



Houston Intergroup Association, Inc.

The Link News Letter

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October 2022

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2022 Summer Open House

We had so much fun
with the fellowship!

We were not a glum
lot!



Thank you to all who helped make this year's Summer Open House a huge success! Our hearts are filled with gratitude, especially for all the volunteers who helped make this a great day. We look forward to seeing you at our Holiday Open House in December.



Intergroup Association invites you to:

ANNUAL HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE

Saturday December 10th, 2022
11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

2151 Mitchelldale Street, Suite 100, Houston, TX 77092
713-486-6300

Guest Speaker at 1:00pm

Delicious food – Tax Free Day in the Bookstore

Kick off your holiday with great fellowship, good snacks, and a fantastic speaker to enrich your sobriety

(Bring a plate of finger foods/goodies to share in the sunlight of the spirit)



BOT & Delegates Monthly Meeting



October 20, 2022

BOT Meeting @ 7pm

IG Delegates Meeting @ 8pm

The Board of Trustees meets every 3rd Thursday of the month at 7pm.

The Intergroup Delegates meet every other month beginning in February at 8pm.

December BOT and IG Delegates is on the 2nd Thursday of the month.

Both meetings are Hybrid (in person and on Zoom). Details will be sent to Trustees and Delegates prior to the meeting.

Please consider being an Intergroup Delegate for your group.

[Intergroup Delegate Pamphlet](#)

Bookstore will be open late for your shopping Convenience.

Welcome New Delegates! Please Complete Form.

[New Delegate Form](#)



Serving as a Trustee on the Intergroup Board is gratifying and rewarding. The Trustees are the voting body of the Association and help maintain financial standing, faithfulness to the Traditions, and fulfilling Intergroup's mission.

There are five (5) openings for Trustees on the Intergroup Board, please consider being a part of this fulfilling service opportunity.

Elections will be held on October 20, 2022 at 8pm in the Intergroup Delegates meeting.

Please Click link for application form or use the auto fill form. If you have any questions, please contact us at 713-686-6300 or email at intergroup@aahouston.org.

[Board of Trustee Application](#)



Now Accepting Applications Bookstore Assistant

This is a part time position up to 25 hours a week.

Responsibilities Include
Customer Relations

- Cashier
- Helping Customers with product information and pricing
- Packaging and Processing Mail Orders
- Stocking Inventory – Bending, heavy lifting, standing, and counting.
- Maintain a clean store front
- Other general duties as needed

Qualifications:

- 1 Year of Sobriety (AA member with a sponsor)
- Able to stand on feet for long periods of time.

Please send resume and/or application to Kelli via email to kelli@aahouston.org.

[Application Form](#)

New Bookstore Hours

Effective November 1, 2022

Monday - Friday
9:00am to 5:00pm

For the remainder of October Bookstore hours will be 10am-4pm, but we will be happy to accommodate your shopping needs. Please call Bookstore at 713-686-6300 if you need to shop before 10am or after 4pm. Thank you!

In addition, please call the Bookstore for stock status, prior to your visit. Our Vendors, including AAWS have been hit with the current supply/demand shortage.



Intergroup Online Bookstore



Meeting Directory Update

We're making progress!

Please click on the link below to check groups that have not verified their meeting schedule. We would love to hear from you!

[Click Here - Unverified Group's Schedule](#)

If you are unsure if your group has or has not been verified, please feel free to call Libby or Kelli in the office at 713-686-6300 during day time hours.

Click button below to submit updates for meeting changes. It should be noted that the Meeting Guide App is updated from our Website Meeting Finder.

Meeting Schedule Update



Visit aa-seta.org for Area 67 website and information.

60th Seta Convention January 13-15, 2023



The 2025 International Convention will be held in

Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.
Click below for more info

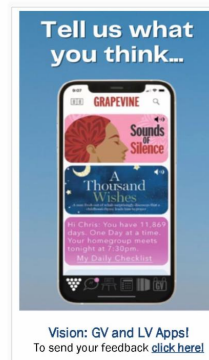
[AA INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION 2025](#)

GRAPEVINE News

What's New For October 2022



New Book!
To learn more or to order [click here!](#)



Vision: GV and LV Apps!
To send your feedback [click here!](#)



Coming Soon
Free Shipping!
On all products available
November 1 to December 31.
store.aagrapevine.org

Check out our audio story playlists on the GV Youtube channel or [click here!](#)

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Printable Grapevine News

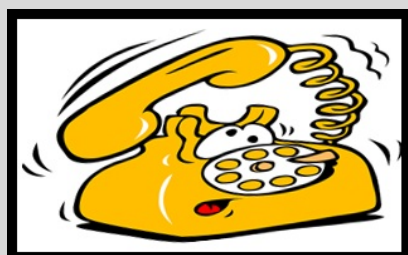


As of October 1, 2022 there are

- 1944 Meetings
- 295 Groups
- 554 Locations

In the Houston Metropolitan Area

2022 Phone Stats



Big Book, Pause when agitated .. page 87

As we go through the day we pause, when agitated or doubtful, and ask for the right thought or action. We constantly remind ourselves we are no longer running the show, humbly saying to ourselves many times each day "Thy will be done." We are then in much less danger of excitement, fear, anger, worry, self-pity, or foolish decisions. We become much more efficient. We do not tire so easily, for we are not burning up energy foolishly as we did when we were trying to arrange life to suite ourselves. It works- it really does.


Thank you!

Thank you Volunteers! The Intergroup Staff and Board of Trustees appreciate your excellent service work! We could not do without you!

Upcoming EVENTS

Please join the H.O.W. Group of Livingston, TX

1st A.A. Anniversary



Wednesday, October 5, 2022 at 6:30 pm

Join us for coffee, cake, fellowship, our birthday night, and the history of the group

FUMC-Discipleship Building
2801 Hwy 190 West
Livingston, TX 77351

Southwest Regional Alcoholics Anonymous Service Assembly

SWRAASA 2022

Hosted by Area 51

Oct 7-9
Tulsa OK
Renaissance Hotel

6800 S. 10TH E Ave. Tulsa, OK 74133
\$124 per night: 1-800-264-0355 for reservations
Free airport Shuttle Available



Visit us at
www.SWRAASA2022.org

\$15 REGISTRATION

Do you have any questions?
SWRAASA2022@GMAIL.COM

Meeting: SWRAASA 2022 PO Box 702641 Tulsa OK 74170

Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Email: _____

22th Anniversary for the
190 Group of AA
Celebration

Fundraiser Fish Fry and Fixin's

OCTOBER 8TH, 2022

Festivities

11:30 Fellowship
12:00 Onalaska Group Meeting
1:00 Lunch
2:00 Alanon Speaker
3:30 AA Speaker
6:30 190 Group Meeting

Plate suggested donation \$10.00


**Fried Fish
French Fries
Hushpuppies
Cole Slaw**

**Side dish and dessert
dish donations
appreciated**

For more info contact : Randy H 936-133-7246

DISTRICT 31 PRESENTS

A SPECIAL WORKSHOP



WHAT IS AN INFORMED GROUP CONSCIENCE?

**CO-HOSTED BY THE
ATSCOCITA GROUP**

**2 P.M.
22
OCT**

2805 SOUTH HOUSTON AVE
HUMBLE, TX 77338

Food Provided. Free Give Aways!!!



Serenity Group in the Woodlands
A.A. Speaker Workshop

Sunday, October 23, 2022
2:00pm – 3:00pm



Casey M. - Facilitator
(DOS - 3/9/89)

SKITS ~ INTERACTIVE ~ INFORMATIVE ~ FUN

Register At: Serenityspeaker22@gmail.com
Address: 405 Sawdust Rd, Spring, TX 77380

**Saturday
Oct 15th
6 - 10 pm**

Lamplighters Casino Night!

**Food and
clean
sober fun!**



*Meeting here regularly:
Tri Cities AA
Courage to Change AFG*



Saturday Oct 15th 6pm-10pm Blackjack & Hold-Em!
Auction at 10pm
\$5 admission gets you \$2,500 Lamplighter Casino Bucks.
Sausage & Hot Dogs, Chips, & Drinks for a small donation.



Cash raffles will be held throughout the evening!
Two auctions for you to take home some goodies!
Silent Auction with real \$: high-end donated items
Standard Auction with casino money: donated items



*Donate Nice, New, or Gently
Used Auction Items: We can
provide tax receipts*

Scheduled AA meetings will be in the gazebo.

Lamplighter's Club
2425 FM 1092 (Murphy Rd)
Missouri City (281-499-5496)







Lamplighter's is a no-smoking, no-photo and no-carry facility inside





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60TH ANNUAL SETA CONVENTION

JANUARY 13th, 14th & 15th 2023 - Beaumont, Texas
"New World Came to View!" Alcoholics Anonymous, pg. 12
Registration Closes Dec 30th, 2022

Registration

Pre-Registration - \$15.00
Al-Anon Pre-Registration - \$15.00
Virtual Attendance - \$10.00
*Alateen/Child - Free (Must have permission slip)



Friday - January 13th

8PM AA Speaker - TBD
10PM - Spanish Speaker - TBD

Saturday - January 14th

9AM - AA Speaker - TBD
10:30AM - GSO Speaker - TBD
1:00PM - Alateen Speaker - TBD
1:30PM - TBD

Sunday - January 14th (continued)

3:00PM - CFC Speaker - TBD
4:30PM Spanish Speaker - TBD
7:30PM - Sobriety Countdown and Speaker - TBD
9:30PM - Entertainment & Dance

Sunday - January 15th

11AM - AA Speaker - TBD

Hotel: MCM Elegance Hotel - 2355 I-10, Beaumont, TX 77705 Hotel room rate is TBD per night/Hotel cut-off date is TBD. To reserve your room, please call 409-842-3600 and mention the SETA Convention. Limited rooms are available... so please reserve your rooms early.

Note: Most Associations like to hold conferences/conventions. In AA, a conference/convention is an important opportunity to share the AA experience in a broad way. There are many AA conferences/conventions held around the world. One common misconception of these gatherings is that they are AA meetings, and since there are no dues or fees for AA membership, there should be no fee to attend these events. Conferences/Conventions are special events, not regular AA meetings. The conferences/conventions require months of planning, preparation, and money to present. Since most events are in hotel/convention centers, the hotel/convention centers will require that the group purchase coffee and food. Other expenses include travel and lodging for conference/convention, speakers, printing, postage and other supplies. A large event requires a substantial amount of money. Attendance at a conference/convention is voluntary, attending as part of a group is optional, but as a responsible AA member we must pay our own way.

Mail to	SETA Convention C/O Julian Lightfoot 6440 Washington Blvd Beaumont, TX 77707	Convention Registration Code		Hotel Booking Code	
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Name(s) _____	AA: _____ Al-Anon _____ Alateen _____
Home Group _____	Badge Name _____
Name(s) _____	AA: _____ Al-Anon _____ Alateen _____
Home Group _____	Badge Name _____
Email Address _____	
Mailing Address _____	
City, State, Zip _____	
Phone _____	

*Early Registration (\$15.00) Qty _____
Coffee Badge (\$5.00 Each) Qty _____
Please accept my donation of _____
Total amount enclosed _____
*Note: Onsite registration \$15.00

On-Site Registration (\$15.00) Qty _____
Scholarship _____

Please indicate Special Needs: _____

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Group Contributions

[Click Here](#)



We are so grateful for your continuous support to the Houston Intergroup Office.

We could not continue to provide the essential services needed to carry the message without the continual support of the Groups, the Area (including the Districts and Committees), and the Individual A.A members.

Step 10 Directions

Continue to watch for selfishness, dishonesty, resentment, and fear. When these crop up, we ask God at once to remove them.

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RESTLESS, IRRITABLE
AND DISCONTENT

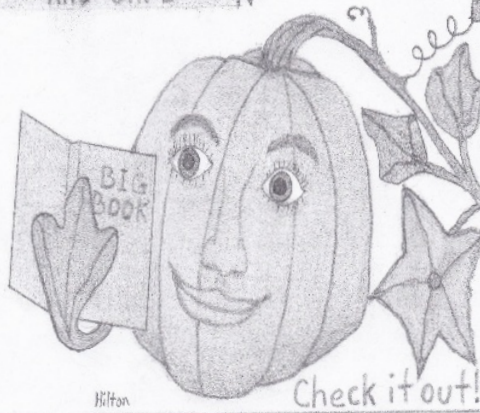
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I'm sick
and tired!

SERENE, SOOTHED
AND SAFE

★ INTERGROUP ★



Hilton

Check it out!