David B. (612) 875-7983

### Just For Today Editor

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info@aatucson.org

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## Central Office News

### December 2025 Central Office Report

We are short-handed with volunteers in office to work the front desk (four 4-hour shifts are open)  
9:30am to 1:30pm & 1:30pm to 5:30pm

Tuesday morning  
Thurs morning  
Thurs afternoon  
Friday morning

We are also seeking overnight phone volunteers. Please contact Central Office if you are interested.

We are sad to announce the passing of Jeffrey R, who was the front desk volunteer on Thursdays. Jeffrey was valuable and will be missed.

*~Susan B. (Coordinator) & Lisa P. (Assistant Coordinator)*

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24-HOUR HOTLINE  
(520) 624-4183  
OR [aatucson.org](http://aatucson.org)



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#### ATTENTION: Request from the Treatment Committee:

The Treatment Committee needs you to contact them to **let them know if you are currently taking a meeting into a treatment facility.** They'd like all the information you have, including where, when, the type of meeting being held (speaker, discussion, study), the contact information for the facility, and the name of the Home Group doing the service.

Please email [Melanie.Walters22@gmail.com](mailto:Melanie.Walters22@gmail.com) or contact Central Office. THANK YOU!

# Intergroup Meeting Minutes

**NOTE: Full transcript of notes can be requested through Central Office.**

**Date:** December 14, 2025; **Open with the Serenity Prayer**

## 1. New Intergroup Representative introductions (name and represented group)

**Deena, Women's Daily Tea; Elizabeth T Path to Serenity; Sarah M. Upon Awakening Group; John, Honest Open and Free**

## 2. Officer's Reports

a. Secretary – Tara C. No comments/edits

b. Treasurer – Ken J.

Date of Reconciliation: 12/09/2025

Total Operating Funds	\$ 52,354.79
Total Income	\$ 7,693.61
Cost of Goods Sold	\$ 1,904.49
Gross Profit	\$ 5,789.12
Total Expenses	\$ 13,157.76
Net Income	\$ -7,368.64
YTD Net Income	\$ 1,528.16

Current available funds for operating total of \$52,593.47 which is equal to 5.39 months operating expenses. We have also established a savings account holding our prudent reserve of \$20,760.22 which equals 17.73% of our annual budget. Driver of the loss was the alcohons for rent, security deposit, and seed monies.

## 3. Committee Reports (Please - 3 minutes maximum per report)

**Which service committee want tables for the holiday Alcohons? Corrections (both) and Grapevine (for Christmas only right now).**

a. Central Office – Susan B./Lisa P. We are short-handed with volunteers in office to work the front desk (four- 4 hour shifts are open) and for overnight phone service.

We are sad to announce the passing of Jeffrey R, who was the front desk volunteer on Thursdays. Jeffrey was valuable and will be missed.

Closed for 12/24, 12/25 and 12/26; Closed for 12/31, 1/1, and 1/2/26

b. Corrections – Patricia D.- out going co-chair. Marty is the new chair and the meeting will be on Jan 17 at Central Office and inline at 10:30 am

c. Bridge the Gap – Paul R. – not present

d. PI/CPC – Jim H. (CPC), – not meeting in Dec but will be meeting in January. Did have a doctor contact them for info and they had someone donate money to produce print schedules which they give out the most.

e. Treatment – Courtney B., Dee, not present.

f. Grapevine – Ruby J., no meeting yesterday but want tables at alcohons. Resigning the position

g. Special Events – Dave D., not present.

h. Historian – Patrick F., gave out 200 handouts They have a first edition, signed copy of the Big Book, so he's wondering if we should display the alcohons. And how do we share it with people? Moved to new business.

i. Homebound Outreach - <open>

## 4. Seventh Tradition (Ask an IGR to read the month's Tradition, and pass the basket)

## 5. Liaison Reports

a. Spanish Speaking Liaison - <open>

b. Vice Chair/ Area Liaison – Eileen B. – attended the last district meeting and reports from the area assembly are on the area website in my report. Treasurer reported \$4,255.94 (less \$1500 prudent reserve). Total income less expenses: \$3,773.00. 11-111 Elected Tom S as DCM, still looking for a treasurer and secretary. Held elections and filled all positions and created and approved 2026 budget. 11-119 Elections help and DSM and Alt DCM positions are still open. Gratitude banquet was a success. 11-110/115 Elections to be held in December. DCMC report: attended Grapevine workshop and Area Assembly. New Area Officers are: Delegate Larry S., Alt Delegate is Karla from Dist. 11; Chair is Cheryl L; Alt Chair is Timothy G; Treasurer is Elissa M. from Dist. 11; Registrar is Robert O. The AZ state convention was not well attended and lost a lot of money. Next State convention is in Flagstaff. District Handbook Discussion will take place at December meeting. New Business: DCMC Je B. elected District 11 DCMC via simple majority; alt DCMC: David B. accepted by acclamation; no Treasurer or Secretary elected; Archivist: Rick B elected.

c. Al-Anon Liaison – Bob H.; not present.

**6. Old Business** a. Elections for service committee chairs (2-year term, starting January 1, 2026). Special Events Coordinator- still open; Treatment Coordinator – still open; Homebound Outreach Coordinator – still open; Public Information Coordinator – still open; Grapevine Coordinator (to finish 2<sup>nd</sup> year of 2025-26 term) Erin P from Smoke Free Nooners is nominated by Ruby. **Approved by acclamation.**

**7. New Business** a. Patrick: how do we display the original Big Book that we have in our possession? Sarah mentions she think we could show it at our special events or would be donate it to GSO. Ted said that when this came up he called the GSO historian and she mentioned that we could donate it to the area, display it at Central office. Dena: there are cases you can put it into and bring it to events.. Ted mentioned that based on conversations that us having this book is not in accordance with our mission to k (worth +/- \$500 without the signature. Elizabeth said before we donate it to the state, where is it stored. **Patrick's motion: Historian Chair be authorized to display it at AA functions (and kept at Central Office, locked up.** Discussion: Ken, our primary purpose is to carry the message and it should be in a more accessible fashion and he thinks he needs to be displayed at Central Office. Crystal: she agrees with Ken, having gone to Dr. Bob's house, it's meaningful to see documents. We should display it at Central Office. Al: are we talking about displaying it at this year's alcohons? (Ted: that's up to Patrick). Eileen asked if it was displayed then let's make sure our insurance knows about it, that it's covered. 16 yeses, 2 no's – Minority opinion: Ken: not adverse to bringing it to special agents. k. **New Motion: Be available on public display in accordance with our primary purpose and that Intergroup as a who take responsibility> Kelly seconded it.** Ron said that we are not doing our job by telling Patrick how to display and secure it. Ken said that something about the provenance with this that it's not appropriate to leave it in one person's ownership (it's not with Patrick, it's at Central Office). But Ken is saying bolt it to the wall. Lisa asked that we table to Jan. this so Central Office can do research on locks, display info.

b. Kathy asked for times for front desk volunteers needed: 9:30 to 1:10 and 1:30 and 5:30 on Tues am; Thurs am; Thurs Pm; Friday AM

## 8. Next Intergroup meeting – January 11, 2025

## 9. Intergroup Representative announcements

**Deena at Women's Daily Tea meeting needs support and Meeting schedule for New Years Eve alcohon is about to be released.**

**Adjourn with Responsibility Declaration**

## TREASURER'S REPORT\*

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*\*Reminder that ANY AA member can review Intergroup finances by contacting Central Office.*

### ATTENTION!!!

Subdistrict 119 meeting has moved to:

**Green Valley Alano Club  
880 W. Camino Casa Verde Suite B  
Green Valley, AZ 85614**

### Service Opportunities!

Overnight phone volunteers are needed! Contact Central Office for more information.

Central Office needs volunteers and a few alternate (back up volunteers) to work the front desk, answering calls and greeting visitors. The shifts are:

9:30am to 1:30pm & 1:30pm to 5:30pm

Tuesday morning, Thurs morning & afternoon; Friday morning

### Attendees at the December Intergroup Meeting:

#### MEETINGS:

AA Afternoon Tea Daily Wmn's Mtg  
ABC Group  
Amen Stag Group  
Basic AA  
Campus Newcomers  
Get a Life  
Honest Open and Free  
Lamplighter  
Little House  
Midvale Morning Group  
Morning Shades Zoom  
NWAC 12@12  
Path to Serenity Women's Group  
Smoke Free Nooners  
Solutions Group  
Southside Group  
Stone Sober  
Survivors Big Book Study Group  
TGIF  
Thursday Sharing Group  
Upon Awakening  
Wednesday 12 Step Study Group  
Women's BYOBB

#### COMMITTEES & SUBDISTRICTS:

CPC  
Historian  
Subdistrict 110-115  
Treasurer

PYMWYMI (Puttin' Your Money Where Your Mouth Is!)

Connie T.; Donna; Elizabeth T.; Hal V.; Katrina S.; Michael J.; Mollie & Sally; Reggie T.; Steve and Mo; Suzanne A.; Valerie C.

THANK YOU FRIENDS!

## Meeting Spotlight



### Jaywalkers Group

In-person and Online

Cornerstone Fellowship Church  
2902 N Geronimo Ave

## ATTENTION LADIES!!

AA Afternoon Tea  
Women's Daily  
AA Meeting  
**NEEDS YOUR  
SUPPORT**

3:30 pm

606 Eastside Highway  
Eastside Highway  
Tea Time Meeting Place

*¿Tiene un problema con la bebida?*

*Hay una solución. Comuníquese con nosotros:*

**520.622.5112**



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

*Facebook: Alcohólicos Anónimos - Sur de Arizona*

## IN MEMORIAM

Central Office is sad to announce the passing of **Jeffrey R.**

He was a Central Office volunteer.  
He had long time sobriety and was a friend to many  
He will be missed.

The Hopi Group announces the loss of

**Fernando (Rod R.)**  
28 Years Sobriety

Rod was the group's secretary.

# Group Contributions Jan thru November 2025\*

11th Step Meditation Mtg	50.00	Glum Lot Not	821.82	Retired Professionals	242.28
12 @ 12 (NW Alano)	437.24	Golf Links Group	571.00	Rincon Group	390.00
12&12 GV Group	144.91	Good Life Group	125.00	RIP Meeting	100.00
801 Group	410.73	Green Valley Men's Group	100.00	Sahuarita Brand New	75.00
9/11 Group	500.00	GV Nooners	469.00	Saturday Serenity Gr	1,150.00
9th Step	25.00	GV Afternoon Delight Gr	215.00	Saturday Step Sisters	810.00
A Daily Reprieve	474.80	GV Lamplighters	173.22	Simply Sober Meeting	42.00
A Step Study	400.00	GV Mon Night BB Study	100.00	Smoke Free Nooners	1,827.50
AA for Alcoholics	900.00	GV MORNING GROUP	200.00	Sober Lunch Group	195.59
AA Young Ppls GV	200.00	GV Nooners	500.00	Sober Sisters AA	129.00
Afternoon Tea Womens	99.00	GV Serenity Seekers	250.00	Solutions 445 Group	1,000.00
ABC Group	942.00	GV TGIF	300.00	Something Less Stuffy	240.00
Airport Area Nooners	200.00	Happy, Joyous & Free	200.00	Southside	996.62
Ajo Group	100.00	Himmel Park	758.20	Southwest Happy Hour	200.00
Amen Mens Stag	684.00	Hopi Group	870.00	Stone Sober	136.00
Anonymous Groups	47.00	Houghton Sunset	400.00	Sub District 11-119	600.00
AZ AA Women's Conf	200.00	Jaywalkers	121.00	Sun AM BusProf Men's	1,693.68
Back Door Friends	200.00	Just Show Up Group	136.00	Sunday AM AA Group	1,000.00
Basic AA	272.16	Lang of the Heart Group	48.06	Sunny Side Up Group	801.00
By the Book	449.27	Lodestar of Hope	1,000.00	Sunrise Sobriety	602.28
Came to Believe	480.19	Love & Tolerance W's Gr.	38.85	Survivors BB Study	404.00
Campus Newcomers	144.00	Men Seeking Guidance	1,300.00	SWACYCAA	1,693.68
Cat Mtn/Spiritual Kgartn	1,225.00	Midday Mtg Pima Alano	368.05	TGIF	
Catalina BB Study Group	100.00	Midvale Morning Group	900.00	739.48	
Clean Air Group	125.00	Monday Eve Pantano Gr	28.64	The Crow's Nest Benson	50.00
Daily Reflections Meeting	7.85	Monday Night Big Book	100.00	The Fantastic Bkfst Club	44.00
Desert Drifters	400.00	Morning Shades	915.00	Thurs Sharing Group	200.00
Dove Mountain Group	1,013.00	Morning Shades Zoom	406.88	Tucson Doctors Anon	685.00
Eastside Nooners	96.62	New Beginnings	400.00	Tucson Into Action Gro	273.12
Eastside Sat AM'ers	650.00	New Dimension Group	773.44	Tucson Men's Stag	2,477.00
Faithful Fivers	5.00	New Dimension Virtual	304.70	Twelve Stepping Sisters	461.00
Fantastic Breakfast Group	163.00	Northside Group	350.00	Upon Awakening	1,400.00
Feed Your Sobriety	850.00	Odds & Ends	697.94	Vistoso Retreads	90.00
Final Frontier	1,305.00	Old Pueblo Group	50.00	Wknight Newcmrs Gr	1,074.00
Foothills Newcomers	3,300.00	OV Happy, Joyous & Free	800.00	Westside Primary Purp	125.00
Free at Last	440.00	Oro Valley Men's Stag	601.00	Where Women Are Wel	40.00
Free Spirit Group	200.00	OV Wmn From The Heart	444.00	Women's BB Thursday	150.50
Freedom Group	60.00	Overton Sun Morn Mtg	814.67	Women's Solutions	585.87
Friends of Bill W Meeting	150.00	Pink Triangle	366.10	Women By The Book	197.50
Get A Life	120.00	Pre-Weekenders	144.00	Women of Hope	125.95
		Primary Purpose	675.00	Women of Wisdom	45.00
				<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$58,427.95</b>

\*YTD Group contributions for the August issue will be YTD through June (it's always a month behind publishing, and 2 months behind the issue date).

## SEEKING TUCSON AA GROUPS' HISTORIES!

Can your group recount its start in Tucson AA? If you want to contribute your group's origin story to the Tucson archives, contact Central Office or Patrick F., Chair of the Historical Committee @ (480) 239-2478

## Group History: Twelve Stepping Sisters

The Twelve Stepping Sisters group was started by Kathleen W. and Lois S. on November 1, 2008. It meets Tuesdays at 5:30 pm at the Tucson Women's Commission at 340 N. Court. In addition to meeting in person, the group also meets on Zoom and by phone.

# Third Legacy

In-person meetings are at 1920 E. Spring Street. Check the website <https://aatucson.org/calendar/> and click on event for links to Zoom meetings, or call the Committee Chairperson's number for information.

**Tucson Area Intergroup, Inc.**  
Meets 2nd Sun. monthly at 1:30 pm  
Zoom & in person at Central Office  
Chair: Ted M. (520) 907-7531

**Area Liaison**  
Mike H. (520) 661-5448

**Bridging the Gap Committee**  
Paul R. (520) 444-7997

**CPC & PI Committees**  
Meets 4th Wednesday Monthly  
5:30 p.m. at Central Office  
CPC Contact: Jim H. (520) 392-5689  
PI Contact: *Position Open*

**Treatment Center Committee**  
*Position Open*

**Corrections Committee**  
Meets quarterly - 3rd Saturday  
(Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct)  
**NEW:** 10:30 AM at Central Office AND online  
Marty (520) 954-5870

**Events Liaison**  
*Position Open*

**Grapevine Committee**  
Meets 2nd Saturday 10:00am  
Online only  
Erin P. (949) 981-9474

**Historical Committee**  
Meets 2nd Sunday  
8:15am at Central Office  
Patrick F. (480) 239-2478

**Homebound Outreach**  
*Position Open*

**Area 03 Contributions:**  
Arizona Area Committee  
PO BOX 13714  
Scottsdale, AZ 85267

**District 11 Pima County**  
3rd Thursday @ 7:00pm  
Central Office, Hybrid (NEW)  
DCMC

**Subdistrict 11-119**  
2nd Monday @ 7:00 pm  
St. Francis Episcopal, Green Valley  
DCM Jackie H. (262) 930-4661

**Subdistrict 11-110/115**  
3rd Wednesday @ 6:00pm  
NW Alano Club, Hybrid  
DCM Jo S. (520) 869-8678

**Subdistrict 11-111**  
2nd Wednesday @ 7:00pm  
Central Office, Hybrid  
DCM Elissa M. (469) 235-3843

**Subdistrict 11-114**  
3rd Wednesday @ 6:00pm  
Eastside City Hall, Ward 2 (NEW)  
7820 East Broadway Blvd.  
DCM Karla W. (949) 683-8678

**Spanish Sub-District 11-122**  
Meets monthly first Monday 7:30 pm  
2914 E 22nd St. #1 - Tucson 85713

**Spanish Intergroup Office:**  
Spanish Hotline: (520) 622-5122

**For more information on General Service, visit [Area03.org](http://Area03.org)**

### Misc. Income:

Central Office Meeting Rent: \$85.00  
JFT Subscriptions: \$  
Personal Contributions: \$523.07

Hotline calls recorded during  
Central Office business hours for  
November 2025: 61  
Web hits: Visitors: 5,600

# January Birthdays



### HOPI

Terry Z. 36 years  
Will T. 41 years  
Steve R. 20 years

### TGIF!

Adrienne L. 11 years  
Chris D. 34 years  
Laura M. 34 years  
Liz F. 20 years  
Mary W. 22 years  
Mollie H. 39 years  
Rita M. 34 years  
Sara CW. 1 year

### MORNING SHADES ZOOM

Josette D. 18 years  
Rebecca L. 3 years  
SaraJane G. 7 years  
Sara SC. 5 years

### 801

Andrew M. 13 years  
Eric G. 15 years  
Joe C. 2 years  
John A. 3 years  
John T. 37 years  
Richard U. 3 years  
Terry S. 1 year

### AAfternoon Tea Daily

### Women's Meeting

Elaine 7 years  
Kelly C 6 years  
Mariah H. 10 years  
Rebecca L. 3 years

### Women Westside BYOBB

Connie S. 5 years  
Tara C. 26 years

Congratulations friends!

## SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES!

- Would you like to be a 12 step hotline contact? Please send Central Office your name, zip code, and phone number if you are willing to be of service!
- Central Office is looking for front desk volunteers to shadow current volunteers to learn the job.
- Volunteers are needed to staff home answering shifts overnight. Please call the office line at 520.882.7422 for more information.

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Address Service Requested