

Coffee Break May 2022

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday 9am to 5pm Closed Saturday and Sunday

~<u>Central Office Meetings</u>~ 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**

Next meeting Tuesday, June 14th!

See you all then!

DISTRICT INFO

You can access all District info on our website <u>www.fortworthaa.org</u> Just click on *Committees Page* from the Welcome page If you have any questions, there are contact emails for each District. Let us know if you have any questions!

District 61(zoom)

Saturday, May14, 2022 at 9am Saturday, July 9, 2022 at 9am Saturday, September 10, 2022 at 9am Saturday, November 12, 2022 at 9am All meetings are on Zoom: Meeting #: 963 752 5735, Passcode: panel71 Contact our DCM Ken at <u>districtcm61@gmail.com</u> or Secretary Linda at <u>dist61secretary@gmail.com</u>

D61 Treatment Meeting

Last Sunday each month

at 10am

ZOOM Meeting

Emailed Erik S erikskjolsvik@gmail.com

Passcode: step12

ID: 852 2156 2067

District64(hybrid)

2nd Saturday of even months. Times and locations for future meetings will be determined at each meeting. Location for April's meeting TBA

ZOOM 847 6671 1949 Passcode: action DCM D64 Johnathan J email: jrockk52@yahoo.com

District65

DCM Scott S <u>scottlstockman18@gmail.com</u> Sunday, May 1 9am Chalk Mountain
Sunday, June 5 130pm Stephenville Group Sunday, July 10 130pm Acton Group Sunday, Aug 7 Chalk Mountain
Sunday, Sept 11 130pm Granbury Group Sunday, Oct 2 9am Chalk Mountain Sunday, Nov 6 130pm Acton Group Sunday, Dec 4 130pm Cleburne Alco

District62 (Hybrid)

In person or ZOOM Zoom ID: 442 121 8546 Passcode: 875983

District 62 Meeting Schedule 2022: 05~07 10am Camp Bowie Women's 07~09 10am Stewart Street 09~03 10am Heights Group 11~05 10am Harbor Group

District71

DCM Laurel H laulo922@gmail.com

District74

Sunday, May 15th A Wayward Group 2pm Sunday, July 17th Hour House 2pm

EVENTS

Area PI Committee Meetings

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

Area CPC Committee <u>Meetings</u> 3rd Saturday every month 4pm-5pm on ZOOM ID 816 8618 0166 PW 532589

Service Committee Fair

Saturday, May 14th 1pm-3pm on ZOOM ID 875 3550 2640 PW 370109

Central Office Annual Chili Cook-Off 2022

Saturday, May 21st 10am-2pm 817-332-3533 (FLYER ATTACHED) 1501 Hemphill St Fort Worth 76104

Tarrant County Wide

May 7, 2022 6pm snacks: 7pm Speaker 1140 Morrison Dr Fort Worth 76120 City on the Hill Church In the gym

Founders Day Conference

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

Stewart Street Group

32nd Anniversary

Saturday, May 14th Beginning @ 10am Lunch @12noon 229 Stewart St Azle 76020

Las Vegas Trail Group 3rd Anniversary

Saturday, May 28th Beginning @5pm Speaker @7pm Jimmy D Western Hills United Methodist Church 2620 Laredo Dr Fort Worth 76116

Glasshouse 39th Anniversary

June 10th & 11th 6713 Hemsell Pl Fort Worth 76116 *Schedule on flyer enclosed in the packet*

Southwest Group 60th

Anniversary

Sunday, June 5th @9am Raffle 3pm 3145 Townsend Dr Fort Worth 76110

Mansfield Group 41st Anniversary

Sunday, June 12th Trinity Presbyterian Church Clover Hill Dr Mansfield 79063 Dinner @530; Speaker-Jana A-@7pm "They only *thought* they had lost their egoism and fear; they only *thought* they had humbled themselves. But they had not learned enough of humility, fearlessness and honesty, in the sense we find it necessary, until they told someone

Big Book Quote of the Month

else all their life story."

12X12 Quote of the Month

"My sponsor sold me one idea, that was sobriety. At that time, I couldn't have bought anything else."

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<u>Step 5</u>

"Admitted to God, to ourselves, and to another human being the exact nature of our wrongs."

"All of A.A.'s Twelve Steps ask us to go contrary to our natural desires . . . they all deflate our egos. When it comes to ego deflation, few Steps are harder to take than Five. But scarcely any Step is more necessary to longtime sobriety and peace of mind than this one. A.A. experience has taught us we cannot live alone with our pressing problems and the character defects which cause or aggravate them. If we have swept the searchlight of Step Four back and forth over our careers, and it has revealed in stark relief those experiences we'd rather not remember, if we have come to know how wrong thinking and action have hurt us and others, then the need to quit living by ourselves with those tormenting ghosts of yesterday gets more urgent than ever. We have to talk to somebody about them."

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"Each group should be autonomous except in matters affecting other groups or A.A. as a whole."

AUTONOMY is a ten-dollar word. But in relation to us, it means very simply that every A.A. group can manage its affairs exactly as it pleases, except when A.A. as a whole is threatened. Comes now the same question raised in Tradition One. Isn't such liberty foolishly dangerous? Over the years, every conceivable deviation from our Twelve Steps and Traditions has been tried. That was sure to be, since we are so largely a band of ego-driven individualists. Children of chaos, we have defiantly played with every brand of fire, only to emerge unharmed and, we think, wiser. These very deviations created a vast process of trial and error which, under the grace of God, has brought us to where we stand today.

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CONCEPT 5

"Throughout our world service structure, a traditional "Right of Appeal" ought to prevail, thus assuring us that minority opinion will be heard and that petitions for the redress of personal grievances will be carefully considered."

"...We believe that the spirit of democracy in our Fellowship and in our world service structure will always survive, despite the counter forces which will no doubt continue to beat upon us. Fortunately, we are not obliged to maintain a government that enforces conformity by inflicting punishments. We need to maintain only a structure of service that holds aloft our Traditions, that forms and executes our policies thereunder, and so steadily carries our message to those who suffer. Hence, we believe that we shall never be subjected to the tyranny of either the majority or the

minority, provided we carefully define the relations between them and forthwith tread the path of world service in the spirit of our Twelve Steps, our Twelve Traditions, and our Conference Charter—in which I trust that we shall one day inscribe these traditional Rights of "Appeal" and "Petition." Used with permission, AAWS Inc. <u>AA Service Manual</u> pg. C18