## **INTERGROUP**

#### **BEING OF SERVICE**



# Alcoholics Anonymous Napa Valley

### HOTLINE 707.500.7001

- Answers Questions about A.A.
- Responds to phone requests for help from alcoholics.
- When appropriate, arrange for A.A. volunteers to meet with them
- Arranges Twelfth step Calls.

#### **HOTLINE@AANAPA.ORG**

www.aanapa.org

#### **WEBSITE**

- Online resource for AA in the Napa Valley
- Post Current meeting schedule
- Post fliers for special events

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# MEETING SCHEDULE

 Maintain & publish up-to-date Meeting schedule to have available for Distribution

**MEETINGS@AANAPA.ORG** 

#### **BIRTHDAY MEETING**

- To fellowship and celebrate Sobriety
- Speaker and Chip Meeting
- Crosswalk Church 2590 1st street
- On the last Friday of the month @7:00

#### **BIRTHDAYMEETING@AANAPA.ORG**

#### **LITERATURE**

- Stocks and Distribute A.A. literature
- Check out Website for Literature Order form

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#### **NEWSLETTER**

- Communicates information to the groups & the fellowship
- Informs the fellowship about current events

#### **NEWSLETTER@AANAPA.ORG**

#### **ANNIVERSARY PARTY**

- To celebrate the Anniversary of A.A. in NAPA VALLELY
- Held in October every year

#### **ANNIVERSARY@AANAPA.ORG**

#### **ALCATHONS**

- Provide 24 hour meetings on Holiday giving the Alcoholics Fellowship on those tough days. Individuals or groups can host.
- THANKSGIVING
- CHRISTMAS
- NEW YEARS

#### **WORKSHOPS**

- An opportunity to learn about AA principles
- To communicate information on issues presented in sobriety
- We have four per year

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An Intergroup is a vital A.A. service office that represents partnership among groups in a community - just as A.A. groups themselves are a partnership of individuals. These offices are established to carry out common functions that are best handled by a centralized office, and it is usually maintained, supervised, and supported by these groups for their common interest. The office exists to aid the groups in carrying the A.A. message to the alcoholic who still suffers. Methods and goals vary from one area to another, but generally the intergroup or central office responsibility is to:

- Respond to phone or walk-in requests for help from alcoholics and, when appropriate, arrange for A.A. volunteers (listed with the office) to meet with and accompany them to an A.A. meeting.
- Maintain A.A listings in local phone directories, handle phone and mail inquiries, and route them to local groups, thus distributing Twelfth-Step work on a geographical basis so that newcomers are assured of help.
- 3. Distribute up-to-date meeting list
- 4. Stock and sell A.A. literature
- 5. Serve as a communications center for participating groups often issuing regular newsletters of bulletins to keep groups informed about one another.
- 6. Arrange systems for groups to exchange speakers.
- 7. Coordinate the efforts of intergoup committees.
- 8. Sometimes provide information on treatment facilities, hospitals, and halfway houses.
- Through P.I. and C.P.C. committees, handle requests for information about A.A. from local news media, arrange local radio or TV programs about A.A. and furnish speakers for schools and non-A.A. organizations.
- 10.Cooperate with local, district and committees. (Some intergroups elect members to serve as area liaisons and welcome their participation in intergroup meetings.)
- 11.Maintain communication and cooperation but not affiliation with the community and helping professionals in the field of alcoholism.

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