



## THE MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF THE SALT LAKE CENTRAL OFFICE

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Salt Lake Central Office

**Hours of Operation**

Monday-Friday 10am - 5pm

Sat 10 am - 2 pm

Closed Sundays

Open Select Holidays\*

\*Based on Volunteer Availability

## From Your Chair...

**G**reetings, Salt Lake Central Office. After a brief hiatus, the Lifeline is running again. All Standing Committee positions are now filled, with the exception of the Volunteer Chair. Yay Central Office! Thanks to those of you who have stepped up to be of service to your fellows.

As the Chair of the Board, my participation at the Central Office Committee meeting is limited by our Bylaws to facilitation of the meeting. I have no vote except in a tie, and I attempt to keep my opinion out of the discussion. This Newsletter is my opportunity to share with you my perceptions.

The Board has been elected to "Oversee the operation of Central Office and its functions in accordance with 1) the A.A. Guidelines – Central or Intergroup Offices published by the General Service Office (GSO) of Alcoholics Anonymous; and 2) the Twelve Traditions of Alcoholics Anonymous." Copies of these documents are available at the Central Office and online at [www.aa.org](http://www.aa.org). I am very proud to serve an all-volunteer Central Office, which keeps our 36 spiritual principles, the 12 Steps, 12 Traditions and 12 Concepts, in the forefront.

The Volunteer Chair vacancy prompted a special meeting between the Board and the Volunteer Coordinators, where it became evident that the authority and responsibilities of the volunteers needed clarification. An ad hoc committee was formed at the February business meeting to discuss and document the operation of the Central Office. A report or recommendation will be given at the March business meeting.

In addition to questions of authority and responsibility, an issue has been forced to the front that is in direct conflict with our principles, our practice of selling coins, or chips or medallions, whatever you want to call them. This practice was approved by the Salt Lake Central Office Committee at some time in the past and in recent times, the Volunteer Chair has purchased coins, but the provision for purchasing and selling coins was never included in our Bylaws, past or present. The selling of coins at a Central Office does not appear in either of the documents the Board references in the overseeing of the operations.

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## SALT LAKE CENTRAL OFFICE

### Statement of Purpose

The purpose of the Central Office is to provide the basic services listed, to include, but not limited to:

1. To carry the A.A. message and help those individuals who suffer from alcoholism
2. To maintain a 24-hour Twelve-Step phone list, and to answer phone inquiries as needed
3. To provide an A.A. listing in appropriate public sources
4. To function as a clearing house for the circulation and exchange of information among all of the A.A. Groups in the area
5. To compile, update and print meeting lists and other information about local A.A. services
6. To maintain A.A. approved literature for sale to members and the public
7. To print and distribute a newsletter
8. To be available to those in the community seeking information about alcoholism and A.A.
9. To maintain contact, refer inquiries and cooperate with General Service Committees and local groups
10. To arrange, delegate, or manage the details of all Central Office events or any other functions approved by the CO Committee
11. Specifically excluded shall be the operation of any club, clubhouse or drying-out place, and acts in violation of the Twelve Traditions of A.A.
12. Such other activities that are consistent with the principles of the Twelve Traditions

## 7th Tradition Contribution Addresses

### A.A. World Services

Box 459

Grand Central Station

New York, NY 10163

[https://ctb.aaws.org/  
Login.aspx](https://ctb.aaws.org/Login.aspx)

### Area 69 Treasurer

PO Box 433

Salt Lake City, UT 84020

[http://utah.aa.org/  
contributions.php](http://utah.aa.org/contributions.php)

### District 10 Treasurer

PO Box 57271

Murray, UT 84157

### District 2 Treasurer

PO Box 615

Salt Lake City, UT 84110

### District 11 Treasurer

1065 N 500 W

Bountiful, UT 84140

### Salt Lake Central Office

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## Sometimes A Burning Bush Is Just A Burning Bush

By: Calvin Bennett

I was the quiet kid; the shy one sitting in the back furiously reading to avoid having to talk to anyone. I gave off the illusion of studious enthrallment so you wouldn't talk to me. So that the "world" wouldn't talk to me. The "world", that lidless surveillance camera quietly keeping record. No wonder sleeping was so hard.

School was my anxious temple; my cursed solution. A place of terror with a built in escape route. Like church. It is no coincidence I started drinking in church. At ten I was obsessed with the sacramental wine. I spent entire church services yearning for a shot of its bitter divinity. I was a vampire even then, greedily drinking Christ's blood they called the wine of life. No one told me it was a metaphor. Maybe if I were Catholic it would have been different.

In school I was an "immersive" reader. I applied the same euphemism to my drinking career. I used immersive tactics to survive myself, missing the irony of using a paranoid solution to cure a paranoid problem. I thought if I just read hard enough, drank hard enough, ran hard enough, I would reach the end everyone promised me (or I promised myself). I would loaf in the heaven of retirement eating all the carrots I spent my life pursuing; my suffering would earn me the grace of an eternal high in the Eden of Xanadu. The laws of physics, of substance use, of language, of society and of habit formation were suggestions I brushed off with drunken nonchalance. I didn't want to accept that I was human, one human amongst 7 billion humans trying to wade through this messy inheritance. So I tried to drink/read/write/run myself through the earth and into the clouds. The clouds? The stars? Such were the barstool atmospherics I made out of every "I tried to" or "I

needed to" out of every desperate experiment with the first drink.

Turns out the bush I had filled with a thousand birds was just a bush I had lit on fire. And it burned. I crossed the finish line in a hospital with tubes down my throat, nurses shaking their heads, and me, hurrying in a blue gown down the street proud I'd eluded the hospital bill. The bill arrived two weeks later. It was ten years late.

My dean said I needed to go to a counselor. My counselor said I needed to go to AA. AA said I needed to get a sponsor. My sponsor said I needed to work the steps. The steps said I had an unmanageable life and needed to surrender. I drank in desperation after every "said," afraid of the monotony my life would become. Over time these periodic boomerangs happened less and less frequently. Such is the grief process of quitting something I loved; such is the grief process of growing up.

It's been almost four years and I am still the quiet kid in the corner. Socializing drains me, though not because of fear. The phone still weighs five hundred pounds but I've grown a little muscle. The litany of the "recovery church" makes me bristle, but I get to look at why I feel that way. My sobriety is made out of the little acts of courage I surrender to others and myself. Conceding to myself that I am alcoholic is surrender. Doing a fourth step is surrender. Making amends is surrender. Meditation is surrender. Paying my rent is surrender. Going to work is surrender. Writing is surrender. For me, surrender as a spiritual principle is the generous, "giving up" of oneself for the peace of belonging to something other than myself. In the context of recovery from addiction, a disease of isolating self persecution, surrender is an extended hand.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS



## Outreach Committee Meeting

When? 3rd Monday of each month

Where? Central Office @ 7pm

Who? Meeting Makers

Why? OUTREACH



*Help Carry the Message!*

## PRAASA 2015



Davis Conference Center  
1651 N 700 W, Layton, UT 84041  
[praasa.org](http://praasa.org)

## First Step House

This in-house resident's meeting

**NEEDS HELP!!**

For more info: Randy: 801.518.5964

*Salt Lake Central Office Cooperation with  
Treatment Facilities Committee*

## UTAH AREA 69 WELCOMES YOU



<http://fotsutah.com/>



**2015 International Convention of  
Alcoholics Anonymous**

July 2-5, Atlanta, Georgia

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS



## March 2015 .....

**March 6-8**     PRAASA 2015 at the Davis Conference Center in Layton. More info at: [2015.praasa.org](http://2015.praasa.org)

## May 2015.....

**May 15-17**     5th Annual 4 Corners Summit: Navajo Lake State Park, New Mexico at the Davis Conference Center in Layton. For more info: [www.4cornerssummitypaa.com](http://www.4cornerssummitypaa.com)

## June 2015 .....

**June 5-7**     Price Alano Club Campout at Utah Power and Light Campground in Huntington Canyon. For more info call Robert: 435-630-1847

## July 2015.....

**July 2-5**     International Convention of Alcoholics Anonymous in Atlanta, GA

## August 2015.....

**Aug 15-16**     District 2 Pre-Assembly Workshop

## September 2015 .....

**Sept 11-13**     National Bridging The Gap Workshop in Park City, UT

**Sept 25-27**     District 11 Fall Assembly

## October 2015.....

**October 3-5**     Fellowship of the Spirit at The Lodge @Mountain Village in Park City, UT For more info: [www.fotsutah.com](http://www.fotsutah.com)

**October 16-19**     Dixie Central Office OktoberFest in St. George, UT

## November 2015 .....

**November 7-8**     District 1 Fall Workshop

## December 2015 .....

**December 5**     District 11 Area Committee Meeting (Area Inventory)

## February 2016.....

**February 28**     Area Committee Meeting (district tbd)

## March 2016 .....

**March 4-6**     PRAASA 2016 Area 72 Spokane, WA

## 2015 GROUP CONTRIBUTIONS—JANUARY

Contributions GROUPS	Jan 15	Jan 15	Contributions GROUPS	Jan 15	Jan 15
Weekend Warriors	100.00	100.00	Murray Group	50.00	50.00
Sugarhouse Men's Group	32.97	32.97	New Way	1,001.00	1,001.00
Recovery Way	15.00	15.00	Nomadic Lunches	152.50	152.50
District 2	0.04	0.04	Non Smoking Sobriety Hour	80.00	80.00
Friday Night Young and Alive	30.00	30.00	Off the Cuff	132.98	132.98
Red Eye Group	50.50	50.50	Park City Group	200.00	200.00
Women's 12X12	74.00	74.00	Speak Easy Women	139.39	139.39
A Way Out	30.00	30.00	Starting The Day	20.00	20.00
Basic Young Peoples	205.75	205.75	Stonewall Group	78.00	78.00
Closed Meeting of Alcoholics	53.68	53.68	Sugarhouse at Seven	222.00	222.00
Early Friendship	152.27	152.27	Tooele Beginners	33.13	33.13
Grapevine	57.17	57.17	Up Group	25.00	25.00
Greater Kearns	30.00	30.00	Valley View Group	50.00	50.00
Grub Lunch Bunch	41.00	41.00	Wake Up Call	550.00	550.00
Highland Group	47.50	47.50	Women In Sobriety	21.75	21.75
Magna Friendly Bunch	25.00	25.00	Total Contributions GROUPS	944.88	944.88

### HOME GROUPS REPRESENTED @ FEB 2015 CENTRAL OFFICE REP MEETING

5:15 Happy Hour  
 10th Step Group  
 90th And 32nd  
 A Way Out  
 Acceptance Is The Answer  
 Back To Basics  
 BYPA  
 By the Book  
 City At Seven  
 A Closed Meeting Of  
 Alcoholics  
 Fresh Air 12x12 Study Group  
 Garden Variety  
 Happy Destiny

High On The Hills  
 Highland Group  
 Hot Topic  
 Keep It Simple  
 Life Elevated Group  
 Midvale Lunch Bunch  
 Murray Group  
 New Way  
 Nomadic Lunch Bunch  
 Not A Glum Lot  
 N/S Sobriety Hour  
 Park City Men's Stag  
 Salt Lake Group

Saturday Morning SOTS  
 Sharing And Caring  
 Speak Easy Ladies  
 Southenders  
 Stepping Stones  
 Wake Up Call  
 Weekend Get AA Too  
 Women In Sobriety  
 Young And Alive

## 2014-2015 GROUP BIRTHDAYS— DECEMBER/JANUARY/FEBRUARY

### City at Seven

#### Dec/Jan

Donna	18 mos
Benny	1 yr
Daub	1 yr
Jenna	1 yr
Nick	1 yr
Ashlyn	1 yr
Kathreen	6 yrs
Ken	11 yrs
Dan	14 yrs
Sarah	14 yrs
Polly	23 yrs
Benny	26 yrs
Dave R.	31 yrs

### Speak Easy Ladies

#### December **2014**

Michelle	30 days
Beth	30 days
Marcy	60 days
Lisa	90 days
Sara	3 yrs
Amanda	8 yrs
Kathy	29 yrs
Sandy	30 yrs

#### January **2015**

Ann	30 days
Darcie	30 days
Michelle	60 days
Erica	60 days
Sue	90 days
Beth	90 days
Mataya	6 mos
Anne	18 mos
Jenny	4 yrs
Dabuekke	6 yrs
Hailey	8 yrs
Jo	17 yrs

### Nomadic Lunch Bunch

Kat	60 days
Ann	60 days
Kate	90 days
Rachel	1 yr
Adam	1 yr
Casey	1 yr
Eric	2 yrs
Ben	6 yrs
Beverly	7 yrs
Miki	12 yrs
Carrie	23 yrs
Amy	25 yrs
Archi	31 yrs
Stan	31 yrs
L J	31 yrs
Russ	38 yrs

### Happy Group

#### Michelle K. 90 days

Lorie L.	1 yr
Jason G.	2 yrs
LuAnne	17 yrs
Susuan U.	22 yrs

### Life Elevated Group: Lone Peak, Utah State Prison

Anarchy	30 days
Drew	60 days
Casey	60 days
Jason	6 mos
Demetrious	1 yr.
Ron	5 yrs
John	32 yrs

All Utah districts are welcome to submit your Group's birthdays to:  
lifeline@saltlakeaa.org or drop them by Central Office by the 20th of each month.

### Hillcrest

#### Nov/Dec **2014**

Conner	30 days
Kilday	30 days
Chris	30 days
Karen	30 days
Nick	30 days
Nicole	90 days
Hillary	90 days
Jeremy	90 days
Sean	6 mos
Crystal	6 mos
Jake	6 mos
Megan	9 mos
Bearn	1 yr
Hannah	1 yr
Heidi	1 yr
Guy	1 yr
Felicia	2 yrs
Casey	6 yrs
Andrew	7 yrs
Mark	9 yrs
Tony	10 yrs
Kenny	13 yrs
Mar	16 yrs
Liz	16 yrs
Helen	18 yrs
Vic	19 yrs
Geno	25 yrs
Roger	28 yrs
Thad	29 yrs
Vaughn	32 yrs



## From Your Chair... *Continued from pg.1*

In the May 1948 Grapevine, Bill W. wrote: "...Tradition 6 also enjoins the group never to go into business nor ever to lend the A.A. name or money credit to any "outside" enterprise, no matter how good."

The selling of coins is currently at a profit at the Central Office, a profit we don't need. We have reduced our literature prices to the fellowship in an effort to maintain our Bylaws' financial prudent reserve. From the same Grapevine article, Bill states "...But money is not the life blood of A.A. With us, it is very secondary. Even in small quantities, it is scarcely more than a necessary nuisance, something we wish we could do without entirely. Why is that so? We explain this easily enough; we don't need money. The core of our A.A. procedure is "one alcoholic talking to another," whether that be sitting on a curbstone, in a home, or at a meeting. It's the message, not the place; it's the talk, not the alms. That does our work. Just places to meet and talk, that's about all A.A. needs."

But the real problem with selling coins at the Central Office lies not in the money, but in the rest of the 6th Tradition, which states in the Long Form, "...While an A.A. group may cooperate with anyone, such cooperation ought never to go so far as affiliation or endorsement, actual or implied. [my emphasis] An A.A. group can bind itself to no one." By selling items from a for-profit company, (or non-profit, for that matter) we are affiliating with a company and endorsing the product

it makes. Even if we sold the coins at cost, we would still be affiliating with and endorsing an outside enterprise.

Alcoholics Anonymous does not sell non-conference approved items or anything the AAWS, Inc. or the Grapevine, Inc. doesn't produce. Why would a Central Office do that? A Central Office is part of A.A., not the Conference structure, but it is more purely A.A. for the fellowship. There is no need for the Salt Lake Central Office to sell coins, in terms of availability. There is a shop located two miles away which sells coins, literature and a large array of other recovery related items. Google returns 13.4 million results from a "recovery coin" search, most of which are retail outlets. There is no lack of availability.

One of the more popular rationalizations for selling coins is that "We've always sold coins." It brings to mind something I heard Madeline P., past Pacific Region Trustee, say from the podium about certain A.A. practices, "Just because we've always done something doesn't mean it's not incredibly stupid." The Salt Lake Central Office has no opinion on the use or efficacy of coins, they are an outside issue, just as any other type of merchandise or product would be. Our Bylaws have provision for the purchase and sale of AAWS, Inc. and Grapevine, Inc. literature, nothing else.

We are extremely good at justifying behavior that is not in accordance with our principles. Drinking the way I drank was not in accordance with

my principles, but I found a reason to do so. It is a slippery slope that leads to further rationalizing until we're just doing what we want, when we want it, principles be damned. Which Step would you not take, based on your own desires? Why would not adhering to Traditions be any different? This is dangerous for us individually, and to the fellowship of A.A. as a whole. We are the protectors of our integrity, our actions are our legacy.

Ask yourself these questions, "Are these coins an outside enterprise? Is selling them at the Central Office in conflict with our 6th Tradition?"

This program is simple, but not easy. We can change. We can improve. We can grow in effectiveness and understanding. We demonstrate over and over with each step we take in creating a Central Office that serves the fellowship better by following our principles ever more closely.

I don't expect to make any friends by making these statements. As Joe Hawk used to say, "The 12 Traditions of Alcoholics Anonymous are not popular in A.A." I'm well aware of the passion this particular topic arouses. My passion is aroused as well. I was elected to uphold our principles, I'm doing that to the very best of my ability.

*In loving service,*

*Wendy W.*

*971-235-5240*



## Sober Life, Beautiful Wife

**T**oday is my sobriety birthday. Through God's grace, and one day at a time, I have been sober twenty-five years, a quarter of a century.

It has been an ordinary day filled with extraordinary events. I kissed the most beautiful woman in the world, read the Psalms, listened to Beethoven, walked by the sea, and had a fresh baguette with tuna and sweet corn for lunch.

I celebrated my birthday by going to an AA meeting at the Phoenix Centre in downtown Brighton. My seatmate, piercings at each orifice, tattoos on every square inch of his body, hair in a topknot, studs on his jacket, and holes in his jeans, was as far from the white-bread suburban Mormonism of my youth as one can get, but we are brothers in this disease and were there to help each other stay sober. The chair was a young man from Tipperary, Ireland, whose story, with only slight transpositions in place, time, and upbringing, could have been mine.

I had some adventures getting to and coming from the meeting as well. On the way, the police were arresting a drunk who had become violent on a sidewalk; it took three policemen to wrestle the drunk to the ground where one held him down, the second twisted his arms behind his back, and the third applied the cuffs. Com-

ing home on the bus, another drunk, disheveled and filthy, staggered on board and then to the upper deck. God is good to remind me what my options are if I choose to pick up that first beer which surely will take me off to the races and then down to the dumps. I am sure that one of those options will NOT be kissing the most beautiful woman in the world the next morning.

However, it appears that, so long as I stay sober for the balance of the day, I am rich in opportunities for this evening. Among many other lovely choices, I can get some free CLE (mergers and acquisitions) over the internet, go to hear a lecture by Antonia Fraser, a well-known British historian, or stay home and read a book on Shakespeare's sonnets. Or I can experience British culture of another kind by attending a meeting at St. Mary's church around the corner where some little old ladies in tennis shoes are organizing an opposition to a proposed development in our back yard. In any case, I'll be happy, full of joy, and free.

*Blessings to all.*

*Alan*

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### THE NEW 12 STEP COMMITTEE NEEDS YOUR HELP!



I need your suggestions, input, and ideas for ways to better serve the alcoholic who still suffers. If you think your idea is hokey and lacks merit... I need it anyway! Some of the best ideas come from the hokiest suggestions.

Email: [contrailAl@gmail.com](mailto:contrailAl@gmail.com)  
C:801-641-8401 O:801-819-7277

*Editor's Note: There was an error made in the Lifeline January 2015 issue on page 8; Step One should have read: "Admitted we were powerless over alcohol—that our lives had become unmanageable"*

**JANUARY 2015 COMPARATIVE FINANCIAL SUMMARY****Income Statement**

	<b><u>2015</u></b>	<b><u>2014</u></b>
<b>Revenue</b>		
Group Contributions	\$ 3,700.63	\$ 5,744.12
Copy, Individual & News letter donations	\$ 26.99	\$ 337.99
Sales - Literature	\$ 6,077.63	\$ 6,359.81
Sales - Coins & Misc	\$ 2,184.00	\$ 2,168.50
Total Revenue:	<b>\$ 11,989.25</b>	<b>\$ 14,610.42</b>
COGS - Literature	\$ 5,969.04	\$ 6,494.54
COGS - Awards & Misc	\$ 1,126.48	\$ 1,065.08
Total COGS	<b>\$ 7,095.52</b>	<b>\$ 7,559.62</b>
Gross Profit	<b>\$ 4,893.73</b>	<b>\$ 7,050.80</b>
Operating Expenses	\$ 3,269.11	\$ 4,585.49
(Rent, Bookkeeper, Utilities, Printing & Copies, Answering service)		
Other Expenses	\$ -	\$ (5,025.14)
Total Expenses	\$ 3,269.11	\$ (439.65)
<b>Net Income:</b>	<b>\$ 1,624.62</b>	<b>\$ 7,490.45</b>

**Bank Accounts**

Checking	\$ 20,590.45	\$ 16,321.15
Money Market - PR	\$ 24,087.83	\$ 24,039.65
Total	<b>\$ 44,678.28</b>	<b>\$ 40,360.80</b>

## CENTRAL OFFICE COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES - FEBRUARY 10, 2015

**Financial Report** – Martin C. presented the January financial report.

**Committee Meeting Minutes** - Beverly A. did not email the January minutes but will do so this week. January minutes will be approved along with February's in March.

**Activities Committee** –no report

**Archives Committee** – no report

**Cooperation with Professional Community (CPC) Committee** – no report

**Corrections Committee** – Dave R. announced the need for additional volunteers. It is a one year commitment.

**Hotline Telephone Committee** – Danny R. stated Thanksgiving weekend went well. All slots are filled for service volunteers but email him if interested in any future openings. Danny restated the number for anyone calling the "Hotline" is Central Office phone number: 801-484-7871.

**Literature Committee** – Alison F. presented the "Pamphlet of the Month – Inside A.A." packet for group distribution. We are well stocked in literature.

**Newsletter Committee** – no report

**Outreach Committee** – James S. announced committee meeting on 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month, 7pm at C.O. All Groups meeting schedule has openings for interested groups.

**Public Information (PI) Committee** – Laura C. is distributing pamphlets to libraries. Asking for PI committee members.

**Treatment Committee** – Randy C. committee meeting on Thursday February 19<sup>th</sup> at C.O. for anyone interested in service.

**Twelfth Step Committee** – Tim E. All is going well. list. If interested in being on 12<sup>th</sup> step list please let him know.

**Volunteer Committee** – volunteers needed at C.O. on Fridays 10am-5pm.

**Website Committee** - Jonathan H. Website up and current. Area 69 is in better sync with ours. Has list of internet traffic sources available for anyone interested

**District/ Area Updates** – none

**Old Business** – Volunteer Chair position is open.

New Chair positions filled:

Activities Chair – Danielle A.

Archives Chair – Josh D.

Newsletter Chair – Hailey S.

### **New Business**

Motion to allow 56 Languages of the Big Book to the PRASSA Assembly in Layton on March 5-8 to display and sell passed.

Wendy W. motioned for the creation of an Ad Hoc Committee to discuss the Volunteer Chair position. They will study the By-Laws and come up with clear volunteer chair duties. Passed

Jonathan motioned to create the position of Technical Support Committee in addition to the Website Chair. Motion tabled and will be taken back to the groups. Email Jonathan with any questions.

Mel made a motion that Ray J. (Trustee) be given authority to purchase coins for C.O to sell, commensurate with past practices. Passed.

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Comments or suggestions for Lifeline?