



Sonoma County  
 Intergroup  
 Fellowship

# NEWS JANUARY 2013

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## Election of SCIF Officers slated for January 28

### Chair, Vice-Chair, Treasurer, Recording Secretary and Registrar to be elected

Elections of SCIF Officers will be held on Monday, Jan. 28, 2013 during the Intergroup Business Meeting, 8 p.m. at St. Luke Lutheran Church. The positions to be filled include Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, Treasurer, Recording Secretary and Registrar.

**SCIF Officer Job Descriptions:** Term length for all jobs is one year. Two consecutive terms are allowed. All officers are required to attend the SCIF steering committee meeting the second Monday of the month and SCIF general business meeting the fourth Monday of the month.

**Chairperson:** Presides over monthly Intergroup and Steering Committee meetings. Maintains direct communication regularly with other Intergroup officers and committee chairpersons. Serves on ICSC. Must have general knowledge of A.A. Service Manual, Robert's Rules of Order and SCIF business procedures (for conducting Intergroup Business Meeting). Serves on the ICSC committee. Length of sobriety = 4 years. Average monthly time commitment: 8-12 hours.

**Vice-Chairperson:** Supports Chairperson in his or her duties; and fills in for Chairperson should he or she be absent or unable to perform that office. The Vice Chair should be informed in these matters: 1) Intergroup history and responsibilities; 2) current and pending business; 3) Chair's Rules – that is, parliamentary procedure as informed by A.A.'s Twelve Traditions. In addition, the

Vice Chair runs the new rep orientation before the regular business meeting, gives the summation at the end of the meeting, and may be asked to liaise with other committees or to fill in for absent officers/committee

chairs. Length of sobriety = 4 years. Average monthly time commitment: 8-12 hours.

**Treasurer:** Pays SCIF-related bills. Collects and records contributions from groups  
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Sonoma County Intergroup Fellowship Presents

## Practicing These Principles in All Our Affairs

a seminar and discussion



**Wednesday, January 23, 2013**

**7:00 pm to 8:30 pm**

SCIF Central Office / Bookstore  
 750 Mendocino Avenue, Suite 10  
 in Santa Rosa

**Info: Chris M. (707) 548-4628**

**Election**..... continued from page 1

and works with bookkeeper in preparing monthly financial statements. Receives all monies collected at Alkathons and SCIF activities. Accounting background helpful. Serves on the ICSC committee. Length of sobriety = 4 years. Average monthly time commitment: 30+ hours.

**Recording Secretary:** Takes minutes at SCIF General and Steering Committee meetings. Delivers correct copy of minutes to Newsletter Editor. Length of sobriety = 3 years. Average monthly commitment: 6-8 hours.

**Registrar:** Maintains a list of groups and meetings available within the county. Keeps track on a monthly basis of which groups have representatives and how often reps attend meetings. Works with Outreach Committee to contact groups that are not active in SCIF meetings. Length of sobriety = 3 years. Average monthly commitment: 4-6 hours.

The SCIF Committee Chairs and Liaisons will be elected at the February 25, 2013 Business Meeting. Those job descriptions will be published in the February 2013 newsletter.

**BOOKSTORE**

**SCIF CENTRAL OFFICE**

750 Mendocino Ave., Suite 10  
Santa Rosa, CA 95401

Manager: Linda M.

Asst. Manager: Gretchen H.

Phone: (707) 546-2066

Fax: (707) 566-9677

bookstore@sonomacountyaa.org

Hours: Monday-Thursday 10-5

Friday 10-6

Saturday 11-3

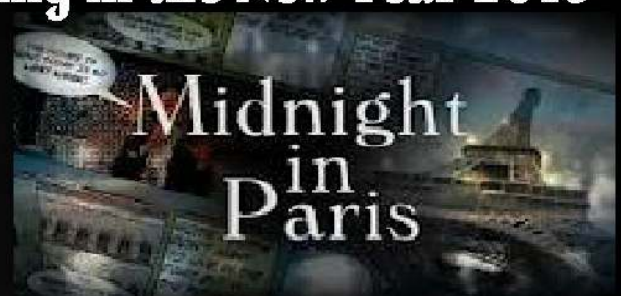
**The bookstore is staffed by volunteers. Occasionally it is closed due to lack of staff - Call first!**

**The Bookstore is closed on these Holidays**

Independence Day	July 4
Labor Day	September 3
Thanksgiving	November 22
Christmas	December 25
New Year's	January 1 & 2



Sonoma County Intergroup Fellowship Presents  
**Bring in the New Year 2013**



**December 31, 2012**

**Odd Fellows Hall**

545 Pacific Ave. Santa Rosa

\$10 Suggested Donation

Food & Drinks for sale!

**AA Meeting at 8pm**  
**Speaker Bonnie G.**

**Sobriety Countdown!**

**Dance 9:15pm to Mid-night**

**DJ ROSIE**

**Volunteers Needed - Call Tina C 707-228-4930**



**NEW MEETINGS**

**Petaluma**

**New Beginnings (O) (W) Monday — 7:30 p.m.**  
11207 Valley Ford Rd. (old St. Anthony's location).

**MEETING CHANGES**

**Santa Rosa**

**Happy Trails** - Meets last Sunday of the month. Hikes in various locations. New location to carpool: Meet at 10 a.m. in Coddingtown on south side of parking area near the Post Office. Call John S. at 494-9049 for information.

*“What fellowship of men and women has in these times received more blessings than we? Who has a greater opportunity to give—to give of the grace that surely has been ours?”*

—Lois & Bill W.,

“Christmas Greetings,”

December 1956 Grapevine article

## SONOMA COUNTY INTERGROUP FELLOWSHIP GENERAL MEETING

**Sonoma County Intergroup Fellowship General Meeting** – Nov. 26, 2012. Open meeting at 8:00 with Serenity Prayer.

**Reading of Preamble** (Chuck), Tradition Eleven (John), and Concept Eleven (Linda G.)

**Intro. of New Reps.:** Heather L., Out of Ashes, Petaluma; Lois M., Afternoon Delight, Rohnert Park/Cotati; Hilary G., Check it Out, Santa Rosa; David R., Bodega Bay Fellowship, Bodega Bay; Garta P., Up the Steps, Santa Rosa.

**Birthdays:** Andy 2 yrs., Kathy M. 5 yrs.

### **Officer Reports:**

**Chair:** (Steve B.) Welcome everyone. Elections for officer positions will be in January. Job descriptions will be in next newsletter. Next General Meeting will be held December 17 instead of the 24 of December as voted on at last month's General Meeting.

**Vice Chair:** (Trevor H.) Thanks and welcome to all new reps. If you're new and did not go to orientation please see Carolyn after meeting to sign in and see me for your orientation packet.

**Secretary:** (Patty G.) October 22, 2012 General Meeting minutes put forth and approved.

**Treasurer:** (Jimmie B.) Group contributions for October were \$6,146 which was \$2,876 more than October 2011. Individual contributions were \$100. After group-supported expenses, we had a net gain of \$2,882. Bookstore income was \$7,232 and after expenses had a net gain of \$347. Activities income was \$2,994 and after expenses had a net gain of \$979. Unity Day additional income was \$41. Overall Central Office had a net gain of \$4,249.

**Registrar:** (Carolyn A.) Last month there were 230 groups offering 373 meetings per week in Sonoma County and at the October General Meeting there were 60 representatives for a 26% representation.

**Bookstore report:** (Annie T.) Linda wanted everyone to know the bookstore has prepared for holiday shopping with new jewelry and gift items. Please come and check out the bookstore.

**ICSC:** (Annie T.): Been a busy year for your ICSC. SCIF cash flow was very tight - ended 2011 with a net loss of about \$2,000 and were slightly into the Prudent Reserve. Our previous bookstore Assistant Manager passed away and the ICSC was charged with finding a replacement and did so with Gretchen H. Operating reserve steadily growing since late spring due to both increased group contributions and income from the bookstore. SCIF distributes any available excess funds (operating reserve) at the end of each year. Between our Treasurer, Bookkeeper and Accountant, a new Prudent Reserve is calculated (that is six months of operating expenses - currently \$38,310). They take the past 24 months operating expenses and divide by four. Once the Prudent Reserve has been calculated and adjusted with this formula, any excess funds are distributed to the three tiers of General Service. A few months ago, we began assessing the Bookstore's needs, especially as far as equipment goes. We have purchased a new shredder and Linda is researching new desk phones and a locking cabinet for the growing personnel records. We are also in the process of purchasing a laptop dedicated to our accounting needs.

### **Committee Reports:**

**Activities:** (Tina C.) December 31 speaker meeting with Bonnie G. New Year's Dance afterwards. Volunteer sign up sheet being passed around. Time is wrong in newsletter – meeting begins at 8pm.

**Alkathons:** (Kathy M.) Thanksgiving was great. Thanks to all the volunteers and groups that sponsored meetings. If you're coming to the next Alkathon bring food to share. Groups may want to pass around food sign up sheet if you're sponsoring a meeting. We will not be cooking

food at Christmas and New Year's, so please bring already cooked items. Have 2 a.m. and 4 a.m. slots at Christmas still available.

**Communications/Newsletter:** (Barry D.) Thanks to Dave for printing newsletter and volunteers who proof it each month. Early deadline for January issue – December 7. Will need updated officers from General Service. Michael Q. said listing is on its way.

**Unity Day:** (Larry O.) Thanks again to all volunteers, presenters, and attendees. Was a successful event and next year, H&I will be in charge.

**Outreach:** (Ben G.) Attended six meetings this month. One will be sending a rep. Some small meetings don't currently have a volunteer for representation. Can always use help, please contact Ben.

**Seminars:** (Chris M.) Not present.

**Teleservice:** (Joe B.) Three shifts rotated out and have been filled. Want people to sign up for future openings. All shifts are filled.

### **Liaison Reports:**

**SOCYPAA:** (Natalie L.) Meet 1st and 3rd Sunday each month. Scavenger Hunt went well. No events currently planned. We make sobriety fun and help young people still suffering from this disease.

**Spanish Central Office:** (Rosa S.) Celebrating month of Traditions today thru Saturday. New office is at 1700 Corby Ave., Suite C, Santa Rosa.

**H&I:** (Patrick W.) Carries message to confined A.A.ers. Currently coordinate 24 meetings. In October we had one black out (AA doesn't show up) and two brown outs (facility shut down). Come be of service – monthly meeting first Wednesday of each month in newsletter.

**General Service:** (Michael Q.) Our district hosted our area's Fall Election Assembly in Cloverdale, elected our new delegate Padee M., past DCMC from Sonoma County. We also elected seven other positions to serve as Area Officers. Had our own District Elections a couple of days later with Joann L. elected DCMC to replace myself. I will introduce her to you next month. Elections are also going on in all of our sub-districts and sub-committees -- there are many, many service opportunities available. The rewards are amazing, your fellowship as a whole needs your participation. Getting involved is a practical and spiritual experience. I can almost guarantee you two more years of quality sobriety and a deepening love of this fellowship that has saved ours and others lives.

**Bridging the Gap:** (Linda W.) BTG volunteers accompany people just out of programs to their first A.A. meeting. Volunteers make presentations at recovery centers. People sign up and are matched with A.A. volunteers to be taken to first meeting. If you'd like to help please contact Allen H. or Claudia N.

**PI/CPC:** (Felicia C.) We help inform general public what A.A. is and is not. Participate with drunk driving classes. Cindy L. is new chair. Lots of ways to participate. Meeting listed on calendar.

**Access Sonoma County:** (John F.) Come to our monthly meeting. We make A.A. more accessible to everyone. Homebound, child-friendly meetings, wheelchair accessible meetings information available at bookstore.

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:** None

**Group Representatives Sharing:** Tina C., Best Damn Meeting Ever needs support. Natalie, Burbank Group on Wed. could use support. Jeremy, Bodega Bay Fellowship is small and salty – come and visit.

**Summation:** What to Take Back to Your Groups

The meeting was closed with the Responsibility Statement at 8:52 p.m. — In Service, Patty G.

**Facts About the Intergroup Central Service Committee**

The Intergroup Central Service Committee (ICSC) is a management and oversight committee specifically charged with responsibility to set the policy, regulate the affairs, and oversee the operation of the SCIF Central Office/Bookstore. It also advises the Steering Committee on matters affecting SCIF's status as a non-profit corporation, making sure that state and federal government regulations are followed and regulatory filings are completed as required. As such, it fulfills many of the functions cited as responsibilities of "the Board of Directors" in the California Corporations Code.

The ICSC is a rotating body of five members – two officers and three at-large members elected by the group representatives. The composition of the ICSC committee changes several times a year, providing both continuity and fresh eyes.

- At the Intergroup General Meeting of Nov. 26, 2012, ICSC Chair Annie T. gave a detailed report, a synopsis of which follows:

The current ICSC includes – the Intergroup Chair (Steve B.), and Treasurer (Jimmie B.), and three at-large members (currently Jim W., John F. and myself).

This has been a busy year for your ICSC. Since I came on last October 2011, we have had quite a bit of rotation. When I rotated in, the cash flow was very tight - we actually ended 2011 with a net loss of about \$2,000, and we were slightly into the Prudent Reserve. At the same time, our bookstore Assistant Manager passed away and the ICSC was faced with replacing him. For much of the time I have served on this committee, the ICSC was focused primarily on hiring a new Assistant Manager, and with all the committee rotation, it took a long time to accomplish.

A few months ago we began discussing, with our Bookstore Manager Linda, the Bookstore's needs, especially as far as equipment goes. Our operating reserve has been steadily growing since late spring due to both increased group contributions, and income from the bookstore. Our Intergroup Fellowship distributes any available excess funds (operating reserve) at the end of each year.

It was clear there was going to be excess funds at the end of this year, which if not used by our Intergroup, would be distributed to the three General Service entities. So we have begun the process of updating and adding new equipment at the bookstore – new desk phones, shredder and a locking cabinet for the growing personnel records.

A decision was made by the Intergroup steering that it would be prudent to make such a purchase. It is important to keep our Bookstore well-run, and give our paid workers and volunteers the tools they need to do an efficient job.

With the help of our Teleservice Chair Joe B. (a computer professional) we researched Dell laptops and purchased one for just under \$500. Joe was also hired to perform a complete diagnostic and maintenance on both Linda's existing office computer, and the sales desk computer used by the volunteers.

Your ICSC wishes to keep you all in the loop, as the bookstore belongs to all of us.

— Annie T.

**A Rewarding Way to Carry the Message**

I first went to the Public Information/Cooperation with the Professional Community (PI/CPC) monthly business meeting just to find out more about it and who and how they served. For months I'd been hearing the desperate pleas for new members from a small committee, needing fresh faces and other A.A.s to get involved. I kept intending to go. I knew their business meetings were the second Wednesday of every month. It just never seemed convenient enough.

I finally did go and after doing the speaker orientation I felt quite confident that I could join their list of speakers. They explained we traditionally sit in on a DUI class with seasoned speakers doing a presentation before adding the ranks. They assigned me to someone who "adopted" me, assuring I was given the full opportunity to succeed in PI. I did get to observe a DUI class and I fell in love!

Within a couple weeks I had the opportunity to speak at one of these classes. It went so well, the leader/teacher of the class said in all the 15 or so years he's been doing this, he had never seen so much class participation and interest. So much interest, in fact, that the whole thing lasted about two and a half hours. Apparently, they usually go for approximately 45 minutes. It was great! The other A.A. that did the first part of the night and the introduction was very experienced in speaking with PI/CPC. It was a fabulous, fabulous experience.

I cannot recommend PI/CPC enough!

— Cindy L.

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**A.A. GRAPEVINE**

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**Heard it Through the Grapevine**

Getting sober can be painful and amazing, but it also can be pretty darn amusing. In the new book, "Happy, Joyous and Free" the stories from the Grapevine show how, in recovery, A.A.s have learned to laugh. It's full of light and humorous stories about our early mistakes, navigating drinking events, funny things sponsors say, interesting Twelfth-Step calls, holiday adventures and more. We are reminded not to take ourselves so seriously and to always strive to be "happy, joyous and free."

The Grapevine wants your story. Go to [aagrapevine.org/contribute](http://aagrapevine.org/contribute) to see our 2013 issue themes and writers' guidelines. Now accepting stories for "Fun in Sobriety" (May, 2013) and beyond.

Beginning January 1, 2013, existing Grapevine Story Archive (GSA) subscriptions will be merged into the Grapevine Online (GVO) subscription. Subscribers will have the option to upgrade their GSA subscription to GVO or to receive a refund. A 30-day subscription to the Grapevine Story Archive will become available.

As the Calendar year and Panel 61 comes to an end, I am ready to pass the baton to the next Grapevine Chair. Thanks to Susan A. for making herself available and becoming our new District #12 Grapevine Chair. It's been a good year for the Grapevine. Your support is very much appreciated. Give yourself a gift and subscribe to this invaluable resource... and then pass it on. Happy New Year!

—Judy B., Outgoing Chair

### What Access Sonoma County Is and Isn't

We are not the "AA Police" enforcing the width of aisles for wheelchairs or making sure all bathrooms meet certain requirements. We do not tell you what to do with particular issues. We may have resources available for you to help you deal with accessibility issues.

The mission statement of Access Sonoma County (ASC) is "to explore, develop and offer resources to make the message of Alcoholics Anonymous available to everyone who reaches out for it. ASC's goal is to raise awareness of barriers and provide information and tools to remove or minimize those barriers. Example of barriers are impaired hearing, vision, mobility, wheelchair access, language difficulties, childcare, reading challenges."

If you need signs to put in the front row for hearing impaired members – we have them. If you need a list of childcare meetings or meetings that welcome children – we have it. If a member needs a copy of the Big Book in Braille – we have it. If you need a Signing Interpreter for a deaf member – we can help. If you need someone who speaks Mandarin – we have it. And if we don't have what you need to make your meeting accessible to all, let us know - we will get it.

The above is who we are. But there is one thing we don't have and that is YOU. If you are interesting in doing a little more to make the "I am Responsible" statement more than just 26 words, come join us. We meet the second Thursday of each month; the next meeting is Jan. 10, 2013 at 6:30 p.m. at the SCIF Bookstore. Meetings last no more than one hour (I promise!). See you there.

— Al S.

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**BRIDGING THE GAP**

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### The Spirit of Rotation

As we come to the end of our panel here at Bridging the Gap and the "spirit of rotation" is upon us, I get to reflect on the past two years of this wonderful commitment. I don't know if I could ever convey how much gratitude I have for the experiences I have had these past two years. Being part of a growing committee that continues to reach out to the still suffering alcoholic has been one of the most rewarding commitments I have had in 23 years.

We started with a handful of members, presenting in four facilities and have grown to reach eight facilities and we're still growing! The more we reach out to these facilities and the alcoholic who still suffers, the more they have that chance to not leave their treatment facility or jail and go to the bar or liquor store.

With the Joint Communication Committee Meetings we have had, and the cooperation between H&I, PI/CPC and BTG, the possibilities are endless on how much we can do — together! Please come to our next business meeting and let's get this next panel going strong and keep reaching out to the alcoholics who need to hear the message of "hope."

In much gratitude and loving service, I leave you in great hands. Brad S., our new BTG Chair, will lead off the next panel. Please come and support this great service at our next committee meeting, Jan. 15, 6 p.m. Orientation, 6:30 p.m. Committee Meeting, SCIF Bookstore, 750 Mendocino Avenue Ste. 10, Santa Rosa.

— With deep gratitude, Claudia N.

*"Is sobriety all that we are to expect of a spiritual awakening? No, sobriety is only a bare beginning; it is only the first gift of the first awakening. If more gifts are to be received, our awakening has to go on. As it does go on, we find that bit by bit we can discard the old life—the one that did not work—for a new life that can and does work under any conditions whatever.*

*"Regardless of worldly success or failure, regardless of pain or joy, regardless of sickness or health or even of death itself, a new life of endless possibilities can be lived if we are willing to continue our awakening, through the practice of A.A.'s Twelve Steps."*

— Bill W., (Grapevine, December 1957)

The December meeting of the Hospitals and Institutions Committee gave a warm welcome to new meeting reps Terri D, representing the New Women in A.A. group (Cotati); Stephen I., North Bay Dog on the Roof; Alice F., Think About It (Sebastopol); Allie, Women's Perspectives; Benjamin D., Graton Fellowship; Bev-anne B., Bodega Bay Fellowship; Nick C., Friday Nooners; Rey Z. Sonoma Valley Fellowship; and Don, Kenwood Step Study. Thank you all for being of service! And thanks, too, for our visitors Tiffany, Augie, Howie and Rey — we hope you find something here that keeps you coming back.

Our December birthday celebrants totaled almost 70 years of sobriety.

Good News/Bad News: H&I will no longer be taking meetings into Turning Point, due to changes in their programming. The positive part of this is that former coordinators and contact chairs will be free to take on other commitments. Life goes on.

Would you like to share your gift with an alcoholic who is confined? For suggestions on how to do that, please come to the next meeting of the H&I Committee, Wed., Jan. 2, 2013, at 6:15 p.m. As always, everyone is welcome to attend the orientation that begins at 5:45. The location is the Community of Christ Church, 1495 W. Steele Lane, on the corner at Range Avenue (parking is off of Range, behind the church, with additional parking at the ice arena). We look forward to seeing you in the New Year!

— In service, Mardi

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**TELESERVICE FLASH**

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### The Hotline — A.A.'s Front Line

As the voice of A.A. You can help alcoholic, as well as non-alcoholic, callers. Calls range from directions to meetings to Twelfth Step work. Get into service, help a drunk in need.

If you're interested, contact Joe at 591-9376, or email [teleservice@sonomacountyaa.org](mailto:teleservice@sonomacountyaa.org) and sign up for a shift or get on the waiting list.

— Joe B.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Ladies Tea and Speaker Meeting

A "Ladies Tea" will be held Saturday, Feb. 2, 2013 from 11:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at the Courtyard by Marriott Hotel in Santa Rosa. There will be a speaker meeting, with guest speaker Diane C. from Sausalito. Traditional tea sandwiches, assorted teas, scrumptious desserts and more. The cost is \$23 per person.

To reserve a seat, or for more info.: [www.brownpapertickets.com](http://www.brownpapertickets.com) or contact Victoria S. 480-7900 or Nicole R. 477-0850. Advance reservations required. Flyers available at the Bookstore or email request to [vavaone@sbcglobal.net](mailto:vavaone@sbcglobal.net).

# Join Us!

## Interpretation & Translation Committee

- ✦ Learn to operate General Services' sound system ✦
- ✦ Provide I & T at several service events each year ✦
- ✦ Paid bilingual translators needed ✦

Meetings: Bookstore 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues. 7pm [djatdistrict12@gmail.com](mailto:djatdistrict12@gmail.com)



Sonoma County Intergroup Fellowship Presents

# NEW YEAR'S ALKATHON

December 31, 2012 6 pm to  
January 1, 2013 9:30 pm

**Community of Christ Church**  
1495 W Steele Lane  
(at Range Ave.)  
in Santa Rosa

**Meetings start every even hour!**

**Bring food to share!**



**VOLUNTEER!**  
CALL KATHY M. (707)889-1221



# JANUARY • 2013



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>First United Methodist Church:</b> 1551 Montgomery Dr., Santa Rosa <b>Faith Lutheran Church:</b> 4930 Newanga Ave., Santa Rosa <b>St. Luke Lutheran Church:</b> 905 Mendocino Ave., Santa Rosa		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> <b>Hospitals &amp; Institutions</b> Community of Christ Church 5:45 New Rep. Orientation 6:15 Business Meeting	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>6</b> <b>SOCYPAA</b> First United Methodist 7:15 Business Meeting	<b>7</b> <b>General Service</b> Faith Lutheran Church 6:45 Service Manual Study 6:45 New Rep. Orientation 7:30 Business Meeting	<b>8</b> <b>Interpretation &amp; Translation Committee</b> SCIF Bookstore 7:00	<b>9</b> <b>PI/CPC</b> S.R. City Hall 7:00 Training 7:30 Business	<b>10</b> <b>Access Sonoma County</b> SCIF Bookstore 6:15 Orientation 6:30 Meeting	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> <b>SCIF Bookstore</b> 6:00 Teleservice Meeting 6:30 ICSC Meeting 8:00 Intergroup Steering Committee Meeting	<b>15</b> <b>Bridging The Gap</b> SCIF Bookstore 6:00 New Rep. Orientation 6:30 Business Meeting	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>20</b> <b>SOCYPAA</b> First United Methodist 7:15 Business Meeting	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> <b>SCIF Bookstore</b> 7:00-8:30 Seminar "Practicing These Principles in All Our Affairs"	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> <b>General Service Area 06 Committee</b> 320 N. McDowell Blvd. Petaluma
<b>27</b> <b>Happy Trails</b> Meet at Coddington Post Office to carpool, 10 am. Call John S. - 494-9049	<b>28</b> <b>Intergroup</b> St. Luke Lutheran Church 7:30 New Rep. Orientation 8:00 Business Meeting	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>Community of Christ Church:</b> 1495 W. Steele Lane, Santa Rosa <b>S.R. City Hall Employee Lounge:</b> First St. & Santa Rosa Ave., Santa Rosa <b>SCIF Bookstore:</b> 750 Mendocino Ave., Suite 10, Santa Rosa	

## SCIF FINANCIAL SUMMARY NOVEMBER 2012

	<u>November 2012</u>			<u>November 2011</u>				
	Income	Expense	Net	Net	Income	Expense	2012 Net	2011 Net
<b>Group Supported:</b>				Comparison				Comparison
Central Office								
Groups								
Individuals								
Teleservice								
Web Site								
Newsletter								
ASL Interpreter (\$1500)								
Interest								
<i>Subtotal</i>								
<b>Self Supported:</b>								
Bookstore								
Activities								
Alkathons								
Seminars								
Unity Day								
<i>Subtotal</i>								
<b>TOTAL</b>								
<b>Assets &amp; Liabilities</b>								
Cash in Bank & Petty Cash								
Prepaid Expenses								
Liabilities								
<i>Subtotal</i>								
Bookstore Inventory								
Property								
<b>Total Assets &amp; Liabilities</b>								

**Memo:** Cash in Bank & Petty Cash  
Prudent Reserve  
Liabilities  
Operating Reserve

## GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS 2012

**MEETINGS**

**NOVEMBER 2012 YTD**

11th Step AA Moment of Silence  
11th Step, Healdsburg  
11th Step Meeting, Petaluma  
12 X 12 @ 12 Group  
12 X 12 Plus Step  
A Vision For You  
AA Health Professionals  
AA of Sonoma Friday Night Fellowship  
AA of Sonoma Thursday 11th Step Group  
AA of Sonoma Tuesday Big Book Group  
Access Sonoma County  
Acres Fellowship Group  
Any Lengths Group  
As Bill Sees It  
Attitude Adjustment Group, Santa Rosa  
Be What You Want To See  
Beyond Belief  
Big Book Step Study, S.R. City Hall  
Big Book Study, Petaluma  
Book & Discussion, Sonoma  
Bring Your Own Big Book  
Cache Creek Group  
Chair It or Air It, Petaluma  
Coming Together Sonoma County  
Early Bird Fellowship of Petaluma  
Eldridge Group  
Expect A Miracle  
FAHA Home Group  
First Things First Group  
Fresh Air Group of AA  
Friday Big Book AA  
Friday Night Vets  
Friday Nooners of AA  
Good Neighbors Geyserville  
Graton Fellowship  
Great Reality Big Book Study  
Grin and Win Group  
Gualala Group  
Guerneville Fellowship  
Healdsburg Group

Healdsburg Saturday Night 11th Step  
Hessel Big Book Study Group  
How It Works  
I & T Meeting  
Kenwood Group  
Kenwood Step Study  
Language of the Heart Group  
LGBT Newcomers Group  
Lunch Bunch Group  
Mature & Sober Group  
Meeting At The Ranch, Bodega  
Men's Big Book Study  
Monday Madness  
Monday Night Alcoholics Only  
Monday Night Alcoholics Only Step Study  
Monday Night Mood Swings  
Monday Speaker Meeting  
New Life  
New Sobriety Group  
North Bay Dog On The Roof  
No. Calif. Alanon/Alateen Conf. 2007  
Northern Calif. Primary Purpose  
Not A Glum Lot  
Not Just Another Newcomer  
Occidental Tonight Group  
Oh God It's Monday  
Open Door  
Petaluma Valley Group  
Promises Group  
Quitting Time Group  
Redwood Winners  
River Discussion  
River Grace  
River Women's Meeting  
Saturday Serenity  
Saturday Solution Group  
Sebastopol Meditation  
Sebastopol Men's Stag  
Sebastopol Step Study Group  
Serenity Fellowship  
Signs of Sobriety

Simply AA  
Single Purpose Group  
Sober Sisters  
Sober Sunday  
Sonoma County General Service  
Sonoma Valley Fellowship  
South Park Survivors  
Stein Group  
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Sunday Breakfast Club  
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TGIF, Petaluma  
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The Rooms, Sebastopol  
There Is A Solution, Healdsburg  
There Is A Solution, Santa Rosa  
Think About It Group  
Thurs. Night 12 X 12 Discussion Group  
Thurs. Night Women's AA  
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Tues. Night Speaker Disc. Guerneville  
Tuesday Noon, Alano Club  
Up The Steps  
We Are Not a Glum Lot  
Wednesday Night Men's Stag  
Wednesday Westsiders  
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We're In The Now  
Windsor Group  
Women In Solution  
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