



EAST TENNESSEE INTERGROUP UNITY NEWSLETTER

Without unity, the heart of A.A. would cease to beat . . . — Bill W.



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Intergroup News for October

Thank you! Positions in the office have been filled. Stop by and meet Angie, Sara, and Ulrich when you can.

There are still openings for Secretary and Mobile Intergroup Chair & Thank You cards.

The monthly Intergroup Meetings are a great way to stay connected and get firsthand information to pass on to your home group. If your home group does not have a representative attending the meetings you are missing out on important information! Attendance can be in person or on zoom on the third Monday of the month. More information can be found at <https://www.etiaa.org/service/intergroup-representative/>

****Seymour Sharing Group**** The on October 31 meeting is cancelled due to Halloween events.

— Dawn W.

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Submissions

Is your group celebrating Birthdays/Anniversaries? Are you? Do you have AA-related questions or myths that East Tennessee Intergroup of Alcoholics Anonymous (ETIAA) can answer for you? Is there an "In Memory" group member to be recognized? We encourage all appropriate submissions by sending them to manager@etiaa.org Subject line: **Newsletter!**

Office Service Workers

Robin Stephany
Dave S Cathy
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Amy Mary
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Hotline

Bryan
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Austin
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Carole
Caroline
Emily
Lee Anne
Miles
Rebekah
Johnnie

Intergroup Board

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Barb Marian
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Jack F Mel
Susie Allison
Jimmy Amber
Becky Ken
Scott Letha
Sarah Jim
Tiffany Nathan
Bryan Talia
Dennis

Website

Amy
Sterling
Eammon

Spanish Liaison

Maria



If I get rid of the drugs and alcohol but don't work on my morals, principles and spirituality, I'm still the exact same person just without the substances, and that really defeats the main purpose behind recovery. — RIP Steve K. 10/19/40 - 9/9/20)



From the Rochester Diocese Courier-Journal, Wednesday, March 14, 1979:

An Alcoholic's Prayer.

“OH LORD, Watch over this Alcoholic. Be Thou my Higher Power as I strive toward recovery. Permit me to lean on You for strength and guidance. Grant that I may become totally honest about my problem. Touch my soul - and spark my spirit into awareness, Lord, that I may see the value of a sober life. Show me the glory of the Dawn and a new day and the reward of a Sunset and a day well lived. Help me to deal with resentments, Lord, the real curse of the Alcoholic. Take from me all hatred, anger and willfulness and persuade me to work toward emotional health and maturity that I may fully enjoy the blessings of respectability.

In Thy mercy, Lord, see fit to remove my cravings for that which will destroy me — alcohol. Keep me ever mindful that alone, I am unable to maintain a happy sobriety. Bring me ever close to You and those who will help me along the way.

Most of all, prompt me to extend my hand to the Alcoholic who still suffers, so that through him.or. her, I may find You and continued sobriety.”

AMEN - (Irene Palmer 1979)

Local Woman Authors Prayer For Alcoholics

By John Dash

Below is a prayer. It was written by Irene Palmer Costigan, a legal secretary at Eastman Kodak Co. who is using the prayer, “to give hope to people, to reach just one person, to help one drunk on the road to sobriety.”

Ms. Palmer is a recovered alcoholic.

She tells quite a story. In a recent interview, she said that she started drinking back in the 50s when she was an entertainer, both here and on the road.

And in one horrendous seige in 1970, she went “down for the count,” was hospitalized three times; and, by the grace of God, and the hand of one woman

who gave her hope, a woman from Alcoholics Anonymous, started a new life for herself.

Ms. Costigan's prayer has a story all in itself. She said, “I can't honestly say I 'wrote' the prayer. One day, out of a clear, blue sky, I felt inspired and quickly popped a sheet of paper into my machine and the prayer just poured out of me.”

But to backtrack: the occasion of the prayer came shortly after her husband of four months died of cancer.

She said that her husband, too, was a recovered alcoholic, and despite the excruciating pain of the cancer he had, refused to take alcohol. “I'm going to die sober, Irene,” he told his bride. “I'm going to die nobly.”

She said that at her husband's funeral, friends of hers, also recovered alcoholics, marvelled both at her husband's and her determination to endure the ordeal sober. “If you can get through that without a drink, you can get through anything,” a friend told her.

Ms. Costigan agrees.

She said that she feels the prayer is a direct inspiration from God, to help alcoholics. She said that as she wrote the prayer, she felt that “God wanted the prayer published and chose me as a vehicle.”

The prayer appears on a small calling card, and is being distributed by The Hazelden Press in Minnesota.

Ms. Costigan said that the current printing of the card will reach alcoholics in China and Russia as well as the U.S.



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AMEN

DISTRICT MEETINGS

District 1 Typically meets the first Saturday of odd months @11am at the Renaissance Center. Please contact District 1DCM through ETIAA for most accurate information. **(Note change.)**

District 2 meets the fourth Sunday of the month @2:00pm at the REBOS Building, 213 E. Maple St., Johnson City 37601.

District 3 meets the first Sunday of the Month @12:30pm at the Morristown Group.

District 4 meets the first Sunday of **ODD** months @2:00pm at Happy Destiny.

District 50/51 meets the first Monday of the month @6:30pm at the Intergroup Office.

District 6 meets the first Thursday of the month @8:30pm on Zoom Meeting ID: 821 3520 6316
Password: AA.

Intergroup Committee meets at 6:30pm, the third Monday of the month at the Intergroup Office and on Zoom. Meeting ID: 190817 792 Password: 076583.

Want to do Service Work for Intergroup?

Use the form below, OR sign up online here:

<https://www.etiaa.org/contact-us/>

East Tennessee Intergroup of Alcoholics Anonymous – Gratitude With Service form

Return to: ETIAA; 9217 Park West Blvd #B3; Knoxville, TN 37923

865-522-9667

Manager@etiaa.org

www.etiaa.org

Date: _____ *First Name _____ Last Name _____

Address _____ *Phone _____

*City _____ *State _____ *ZIP _____ Sex _____

E-mail address _____ Alternative Phone _____

* Required for listing in 12th Step List

ETIAA UNITY Newsletter Subscription / Renewal (Free subscription for email issues; \$12/year for mailed issues)

Volunteer Service Options

Check only those you are willing to commit time to:

12th Step List Volunteer

Weeknights

Weekends

Weekdays

Phones Night & Weekend

Weeknights

Weekends

Committees of Interest

Check only those you are willing to serve on:

Public Information / Cooperation with the Professional Community

Intergroup Representative

Office Worker

Archives

Outreach

Spanish Liaison

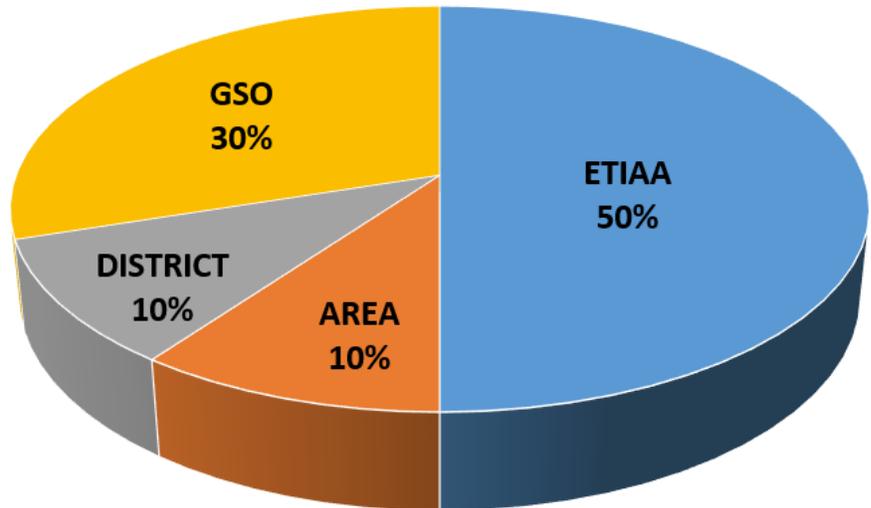
7TH TRADITION SUGGESTED CONTRIBUTIONS

How can groups participate?

To help support AA's essential services, the General Service Conference suggests that individual groups, through an informed group conscience, adopt a specific contribution plan tailored to meet the group's financial situation. Once the basic group expenses have been taken care of (for example, rent, refreshments, AA literature, Grapevine literature, local meeting lists, GSR travel expenses to attend service functions) and a "prudent reserve" has been set aside to cover any emergency contingencies that might arise, the group may decide to further carry the message by sending money to the following AA service entities.

- The local district, which communicates directly with the groups, providing the district group conscience for the area assemblies and serving as a link between the area delegates and the GSRs.
- The area committee, which coordinates vital AA activities over a broad geographic area, sends a delegate to the annual General Service Conference, holds area assemblies to determine the needs of the Fellowship, and provides information at all levels of service.
- The local intergroup or central office, which may provide phone service for Twelfth Step calls and other inquiries, coordination of group activities, AA literature sales, institutions work, public information, and cooperation with the professional community activities.
- AA's General Service Office, which functions as a storehouse of AA information, communicating with members and groups around the world, publishes AA literature, and supplies information and experience to professionals and others interested in AA.

[Self-Support—Where Money and Spirituality Mix. Go to: www.aa.org/assets/en_US/f-3_selfsupport.pdf]



Every AA group ought to be fully self-supporting, declining outside contributions.

Contribution Addresses

ETIAA East Tennessee Intergroup of AA
 9217 Park West Blvd #B3
 Knoxville, TN 37923
 865-522-9667 www.etiaa.org

New ways to contribute:

Paypal Manager@etiaa.org or 865-320-8649
 Zelle Manager@etiaa.org or 865-320-8649
 Venmo @ETIAA

General Service Office
 P.O. Box 2407
 James A. Farley Station
 New York, NY 10116-2407
www.aa.org
 The GSO prefers online contributions

Area 64 Assembly
 2500 Murfreesboro Pike
 Suite 105 Box 235
 Nashville, TN 37217
www.area64assembly.org

District 1 Treasurer
 Barb Sapp
 4137 Skyland Dr,
 Kingsport, TN 37664

District 2 Treasurer
 PO BOX 1872
 Johnson City, TN 37605

District 3 Treasurer
 John H.
 1466 Darbee Dr.
 Morristown, TN 37814

District 4 Treasurer
 P.O. Box 6642
 Maryville, TN 37802

District 6 Treasurer
 Sara L.
 173 Keller Road
 Harriman, TN 37748

NEW ADDRESSES

AA District 50/51 Treasurer
 9217 Park West Blvd
 Suite B-3 (ETIAA)
 Knoxville, TN 37923

Please mail all District 50/51 contributions to the Intergroup Office. Specify on the check AND on the outside of the envelope that it is for district 50/51.

Intergroup Financial / Contributions Report

GROUPS DONATING	Aug '25	Jul '25— Jun '26	GROUPS DONATING	Aug '25	Jul '25— Jun '26
4-WAY GROUP	75.00	75.00	MEMORIAL RECOVERY		50.00
ALPHABET SOUP GROUP		35.00	MICHAEL DECILLA		10.00
BREAKFAST CLUB	50.00	50.00	NORRIS CLINTON GROUP		160.00
COLONIAL GROUP		100.00	NORTH GATLINBURG		210.75
COLONIAL HEIGHTS		50.00	PHOENIX GROUP		626.00
CONTRIBUTION JAR	6.00	6.00	PRIMARY PURPOSE- OAK RIDGE		126.00
DANDRIDGE UNITY		40.00	RIVERSIDE GROUP		256.62
Design For Living		186.36	SAT. MORNING BB STUDY	378.00	378.00
DOWN ON THE RIVER		130.00	SERENITY IMPROVEMENT	400.00	400.00
FOUNTAIN CITY SERENITY		150.00	SEYMOUR SHARING		328.00
FRIENDS OF BILL W		100.00	SISTERS IN SOBRIETY	65.00	65.00
HAPPY HOUR		20.00	Square Customer	126.11	171.11
KEEP LEANING FORWARD	42.00	42.00	Stepping Through Sobriety	90.00	90.00
K'VILLE PRIMARY PURPOSE		350.00	TELLICO VILLAGE		100.00
KODAK HWY 66	100.00	100.00	TOTAL	\$1,332.11	\$4,405.84

East Tennessee Intergroup of AA fiscal year is July 1 -June 30



September 15, 2025, intergroup Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Dawn W - office manager; Jacque - intergroup chair / treatment chair; Bryan - hotline; Kyle - TN Group; Kathy Jo; Robert - Friday Night Group; Dave - West Knox Group; Nathan - Marble City Group; Ken - Outreach Chair; Amy - Website Chair; Brandon - Happy Destiny; Dave S - treasurer, office service worker coordinator; Bob - Seymour Sharing Group; Ashe - Alphabet Soup; Richard - Happy Hour; Colleen - Accessibility Chair; Mel - Events Chair, Serenity Sisters; Marian G - Intergroup Corrections; Barb - GSR Kingsport .

Minutes distributed. Accept minutes - Kyle motioned. Approved.

SECRETARY REPORT: Bryan Motion to accept- Kyle 2nd. Motion passed.

MANAGER REPORT – Dawn: Funds coming in from Decades Party final \$\$ will be shared next month.

Treasurer Report – Dave: Groups are starting to contribute more on a monthly basis. This allows us to have consistency and eases operational burdens.

- \$1,934 - Decade party costs
- Rent - taken out twice because of the way the weeks fell so net for month was -\$3025.86. \$40K in bank (\$28,969.85 in prudent reserve - covers 6 months operations) covers this.
- There was an error in inventory order where it came out of prudent reserve instead of checking. This will be corrected over the next month.
- Bylaws - we do not have a total contribution cap for individuals. Suggest in new business we limit total individual contribution to \$3000
- Motion - Bryan / Mel - passes

CORRECTIONS / TREATMENT REPORT— Jacque and Marian G.

- Went to District 4 two weeks ago
 - Area 64 Corrections workshop April 18 they will have a workshop at the Pigeon River Club per Katie
 - Fundraisers for literature
- Corrections in Chattanooga asked for support for event (area 64 fundraiser)
- National Corrections Conference - Nashville - November 2025
 - Marian will send poster to put on website
- Treatment asked for literature contributions. Intergroup explained we provide literature for sale for events. District should provide a budget for Treatment and Corrections committees. They are new and learning how to fund these committees.

HOTLINE — Bryan: Fully staffed. No operational issues to report.

OFFICE SERVICE WORKERS – Dave: Lost a service worker Friday.; need a worker on Fridays from 12:30 - 4 pm every other week starting Sept 19, 2025. 1 year sobriety requirement. Training will be done on the job.

ARCHIVES – Allison: Absent; need to replace this position.

WEBSITE – Amy E:

- PHP needs to be updated
- 8 new meetings - including Spanish and meditation meetings
- Events - please email to manager@etiaa so they can be added to website
- New button for meeting reminders

SPANISH – MARIE: Absent.

CPC / PI – Sandra: Public information workshop in Kingsport - hosted by district 1 for Area 64; Sandra messaged in that there is nothing new to report

TREATMENT – Jacque: Nothing to report

OUTREACH - KEN

- Went to Promises Group
- Banquet Table in Maryville - this is a meeting vs a group - talked to Mike - this is everything you want in an AA meeting
- Camping - reserved site at Warriors Path - October 18-24 and will go to as many meeting as possible

MOBILE INTERGROUP – Position still open

VICE CHAIR – Fawn: Absent

September 15, 2025, intergroup Meeting Minutes (Cont.)

EVENTS – Mel, Keri, and crew

- Successful Decades Party even with HOME GA / UT football game
 - ~200 people
 - 9 baskets
 - Ticket sales turned in - total is being counted by office
 - Tshirts will be put in ETIAA inventory shelves
 - Water and drinks left over and brought to Intergroup
 - FANTASTIC committee - Sheena, Marlena and Kailyn especially instrumental
 - Purpose: celebrate Intergroup anniversary (vs fundraiser)

ACCESSIBILITIES – Colleen: August meeting:

- Focus - Hearing Impaired, Visually Impaired, JAN Assembly
- CC on all zoom - the Committee will provide instructions to groups
- Request for literature for JAN Assembly - visual / hearing impairment
- Request - we've defaulted to reaching out to interpreter and hit anonymity issues
- TN Deaf Coalition - only have paid interpreters
- PLEASE ask groups if anyone is fluent in sign language if a need arises. Email Colleen if available.

Position NEEDS:

- Secretary Chair (1 year sobriety requirement)
- Mobile Intergroup Chair (1 year sobriety requirement)
- Archivist (1 year sobriety requirement)

End of Year Positions Opening

- Officers - 3 years sobriety: Chair; Treasurer; Secretary (vacant - 1 year left on term); Committee Chair; Correction; Website; Spanish outreach; CPC-PI; Mobile Intergroup

OLD BUSINESS –

- Dawn emailed GSO regarding swag - is this breaking tradition (attraction rather than promotion). We have not received a response as of yet.
- Dave S - feels like these aren't breaking anonymity but rather works in the same way as flyers and billboards
- Bryan - [read aa.org excerpt](#)
 - Q: I want to buy chips/coins/medallions. Are they available on [aa.org](#)?
 - FAQ - "No. Neither GSO nor A.A. produces, distributes or sells chips, coins, medallions or any other sobriety tokens that are used throughout the Fellowship. Individuals and local groups that choose to use tokens to mark sobriety anniversaries may purchase them from various sources. The manufacture and style of these can vary by region, and even group to group. Because all A.A. groups are autonomous, the customs and practices for celebrating sobriety remain a matter of local choice. A local central office or intergroup may be able to provide information on nearby customs."
- Dave and Dawn: Groups sell non-approved AA stuff. It is at their discretion.
- Marian: Sell information, not swag, but if AA has no opinion then we should take a vote

NEW BUSINESS:

- Individual Annual Contribution Limit
 - AAWS has a cap - they are a non-profit
 - Dave - Motion to cap at \$3000 and motion to add to bylaws
 - Discussion: Colleen - is there an instance where this has happened? Dave thinks we should align with WSO and have this in our bylaws
 - Barb - hearing 2 things: 1. Need to add something to our bylaws 2: Need to decide on an amount
 - Jacque - WSO \$10,000 is bequeathed, \$7500 per year per person
 - MOTION 1: Add to Bylaw - MEL / KEN - passes, No dissent
 - MOTION 2: Cap the amount individual can give per year to Intergroup at \$3000
 - Nathan motions / Brandon
 - Discussion: Bryan - that seems high; Brandon - park 40 gets \$3000 / \$5000; Dawn - some people have to take out money because they hit a certain age. Taxes hit unless they donate to a non-profit. Sometimes those checks are \$3000. So agree with amount
 - VOTE - motion passes, no dissent

ADJOURN

New Meetings:

NEW MEETING NAME	DAY/TIME	LOCATION
Warrior Sisters Closed, Discussion, Women	Monday @ noon Wednesday @ 5:30pm	530 W Fifth Ave, Knoxville, TN 37917
Get in the Car Speaker Meeting	Second Friday of the Month @ 7pm	Ebenezer UMC 1001 Ebenezer Rd, Knoxville, TN 37923
Primary Purpose Rogersville Open Meeting	Friday @ 11am	We Care Hawkins County 124 S Church St Rogersville, TN 37857
Veterans AA Meeting	Thursday @ 5:30pm	Park 40; 9217 Park West Blvd Building B Ste A; Knoxville, TN 37923
Grupo Mi Nuevo Camino Co-ed, open, daily reflections	Monday-Friday @ 8:00 pm Saturday & Sunday @7:00 pm	210 N. Fairmont Avenue, Morristown, TN, 37814
Halls Late Night Meeting Open meeting	Thursdays @ 10pm	6709 Maynardville Pike, Knoxville, TN 37918
Maryville 12 Step Meeting	Sunday @ 7pm	Temporarily Moving Due to Construction to Fairview Church 2508 Old Niles Ferry Rd, Maryville, TN 37803
Newport 321 Group	Wednesday @ 12pm	Newport Church of God 407 Old Knoxville Hwy, Newport, TN 37821
Lady Birds	Wednesday @ 5:30pm	The Gateway 530 W Fifth Ave, Knoxville, TN 37917
12 & 12 @2	Monday @ 2pm	The Gateway 530 W Fifth Ave, Knoxville, TN 37917
Morning Meditation	Monday – Friday @ 8:30am	Eastview Recreation Center, 456 E Bernard Ave, Greenville, TN 37745
Sober Solutions Group	Thursday @ 7pm	Pleasant Hill UMC, 195 Pleasant Hill Rd, Bulls Gap, TN 37711
Strings in the Desert Closed, Women's Meeting	Sundays @ 1pm Starting October 5, 2025	Powell United Methodist Church 323 W Emory Rd, Powell, TN 37849

Please advise Intergroup if you know of new meetings in the east Tennessee area. Send name of the group, meeting details (place, time, type of group, etc) to manager@etiaa.org

Reported AA Birthdays

Oct 1 — Davis B., Monday Night Men's Group..... 2 years
 Oct 1 — Paul S.; Monday Night Men's Group.....33 years
 Oct 1 — Ted F.; Monday Night Men's Group.....13 years
 Oct 2 — Mike J.; Trudging The Road-Jefferson City.....41 years
 Oct 4 — Thomas B.; Monday Night Men's Group.....1 year
 Oct 4 — Rachel;10 years
 Oct 5 — Ken L.;.....20 years
 Oct 12 — Betsy;unk
 Oct 18 — Tony B.; Monday Night Men's Group.....8 years
 Oct 19 — Joe S.; Monday Night Men's Group.....43 years
 Oct 21 — Lan J.; Monday Night Men's Group.....2 years
 Sep 30 — Chris P.;2 years

} 175+ years of Sobriety

The District 4 Treatment Committee

wants to connect with
AA Members and Groups

Here is how your group can help.

- Do you know of any local treatment centers in need of AA meeting support?
- Are any of your group members interested in carrying the message to treatment centers or other recovery facilities?

Our goal is to build awareness, share opportunities for service, and enhance AA accessibility for those in treatment programs or other recovery facilities.

Please reach out if you would like more information or would like to get involved.

Boomer 865-681-2413

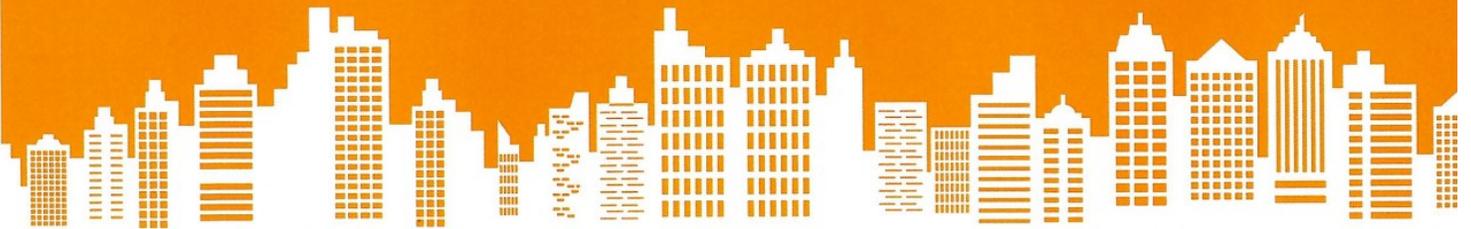
Cris E 865-995-8844

Jill M 865-660-4658

***“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.”***

JOIN US!

HOST COMMITTEE FOR AREA 64'S Q1 2026 ASSEMBLY



Come Serve!

"This is the legacy of world-service responsibility that we vanishing old timers are leaving to you, the A.A.'s of today and tomorrow. We know that you will guard, support, and cherish this world legacy as the greatest collective responsibility that A.A. has or ever can have."

- Bill W., ABSI p. 333

Volunteers Needed!



Help with the Supportive Events, Group Outreach, Registration, Agenda, Entertainment, and Hospitality Subcommittees!



EVERY 3RD WEDNESDAY, 6:30 PM

7-9, 7-30, 8-20, 9-10, 10-1, 10-22,
11-12, 12-3, 12-24, 1-14



Meetings are In-Person and on Zoom.



ETIAA OFFICE

9217 PARK WEST BOULEVARD, #B3



For Questions: (321)-446-5288



9217 Park West Boulevard, #B3

Knoxville is hosting...

"...THE
BRIGHT SPOT
OF OUR
LIVES."

p.89 BB

2025 TCYPAA

**TENNESSEE CONFERENCE OF YOUNG PEOPLE
IN ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**

Registration
opening soon

call to
ACTION!

Service work and outreach needed

**TCYPAA 2025 HOST COMMITTEE MEETINGS
SUNDAYS AT 1:30 PM**

tcypaa2025.com



**FOR MORE INFORMATION ON HOW TO BE OF SERVICE
AND LOCATION OF MEETINGS:**

CALL/ TEXT: (865) 202-6984

EMAIL: tcypaa2025@gmail.com

BACK TO BASICS GROUP AA Meetings



7pm Every Night
Noon Meetings: Tuesday,
Thursday, and Friday
5:30 Thursday: Women's Meeting
10 am Saturday Morning Meeting

A&W Plaza
301-G Oak Ridge Turnpike
Oak Ridge, TN

If you need help to stop drinking
AA Hotline 24/7: tel:865-522-9667
www.etiaa.org



Click the QR code to see a list of Back to Basics meetings

AA DISTRICT 50/51 HOST COMMITTEE PRESENTS
AREA 64 ASSEMBLY Q1 2026

SUPPORTIVE
EVENTS SCHEDULE

SEPT - OCT

2025

SAT
9/20

BINGO & PIZZA

St. Mark United Methodist Church
7001 S. Northshore Drive
Knoxville, TN 37919

6pm-10pm

all purchases support
the Q1 assembly!

\$20 = 2 bingo cards +
3 concessions tickets

\$10 = 2 bingo cards

6pm-10pm

it's a croc-pot-luck!
bring a crockpot dish to share
and wear your fanciest crocs!

SPEAKER @ 7PM: Renee X
from Durham, NC and formerly of Knoxville,
by way of Oakland, CA

CROCKTOBERFEST!
EAT & SPEAK!

Westminster Presbyterian
6500 S. Northshore Drive
Knoxville, TN 37919

SAT
10/4

FRI
10/24

BOOS NOT BOOZE
HALLOWEEN PARTY

Westminster Presbyterian
6500 S. Northshore Drive
Knoxville, TN 37919

6pm-10pm

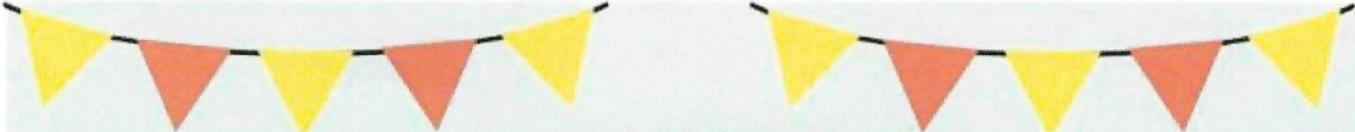
costume
contest, tarot,
mocktails, and
games!

**WANT TO CONTRIBUTE TO
THE HOST COMMITTEE?
SCAN THE QR CODE!**



24/7!

**ALL FUNDS RAISED WILL SUPPORT
THE AREA 64 Q1 2026 ASSEMBLY**



Roamers
CELEBRATES

5 YEARS

“Eat and Speak”

Friday

Oct. 17th 2025

**Speaker John E.
from Lebanon, TN**

6 pm - eat

7 pm - speaker

**Trinity United Methodist Church
5613 Western Ave, Knoxville, TN 37921**

****suggested to bring a covered dish or finger food
of your choice***





**62nd
International Women's Conference
February 12th - 15th, 2026**

To Register Online



**See full 2-page flyer
with all activities in the
Intergroup Website**

MISSION

The International Women's Conference is the bridge to a better understanding of the Alcoholics Anonymous philosophy and way of life because of our special needs in sobriety as women. We as women members of Alcoholics Anonymous are survivors. We have found a way to obtain meaning, depth and responsibility in our lives. This came about our of desire, decision, determination and spiritual guidance. An elevated sense of belonging that is brought about by the special services and a special need provided by our Women's Conference is our goal.

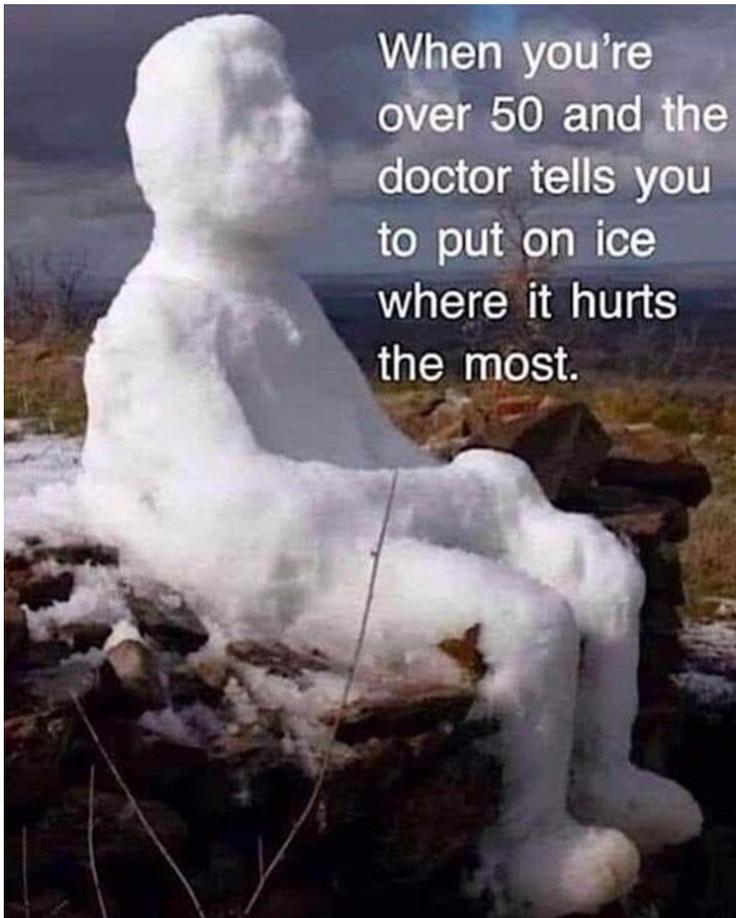
IWC SELF-SUPPORTING STATEMENT

This conference is self-supporting through the money paid for by registration fees, banquet tickets, and donations. AA funds are not used to pay for the event. Conferences and conventions are special events and require money, months of planning and preparation. Expenses include contracted costs for the use of meeting rooms, convention center facilities, preparation of food & beverages, printing of registration forms, audio/visual services, flyers, program schedules, postage, supplies and may other costs. The registration fee and banquet fees are kept as low as possible to meet our financial goal of breaking even. Our contractual commitments to the hotel require a guaranteed number of hotel rooms and banquet sales. To achieve this, we must meet our banquet and room night commitments.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- The IWC is a CLOSED conference for AA women registrants only.
- The conference begins at noon on Thursday, 2/12/2026.
- PLEASE NOTE: To meet our contractual obligations, there will be **NO REFUNDS AFTER 12/1/2025.**
- The 62nd IWC is not responsible for loss of personal items or any personal injury.

On the Lighter Side



Outa ✓
@CallMeOuta

I used to have this mental illness where I thought logical arguments would change someone's mind

Brain: I can see you're trying to sleep. Can I offer a selection of your worst memories from the last 10 years



Points To Ponder

The ultimate
teleportation device



This is how people ignored each other
before smartphones

