

Coffee Break January 2022

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday 9am to 5pm

Closed Saturday and Sunday

~Central Office Meetings~

IN PERSON & ZOOM

The Central Office Steering & COR meetings will take place on the 2nd
Tuesday of EVEN months. **SC at 6pm & COR at 7pm**

(DETAILS ON FOLLOWING PAGE)

****FWCO ELECTION TIME****

It is election month for our Steering Committee/COR Chair and Secretary,
Along with 3 SC positions!

In person @Harbor Club 3000 W 5th St Fort Worth 76107

If you are unable to attend in person, please email
officemgr@fortworthaa.org
For ZOOM info

Next SC/COR MEETING Jan 4TH (delayed due to elections)

Steering Committee @6pm & COR @7pm

New CORs welcome to attend!

**(This is the final meeting of 2021 that was
delayed due to election status)**

An important message from CD6:

Hope you are having a Wonderful Week. Just want to let you know that District 64 voted to stop participation with CD6. Thus, CD6 will cease to exist as an operating entity. District 62 will keep the name only, in hopes that perhaps someday we may come together, stronger than ever to Serve Great Fort Worth, without having to remain in our District Borders. The purpose for maintaining the name is because it takes a lot of time and energy to start up a new Not for Profit Organization. Distributions will be made to Fort Worth Central Office, NETA65 and GSO, leaving a Zero / 0.00 balance. Therefore, no contributions should be made to CD6 after 12/31/21. If a check is received after that date, the check will be returned to the insurer.

Thank you, for your continued Service in AA. Love and Service, Jamie C ~ DCM62

Fort Worth Corrections Committee: Sunday, Feb 6th 2pm @Glasshouse Group

CPC/PI: Odd months, 3rd Saturday, next mtg Nov 20th @4pm
Meeting ID: 980 207 8623 Passcode: 588078

District 61

contact our DCM Ken at districtcm61@gmail.com
or Secretary Linda at dist61secretary@gmail.com

D61 Treatment Meeting - Last Sunday each month at 10am

ZOOM Meeting ID: 852 2156 2067 Passcode: step12

District 62 TBA

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Please see our website, under the [Committees Page](#) for more info

EVENTS

Get in the Car Group

3rd Anniversary

Saturday, Jan 8, 2022
Center of Unity Church
1650 Hughes Rd Grapevine 76051
See flyer (included) for more info

Arlington Primary Purpose

32nd Anniversary

Saturday, Jan 15, 2022
1802 W Division St
Arlington, 76012
817-861-8100
See flyer (included) for more info

District 24 Traditions Workshop

Jan 15th 2pm – 5pm
Anchor Club
1608 North Commerce St
Gainesville, TX 76240
Speakers: Wayne H and Bill N
Flyer included

59TH Annual SETA Convention

January 21-23 2022
Houston City Place Marriott
1200 Lake Plaza DR
Spring, TX 77389
www.setaconvention.org

Founders Day Conference

June 10-12, 2022
In Akron Ohio
All info at www.foundersday.org
Registration opens March 1st @9am

Area PI Committee Meetings

3rd Monday every month @7pm
Virtual ZOOM Meeting
ID 837 4906 830
PW 823 330
www.neta65.org

Area CPC Committee Meetings

3rd Saturday every month
4pm-5pm on ZOOM
ID 816 8618 0166
PW 532589

STEP ONE

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

“We alcoholics are men and women who have lost the ability to control our drinking. We know that no real alcoholic ever recovers control. All of us felt at times that we were regaining control, but such intervals—usually brief—were inevitably followed by still less control, which led in time to pitiful and incomprehensible demoralization. We are convinced to a man that alcoholics of our type are in the grip of a progressive illness. Over any considerable period, we get worse, never better.

We are like men who have lost their legs; they never grow new ones. Neither does there appear to be any kind of treatment which will make alcoholics of our kind like other men. We have tried every imaginable remedy. In some instances, there has been brief recovery, followed always by a still worse relapse.

Physicians who are familiar with alcoholism agree there is no such thing as making a normal drinker out of an alcoholic. Science may one day accomplish this, but it hasn't done so yet.”

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TRADITION ONE

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

THE unity of Alcoholics Anonymous is the most cherished quality our Society has. Our lives, the lives of all to come, depend squarely upon it. We stay whole, or A.A. dies. Without unity, the heart of A.A. would cease to beat; our world arteries would no longer carry the life-giving grace of God; His gift to us would be spent aimlessly. Back again in their caves, alcoholics would reproach us and say,

“What a great thing A.A. might have been!

“Does this mean,” some will anxiously ask, “that in A.A. the individual doesn't count for much? Is he to be dominated by his group and swallowed up in it?” We may certainly answer this question with a loud “No!” We believe there isn't a fellowship on earth which lavishes more devoted care upon its individual members; surely there is none which more jealously guards the individual's right to think, talk, and act as he wishes. No A.A. can compel another to do anything; nobody can be punished or expelled. Our Twelve Steps to recovery are suggestions; the Twelve Traditions which guarantee A.A.'s unity contain not a single “Don't.” They repeatedly say “We ought . . .” but never “You must!”

Twelve Steps and Twelve Traditions pg.129

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CONCEPT ONE

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

“The A.A. groups today hold ultimate responsibility and final authority for our world services—those special elements of over-all service activity which make it possible for our Society to function as a whole. The groups assumed that responsibility at the St. Louis International Convention of 1955. There, on behalf of Dr. Bob, the Trustees and A.A.'s old-time leaders, I made the transfer of world service responsibility to our entire Fellowship. Why, and by what authority was this done? There were reasons of stark necessity for it, and there were further reasons which have to do with A.A.'s fundamental structure and tradition. By the year 1948 our necessities had become clear enough. Ten years earlier—in 1938—helped by dedicated friends, Dr. Bob and I had commenced work upon a world service structure. Our first step was the creation of a trusteeship for A.A. as a whole. We called this body The Alcoholic Foundation; and in 1954 it was renamed The General Service Board of Alcoholics Anonymous.”

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