

CNIA AREA ACCENTS



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**CNIA PANEL 64
WINTER ASSEMBLY AGENDA
January 18-19, 2014**

SATURDAY

9:00am – 12:00pm Registration
12:00pm (Noon) Assembly Convenes
12:00pm – 12:15pm Traditions and Concepts
Roll Call
Housekeeping
12:15pm -12:30pm Weekend overview-Why do we need a conference?
Woody R. past Delegate panel 50
12:30pm-1:00pm Consideration of Minutes
7TH Tradition
Liaison Reports
Appointed Chair reports
Officer reports
1:00pm-1:30pm Delegate Report
1:30pm-2:30pm DCM reports
2:30pm-3:00pm BREAK
3:00pm-3:30pm GSR SCHOOL
3:30pm-4:00pm Q&A and New GSR Introductions
4:00pm-5:00pm Panel-**GSR & DCM Experience, Strength and Hope**
Titia A PAST DCM D30 ; Margie Alt-DCM D27
panel 64;
5:30pm-6:45pm Dinner
6:45pm-7:30pm Panel: Delegates Experience Strength and Hope
Inez Y Mariann H Lee W Melody T Lela M
7:30pm-? Roundtables -7 groups
Topics for discussion:
Recovery, Unity, and Service-Our responsibility
Passing it on through Sponsorship
Participating in our common welfare through Contributions
Inventory- a Guiding tool to our future

SUNDAY

9:00AM Assembly Reconvenes
9:00am-9:30am Roundtable Report backs
9:30am-10:30am Old Business
Young Peoples Liaison Position –standing motion discussion
10:30am-11:00am New Business
11:00AM-12:00PM "Ask-it" Basket & What's on your Mind
NOON: Assembly Closes

**AREA CHAIR REPORT
PANEL 64
Michael K**

First I want to thank all those who served CNIA during Panel 62. Second I would like to welcome all the GSR's, Alternate GSR's, DCM's, Alternate DCM's, Area Appointed Chairs, and Area Officers to Panel 64.

As Panel 62 came to a close my heart was filled with gratitude. I witnessed 21 candidates make themselves available for seven Area Officer positions at the Area Election Assembly. Then at the December Area Planning Committee Meeting there were more people in attendance than seats and I received bids from 11 Districts to host the four 2015 Area Assemblies. Then I received 12 resumes from candidates available for six Area Appointed Chair positions. Apparently the willingness and enthusiasm to be of service runs rampant in CNIA 07.

I am honored to have the opportunity to serve as the Panel 64, CNIA Area Chairperson and look forward to seeing you in Modesto at the Winter Assembly.

Yours in Love and Service,
Mike K., Area Chair
CNIA 07, Panel 64

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GSR Preamble: We are the General Service Representatives. We are the link in the chain of communication for our groups with the General Service Conference and the world of A.A. We realize that the ultimate authority in A.A. is a loving God as He may express Himself in our group conscience. As trusted servants, our job is to bring information to our groups in order that the group can reach an informed group conscience. Passing along this group conscience we are helping to maintain the unity and strength so vital to our fellowship. Let us, therefore, have the patience and tolerance to listen while others share, the courage to speak up when we have something to share, and the wisdom to do what is right for our groups and A.A. as a whole.

A reminder for 7th Tradition contributions to CNIA:

Don't forget to include your group's name, GSO ID and to sign the check! Please mail to: CNIA, P.O. Box 161712, Sacramento, CA 95816-1712

**Minutes (Unapproved)
CNIA 07 ELECTION ASSEMBLY
November 15-17, 2013
Elks Lodge, Paradise, CA**

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2013

The Election Assembly of California Northern Interior Area (CNIA) was held at Elks Lodge, Paradise, CA on Friday, November 15, 2013 at 7 p.m. to Sunday noon, November 16, 2013. Area Chair, Vikki L, called to order with the Serenity Prayer and some Housekeeping announcements.

**WEEKEND OVERVIEW OF THE
ELECTION ASSEMBLY**

Past Delegate Inez Y

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NCCAA, March 21-23, 2014, San Ramon Vikki, L speaker
PRAASA is coming to our Area 07 in 2017! Volunteers can sign up & indicate your interested area.
Resume's are due at noon on Saturday, please give to Vikki, Chair

DCM REPORTS

D-09 – Steve C, DCM – Our monthly District Meeting was held on November 3rd, in Mt Shasta. The election of D09 Panel is: vacant are DCM and Rec. Secretary; Lance V, Alt-DCM; Bud K, PI/CPC; Scott L, Alt-PI/CPC; Marsha F, Treasurer; Tom M, Unity Editor; Chris R, Intergroup Liaison; Jane M, Internet Liaison. December 6th at 6 p.m. is a potluck before the Traditions Workshop at 7:30 p.m. hosted by The Primary Purpose Group. It has been a 'blast' serving as your DCM!

D-11 – Cindy C, DCM – D11 held their meeting October 27 with several new GSRs. Election of new officers: Maureen, DCM; Leah, Alt-DCM; Vitoria, Secretary; Mark, Treasurer. The Appointed Chairs yet to be chosen. ACYPAA (nee REDYPAA) is actively recruiting volunteers for their Convention April 3-6 in Redding.

D-15 – Jenn D, DCM – We have been preparing for the Election Assembly! We thank all of our volunteers! District elections will be November 26. Thank you for the experience as DCM for D15.

D-17 – Jan H, DCM – New officers are: Paul K from Winters Kitchen Table Group is the new DCM; Sara C, GSR from West Sacramento Southport Se-

renity Group is Treasurer; Sherman T, BTG; Joe A, PI/CPC. New GSRs were Lee H, Woodland No Whiners Group and Sheryl F, Davis' Time to Start Living Group. The 2014 District Spending Plan presented by Joe A, Sara C, Annie R and Paul K was approved. Dan G, Chair of Pre-Conference Assembly in April 2014 gave report. Workshops Chair, Annie R, reported the Sponsorship Workshop with 5 panelists held in Davis had about 30 attendees. It has been an honor and pleasure to serve as your DCM!

D-19 – Judy T, DCM – Elected were: Terry D, DCM; Ruth B, Alt-DCM; Secretary and Treasurer yet to be filled. New members are: Steve M, GSR and Christina S, Alt-GSR of Yuba City 329 Group; and, Jerry A, GSR, Unity Group. More discussion on 'Govern versus Serve' at the group level continues. Helpful literature is: The AA Group, Where it all Begins, CNIA GSR School packet and the A.A. Service Manual. We reviewed Traditions 10 and 11 and checklists were available. We will review Tradition 12 and Concept 12 at the December meeting.

D-20 – Dan L, DCM – We met October 26 and planned for District elections to be held December 7; Betsy L, D21 DCM, and Matthew L, Area BTG, will facilitate. Ridge Runners Express Group submitted their group history. Many will attend the Election Assembly; we supported Mary O as a nominee. It is with great gratitude to have been of service as the D20 DCM.

D21 – Betsy L, DCM – At our October meeting we held our elections. Betsy continues as DCM; John M, Alt-DCM; Evin M, Treasurer; Eric M, Recording Secretary; Rick M, Registrar; David P, Webmaster; Steve T, PI/CPC; Ann, alt-PI/CPC; Matthew L, BTG. Thank you to Kelley M for facilitating the elections. We look forward to our improved website and the 2014 Spending Plan.

D-22 – Becky B, DCM – We held our monthly meeting on November 13. We discussed responsibilities of the web committee guidelines and uploading speaker tapes on our site. The PI/CPC Chair will contact GSO for more information. I will continue as D22 DCM. We will bid to host an assembly in 2015.

D-23 – Joey for Athena W, DCM – Next month is elections.

D-24 – Jon S, DCM – On November

13, Mike K facilitated our elections for Panel 64 District Officers. 14 people attended. We elected a new DCM, Alt-DCM, Recording Secretary and Registrar. Chris E, current Treasurer, will continue a few more months until a new Treasurer is elected. Some D24 members will be attending the Election Assembly hosted by D15.

D-25 – Deanna C, DCM – Our District is improving and slowly becoming financially stable.

D-27 – Jon C, DCM – D27 met Tuesday, October 22nd with 22 members in attendance. An update on the upcoming co-hosted Servicepalooza Workshop was made. Rick K attended D29 and Jon C attended D25 meetings. Reportbacks of other District meetings have helped our members learn more what other Districts discuss. We discussed and voted on District Guidelines for trusted servant positions and reimbursement sections. On November 14, the Guidelines Committee drafted the final section for discussion and possible vote on November 19. Sam P, Treasurer, presented the proposed 2014 Spending Plan for D27. After considerable questions, Spending Plan passed unanimously. District Elections will be November 19th. D29 trusted servants will facilitate the election.

D-29 – Nancy M, DCM – Due to Thanksgiving conflicts, D29 will meet Monday, December 9 and have elections and decide budget. Past Delegate Woody R, Panel 50 spoke about working with wet drunks, service sponsorship and AA paid positions on October 28th. D29 prudent reserve and finances are sufficient. We thank all the Area Officers and Lela M, Delegate for Panel 62. We thank D15 for hosting the Election Assembly. It's been an honor to serve as D29 DCM the past 2 years!

D-30 – Greg for Steve H, DCM – Elected was Laurese M, DCM and Greg N, Alt-DCM. We have extra prudent reserve and voted to give 2 sets of the Big Book and Living Sober to 2 financially unstable groups.

D31 and D-32 – (see D37)

D-33 – Gordon N, DCM – We held the D33 meeting on November 11 with 20 GSRs and Officers. On October 28th the District held a GSR Workshop; thank you Mike K. The District elected a new Treasurer and thanked Julie S, current Treasurer, who served 4 years. Bill R,

former Alt-Literature will be Literature Rep. Gina M, Alt-DCM is preparing the bid for a 2015 Area Assembly. We have 5 GSRs attending the Election Assembly.

D-34 – Phillip S, DCM – D34 meets on the second Wednesday of the month at Doctor's Hospital in Modesto at 7:00 pm. We had 19 attend with 12 GSRs present. Our first annual Traditions Event was a big success! Thank you, Celia B, Area 07 Literature Chair, for attending with all the literature! We hope to host something similar every year. Details for all events in District 34 can be found at www.cviaa.org under Special Events.

D-36 – Gary M, DCM – D36 held their monthly district meeting on October 20 with Officers and 5 GSRs attending. We held our elections and filled our District positions; 4 were new to District service. We currently have 3 new GSRs and 2 new Alt-GSRs; we look forward to meeting more GSRs. Thanks to group contributions, we are in the black! The Hotline has all positions filled. H&I has 4 new volunteers. Contact was made with the Probation Dept. Volunteer Coordinator, and they are in the process of starting 'livescans' for prospective volunteers. BTG is waiting for requests; PI/CPC attended the Fall Festival in Atwater with most of the inquiries coming on Sunday. We thank our outgoing Delegate, Officers and Appointed Chairs for their service and hard work for Panel 62 CNIA 07!

D-37 – begins on January 1, 2014 (D31 Jim H, DCM and D32 Sunni R, DCM continue through December 31, 2013) – D31 Jim H, DCM reported: All positions for D37 are filled and will begin January 1, 2014. As DCM of D31, I will submit a complete report to Archives documenting the process we (D31 and D32) implemented. There was no precedent as reference; our experience may help others, if and when needed. 26 years ago, D32 was created by the primary person, Shirley M, DCM of D31, who passed on November 22, 2013. **D32 Sunni R, DCM reported:** D32 does not meet until November 20, 2013.

D-40 – Pete C, DCM – Our last D40 meeting on November 3rd in Oakhurst presented nominations for Panel 64. Elections will be at the December meeting in Madera on December 1st. A few GSRs will not be able to attend the as-

sembly due to lack of group funding. Final Conference Reports were distributed and more were requested. H&I is waiting for clearances at the Correctional Facilities in order for literature to be delivered.

D-41 – Dave D, Alt-DCM – The D41 meeting was held on November 7 with DCM, Treasurer, 3 GSRs, 1 Alt-GSR and 1 member-at-large. The Treasurer's report was approved; Concept IX was read and discussed. The PI/CPC Workshop on October 26 at Fresno Fellowship had about 20 attendees. Third Legacy procedure was read and discussed. Motion was made for the 2015 District Budget by DCM and Treasurer.

D-42 – Bill L, DCM – Northpark's Step Study and YP event was successful! Our Treasurer Tommy R worked with the bank regarding our D42 account.

D-43 – Rodney M, DCM – We held our D43 meeting on November 3 at Life on Life's Terms. Attending were 4 GSRs, Treasurer and DCM. We received \$113.85 in contributions. We agreed on \$15/mo limit on printing at Central Office for our District meeting. Only D43 attended the PI/CPC Workshop on October 26. We discussed importance of Tradition 7; nomination for District Officers that will occur in November and the D43 website to be updated with events and minutes. We continue to discuss bidding for an Area Assembly in 2015.

D47 – Cinda A, new Alt-DCM – We hosted a Service Fair Event in September. Lela, Area Delegate, shared the General Service Conference report. There were several discussions and questions. D47 elections were: John H, DCM; Cinda A, Alt-DCM; Greg, Treasurer; and, Josh, Recording Secretary.

D-53 – Miguel E, DCM – Good news from D53 – A FIRST for D53! All the positions were covered in the District with Rojelio R, DCM; Luis P, Alt-DCM; Jesus M, Secretary; Rafael M, Treasurer; PI, Miguel E!

D-54 – Pedro C, DCM – We meet on 1st and 3rd Thursday's in the evening. On October 5, we elected: Luz Maria, DCM; Mini, Treasurer; Eppie, Secretary; and Rosemary, Registrar. We continue to prepare for the Post Conference Assembly.

D-55 – Luis L, DCM – On November 10 we had elections of D55 and serving

on the new panel are: Luis L, Alt-DCM; Luis P, Secretary; Romaldo, Treasurer. We still need more officers for 2014-2015 in order to function well.

D-56 – Martin C, DCM – At our D56 meeting we invited all GSRs to participate at the Election Assembly. District elections will take place January 24 in Stockton. We are working for the 12th Foro, Sunday, December 8 in Modesto. We are preparing for the Winter Assembly in Modesto on January 18-19.

APPOINTED CHAIR REPORTS

Accents Publisher – accents@cnia.org – Mary O – Acentos was not completely translated by the publishing deadline. Converting Excel to Publisher of the Preliminary Spending Plan was challenging. The mailing house had a large job delaying printing to Tuesday, November 12. Webmaster and Registrar received the Accents and Acentos later than usual. Postal recipients may not receive the newsletter before the Assembly. I made a 'Service Opportunities' listing of the Area job descriptions in English and Spanish. The English Accents and Spanish Service Opportunities were sent by postal.

Archives – archives@cnia.org – David C – Group Histories are being printed and I am sending Sacramento AA Meeting Schedules to Peter M and Katherine K of the Alcohol Research Group Public Health Institute in Emeryville, CA. Archives Center was opened on Saturday, November 2nd. I filed group histories; put group histories in corresponding District folders; and, enjoyed reading how different groups got started and where they are today.

BTG – btg@cnia.org – Matthew L – 6 contacts were mailed to me ranging from Stockton to Grass Valley. Of the 6 contacts, there were 2 successes.

Eservices – eservices@cnia.org – Jenn D – It's been a privilege to serve as your Eservices Chair! The amazing amount of funds you made available provided improved sound equipment, computers to trusted servants who needed them, headsets for translation and hearing difficulties, and other equipment! We have changed the cnia.org website to run smoother. We have helpful pass-it-on information for the next committee.

Finance – finance@cnia.org – Jon C – Our Area Finance Committee met by teleconference on November 10. We reviewed monthly financial statements and recent bank statements. We discussed computer assets and found it is necessary for the Treasurer and Finance Committee to know ages of computers in order to estimate replacement when forecasting the Spending Plan for any upcoming year. We continue to discuss future Area needs. The proposed 2014 Spending Plan (in October/November Accents and October Acentos) will be discussed at the Election Assembly. Thank you for your group contributions for Area 07. Your Finance Committee has created a detailed list of what and where your contributions are used. Email me at finance@cnia.org for a listing.

Grapevine/LaViña – grapevine@cnia.org – Connie G – Thank you as it has been a wonderful experience and a privilege to serve as your Grapevine and La Viña Chairperson. La Vina has a weekly quote in Spanish from Bill W and an original audio story in Spanish at their website, www.AAGrapevine.org/español.

Another new Grapevine Book titled *No Matter What* is available. You can get FREE SHIPPING 11/1/ 2013 to 12/31/2013 from New York for Grapevine books and materials. 17 titles are now available for Kindle, Nook and Apple devices - most recent editions are *Voices of Long-term Sobriety* and *No Matter What. In Our Own Words* (young people) is to be issued as an ebook on November 25. Stories must be submitted at least 5 months in advance of the desired issue's publication date. Grapevine and La Viña newsletters can be received by email – sign up at the website. You can also read the full newsletter at AAGrapevine.org. Please announce Grapevine/La Viña subscription availability and Grapevine Books in your meetings. GSRs, if you are not the Grapevine representative for your group, please pass this information on to them.

Literature – literature@cnia.org – Celia B – It has been a real privilege to serve as Literature Chair. The new Service Manual in English and Spanish is available. Last years' edition is available at a discount. We ordered the Commemorative 75th Anniversary Edition of Alcoholics Anonymous. It is a facsimile

of the first edition – with original stories, same cover, same thick paper that made the book big, thus its name: Big Book. It is only available in English (as was the original). They are \$12 each, plus shipping. Order forms are available. Books ship in April exactly 75 years after the first edition was published. The video "Markings on the Journey" is a 35-minute DVD telling the history of AA. It is confidential, for AA members only. Other existing information is: AA Guidelines on PI, CPC, AA and the Internet, AA and Clubs, list of services provided by AAWS and GSO, and the Serenity Prayer history.

Translation – translation@cnia.org – Maria Luz – I'm thankful for serving as translator at workshops, Area meetings and assemblies; I've learned so much. I translated at PI/CPC Workshops in Sacramento and Fresno. The August Acentos was finally translated and given to the Accents Publisher. The English Accents and Spanish Acentos are available on the cnia.org website. I was elected as DCM for D54 and will attend Area meetings and Assemblies. I look forward to seeing you.

LIAISON REPORTS

H&I – William R, Liaison to CNIA – We met in Modesto and approved the 2014 budget including the prudent reserve increased to 2 months with a balance of \$90,000.00 by end of 2014. Grapevine and LaViña subscriptions will be increased. The Travel Expenses motion final vote will be at our next general business meeting in Santa Cruz in 2014. If you are interested in twelve step service opportunities, the H&I website (handinorcal.org) has the date, time and location of Area committee meetings in your Region. Select tab "How Can I Help" and a map outlining California Counties in Northern California with H&I Regions and Areas will appear. AA members are encouraged to attend these meetings to represent their groups and carry the message of service.

SACYPAA – Regina K, Treasurer gave report for **Claudio B, Liaison**. We are young people in AA and have a several events with speaker meeting following. We continue to bid for WACYPAA in Sacramento – it is our 5th year to bid and the possible locations are Lions Gate or Red Lion; we thank you for your letter of support. We had Service Palooza on November 2nd in Sacramento

that was well attended and thank those on the panels.

ROUNDTABLES

Discussed ideas and ways we can celebrate Grapevine's 70th Anniversary next year.

Closed with Responsibility Declaration

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2013

Election Assembly reconvened by Area Chair, Vikki L, at 9 a.m. on Saturday, November 16, 2013 with the Serenity Prayer. The GSR Preamble was read (in Spanish) by Mini V, GSR from El Progreso Group in Citrus Heights. The Twelve Traditions were read by Sara C, GSR in D17 from Southport Serenity and the 12 Concepts were read by Salvadore R from Paradise Central in D15. Housekeeping announcements were made by Steve H, D15 Election Assembly Chair.

INTRODUCTIONS

Vikki introduced the CNIA 07 Past Delegates: Inez Y – Panel 44, Woody R – Panel 50; Kathy C – Panel 52; Marianne H – Panel 56; Lee W – Panel 58; Melody T – Panel 60; Rod B – Pacific Region Trustee; and, CNCA 06 (California Northern Coastal Area) Panel 60 guests: Dianne O – Past Delegate; Padee M – Delegate; Jeff O – Alt-Delegate; Raymundo L – Chair; Phil B – Assembly Coordinator; Judy W – Recording Secretary; Michael Q – Registrar; Ray W – Grapevine/LaViña Chair; Eric D – DCM; Joane L – DCMC; Linda – GSR; Stephanie G – member.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Resumes due @ noon today Area Planning Meeting, December 21 w/ Potluck
PRAASA 2017 -- 50th Anniversary hosted by our Area 07 Service Opportunities Job Descriptions for Election by Mary O
Regional Forum – July 11-13, 2014 – Boise, ID

ROLL CALL

All Districts are represented

Presentation of the "Incoming Past Delegate Button" from Past Delegate Melody T to Outgoing Delegate Lela M

CONSIDERATION OF POST CONFERENCE ASSEMBLY

The Post Conference Assembly minutes of May 17-18, 2013 were unanimously approved with one correction:

Pg6, D43 – change Lite Fellowship to **Life on Life's Terms** ...

ASSEMBLY REPORTS

Winter Assembly – January 18-19, 2014 – Modesto – Martin C, D56 – We invited all GSRs to come to the Election Assembly and D56 information. We are working for the Winter Assembly in Modesto. We have almost everything ready.

Pre-Conference Assembly – April 27-May 2, 2014 – Woodland – Jan H, D17 – Dan G, Chair, will have Pay Pal available for the assembly at Heidrick Ag Center in Woodland. There will be an ice cream social. We are contacting Mike K for the estimated attendees to expect.

Post Conference Assembly – May 17-18, 2014 – Sacramento – Pedro C, D54 – We are meeting every Tuesday thru December. We are working to confirm a location for the Assembly in Sacramento .

Mini-PRAASA – October 17-19, 2014 – Placerville – Becky B, D22 – Placer Co Fairgrounds in Placerville has been reserved.

PRAASA – March 3-5, 2017 – Lela M, Delegate – Pacific Region of Alcoholics Anonymous Service Assembly (PRAASA) is the Western Region of A.A. and meets the first weekend in March and rotates with different states and cities each year. Those who attend are past and present Pacific Region Trustees, Area Delegates and Officers, DCMs, GSRs and many AA members interested or have a desire to learn about General Service in A.A. The Bid/Location Committee met regarding the recommended location. Other venues with larger attendance required the Sacramento Convention Center. The new Delegate will select the PRAASA Chair. There are 2-3 sites that have been researched.

OFFICER REPORTS

Registrar – registrar@cnia.org – Brent G – Any change forms, please send or give to me at the December Area Planning Committee. I've participated in Area service for 10 years and thank you for what I have learned and grateful for what I have been able to give. Thank you for the many 'new' friends I've met and the opportunities you have given to me to keep me sober.

Secretary – secretary@cnia.org – Jan P – Thank you to D15 for hosting the assembly. Minutes of the October ACM were sent to Accents Publisher and Translation for the December issue of Accents/Acentos on Wednesday, October 30. On Sunday, November 10, I participated in the Officers call and met with Lela and Tom regarding PRAASA for 2017. I thank all the members of Area 07, GSRs and Alternates, DCMs and Alternates, Appointed Chairs and Officers for your steadfastness of attending the Assemblies and Area meetings! General Service is an extremely integral part of AA and I have admired the work of many to keep AA alive for others! It's been an honor, privilege and humbling experience to serve you!

Alternate Chair – alt-chair@cnia.org – Michael K – I attended the October 25 PI/CPC Workshop in Fresno; on October 28 I gave a GSR school in Sonora with 25-30 people attending; and January 15-19, 2014 will be attending the Winter Assembly in Modesto. I've appreciated getting to know you and the many ways you help others. Thank you for your service and assistance for meetings and assemblies!

Chair – chair@cnia.org – Vikki L – On October 26, Kelley invited me to assist in the PI/CPC Workshop in Fresno; and I attended the CNCA (California Northern Coastal Area) Inventory Assembly. November 10th we had our monthly officer meeting via conference call. We discussed PRAASA 2017, the Election Assembly, CNIA Handbook, December Area Planning Meeting and Accents/Acentos. I will attend and speak at the NCCAA Conference on March 21-23, 2014 in San Ramon. There is so much I want to say. I have gratitude for you and for what you have done for me this panel. You taught me to suit up and show up no matter what.

I learned that nothing will ensure a person's sobriety more than being of service to another alcoholic. So I thank God and I thank you for allowing me to be of service!

Alternate Delegate – altdelegate@cnia.org – Kelley M - We held a PI/CPC Workshop in Fresno on Saturday, October 26. Thank you to D41 for co-hosting and thanks to our Chair Vikki, Alternate Chair Mike and Translation Chair Luz for joining me on our Fresno road trip. As CNIA Alternate Delegate my responsibilities include serving as Chair and Area Resource Coordinator for Public Information and Cooperation with the Professional Community--- this is service I will greatly miss as I rotate out.

Saturday, October 1, I attended Sacramento Young People's Committee Servicepalooza to chair a panel on the 12 Concepts. Thank you to DCM's Jon and Nancy for their participation on the panel.

November 9, I helped facilitate a group inventory for the Stockton Group and in October I facilitated D21 Elections. My sponsor and a sponsee who is a relative newcomer joined me to help gather and count the votes. A spiritual experience was the new DCM was pulled from the hat. My experience as a Trusted Servant for CNIA has been an unbelievable journey of love. I will be forever grateful for the opportunity given me to serve as your Panel 62 Alternate Delegate. Thank all of you for your service to Alcoholics Anonymous.

ELECTION for PACIFIC REGION TRUSTEE NOMINEE

Rod B, Pacific Region Trustee, read the eligibility, requirements and voting process from the General Service Manual. Dianne O, CNCA Past Delegate, gave the importance of the spiritual side of the position. Ken M, Past CNCA Delegate, read the resumés of 2 Trustee nominees: Lee W, Past Delegate – Panel 58 and Marianne H, Past Delegate – Panel 56.

Elected as CNIA Nominee for Pacific Region Trustee: [Lee W.](#)

OLD BUSINESS

Online Contributions/Registrations on CNIA website?

By Jon C, DCM D27 – Finance Chair

A proposal to consider and re-search whether it is possible to have group and/or member contributions and registrations for assemblies available on the CNIA.ORG website.

Jon C, DCM 27 and Finance Chair emailed GSO regarding the possibility of our Area being able to do what GSO does for online contributions and book orders. Tracey O, GSO Pacific Region correspondent called stating that donations for non-profits requirements may apply. She suggested checking with various options listed on Google. I settled on Pay Pal as an option. I called Jenn D, D15 DCM, to find out what they did for online registration. I'm bringing this as a possibility our Area could do, or at least discuss the possibility. Jenn D, DCM D15 and Eservices Chair had researched the cost and possibility with Pay Pal.

The Area began discussion last month and recommended for groups to discuss and have their GSRs report to their Districts. Election Assembly members had some questions and comments: Is this only for the purpose of registration for assemblies? What happens to meeting funds if people make personal contributions online? If contributing online, how are contributions tracked? Would there be security of information needed to give; i.e., anonymity, personal data? What about non-members contributing? Can the website have AA member choice to click as 'yes, I'm a member' to make contribution and have 'no, I'm not a member' that would eliminate non-member to contribute? How would non-members be eliminated 'tastefully'? One member said, "I'm in favor of having contributions online".

More discussion is to follow.

2014 SPENDING PLAN Tom A

The ACM voted in October to recommend passage at the Election Assembly in November.

Tom A, Treasurer, presented the 2014 Spending Plan explaining line items.

Some comments were: It is a Spending Plan, not a budget! A Spending Plan has the flexibility to change according to needs and/or funds available. Trusted servants are to perform duties and responsibilities, not misuse the money. We operate on corporate poverty; at times Prudent Reserve is used to cover expenses and replaced as contributions are received. Further discussion is to continue on Sunday, November 17.

CNIA 07 ELECTIONS for PANEL 64

20 Resumés were read by Lee W, Past Delegate – Panel 58

DELEGATE	KELLEY M
ALT.DELEGATE	VIKKI L
CHAIR	MICHAEL K
ALT. CHAIR	NANCY M
RECORDING SEC	JON C
TREASURER	TOM A
REGISTRAR	MATTHEW L

DELEGATE'S REPORT (delegate@cnia.org) by LELA M

In my journey, I've been given the gift of learning a few things. I hope you'll indulge me as I look back and share a few reflections.

At the deepest core of my being, I've learned that there is no "us and them". There is only we. For my entire life I thought there was a rule book, and you had it and I didn't. I thought there was an inner circle of control, and I was not part of it. I thought you were right and I was majorly defective. I've been graced with the perspective to set aside that understanding and now I see it differently. There are lots of little pockets of conversations because of pure logistical necessity – we can't all be included in every conversation in every moment. It is the combination of all these pockets of conversations that equal the whole. No one pocket is better or more significant than the other. And if I'm not seeking to be part of the solution (no matter what pocket I am in at any given moment) then I am part of the problem.

I've learned that Alcoholics Anonymous is in such great care. When you spend a week with 135 other alcoholics in a

days-long business meeting with the sole purpose of caring for the future of A.A. – it changes you. Where in the past I might have seen discord in the diverse perspectives, I saw harmony. I saw person after person going to the mic and sharing their experience on what would be best for A.A. on any given topic. Even on the one topic that meant WAY more to me than I even knew it meant, I've come to a place of complete gratitude for the conversation. I had the opportunity after conference to then see that same conversation mirror itself at my home group. And in the past where I wanted to convince people and "show them the right way" – I learned to set aside my understanding of what is the "right way" for a new understanding. We will be ready for a thing when WE are ready for a thing.

I've had some favorite moments and beneficial quotations in the past couple of years.

Ten hours of GSR sharing

Sitting at the kitchen table where the conversation was originally held that changed my life.

Bringing handmade goodies, and oranges from CNIA to the conference

The suggestions from so many of you that have turned into action – daily reflection on the web site, clerical suggestions in the Service Manual, Grapevine best practices, story in the Armed Services pamphlet, introduction of the AA Spirituality pamphlet, inventory inputs about technology, sharing D11's 7th Tradition quote with the conference

"Newcomers are approaching AA at the rate of tens of thousands yearly. They represent almost every belief and attitude imaginable. We have atheists and agnostics. We have people of nearly every race, culture, and religion. In AA we are supposed to be bound together in the kinship of a common suffering. Consequently, the full individual liberty to practice any creed or principle or therapy whatever should be a first consideration for us all. Let us not, therefore, pressure anyone with our individual or even our collective views. Let us instead accord each other the respect and love that is due to every human being as he tries to make his way toward the light. Let us always remember to be inclusive rather than exclusive; let us remember that each alcoholic among

us is a member of AA, so long as he or she so declares." Bill W, AA GV July 1965

George M, Trustee, gave the keynote.

On his journey he has gone from completely untrustworthy to trusted servant. I identified with that.

In 2006, there was no facebook, smartphones, youtube etc. Mission today is to deliver the same hope. Must ensure we are a clear voice. Here's that message again, about staying true to our purpose.

George shared that "The conference is a group conscience. To determine God's will (which is the 2nd Tradition). Result of a vote is God's will. There is never a wrong result. By definition it is the right thing at the right time." I came to know this even more in my heart by the end of the week.

The 7th Tradition is for "someone I will never know in a city I don't know in a language I don't know, to get sober."

Mission statement is on board, and reads: *The mission statement of the General Service Office US/Canada is to support carrying the message of Alcoholics Anonymous to the still-suffering alcoholic by providing services to AA members, groups and others, publishing and distributing AA literature, preserving AA history, and sharing AA's collective experience.*

AA is in such great care. At one of our last Officer's meetings, I heard a quiet humble servant say with great care, great love, and great confidence, "I think we have 'right of decision on this topic.'" And in that moment I saw our future. I saw the pathway taking shape for our next generation of leaders to step in. And I had a great knowing that our conference process not only goes on all year long - it goes on with a steady continuity across committees and across years and across miles and across peoples and across generations.

I'm excited about our next panel here in CNIA, and with the trusted servants at the 64th General Service Conference. I don't know what decisions will be made, but I know that our principles will be at the core. And that we all hold dear to our heart our common purpose to carry the message to the alcoholic who still suffers. And, that our authority is our Higher Power (as we understand him) who speaks through our informed group

conscience. And I trust that we are safe in God's care.

I'll close today the way I have closed my GSC talks, and with full credit to Past Class A Trustee Rogelio Flores. I'll ask you to close your eyes. Picture the incomprehensible demoralization. Hear the sirens, and the clamor in the emergency rooms. Hear the closing of the prison doors. Hear the scorn and rage and despair in the isolated silence. Hear the raging arguments. Picture the incomprehensible demoralization and unmanageability. Now open your eyes. The solution is here.

I love alcoholics anonymous, I love you guys, and I am grateful for the life Alcoholics Anonymous has given me.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2013

Election Assembly reconvened at 9 a.m. on Sunday, November 17, 2013 by Vikki L, Chair.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NCCAA, March 21-23, 2014 in San Ramon
PRAASA March 3-5, 2017

2014 SPENDING PLAN – TOM A

Tom A, Treasurer, presented the 2014 Spending Plan requesting any further discussion. Few comments were made. Call for the Vote was seconded. Members agreed to Vote.

Approved Unanimously

ROUNDTABLE REPORTBACKS GRAPEVINE

GSRs, Appointed Chairs, DCMs –
Several ideas considered:

Reprint 1st Edition of Grapevine

Original authors reading their stories

Articles from 7 decades: summary each Decade and Title

70 years of age and similarities of recovery stories

Cover: Original or with 70 candles

Special Edition presented at PRAASA then world distribution

Stories of each decade progression with multiple covers

Raffle free subscription; free subscription to any person at age 70 at PRAASA

Video of history

Grapevine Forum for combined committees of the Area

Skit to music: "I Read It In The Grapevine"

NEW BUSINESS

Possible Appointed Young Person Chair?

By Regina K, SACYPAA, at Election Assembly 11.17.13 @ 9:35 a.m.

I motion that CNIA Area 07 create an Appointed Chair position that is specific to connecting young people's groups and committees with Area General Service. This position would act as a liaison between already established groups emerging groups and Districts with a need.

Seconded and discussion followed

Some thoughts to consider:

Current Appointed Chairs attend/display their specific information – would need to be 'budgeted' or put into the Spending Plan. How much would that be? All angles need to be examined. Why not as a liaison? Have a table for YP? Young people set up own District? Do we validate other lifestyles? Do we relate to problems? Do we relate to circumstances?

**"Ask It" Basket and What's on Your Mind
with New and Current Officers**

Motion and seconded to adjourn
Assembly @ 11:15 a.m.
Blessings & *Humbled* Thankfulness,
Jan Powers, Recording Secretary
secretary@cnia.org
Area 07, Panel 62

CNIA REV & EXPENSE PERFORMANCE JANUARY - DECEMBER 2013

	<u>Jan - Dec 13</u>	<u>% of Budget</u>	<u>Annual Budget</u>
Ordinary Income/Expense			
Income			
4 - Contributed support			
4010 - Group Contributions	39,665.46	92.25%	43,000.00
4020 - Seventh Tradition			
4021 - 7th - ACM	829.90	109.2%	760.00
4022 - 7th - Assy	<u>1,262.76</u>	<u>140.31%</u>	<u>900.00</u>
Total 4020 - Seventh Tradition	<u>2,092.66</u>	<u>126.06%</u>	<u>1,660.00</u>
4050 - Contribution - Other			
4053 - Outside Group	17.00		
4056 - By Individual	<u>167.80</u>		
Total 4050 - Contribution - Other	<u>184.80</u>		
Total 4 - Contributed support	41,942.92	93.92%	44,660.00
5 - Earned revenues			
5110 - Literature Sales	2,026.35	67.55%	3,000.00
5140 - Grapevine Sales	5,375.20	179.17%	3,000.00
5150 - Accents Subscriptions	0.00	0.0%	30.00
5160 - Assembly Income			
5162 - Election Assy	0.00	0.0%	2,500.00
5164 - Winter Assy	2,721.61	108.86%	2,500.00
5166 - Pre-Conference	1,583.00	63.32%	2,500.00
5168 - Post-Conference	<u>932.00</u>	<u>37.28%</u>	<u>2,500.00</u>
Total 5160 - Assembly Income	<u>5,236.61</u>	<u>52.37%</u>	<u>10,000.00</u>
5220 - Other AA Sources	0.00	0.0%	100.00
5310 - Interest-savings/short-term	<u>2.13</u>	<u>5.33%</u>	<u>40.00</u>
Total 5 - Earned revenues	<u>12,640.29</u>	<u>78.17%</u>	<u>16,170.00</u>
Total Income	54,583.21	89.73%	60,830.00
Expense			
7600 - Officers Expenses			
7620 - Delegate			
7621 - Mileage	897.55	54.4%	1,650.00
7622 - Lodging	557.18	60.24%	925.00
7623 - Registration,	129.00	129.0%	100.00
7624 - Phone, Copies,	1,138.67	126.52%	900.00
7628 - General Service	822.70	91.41%	900.00
7629 - PI/CPC	153.55		
7630 - NCCAA	122.90	30.73%	400.00
7631 - PRAASA	512.86	102.57%	500.00
7620 - Delegate - Other	<u>120.35</u>		
Total 7620 - Delegate	<u>4,454.76</u>	<u>82.88%</u>	<u>5,375.00</u>
7640 - Alt. Delegate			
7641 - Mileage	776.88	97.11%	800.00
7642 - Lodging	226.90	56.73%	400.00
7643 - Registration,	168.60	168.6%	100.00
7644 - Phone, Copies,	102.99	68.66%	150.00
7650 - NCCAA	75.53		
7651 - PRAASA	<u>498.25</u>	<u>99.65%</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total 7640 - Alt. Delegate	<u>1,849.15</u>	<u>94.83%</u>	<u>1,950.00</u>

CNIA REV & EXPENSE PERFORMANCE JANUARY - DECEMBER 2013

	<u>Jan - Dec 13</u>	<u>% of Budget</u>	<u>Annual Budget</u>
7660 - Chairman			
7661 - Mileage	1,564.21	284.4%	550.00
7662 - Lodging	757.94	189.49%	400.00
7663 - Registration, Meals, Coffee	180.80	180.8%	100.00
7664 - Phone, Copies, Supplies	387.05	193.53%	200.00
7670 - NCCAA	25.00	6.25%	400.00
7671 - PRAASA	<u>356.00</u>	<u>71.2%</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total 7660 - Chairman	3,271.00	152.14%	2,150.00
7680 - Alt. Chairman			
7681 - Mileage	805.10	115.01%	700.00
7682 - Lodging	570.38	109.69%	520.00
7683 - Registration, Meals, Coffee	129.00	129.0%	100.00
7684 - Phone, Copies, Supplies	272.99	181.99%	150.00
7691 - PRAASA	<u>709.34</u>	<u>141.87%</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total 7680 - Alt. Chairman	2,486.81	126.23%	1,970.00
7700 - Secretary			
7701 - Mileage	548.64	54.86%	1,000.00
7702 - Lodging	397.20	99.3%	400.00
7703 - Registration, Meals, Coffee	120.21	120.21%	100.00
7704 - Phone, Copies, Supplies	33.33	133.32%	25.00
7711 - PRAASA	<u>478.04</u>	<u>95.61%</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total 7700 - Secretary	1,577.42	77.9%	2,025.00
7720 - Treasurer			
7721 - Mileage	925.64	92.56%	1,000.00
7722 - Lodging	383.32	95.83%	400.00
7723 - Registration, Meals, Coffee	132.00	132.0%	100.00
7724 - Phone, Copies, Supplies	632.95	79.12%	800.00
7725 - Postage	556.21	278.11%	200.00
7731 - PRAASA	<u>640.19</u>	<u>128.04%</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total 7720 - Treasurer	3,270.31	109.01%	3,000.00
7740 - Registrar			
7741 - Mileage	1,730.95	86.55%	2,000.00
7742 - Lodging	552.89	138.22%	400.00
7743 - Registration, Meals, Coffee	115.00	115.0%	100.00
7744 - Phone, Copies, Supplies	356.37	71.27%	500.00
7751 - PRAASA	<u>699.28</u>	<u>139.86%</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total 7740 - Registrar	3,454.49	98.7%	3,500.00
Total 7600 - Officers Expenses	20,363.94	101.97%	19,970.00
7800 - Appointed Chair Expenses			
7820 - Literature Chairman			
7821 - Mileage	440.73	73.46%	600.00
7822 - Lodging	89.33	22.33%	400.00
7823 - Registration, Meals, Coffee	66.00	66.0%	100.00
7824 - Phone, Copies, Supplies	296.53	296.53%	100.00
7831 - PRAASA	<u>547.37</u>	<u>109.47%</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total 7820 - Literature Chairman	1,439.96	84.7%	1,700.00

CNIA REV & EXPENSE PERFORMANCE JANUARY - DECEMBER 2013

	<u>Jan - Dec 13</u>	<u>% of Budget</u>	<u>Annual Budget</u>
7840 - Grapevine Chair			
7841 - Mileage	651.43	81.43%	800.00
7842 - Lodging	655.20	163.8%	400.00
7843 - Registration, Meals, Coffee	223.36	223.36%	100.00
7844 - Phone, Copies, Supplies	119.79		
7851 - PRAASA	<u>498.23</u>	<u>99.65%</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total 7840 - Grapevine Chair	<u>2,148.01</u>	<u>119.33%</u>	<u>1,800.00</u>
7860 - Bridging The Gap			
7861 - Mileage	456.50	76.08%	600.00
7862 - Lodging	85.00	21.25%	400.00
7863 - Registration, Meals, Coffee	59.00	59.0%	100.00
7864 - Phone, Copies, Supplies	395.05	395.05%	100.00
7866 - Special Conference	858.09	171.62%	500.00
7871 - PRAASA	0.00	0.0%	500.00
7860 - Bridging The Gap - Other	<u>32.00</u>		
Total 7860 - Bridging The Gap	<u>1,885.64</u>	<u>85.71%</u>	<u>2,200.00</u>
7880 - Accents Chairman			
7881 - Mileage	147.74	73.87%	200.00
7882 - Lodging	110.00	27.5%	400.00
7883 - Registration, Meals, Coffee	46.00	46.0%	100.00
7884 - Phone, Copies, Supplies	0.00	0.0%	100.00
7891 - PRAASA	<u>488.49</u>	<u>97.7%</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total 7880 - Accents Chairman	<u>792.23</u>	<u>60.94%</u>	<u>1,300.00</u>
7900 - Archives Chairman			
7901 - Mileage	835.14	208.79%	400.00
7902 - Lodging	273.00	68.25%	400.00
7903 - Registration, Meals, Coffee	93.00	93.0%	100.00
7904 - Phone, Copies, Supplies	85.72		
7906 - Special Conference	0.00	0.0%	500.00
7911 - PRAASA	<u>584.49</u>	<u>116.9%</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total 7900 - Archives Chairman	<u>1,871.35</u>	<u>98.49%</u>	<u>1,900.00</u>
7940 - Translation Committee			
7941 - Mileage	412.04	137.35%	300.00
7942 - Lodging	365.49	91.37%	400.00
7943 - Registration, Meals, Coffee	78.00	78.0%	100.00
7944 - Phone, Copies, Supplies	0.00	0.0%	25.00
7951 - PRAASA	<u>112.06</u>	<u>22.41%</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total 7940 - Translation Committee	<u>967.59</u>	<u>73.03%</u>	<u>1,325.00</u>
7960 - Other Appointed, Ad Hoc Commit			
7969 - PI/CPC	<u>404.18</u>	<u>80.84%</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total 7960 - Other Appointed, Ad Hoc Commit	<u>404.18</u>	<u>80.84%</u>	<u>500.00</u>
Total 7800 - Appointed Chair Expenses	<u>9,508.96</u>	<u>88.66%</u>	<u>10,725.00</u>

CNIA REV & EXPENSE PERFORMANCE JANUARY - DECEMBER 2013

	<u>Jan - Dec 13</u>	<u>% of Budget</u>	<u>Annual Budget</u>
Total 8000 - Assemblies	1,510.43	15.1%	10,000.00
8100 - Accents, Grapevine, Literature			
8110 - Supplies	30.00		
8150 - Accents & Acentos Production			
8153 - English Accents Printing	5,168.55	123.06%	4,200.00
8156 - Spanish Acentos Printing	2,469.09	246.91%	1,000.00
8158 - Accents & Acentos Postage	<u>3,758.13</u>	<u>75.16%</u>	<u>5,000.00</u>
Total 8150 - Accents & Acentos Production	11,395.77	111.72%	10,200.00
8180 - AA Grapevine Purchases	3,937.40	131.25%	3,000.00
8190 - AA Literature Purchases	<u>1,584.23</u>	<u>52.81%</u>	<u>3,000.00</u>
Total 8100 - Accents, Grapevine, Literature	16,947.40	104.61%	16,200.00
8200 - Meeting Room Expenses			
8210 - Rent, parking, other occupancy	800.00	100.0%	800.00
8230 - Liability Insurance	675.00	140.63%	480.00
8240 - Archives Facility Rental	<u>2,700.00</u>	<u>100.0%</u>	<u>2,700.00</u>
Total 8200 - Meeting Room Expenses	4,175.00	104.9%	3,980.00
8500 - Misc expenses			
8510 - E-Committee Expenses	32.01	8.0%	400.00
8520 - Equipment & Support	1,082.98	54.15%	2,000.00
8530 - Finance Committee Expenses	209.81	69.94%	300.00
8540 - General Service Conference	2,000.00	100.0%	2,000.00
8545 - Bookkeeping/Accounting			
8545.1 - Accounting Fees	1,825.00		
8545.2 - Bookkeeping	3,350.00		
8545 - Bookkeeping/Accounting - Other	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.0%</u>	<u>3,750.00</u>
Total 8545 - Bookkeeping/Accounting	5,175.00	138.0%	3,750.00
8550 - Computer Service Contracts	59.43		
8590 - Other Expenses	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.0%</u>	<u>75.00</u>
Total 8500 - Misc expenses	8,559.23	100.4%	8,525.00

CNIA REV & EXPENSE PERFORMANCE JANUARY - DECEMBER 2013

	<u>Jan - Dec 13</u>	<u>% of Budget</u>	<u>Annual Budget</u>
8599 - Pre-paid Expense - Officers	76.90		
8600 - Taxes & Fees			
8620 - Sales taxes	591.00	118.2%	500.00
8630 - Bank Fees			
8636 - Chargeback Fees	0.00	0.0%	50.00
8630 - Bank Fees - Other	<u>33.00</u>		
Total 8630 - Bank Fees	33.00	66.0%	50.00
8650 - Taxes - other	41.54		
8600 - Taxes & Fees - Other	<u>75.00</u>		
Total 8600 - Taxes & Fees	<u>740.54</u>	134.64%	550.00
Total Expense	<u>61,882.40</u>	88.47%	69,950.00
Net Ordinary Income	-7,299.19	80.04%	-9,120.00
Other Income/Expense			
Other Expense			
9800 - Fixed asset purchases			
9830 - Capital purchases - Electronics			
9834 - Other Electronics	<u>1,185.91</u>		
Total 9830 - Capital purchases - Electronics	<u>1,185.91</u>		
Total 9800 - Fixed asset purchases	<u>1,185.91</u>		
Total Other Expense	<u>1,185.91</u>		
Net Other Income	<u>-1,185.91</u>		
Net Income	<u>-8,485.10</u>	93.04%	<u>-9,120.00</u>

Account Balances - 12-31-13

Checking Account - Bank of America	\$ 5,380.68
Prudent Reserve - Bank of America	\$ <u>6,880.55</u>

Total Year End Account Balance \$ 12,261.23



WINTER ASSEMBLY 2014

CNIA AREA 07

January 18 & 19, 2014

Hosted by District 56

Hotel Doubletree
 1150 Ninth St
 Modesto, Ca. 95354
 209-526-6000

Saturday, January 18, 2014 12 pm - 9pm (on site registration at 9am)
 Sunday, January 19, 2014 9am - 12pm (on site registration at 8:30am)

Directions: **From 99 North:** Take Maze Blvd Exit, Turn Left onto Maze Blvd/L St, Turn right onto 9th St
From 99 South: Take the exit Central Modesto, Stay straight to go onto 6th St, Turn right onto K St, Stay straight to get 9th St.

Map of location and housing on reverse side
 For more information contact: Martin C (209) 809-7690 or Enrique R (209) 556-8527
 For reservations in Hotel Doubletree use Rate Code: "WAA".

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM ---- PLEASE DETACH AND MAIL TO ADDRESS BELOW
PRE-REGISTRATION ENDS JANUARY 3, 2014

Name: _____ Phone: _____ District/Area: _____

Service Position: GSR _____ Alt GSR _____ DCM _____ Alt DCM _____ CNIA Position _____

AA Member _____ Other _____ Panel _____

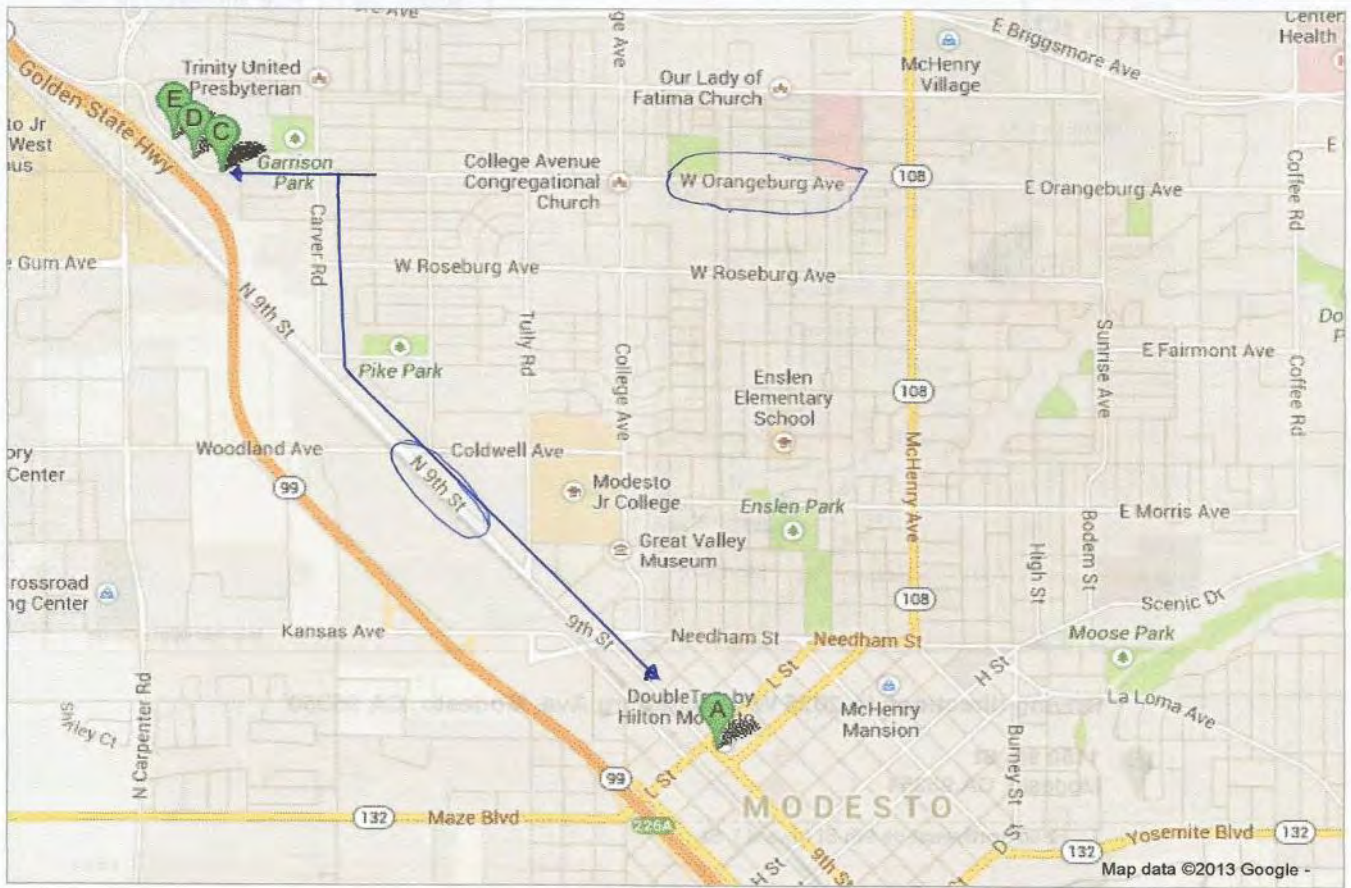
Registration \$ 13.00 \$ _____

Bottomless Coffee \$ 3.00 \$ _____

Dinner (Saturday) \$ 13.00 \$ _____ Mexican Food _____ Vegetarian _____
 Beans Green Salad, Fruit Salad, Guacamole, Chicken Fajitas, Enchiladas, Chile Verde, Rice,

Total amount enclosed \$ _____

Make check payable to CNIA. Mail completed form & check to: Enrique Rojas, P.O. Box 391,
 Crows Landing, Ca. 95313



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 1150 9th St
 Modesto, Ca. 95354
 (209) 526-6000
 Rate: \$ 89 + Tax

B. Springhill Suites Marriot
 1901 W Orangeburg Ave
 Modesto, Ca. 95350
 (209) 526-9200
 Rate: \$ 79 + Tax
 Free Breakfast and
 Parking

C. Motel 6
 1920 W Orangeburg Ave
 Modesto, Ca. 95350
 (209) 522-7271
 Rate: \$ 59 + Tax

D. Best Western Palm Court Inn
 2001 W Orangeburg Ave
 Modesto, Ca. 95350
 (209) 521-9000
 Rate: \$ 69 + Tax

E. Comfort Inn
 2025 W Orangeburg Ave
 Modesto, Ca. 95350
 (209) 544-2000
 Rates: \$ 74 + Tax 1 King
 \$ 79 - 89 + Tax 2full/Double Beds

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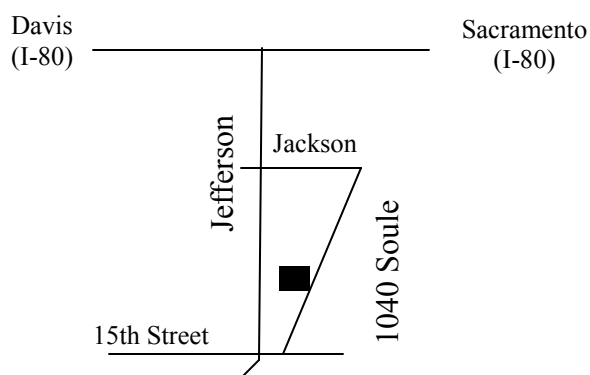
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3rd Saturday of each month, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 East Yolo Fellowship
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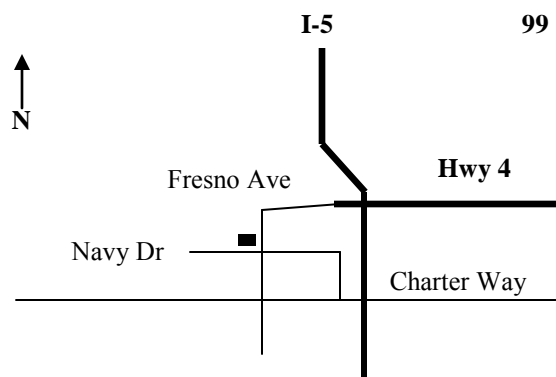
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FEB 15	AREA COMMITTEE	W. SACRAMENTO
MAR 7-9	PRAASA	SAN DIEGO
MAR 15	AREA COMMITTEE	W. SACRAMENTO
MAR 21-23	NCCAA	SAN RAMON
APR 12-13	PRE-CONFERENCE ASMBLY (D17)	WOODLAND
APR 27-MAY 3	GENERAL SERVICE CONFERENCE	NEW YORK, NY
MAY 17-18	POST-CONFERENCE ASMBLY (D54)	SACRAMENTO
JUN 21	AREA COMMITTEE	W. SACRAMENTO
JUN 27-29	NCCAA	LODI
JUL 11-13	REGIONAL FORUM	BOISE, ID
JUL 19	AREA COMMITTEE	W. SACRAMENTO
AUG 16	AREA COMMITTEE	W. SACRAMENTO
SEP 20	AREA COMMITTEE	W. SACRAMENTO
OCT 3-5	NCCAA	SACRAMENTO
OCT 17-19	MINI-PRAASA (D22)	PLACERVILLE
NOV 15	AREA COMMITTEE	W. SACRAMENTO
DEC 20	AREA PLANNING MEETING	W. SACRAMENTO

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JAN 17-18	WINTER ASSEMBLY (D33)	SONORA
FEB 21	AREA COMMITTEE MEETING	W. SACRAMENTO
MAR 6-8	PRAASA	SALT LAKE CITY
MAR 21	AREA COMMITTEE MEETING	W. SACRAMENTO
MAR TBD	NCCAA	TBD
APR 10-11-12	PRE-CONFERENCE ASMBLY (D43)	FRESNO
MAY 15-16-17	POST CONFERENCE ASMBLY (D29)	SACRAMENTO
JUN 20	AREA COMMITTEE MEETING	W. SACRAMENTO
JUN TBD	NCCAA	TBD
JUL 2-5	80 TH INTERNATIONAL CONV	ATLANTA, GA
JULY 18	AREA COMMITTEE MEETING	W. SACRAMENTO
AUG 15	AREA COMMITTEE MEETING	W. SACRAMENTO
SEP 19	AREA COMMITTEE MEETING	W. SACRAMENTO
OCT 17	AREA COMMITTEE MEETING	W. SACRAMENTO
OCT TBD	NCCAA	TBD
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