

#### Editor's Note:

Happy November!!! Gratitude Month! And Thanksgiving to all! Another busy season has arrived. Step 11 will help you get through hectic times. If practiced all the time, the frazzled around edges wouldn't be a thing, very often. This step will help when Step 12 comes along and you'll know how to help others.

#### Step 11:

"Sought through prayer and meditation to improve our conscience contact with God as we understood Him, praying only for knowledge of His will for us and the power to carry that out."

# District 29 November 2025 Action Log Newsletter



#### 4th of every month.

Email them to:

#### d29actionlog@pugetsoundaa.org

In your reports please add time, day of the week and location of your meeting, so we share the message.

## "The Action District"

## Reminder of Upcoming Events:More Info on Page: $\mathcal{N}ov$ 4thPlanning meeting for the Banquet15 $\mathcal{N}ov$ 11thDistrict 29 Monthly Business Meeting15 $\mathcal{N}ov$ 15thDistrict 29 Gratitude Banquet26

All event information can be found by going to **area72aa.org** go to Events then click on calendar date. Some information printed on above page #.

### **7<sup>TH</sup> TRADITION CONTRIBUTIONS**

In keeping with AA's 7th Tradition of self-support, we accept contributions only from AA members.

\*When submitting contributions, please note your group's name, or with individual contributions note that you are a member of Alcoholics Anonymous.

#### **DISTRICT 29:**

**Mailing Address:** 

Alcoholics Anonymous - District 29

PO Box 1439

Puyallup, WA 98371

\*Make checks payable to Alcoholics Anonymous - District 29

#### **AREA 72:**

**Mailing Address:** 

Western Washington Area 72

1901 Cornwall Avenue #745

Bellingham, WA 98225

\*Make checks payable to Western Washington Area 72

Online contributions: https://area72aa.org

#### **CENTRAL SERVICE OFFICE:**

In person Contributions or Mailing Address:

Puget Sound AA

3640 S Cedar Street, Suite S

Tacoma, WA 98409

\*Make checks payable to Puget Sound AA

Online contributions: www.pugetsoundaa.org/contribute

#### **GENERAL SERVICE OFFICE:**

7<sup>™</sup> Tradition Contributions Mailing Address:

General Service Office

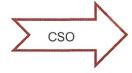
Post Office Box 2407

James A Farley Station

New York, NY 10116-2407

\*Make checks payable to the General Service Board

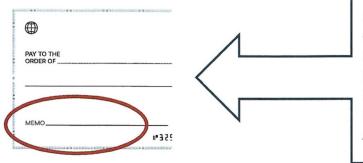
Online contributions: https://contribution.aa.org



Wondering how to contribute?
What is a prudent reserve?
How to pass a "virtual" basket?
Check out the AA pamphlet "Where Money and

Spirituality Mix"

Consider setting up a recurring contribution to become a Faithful Fiver. Faith Fivers are AA members who choose to contribute five dollars each month to support the Central Service Office in its efforts to carry the AA message of hope and recovery to the still suffering alcoholic.



MAKE SURE YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS COUNT!

DON'T FORGET TO INCLUDE YOUR **GROUP NUMBER** OR,

IF IT'S AN INDIVIDUAL CONTRIBUTION, NOTE THAT YOU ARE

A MEMBER OF AA.

#### TRUSTED SERVANTS

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Alt: Carol J

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Alt: Open

12 Step: Jake F

Facilities Liaison: Steve B

DCM = District Committee Member

**CPC = Cooperation with Professional Community** 

PI = Public Information

**GSR = Group Service Representative** 

CSO = Central Service Office

#### Elected WW Area 72 Trusted Servants of Panel 75

DELEGATE: Courtney S delegate@area72aa.org altdelegate@area72aa.org ALT DELEGATE: Lupita YM Derek S CHAIRPERSON: chair@area72aa.org ALT CHAIRPERSON: Lisa S altchair@area72aa.org Theresa P TREASURER: treasurer@area72aa.org ALT TREASURER: Derek N alttreasurer@area72aa.org

## District 29 Groups

Above GroundGary S
Alt. Emillie M
Back To BasicsRex J
Eatonville
Elbe Friday Nighters
FIRBruce K Alt. Kevin O
FirgroveLaurie S
Alt.
Graham Women'sMary N
Alt. Michelle L
Hang In TherePatty G
Alt.
Keep It Simple SumnerChris L
Alt. Don S
Living FreeRyan W
Alt.
LoftKeith G
Alt. Annie M
MeekerMisty M
Alt. Maria H
OhopChelsea P
Alt. Mandy B
On Track AgainBeatriz C
Alt. Holly C
Orting FiresideJoshua D
Alt. Jill N
Orting Hole In The DonutJill N
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Out to Lunch Bunch
Puyallup Men's StagShaun R
Alt.
Puyallup Service GroupBryce J
Alt. Jasmine P
Seeking Our SolutionRachel K
Alt. Rick B
Sober Sisters of Sumner Annie M
Alt.
Solution Is The JourneyJohn P
Alt. Robert
Trudging The RoadAlan O
Trusted ServantsMitch M
Alt Janach O

Alt. Janeah O

Women On Tapps......Sherrie S

#### **Trusted Servants Monthly Reports**

DCM: Fred JDCM Report on Page 6dcm29@area72aa.orgAlt: Amanda MAlt DCM Report on Page 6altdcm29@area72aa.org

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**Alt: Jess J** Archivist Report on Page 18

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**Alt:** Carol J Third Legacy Report on Page 18

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Alt:

Newsletter: Grace C <u>d29actionlog@pugetsoundaa.org</u>

Hello to All in District 29, and Happy November,

Again I'm part of the planning meeting for the banquet, but will be sad not to attend and see all the bright faces show up. Now the planning committee is in the last stages to get everything there and set up for the event. Super big task so big it has to be done the day before. Friday the Nov 14th, 12-5:00, come join the fellowship that happens during this time. You will feel like you made a difference. See page 15 for address and page 26 for all info on new location of the Banquet, date and time. Something new this year a Silent Dessert Auction (we will still be having a dessert potluck) and a large item Silent Auction. When you get there check it out. A lot of information this month please make sure to share the newsletter with your group and others. Thank you for allowing me to share and be of service, Grace C

Alt: Mary N 12 Step: Jake F

**Facilities Liaison: Steve B** 

#### **Responsibility Statement**

I am responsible, when anyone, anywhere reaches out for help, I want the hand of AA always to be there, and for that: I am responsible.

#### District 29 Treasurer's Report October 2025

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Groups	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	ОСТ	NOV	DEC
Above Ground	\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	\$ 45.00	\$ 53.00	1000 - 10	\$ 40.00	\$ 49.00	\$47.00		
Back to Basics	\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00	\$40.00 \$150.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00	\$40.00		
Eatonville Group				\$150.00								
Elbe Friday Niters	\$544.00											
FIR (Fellowship In Recovery Firarove Group	\$ 180.00								\$48.00			
Fresh Start	3 100.00											
Graham Group												
Graham womens group	\$340.00							\$56.74	14			
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Hole in the Donut												
Keep It Simple Sumner (KIS					\$1,100.00							
Living Free		\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$100.00					\$133.00		
Loft Group	\$47.92	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$10.00	\$ 33.00	\$ 33.00	\$ 33.00	\$ 33.00	\$ 33.00	\$133.00		
Meeker Fellowship OHOP Nuts and Bolts			\$139.11					\$ 92.74		\$600.00		<del>                                     </del>
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Puvallup Service Group			\$279.40						346.76			
Seeking Our Solution (SOS)				\$300.00								
Shop Group								\$60.00				
Sober Sisters of Sumner								\$60.00				
Solution is the Journey	\$ 50.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	\$50.00	6 50 00	\$50.00	6 50 00	\$50.00		\$100.00	-	
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other	\$ 23.00		700.00					\$ 50.00				
District 29 7th Tradition	\$ 103.00	\$71.00	\$ 114.00	\$ 82.00	\$ 54.00	\$ 55,00	\$ 59.00	\$ 85.00	\$ 80.00	\$75.00		
Income Special Events												
corrections pink can								\$77.00 +/-		\$40.00 +/-		
Total Income This Month	\$ 1.367.92	\$ 711.00	\$ 742.51	\$ 662.00	\$ 1522.00	\$ 431.00	\$ 226.00	\$ 607.48	\$ 596.76	\$995.00		
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Alt DCM						\$420.63						
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Accessibility												
Archives		\$82.45	\$99.08		64.57	\$22.03				\$93.62		
Third Legacy												
Corrections						\$53.86						
C.P.C	****	\$67.40				\$90.89						
Pub. Info	\$202.66	\$41.00		\$ 94.46		\$78.33						
Registrar						\$45.97						
Treatment 12 Step						440.07						
Annual Donation CSO 60%												
Annual Donation WWA 30%												
Annual Donation GSO 10%												
CSO Phones			\$ 195.00	\$ 65.00	\$ 65,00	\$ 65.00		\$ 130.00	\$65.00	\$65.00		
Meeting Room Rent	\$ 200.00	\$200.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 200.00	\$200.00	\$200.00		
Post Office Box				\$ 210.00					6400.00	6447.00		
Storage Rent	\$ 138.00	\$ 138.00	\$ 138.00	\$ 138.00	\$ 138.00	\$ 138,00	\$ 138,00		\$138.00	\$147.00		
Zoom	\$ 17.61	\$17.61	\$ 17.61	\$ 17.61	\$ 17.61	\$ 18.70	\$ 18.70	\$ 18.70	\$18.70	\$18.70		
Total expenses	\$ 558.27	\$ 546.46	\$ 664.29	\$ 953.66	\$ 485.18	\$ 1505.35	\$ 426.70	\$ 486.70	\$421.70	\$ 524.32		
NET Monthly Balance	\$ 809.65	\$ 164,54	\$ 78.22	\$ 291.66	\$ 1036.82	\$ 1074.35		\$ 120.78	\$1,237.45	\$470.68		
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Special Events Begin Bal	\$ 12,500.00	\$ 12,500.00	\$ 12,500.00		\$ 11,465.48	\$ 11,465.48	\$ 11,465.48		\$ 11,562.39	\$7,720.00		
Picnic Expenses				\$1,034.52				\$1,781.66				
Picnic Income				•			\$200.00	\$3,730.00				
Picnic Balance	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 1,465.48	\$ 1,465.48	\$ 1,465.48	\$ 1,614.05	\$ 3,562.39	\$ 1,920.00	\$1,920.00		
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## DISTRICT COMMITTEE MEMBER DCM & Alt DCM REPORTS

#### $\mathbf{DCM}$

Greetings from District 29. It was great to see everyone at the Area Assembly. We had a good attendance and participation from the District 29 and members got a lot out of the assembly educationally as well as spiritually. I especially appreciated Crystal's heartfelt share on Sunday. I'm always energized by these events. We are getting ready for our District 29 banquet in November. We are moving banquet locations to a new venue because of cost, so hopefully everything will work out. We have a great crew working on it and our theme is "Rule 62", fashioned after a Route 66 theme. I look forward to the upcoming quarterly in January. I hope everyone has a joyous holiday season.

Fred Johnstone DCM District 29 dcm29@area72aa.org (253) 229-7435

Please note our change in Zoom information, for District 29 Business meetings held every 2nd Tuesday of the month. All AA members are welcome to join us.

Zoom ID: <u>882 6118 3379</u>

Passcode: 983646

#### Alt DCM

Hello District 29!

I'm excited to see you at the Gratitude Banquet November 15th, doors open 4:30pm. Address on flyer page 26. I'm looking forward to our speakers and lots of desserts. I love to see what each group put together for a basket raffle donation. And thank you groups. In the recent past we did not have a Banquet award plaque like the District 29 Picnic does, for a group that receives the most tickets (thats how the votes are counted) for the best Donated Group Basket. This will be awarded during the banquet. The group will be able to display and keep this award at their meeting. Along with all the bragging rights. I really have been especially grateful for all the participation we have from home groups to the special events and all the committees in our awesome district!

Amanda M District 29 Alt DCM altdcm29@area72aa.org

## GROUP SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE GSR REPORTS

#### ABOVE GROUND\*

The Above Ground Group has meetings on Monday and Fridays at noon. This space has ground level entry, so it is accessible to all. There are large windows to let in the natural light of the day. Fall is now upon us and what better way to spend an hour and a quarter with good friends, hot coffee, and donuts? The church has provided us with an extra room that we can use for childcare or it can be good for private one-on-one talks. Come meet up with some old friends or meet new ones. Our meetings are held at:

#### Sumner First Christian Church 432 Wood Ave. Sumner, WA 98390

On the last Friday of the month, we provide cake and celebrate the sobriety of our friends. In October, we celebrated with:

Sue E - 1 months, Mark T - 10 months, Denice - 22 months, and Don N - 50 years Congratulations to all! Thank you Dave H for bringing a wonderful vanilla cake!

#### BACK TO BASICS\*

#### Hello!

Back to Basics group meets every <u>Tuesday</u> at 7:00 p.m. at <u>Mountain View Lutheran</u> <u>Church</u>, <u>3505 122nd Ave E, Edgewood</u>. In the white chapel basement. We have a home group speaker share every third Tuesday of the month.

Birthday nights are open on the last Tuesday and we have treats to share. We hope to see you there!

Themed Birthday
meetings
Flyer is on page 19
Join us!
November theme
Baked Potato Bar

#### October Birthdays:

Rebecca R - 4 years, Alana W - 10 years, Floyd - 17 years, Scott B - 21 years

#### **EATONVILLE**

American Legion Hall, Tuesdays 7 - 8 pm at 123 Rainier Ave N, Eatonville, WA 98328 We want to welcome this group back! During the October District business meeting we met Charlie and will meet Kim next meeting. Look forward to having your group at district meetings.

#### **ELBE FRIDAY NIGHTERS\***

Greetings from greater downtown Elbe in Zoom land!

We meeting on Zoom every Friday evening at 7:00 pm.

In spite of the weather, it is always an easy commute to our Friday night AA meeting. If you're looking for a small, friendly Zoom meeting with lots of good sobriety come check us out. Make the "virtual" road trip up toward the Mountain and share your experience, strength and hope.

Congratulation to All Our District 29 Peeps Celebrating a Happy Birthday! Toddy F Join Zoom meeting
Meeting ID: 208 089 505
Passcode: 008670

The <u>Fellowship In Recovery</u> Group is getting settled into our new location at <u>Light of the Hill Church United Methodist Church</u>, 11304 136th St E, Puyallup, WA 98374 at 7pm on

Tuesday evenings and 8am Saturday mornings. Our Birthday meeting are the last Tuesdays of the month and we have both AA and Al anon speaker. Most meetings begin with a short reading from the Big Book, except on the first Tuesday of the month when we study Traditions in the 12 & 12. And the first Saturday we study a step from the 12 & 12. Families In Recovery - they will move with us. Tuesdays also includes a concurrent meeting of Families In Recovery Al anon Family Group. Our meetings are open meetings. We look forward to seeing you!

Please join us on Tuesday nights 7:00 pm and on Saturday mornings at 8:00 am.

#### THE FIR IS MOVING!!

Fellowship In Recovery, an open meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous will begin meeting at a new location on Tuesday September 2<sup>nd</sup>. The new location is:

LIGHT OF THE HILL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 11304 136<sup>TH</sup> ST. E. PUYALLUP, WA 98374

We hope you will continue to join us for our Saturday 8am and Tuesday 7pm meetings.

Pre scout and plan your new route!!

#### FIRGROVE\*

Greetings from the Firgrove group,

We had a great turn out for Birthday Night/Halloween.

Many thanks to our Guest Speaker Tony W from the Beyond Human Aid Group.

I'm extending an invitation to visit us at Firgrove Mondays and Fridays at 8:00pm. All are welcome.

Birthday	s for	Octo	ber	20	25	:
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Danielle	24 hours
RJ	2 months
Andy	3 months
Kyle	1 year
Dennis	3 years
Greg	4 years
Joe	6 years
Kari	9 years
Alana	10 years
Mary Jo	41 years
Bill R	50 years

We meet at Pilgrim Luth	eran Church
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10510 136th St E Puyallup, WA 98374

Newcomers are always welcome

We meet Mondays (closed) meeting alcoholics only,

8pm to 9pm

Fridays (open) meeting 8pm-9:15pm

Business meeting 3rd Monday of the month at 6:30pm.

Followed with a Traditions meeting at 8pm-9pm

Birthday speaker meeting the last Friday of the month

8pm-9:30pm. With speaker, coins and cake.

Thank you all for sharing your experience, strength and hope with us and for celebrating your Birthdays at Firgrove. Special thanks to Laurie for the German Chocolate birthday cake and those who brought Halloween treats. Hope to see you all at Firgrove soon. In service.

Tim T

#### GRAHAM WOMEN'S GROUP\*

This group of wonderful women, are happy to share each other's experience, strength and hope. **Graham Women's Group meets on Saturday from 9am to 10:15am at:** 

Lutheran Church of St Paul 22419 108th Ave E Graham WA 98338 We are a hybrid meeting: Zoom ID: 428 9538 662 Password: 036816

**Birthdays** are celebrated the last Saturday of each month. We enjoy celebrating birthdays, come join us.

October Birthdays: 7 months - Maria, 8 months - Erica, 9 months - Melanie

Business meeting are held immediately after our regular meeting on the first Saturday of each month.

#### HANG IN THERE

#### Hang In There (HIT) Group Report

We welcome everyone to our group! This is a kid and dog friendly meeting.

Our meetings on Zoom are held Monday – Saturday, 11 am-12:15 pm

Meeting ID: 870 333 8446 (New zoom ID) Password: 201999

\*We no longer provide verification letters of meeting attendance on Zoom.

We meet in-person Monday – Saturday, 11 am-12:15pm
At Christ Community Baptist Church – portable classroom #3
Address: 8016 176<sup>th</sup> St E, Puyallup, WA 98375
Meeting opens at 10:30 am for fellowship.

#### **Upcoming Events:**

Nov. <u>Business Meeting</u> will be held on Friday, 11/14/25 immediately after our regular meeting. Nov. <u>Birthday Meeting</u> will be held on Thursday, 11/27/25 during our regular meeting hours. Join us for cupcakes, ice cream and a speaker!

#### KEEP IT SIMPLE SUMNER

United Methodist Church, 901 Wood Ave, Sumner Wednesday 7pm Open meeting Wednesday 7 - 8pm. Birthday night is the last Wednesday of the month. Our business meeting is the 2nd Wednesday of the month after the regular meeting.

#### LIVING FREE\*

The Living Free Group is located in Puyallup at the corner of 5<sup>th</sup> and Pioneer at the First Presbyterian Church, 412 West Pioneer Ave, every Sunday at 6:30 pm. This is an open meeting and all are welcome. We have a birthday speaker meeting the last Sunday of the month along with a potluck which starts at 6:00 pm. Our Home Group speaker for the month of October was Roger B, who shared his experience, Strength and Hope with all who where there.

#### October Birthdays:

3 Months Randall

30 Years Dee Dee

50 Years Don

Happy Birthday to everyone.

Hope to see all of you soon at Living Free!!!

Kevin C.

#### LOFT\*

#### **Open Meetings:**

Daily Meetings: Noon & 8pm

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri, Sat & Sun ~ 6pm & 8pm
Friday and Saturday at 10pm
Saturday and Sunday at 9 am
In-Person Women's Meetings:
Wed & Sun ~ 6pm

In-Person Men's Meeting: Sunday at 8pm Zoom Women's Meetings:

Wed & Sun ~ 6pm ID: 862 7295 5592 Password: 035163

#### Hello from the Loft Group! 10216 29th St E Edgewood, WA 98372

At the Loft we love to have fun! Our business meeting is held on the 3rd Thursday each month at 7pm. We ask that all chair people and trusted servants attend so they know what changes are happening at our cozy hall. However, everyone is welcome to come to our business meetings! Come see how they operate, have your voice heard, or get any questions you have answered on November 20th at 7pm. The Loft will also host an Alcothon Thanksgiving day with meetings starting at 9 am until 9pm with fellowship and food in between. Please join us!

We celebrate birthdays at the Loft in person the last Wednesday of each month at 6pm (women and children only) and the last Friday of each month at 8pm (open) and with coins, a speaker, and treats. The Loft women on Zoom also celebrate birthdays on the last Wednesday of each month at 6pm, followed by a speaker and time at the end of the meeting for open sharing.

#### Happy Birthday

Matt A	24 hours	Tanya M	5 months	Matt A	19 months
Todd	24 hours	Brandy W	5 months	Kadisha	1 year
Christina	24 hours	Alexa	5 months	Jason	4 years
Lena	24 hours	Jamie	5 months	Rebecca	4 years
Karissa	1 month	Brandon	6 months	Delana	7 years
Hilary M	1 month	Robert	6 months	Denise	12 years
Monty K	1 month	Anise	6 months	John T	23 years
Michael G	1 month	Monty K	8 months	Ed R	28 years
Jake W	2 months	Scooter	8 months	Patty	30 years
Michaeline P	2 months	Tim	8 months	Maureen G	35 years
Vick V	3 months	Jen C	10 months		
Tobey P	3 months	Desirae M	10 months		
Erin	3 months	Laura K	10 months		
Nick	3 months	Desirae M	10 months		
EdJ	4 months	Justin	11 months		
Donna S	4 months	Aaron	11 months		
Jenny	4 months	Kara	11 months		

#### Thank you to our Birthday Speakers:

Abel, Kat B and Michelle M

Happy Birthday Everyone! Remember to stay in the middle of the herd.

#### MEEKER FELLOWSHIP\*

#### October 2025 Birthday celebrations:

30 days: Scott H 30 days: Karlotta W 90 days: Claire V 90 days: Jenn A 5 months: Shiko H 5 months: Alexa B 1 year: Heather J 18 months: Cody H Noelle G 2 years: Shane F 3 years: 3 years: Dennis H 30 years: Patty F 36 years: Randy M 50 years: Bill H

Thanksgiving Dinner

And Alcathon
Weekend
event info
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Check out our event

New Year's Eve Ball

flyer on page 24

#### **Meeker Fellowship**

\*new location

Puyallup Elks Lodge 314 27th St NE Puyallup, WA 98372

Entrance to the left of the pool, Do not enter the main door.

Meeting times:

Mon-Sun 9am, 12pm, 5:30pm, 8pm

Sat & Sun 6am

Sat 9am Women's meeting Sun 9am Men's meeting

\*Saturday November 29th\*
Birthday Potluck starts 5pm
Speaker Meeting to follow

#### OHOP\*

OHOP Nuts and Bolts meets in "God's Garage" next to Bethany Lutheran Church located at <u>26418 Mountain Hwy East</u>, <u>Spanaway</u>, <u>WA 98387</u>

We meet 7 days a week at <u>7pm</u>. Monday book study night.

On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday we have <u>Closed</u> meeting (Alcoholics only).

With Open (all welcome) on Thursday, Saturday and Sundays.

Our business meeting is on Saturday \*after\* the second Tuesday each month at 5pm.

Our birthday night is the last Saturday each month at 7pm.

We celebrate birthdays for 24 hours and each month up to year, 18 months and all year celebrations. The power was out on our birthday meeting. We transferred to a restaurant and still celebrated birthdays!

#### October Birthdays:

Brian - 3 months, Laura - 4 months, Aerial - 6 months, Harley - 3 years

#### ON TRACK AGAIN

Our group meets in the Mt Rainier Dining Car, located <u>54106 Mountain Highway East, Elbe, WA 98330</u>. We meet every Wednesday night at 6:00pm for an open meeting. Then once a month on the second Sunday join us for a <u>Spiritual Breakfast Speaker Meeting</u>: (See page 19) seating is open at 9:30am, meeting begins at 10 am. Our business meeting is held on the last Wednesday of the month, following the regular meeting. We encourage you to go for a scenic drive and join us, to share our experiences, strength, and hope.

#### ORTING FIRESIDE\*

#### **Greetings from Orting Fireside Group!**

Our meetings are on Mondays and Thursdays 6:30-7:30 pm. We meet at the <u>United Methodist Church</u>, <u>109 Train St SE</u>, <u>Orting</u>, <u>WA 98360</u> We celebrate sobriety birthdays on the last Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm. Join us for pie, hot coffee, coins and a speaker.

October Birthdays: Blair R - 1 month, Erica C - 8 months, and Jill N - 18 months.

Our October Speaker: Sybil, who got sober in 1988 shared her experience, strength and hope, telling us how she got sober, and stayed sober.

#### ORTING HOLE IN THE DONUT\*

We welcome you to come visit Orting Hole In the Donut! <u>United Methodist Church, 109 Train St SE, Orting, WA 98360</u>. Sundays at 11:00 am. We are known for a small town with a Big View. We celebrate birthdays the last Sunday of the month at 11am. We always have hot coffee and fresh donuts. In October we celebrated 13 years as a group. Our special guest, Erin B, shared the story of when the group started in October 2012.

October Birthdays: Jill N - 18 months

#### OUT TO LUNCH BUNCH\*

The Out to Lunch Bunch is an open meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous. We meet at noon each Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday. Our Tuesday meeting is a book study. We are currently reading the stories in the back of the Big Book and having some excellent discussions. As the cooler months are here, we will be taking advantage of the heat inside our room, making us the warmest kids on the block. The church has provided us with an extra room that we can use for childcare or it would be good for private one-on-one talks. We are located at:

Sumner First Christian Church 432 Wood Ave. Sumner, WA 98390

The last Saturday of the month is our birthday meeting, during which we provide coins and some sort of treat. All we ask you to bring is your experience, strength, and hope.

In October we celebrated with:

Phillip S 1 month Lionel G 1 month Wally S 12 years Tom B 27 years

Congratulations to everyone and to all with another day of sobriety. Thank you to Jim J for bringing the decorative cupcakes. We all enjoyed all having seconds.

#### PUYALLUP MEN'S STAG\*

Peace Lutheran Church, 214 East Pioneer, Puyallup, WA 98372

We are a Men's Thursday meeting at 7:00pm. With the last Thursday of the month being potluck/speaker meeting at 6:30pm.

Happy Birthday to our October Birthday!!!

Scott - 3 months Andy - 3 months David - 3 months Mike - 4 months Mike - 18 months Kenny - 18 months Dennis - 3 years Ralph - 18 years Joe - 20 years

Thank you to our Guest Speaker - Tim from the Above Ground Group. He delivered a stellar message of AA and we really enjoyed it.

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#### PUYALLUP SERVICE GROUP

Hello we are Puyallup Service Group We meet Wednesday and Saturdays at 8-9pm. Our business meeting is the 3rd Saturday of every month. Our birthday night is the last Saturday of every month. Our phone commitment is the 4th Friday of every month at the CSO from 6-9pm, all are welcome to join.

We meet at Celebration Lutheran Church 2500 Shaw Road East Puyallup, WA 98371

#### **SEEKING OUR SOLUTION\***

Seeking Our Solution meets every Saturday at 8:00 am at First Presbyterian Church of Puyallup, 412 W Pioneer Ave, Puyallup, WA 98371. This is an open meeting. Families and children are welcome. On the third Saturday of each month, we read from the Grapevine. Directly afterwards, we have our business meeting. On the last Saturday, we host a breakfast potluck to celebrate milestones in recovery. Bring a dish and come hungry!

In October, we proudly celebrated these milestones: John P - 21 years

Best quote of the meeting: "I'm always amazed at how the sponsorship lineage changes after years of working the program together. After so long it becomes a question of who is sponsoring who? Wisdom is not determined by length of sobriety."

Winner of the group Award at the 2025 District 29 Picnic for the Best Decorated Basket

#### SOBER SISTERS OF SUMNER\*

S.S.S. is an open Women's meeting that meets every Wednesday 12:30-1:30.

We have been there so we'll be here for you. Let's grow together. We are a fun group and understand the seriousness

of getting and staying sober. We meet at

Celebrating Birthdays on October 29, 2025

Melanie N 2 months

Michaela B 3 months Laurie G 4 years April P 6 months Corrine O 18 years

Jodi R 3 years

Our business meeting is the 3rd Wednesday of the month, right after regular meeting. Birthday meetings is the last Wednesday of the month. Please join us for the celebration of sobriety.

#### SOLUTION IS THE JOURNEY

We are going strong and open 5 days a week Monday thru Friday from 12 to 1. We celebrate birthdays on the last Friday of the month. And our business meeting is held on the second Tuesday following the regular meeting. We meet at: Graham Church of Christ 9524 224th Street East Graham, WA 98338

#### TRUDGING THE ROAD

First Presbyterian Church 412 W Pioneer Ave. Puyallup, WA 98371 Group introduction flyer on page 17. We would like to welcome a new group to District 29, their meetings started in May 2025. Every Thursday at 6 pm. At the October District Business meeting we had the pleasure of meeting Alan O. This meeting has concurrent AA, Ala-non and Alateen meetings, the whole family can have a meeting.

Sumner First Christian Church

432 Wood Ave

Sumner, WA 98390

#### TRUSTED SERVANTS\*

Hello from Trusted Servants,

We always welcome everyone to come and meet for one hour every Monday @ 7pm, Faith Covenant Church. 1915 Washington Street, Sumner.

Our business meeting is being held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month at 6pm. Trusted Servants always has room for anyone who would like to be a part of a fellowship filled with strong sobriety and principles. Please join us and make Trusted Servants your home group.

We continue to support local treatment centers, so we can carry the AA message to Alcoholics that may want what AA has. This month we supported Royal, thank you, Jim J, Shares, Steve B, and Don S for participating especially on Halloween and as always, thanks, Courtney, for setting it all up.

We celebrate AA birthdays the last Monday of each month with THE BEST potluck in the World starting at 6:15 pm. We had a huge turn out for this Birthday meeting with lots of old friends and new. The Birthday coin celebration and open sharing started at 7pm.

#### Celebrating October AA birthdays:

Erin 3 months	Jerry 6 months	Aundermis 2 years	Dennis 3 years
Gary 34 years	Tom 39 years	Mary Jo 41 years	

Happy Birthday to all. We really enjoyed the celebration and hope to see you all again soon! In Service,

**Trusted Servants** 

#### **WOMEN ON TAPPS\***

#### Lake Tapps Community Church 17017 Forest Canyon Road East Lake Tapps, WA 98391

#### **OUR GROUP'S ROTATING SCHEDULE IS:**

- 1ST MONDAY OF THE MONTH IS BIG BOOK STUDY
- 2ND MONDAY IS STEP STUDY
- 3RD MONDAY IS TRADITION 12 & 12 STUDY
- LAST MONDAY IS BIRTHDAY/SPEAKER MEETING

WOT is an open Women's meeting on

Monday nights 7 pm to 8:15 pm. We have childcare for mothers that need a meeting. We enjoy the increasing number women at the meeting. We are grateful for the joy of fellowship created by sharing our experience, strength and hope with each other. We would like to thank our birthday night speaker Ashley. Her share was enjoyed. Many of the ladies still talking about it to each other. She said (and it made sense to me)her 24 years of Sobriety means everything and nothing.

#### Birthdays Celebrated in October:

Louise	24 hours	Lauren	18 months
Brittany	1 month	Haley	18 months last month
Judy	5 months	Heidi	2 years
Cheyanne	10 months	Jodi	3 years
Amanda	1 year	Sarah	4 years
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#### **GSR EVENTS**

GSRs: How was the biggest event and responsibility of a GSR? The votes you carried to the October 3-5th Assembly. If you want take a few minutes to send me your thoughts. I enjoy our AA process and hope you did also!

Nov 11th & Dec 9th
All District meetings are held on the
Second Tuesday of every month
In Person at:
Sumner First Christian Church
432 Wood Ave, Sumner, WA 98390
Or:

This is new Zoom info Zoom ID: 882 6118 3379 Passcode: 983646

Schedule Committee Meetings:
(only the District meeting is on Zoom)
2nd Tuesday Nov 11th at 6: 30 pm
District 29 Monthly Meeting and on Zoom

3rd Tuesday Nov 18th at 6:30 pm District 29 Treatment Committee

4th Tuesday Nov 25th at 5:30 pm District 29 CPC/PI meeting

1st Tuesday Dec 2nd

2nd Tuesday Dec 9th at 6:30 pm District 29 Monthly meeting and Zoom Note from the planning committee: Hello District 29,

Our Gratitude Banquet is Saturday Nov 15th only couple days away. We would love if we could get a couple hours of your time to help set up for this event, Friday Nov 14th 12-5 Information in the flyer on page 26. Check with your home group GSR to get your tickets, for the event on the 15th.

When you get there don't forget to check out our first ever Dessert Silent Auction? And another the part of the Silent Auction is Large ticket items. This is a trial run at this and we have limited it to 5 in each category up for the Silent Auction.

Groups donating baskets - Please make a list of all items that are in the basket. The list is to be visible outside the basket. And make sure the Raffle Committee knows which group it's from. If it's a gift card please have the amount listed. Large items we need to know which group its from. All this helps us keep track and be able to thank you during the Banquet and after. This year there is an award for group basket that receives the most raffle tickets in the bag for the item. Come join the fun and check out all the items.

#### **GSR PREAMBLE**

We are the General Service Representatives. We are the link in the chain of communication for our groups with the General Service Conference and the world of A.A.

We realize the ultimate authority is a loving God as He may express Himself in our Group Conscience. As trusted servants, our job is to bring information to our groups in order that they can reach an informed group conscience. In passing along this group conscience, we are helping to maintain the unity and strength so vital to our fellowship.

Let us, therefore, have the patience and tolerance to listen while others share, the courage to speak up when we have something to share, and the wisdom to do what is right for our group and A.A. as a whole.

GSRs invite a group member to visit a District meeting. Trusted Servants are needed, this is a current list of open position. Please note you will be <u>encouraged to attend the monthly District 29 meeting, submit monthly report to the Action Log newsletter and attend Committee Quarterlies.</u> If any of these positions interest, you or you would like to know more please contact DCM Fred J via email at dcm29. Blue letters means Alt only needed.

Secretary And Alt: The Secretary is responsible for maintaining a record of District business and activities for the GSRs and other committee members.

<u>Corrections Chair And Alt:</u> This position consists of any project reaching out to the alcoholic in prison, jail or other correctional facilities, writing alcoholics in prison, or helping the AA who is being released from prison to get to a meeting on the outside. Attends the Corrections Committee meeting, the District 29 monthly business meeting and the Correction Quarterlies.

<u>CSO Director 2:</u> District 29 has two representatives at the Central Service Office serving on the board of directors. The two members are required to attend the monthly meeting of the CSO Committee and the monthly District 29 meetings. Works with other Reps from Districts 43, 44, 45, 54 & 9 and other committees.

<u>Treatment Alt:</u> Helps reach the alcoholic in hospitals and treatment facilities. Programs can include: sponsoring or coordinating in-house meetings, providing panelists to describe what AA is and what is not, and proving the AA message through book, pamphlets and word of mouth. Attends the Treatment Committee meeting, the District 29 monthly business meetings and Treatment Quarterlies.

<u>Grapevine/Literature Alt:</u> The Grapevine and Literature Representative helps groups and GSRs with subscriptions/ information on the AA Grapevine. He/She also Reeps the groups up-to-date on new or featured materials published by AA Grapevine and AA World Services. He/She attends monthly District 29 meetings and participates in the Area Grapevine and Literature Quarterlies.

<u>Cooperation with the Professional Community Alt (CPC)</u>: Seeks to explain what AA is and what it is not to professionals who may encounter alcoholics. Typically, CPC carries information to doctors, nurses, dentists, counselors, treatment facility workers, lawyers, police, judges, teachers, clergy, corporate employee. assistance professionals, business managers and union rep leaders.

Attends the CPC Committee meetings, the District 29 monthly business meeting and CPC Quarterlies.

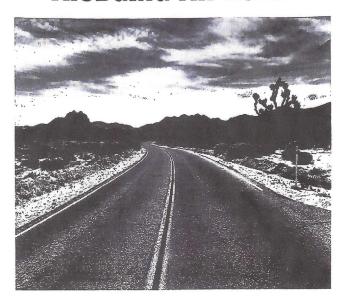
<u>Facilities Liaison Alt:</u> Responsible for being Key holder, setting up monthly District 29 meetings as well as putting away when meeting ends. Makes coffee and is the liaison between the facility and group.

Accessibility Alt: Provides AA message to those who would otherwise not have access. Attends Accessibility Committee, the Quarterlies and the monthly District 29 meeting. Meets the first Wednesday of the month at 6:30pm at the CSO.

<u>12 Step Service Committee (TSSC) Alt:</u> (This Committee is a Sub-Committee of the CSO in Pierce County): Maintains 12th Step list, coordinates home answering service, CSO phone volunteers and 12 step work/committees. Attends TSSC/12 Step meetings. Quarterlies and monthly District 29 meeting.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Please reach out if you'd like to be ofservice at the District level by contacting

## TRUDGING THE ROAD



An open meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous Big Book Study Thursday Evenings @ 6:00pm

Al-Anon and Alateen meet concurrently

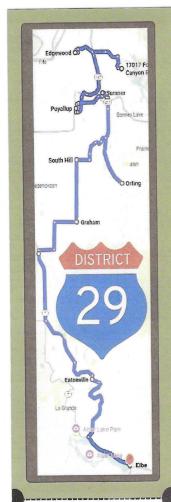
First Presbyterian Church of Puyallup 412 W. Pioneer Ave Puyallup, WA Starting May 1st 2025



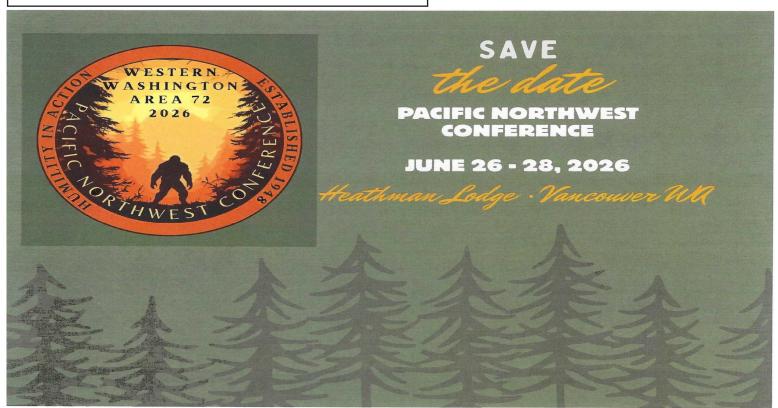
These are set to be souvenirs from the District 29 Gratitude Banquet (if you're going.) And I hope you are a raffle winner, make sure to buy a ticket! Check out the Silent Auction tables. Many, many volunteers helped to make this event a great one. Please thank them!







November 15, 2025
DESSERT POTLUCK



#### October 2025 District 29 PI/CPC Monthly Report

Hello to All,

PI (public Information) and CPC (Cooperation with Professional Community) have a combined meeting on the 4th Tuesday of every month at the First Christian Church, 432 Wood Ave, Sumner at 5:30 pm. Please send a member from your group to this meeting to collect information about what they've been accomplishing and how your group can help carry the message. Individuals are welcome to join also. When the school year started PI is taking panels into 3 different HS. CPC will be talking to a group at Fire and Rescue class. Interesting stuff going on if you would like to be part of sharing our knowledge of how AA works for us.

In Service,

DeeDee PI Chair - dist29pi@area72aa.org

Alt. PI George N (253)377-0453

Scott N CPC Chair - dist29cpc@area72aa.org

#### October 2025 District 29 Third Legacy Monthly Report

Hello District 29 Family,

This is Alana W, your District 29 Trusted Servant for Third Legacy. Carol J and I are very excited to serve our groups. We believe that our presentations could spark an interest at both levels when we see others actively serving.

We would like to come to your Business, Birthday or Regular meeting to talk about service. Each standing committee will share briefly about their position, and how service has impacted their sobriety.

We look forward to meeting new groups and our calendar is open for the next few months.

In Service,

Alana W Chair, Carol J Alternate

alanaw28@yahoo.com or dist29thirdleg@area72aa.org

#### October 2025 District 29 Archivist Monthly Report

Hello District 29,

We spent time at storage to complete the items for display table at our District 29 Gratitude Banquet on Nov 15th 2025. We are doing a dump run this week to rid of damaged pamphlets and some broken and unusable storage items. Making room for foldable shelving to keep storage containers off the ground.

Also our Area Archivist Maryland N will be meeting with an out of state member in 2026 to see if it's possible to salvage cassettes and a couple reel to reels. And we will be storing them in a dry storage until then.

We have one working pamphlet display rack if our community can use it? Please let me know so I can bring it.

And come view District 29 Archives table at the Banquet, where we will have items on display.

Yours in service,

D29 Archives Chair

Deborah M

dist29archives@area72aa.org



## PACIFIC REGION SERVICE NERDS

3rd Thursday-Service Manual Study Chapter 5

> Zoom# 878 7493 8831 pw: Nerds

6pmPT/7pmMT/8pmCT/9pmET

email: servicenerds62@gmail.com



#### **Back to Basics Monthly Birthday Potluck**

Join us for Fellowship on the LAST TUESDAY of every month 6 pm, Prior to the Regular Birthday Meeting at 7

> Mountain View Lutheran Church 3505 122<sup>nd</sup> Ave E, Edgewood WA

AUGUST: BBQ

**SEPTEMBER**: Hot Dog Bar (we provide the dogs)

**OCTOBER**: Taco Tuesday

NOVEMBER: Baked Potato Bar (we provide the spuds)

**DECEMBER**: Italian

Bring your favorite dish and come celebrate birthday night with us!



## SPIRITUAL BREAKFAST @Mt. Rainier Railroad Dining Co. 54106 Mountain Hwy E. Elbe Second Sunday of each month Alcoholics Anonymous Speaker Meeting

Come early and enjoy a bite to eat in this full service restaurant or just bask in the fellowship! Each meeting will feature a speaker from the program.

Speaker begins at





WHEN **January 9-11, 2026** 

33412 Webster Road E., Eatonville, WA 98328

RETREAT MASTERS

Marty J. – Richmond BC Jeff B. - Richmond BC

**REGISTER ONLINE AT BuckCreekRetreat.com** 

REGISTRATION FEE

\$190

HOODIES \$40

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**Steps 8 & 9** 

IF YOU HAVE OUESTIONS. Robert M. 253.209.1999

SCAN TO REGISTER





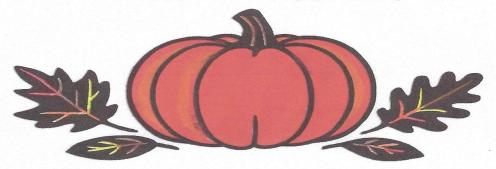
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## THANKSGIVING DINNER

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27 DINNER IS AT 3:30

## **ALCATHON**

STARTING THE DAY BEFORE THANKSGIVING RUNNING THROUGH THE SUNDAY AFTER THANKSGIVING



PLEASE SIGN UP TO BE OF SERVICE
PUYALLUP ELKS CLUB
314 27TH ST NE, PUYALLUP, WA 98372
CONTACT DENNIS H 253-278-4278

Step 11 Sought through prayer and meditation to improve our conscious contact with God as we understood Him, praying

only for knowledge of His will for us and the power to carry

that out.

**Tradition 11** Our public relations policy is based on attraction rather than

promotion; we need always maintain personal anonymity at

the level of press, radio, and films.

**Concept 11** The trustees should always have the best possible committees,

corporate service directors, executives, staffs, and consultants. Composition, qualifications, induction procedures, and rights

and duties will always be matters of serious concern.

**Principle 11** Spiritual Awareness

#### The Twelve Steps of Alcoholics Anonymous

Step 1

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

Step 2

Came to believe that a Power greater than ourselves could restore us to sanity.

Step 3

Made a decision to turn our will and our lives over to the care of God as we understood Him.

Step 4

Made a searching and fearless moral inventory of ourselves.

Step 5

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

Step 6

Were entirely ready to have God remove all these defects of character.

Step 7

Humbly asked Him to remove our shortcomings.

Step 8

Made a list of all persons we had harmed, and became willing to make amends to them all.

Step 9

Made direct amends to such people wherever possible, except when to do so would injure them or others.

<u>Step 10</u>

Continued to take personal inventory and when we were wrong promptly admitted it.

Step 11

Sought through prayer and meditation to improve our conscious contact with God as we understood Him, praying only for knowledge of His will for us and the power to carry that out.

Step 12

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.

#### The Twelve Traditions of Alcoholics Anonymous

(Short Form)

- Our common welfare should come first; personal recovery depends upon A.A. unity.
- 2. For our group purpose there is but one ultimate authority a loving God as He may express Himself in our group conscience. Our leaders are but trusted servant; they do not govern.
- 3. The only requirement for A.A. membership is a desire to stop drinking.
- 4. Each group should be autonomous except in matters affecting other groups or A.A. as a whole.
- Each group has but one primary purposeto carry it's message to the alcoholic who still suffers.
- 6. An A.A. group ought never endorse, finance or lend the A.A. name to any related facility or outside enterprise, lest problems of money, property, and prestige divert us from our primary purpose.
- 7. Every A.A. group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions.
- 8. Alcoholics Anonymous should remain forever nonprofessional, but our service centers may employ special workers.
- A.A., as such, ought never be organized; but we may create service boards or committees directly responsible to those they serve.
- 10. Alcoholics Anonymous has no opinion on outside issues; hence the A.A. name ought never be drawn into public controversy.
- 11. Our public relations policy is based on attraction rather than promotion; we need always maintain personal anonymity at the level of press, radio, and films.
- 12. Anonymity is the spiritual foundation of all our Traditions, ever reminding us to place principles before personalities.

## 12 TRADITIONS WORKSHOP



Hosted by The Public
Information Committee

Join us on Saturday
December 13th
9:30AM - Fellowship
10am to 2:30PM - Workshop

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church 140 E 56th Street Tacoma, WA 98404

Learn more about how the Twelve Traditions are a set of guiding principles for Alcoholics Anonymous and the fellowship as a whole, that ensure our unity, survival, and effectiveness.

- -Speaker Panels
- -Discussion Sessions
- –12 Traditions Skit
- -Fellowship & Fun
- -Breakouts
- -Lunch Provided

For more information, please email: pichairepugetsoundaa.org

#### SOUTH KING ALANO CLUB

#### SANTA & MRS. CLAUS ARE COMING TO TOWN!

Sunday Dec. 21st 1-4 pm



PLEASE JOIN US FOR GIFTS. TREATS AND PHOTOS WITH SANTA & MRS. CLAUS

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO DONATE MONEY TO PURCHASE GIFTS, OR DROP OFF AN ITEM TO GIVE AWAY, PLEASE DO SO AT THE CLUB'S COUNTER DURING THE HOURS OF 6:30AM-8:00PM.

THE SKAC CAN PROVIDE A TAX FORM FOR YOUR DONATION, ASK AT THE COUNTER

The South King Alano Club is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization supporting the recovery community

1317 Harvey Road, Auburn WA 98002 253-939-6541 www.southkingalanoclub.org 🕸 @SKAlanoClub

SANTA'S COMING

A Spiritual Experience

**Every Tuesday** AA Women's Big Book Workshop Line by Line Uncover, Discover, Discard

Presented by Candice M. - Los Angeles With Featured Co-hosts This week: Amy D. - Kentucky



Zoom ID: 858 0161 3157 PW: 561896 Room opens 15 minutes prior.

A beautiful community of strong women.

Tuesdays 6 pm PST 7 pm MST

8 pm CST

9 pm EST

Big Book breakdown Q&A/Sharing

Boldly go where few Big Book Workshops can take you!





## **Open AA Meeting** and potluck

Come on down to Sandy's Cabin every third Monday of the month for a potluck followed by an open AA meeting.

Dinner starts at 5:00pm

Meeting starts after dinner

21726 WA-706 E. Elbe, WA

Contact Michelle @7606255610 for details.





Sponsored by Elbe On Track Again AA Group. Meeting neld each Wednesday 6pm @ The Train



## NEW YEAR'S EVE BALL

DECEMBER 31
ELKS CLUB
314 27<sup>th</sup> St NE, Puyallup,
WA 98372

Potluck - 6pm Speaker - 7pm Dance - 8pm

### **Costume Contest**

Masquerade, Roaring 20's, Hippie 60's, Disco 70's Rock, 80's, Throwback 90's

Main Course Provided Potluck Sides

Adults \$20 Kids \$10

Contact: Sarah 253.386.8286 Maria 253.468.7769

## 37<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL A.A. MEN'S CONFERENCE MIRACI OGRESS HILTON SEATTLE AIRPORT AND CONFERENCE CENTER 17620 INTERNATIONAL BLVD, SEATTLE, WA Deadline for pre-registration is March 31, 2026 LE, WA 98188

In April 1986, four men discussed the idea of holding a National AA Men's Conference after hearing from some AA women about how successful their Women's Conference was every year. Ted H. was contacted by Sam L., Demers, Sam W., and Mike F. to collaborate. The men met at Ted's home in Cleveland, Ohio, to devise a plan of action.

Letters were sent out to the Cleveland AA community, inviting them to participate in the planning of the conference. A meeting was held in response, and a committee was formed to raise funds. The men set a fundraising goal of \$1,500. Through raffles, picnics, dances, and out-of-pocket donations, they successfully raised the seed money needed to hold the first conference.

Since then, 36 cities have hosted the International AA Men's Conference. The 37th Annual 3-Day International AA Men's Conference will be held in Seattle, Washington, from April 10 to 12, 2026. We hope to see you there!

#### **EVENT REGISTRATION**

WWW.IAAMCAB.ORG OR BY MAIL AT: IAAMC 2026, 11012 CANYON RD E SUITE 8 PMB 114, PUYALLUP, WA 98373

(Make checks payable to IAAMC 2026 Book a Hotel Room: https://book.passkey.com/go/IAAMC2026 For more information on the conference, contact Don N. at (253) 365-8073, Jeffery R. at (253) 754-7617, or Randy M. at (253) 278-9842

Qty	Registration and Saturday Evening Banquet, \$165.00 Registration only, \$50.00 T-Shirt select size [S, M, L, XL: \$19.50, 2X: \$21.50, 3XL, 4XL, 5XL, 6XL: \$23.50]
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I would be interested in volunteering for a workshop or panel





"JOIN US ON THE BROAD HIGHWAY" FOR DISTRICT 29'S GRATITUDE BANQUET

STARTING POINT:
TACOMA SPORTSMAN'S CLUB
16409 CANYON ROAD EAST
PUYALLUP, WA
(BEHIND AMAZON)

NOV 15, 2025 4:30PM DOORS OPEN 5PM CHICKEN DINNER

SPEAKERS
AL-ANON & AA
RAFFLE PHOTOS
50/50 FELLOWSHIP

\$20 TICKETS
FROM YOUR D29 GSR
DESSERT POTLUCK

FEEL FREE TO DRESS LIKE A TOURIST OR COME AS YOU ARE! IF YOU'RE FEELING ADVENTUROUS, WEAR SOMETHING THAT REPRESENTS GETTING YOUR KICKS ON ROUTE 66!

### Members Page

This page is for AA members of District 29. Send in AA related quotes, cartoons, questions or short inspirational notes. If this page creates interest I'll keep it going. Ask a group member to submit something related to next month's Step 12 topic. Send it to this email by the 4th of every month <a href="mailto:d29actionlog@pugetsoundaa.org">d29actionlog@pugetsoundaa.org</a>. Please take a moment to enjoy these and share!

We want to thank these two anonymous AA members for sharing on Step 11.

#### Step Eleven

"Sought through prayer and meditation to improve our conscious contact with God <u>as</u> <u>we understood Him,</u> praying only for knowledge of His will for us and the power to carry that out."

The former me would have never asked for anyone's opinion or advice on any subject, let alone pray or meditate on any of them it. After all, wasn't I placed in this world with the ability to make my own choices? Prayer was for people who believed that God would grant wishes, meditation was for those that could not make a decision on their own. What I have learned in the program and come to believe is completely different. Meditation works best for me when I quietly ponder my thoughts on a multitude of issues (good and not so good) in life looking for answers. Prayer is when I look to my Higher Power for guidance and the strength to handle these issues. As my sobriety grows, so does my willingness to practice my personal prayer and meditation practices.

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My first sponsor had me do a list every day of what's my will and what's gods will. After weeks of frustration I found out that I don't know what's god will is. What I can do is pray and meditate for what god would have me be in any circumstance. When life happens I can pray for where I need to be and what actions I should take. When life isn't happening I can pray and ask where I can be useful. In daily life I can pray and ask to be kind loving patient and tolerant toward all. Growing relationships take time and so does a relationship with God in my experience and I have to continually put in the effort or that relationship suffers.

From Editor: Can I get a volunteer to write a step 12 experience you've had or what a step 12 means to you? In 2026 the theme of the month will be the Traditions of that month. You can volunteer to write about those also.

I was told once:

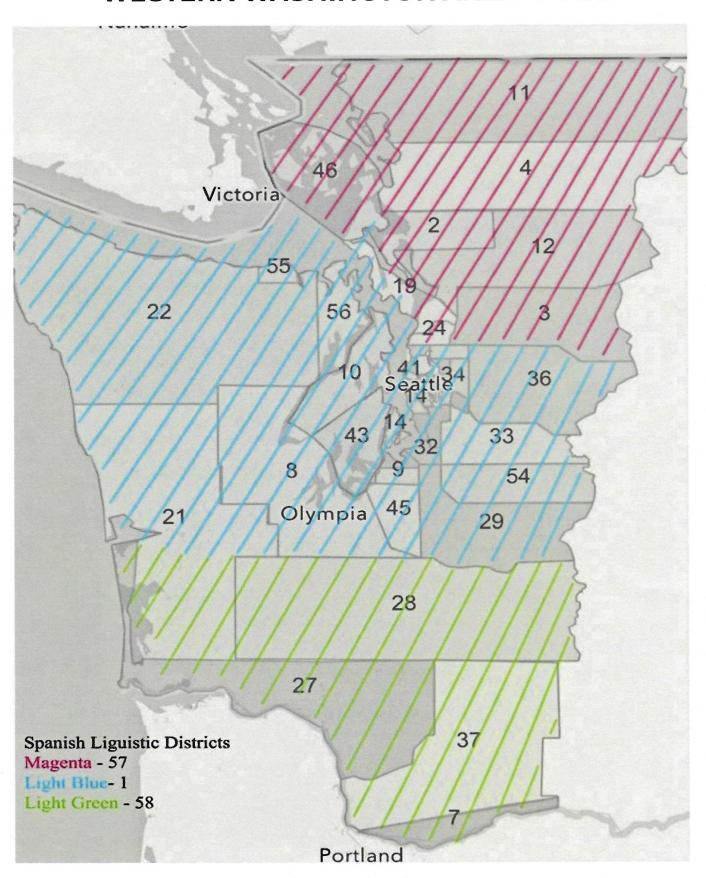
"The moment you allow someone to make you angry or sad is the moment they've won power over you"

Learn to respond, don't let your emotions overpower your intelligence."

Step 11 makes me aware of every aspect of all the possible ways to respond and how to help others.

One minute
One hour
One day
One month
One year
One lifetime
Every sober moment
Builds the next.

#### **WESTERN WASHINGTON AREA 72 MAP**



<sup>\*\*</sup>We have 4 non- geographic districts - District 1, 57, & 58 are our 3 Spanish Linguistic Districts; District 25 is our Online District