

September 2026



North Valley Intergroup Newsletter

Summer is closing out, and Autumn is upon us! As the seasons change, we're in fellowship with one another. Here's a few things to look forward to in the coming months:

- Butte County's chapter of Young People in AA (BUTTEYPAA) is co-hosting the 5th Annual "Stick with the Winners" Softball Tournament on Saturday, September 19th, at Trainor Park in Red Bluff, CA (1000 Trainor St.). We'll start at 9am, Reach with Stephen K. if you want to register or have any questions: (559) 977-4044.
- A General Service Conference Report will be given by Area 7 Delegate Claudio B. for Districts 9, 11, and 15 on September 20, starting at 12noon. The event will be held at the New Life Discovery Project at 1205 Placer Street in Redding. For questions or carpool information, contact Lewis C. at (530) 864-5918.
- The Womens Sobriety Celebration invites you to 'The Beauty of Becoming'. The One Day Women's retreat is coming to Hope Commons Church on Saturday, October 3rd (1184 east Ave, Chico). For any questions, please reach out to Modes.Susue@Gmail.com, or see the flier later in this Newsletter.

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GENERAL SERVICE DISTRICT 15 AREA 07

From the desk of the DCM,

Greetings,

Summer is winding down, kids and adults alike are heading back to school, and we've even got a few cool days in. Welcome September. I think the district is doing pretty well, I have had the pleasure of helping a handful of new GSR's get registered with GSO and it's always a pleasure for me to see members getting involved the larger service structure outside of our homegroups. My goal of course is to serve the local AA groups so that they can ensure their voice is heard on issues being talked about and decided on at the Area and General Service Levels.

Our district has a couple of events coming up that we would love to see you all at. The first is a post-conference report from our delegate Claudio. It will be held on September 20th in Redding (we are co-hosting with 2 other districts) at 1205 Placer St, Redding from 1-3pm. It is a potluck so bring a dish or snack, or just show up to hear about Claudio's experience at the General Service Conference earlier this year.

Secondly we have a PI/CPC workshop we are hosting that will be on November 7th. The location is TBD, but will coincide with our local YPAA service committee's ACYPAA Summit convention. We have a new PI/CPC chair in our district and she has been working hard to get pamphlets and meeting directories out into the public where they can help the alcoholic who still suffers. PI or Public Information, is the committee within AA that educates out in the world about AA. Some activities other committees have done include, ensuring literature is available at schools, hotels, hospitals, and libraries while others take informational panels into jr. high schools, high schools, colleges, health fairs and anywhere we can get the word of what AA is (and often what AA isn't) out into the public.

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GENERAL SERVICE DISTRICT 15 AREA 07

From the desk of the DCM [Continued],

The CPC side, or Cooperation with the Professional Community does much of the same while focusing on educating professionals, doctors, therapists, teachers, pastors, lawyers, district attorneys, judges, and even law enforcement. I remember the first time I saw a new comer get dropped off at a meeting by a sheriff simply because he didn't know where a meeting was and thought to ask, not only did the officers tell him where it was, they offered him a ride. Now this doesn't always happen, but the more information we can get out into the world only increases the chance of that next alcoholic that needs help to be sent our way. I was told a piece of statistics earlier this year that said its around 60% of the people who AA is recommended to, is recommended by a non-alcoholic. If you are interested in getting involved in PI/CPC contact our chair at pi.cpc.dist15@gmail.com or come to our workshop in November to learn more about spreading the word of AA.

I hope everyone's Fall season is great!

Thanks,

Scotty

Area 07, District 15 DCM

What's New in AA?

BOX 4-5-9: News and Notes from the General Service Office of A.A.

Box 459 is a quarterly news bulletin about A.A. service, literature, events, sharing from groups, service committees and individual U.S./Canada A.A. members.

This issue focuses on The 76th General Service Conference: 'Humility in Action'.

The Conference focused on humility, unity, and service, approving a new Big Book draft with 26 new stories and removing offensive terms.

Key topics included literature updates, support for AA worldwide, and planning for the 2030 International Convention theme. Committees discussed revisions, funding, and outreach, emphasizing connection, leadership, and preserving A.A. principles.

You can view the bulletin at
<https://www.aa.org/newsletters>



News and Notes from the General Service Office of A.A.®

MONTHLY AA SERVICE MEETINGS

AA PLEDGE

I am responsible.
When anyone, anywhere reaches out for help
I want the hand of AA always to be there.
And for that: I am responsible



Butte County H&I Meeting Information:

1st Monday of every month at 6PM

Next Meeting: Monday, October 5, 2026

St. John's Episcopal Church

2341 Floral Ave Chico CA 95926

Area: 31 Butte <https://www.handinorcal.org>

Region: 30 Northern Interior <https://www.handinorcal.org>

District 15 Business Meeting

4th Sunday of every month at 4:00 pm

Next Meeting: Sunday, September 27, 2026

2341 Floral Ave, Chico CA 95926

Chico Central Business Meeting

1st Tuesday of the Month at 6:45 PM

Next Meeting: Tuesday, October 6, 2026

Chico Central Building 1102 Mangrove, Chico, CA 95926

North Valley Intergroup

2nd Tuesday of the Month at 6:30 PM

Next Meeting: Tuesday, October 13, 2026

295 E Washington Ave, Chico, CA 95926

<https://aabutte-glenn.org/>

BUTTEYPAA (Butte County Young People in AA)

1st & 3rd Sundays of the Month at 4:00 pm

Next Meeting: Sunday, September 20, 2026

<https://www.butteypaa.org/>

Literature and Chips!

Dave M.

(530) 570-1671

NVIG Answering Service

Tirso R

(530) 342-5756

BUTTE/GLENN AA MEETINGS

<https://aabutte-glenn.org>

LOCAL & SEMI-LOCAL EVENTS

BUTTEYPAA & REDYPAA PRESENT

09.19 *The 5th Annual* 9 AM

STICK WITH THE WINNERS

YPAA

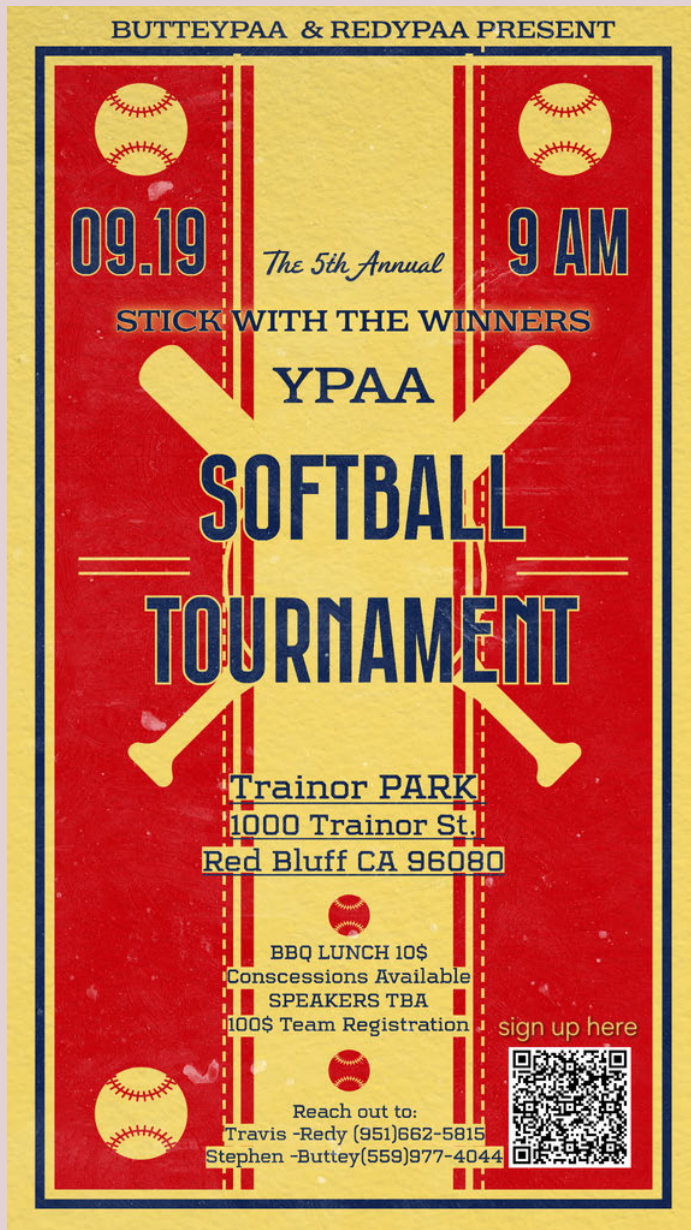
SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT

Trainer PARK
1000 Trainer St.
Red Bluff CA 96080

BBQ LUNCH 10\$
Concessions Available
SPEAKERS TBA
100\$ Team Registration

Reach out to:
Travis -Redy (951)662-5815
Stephen -Butley(559)977-4044

sign up here



WOMENS SOBRIETY CELEBRATION INVITES YOU TO:

THE BEAUTY OF... *Becoming*

SILENT AUCTION | 50/50 RAFFLE | RAFFLE BASKETS

SATURDAY
OCTOBER 3RD
2026

HOPE
COMMONS
CHURCH

DOORS OPEN @ 9AM
STARTS 9:30AM
LUNCH
ENDS 3PM

1184 EAST AVE
CHICO, CA

SPEAKERS

JULES O. - 37 YRS - REDDING
MILLIE E. - 54 YRS - CHICO

\$26.38 - EVENTBRITE
\$23 - CHECK
\$30 - DOOR

*SEND CHECKS TO:
WSC
PO BOX 7108
CHICO, CA 95927

REGISTER



HERE

REGISTRATION QUESTIONS OR TO REQUEST A
SCHOLARSHIP PLEASE EMAIL - MODES.SUSIE@GMAIL.COM

★ NVIG Service Commitments Are Up for Rotation!

Our service positions rotate every two years. ★

The next group's service terms begin **January 1, 2027** and will end
December 31, 2028.

The current elected officers and appointed chairs have been serving
since January 1, 2025 and will end December 31, 2026. ★

Elected officers are voted in by North Valley Intergroup's voting body
during the November meeting. ★

Tuesday, November 10, 2026

Join us to find out more!

We Meet

2nd Tuesday of each month
6:30pm - 7:30pm ★

First Christian Church
295 E Washington Ave., Chico, CA 96926
Room 5 ★

OUT OF TOWN EVENTS

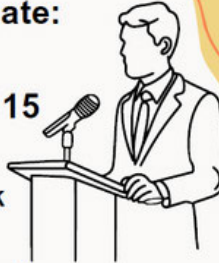
September 20th, 2026

General Service Conference Report

Given by Area 7 Delegate:

Claudio B

For Districts 9, 11, & 15



12:00PM- Pizza and Potluck
Lunch.

Bring Salads, Side Dishes and
Desserts.

1:00PM-3:00PM- Delegate Report



Location:

New Life Discovery
1205 Placer Street
Redding, CA 96001

Questions or want to carpool?
Call Lewis C (530)-864-5918

13th Annual Women's Retreat

Northern California Women in Recovery

"founded by" Red Bluff Women in AA invite you to attend:

Friday Sept. 18th – Sunday Sept. 20th

Check-in at 10 am Check-out at noon

Where: Camp Tehama - a group camping area set among the pines on Mill Creek, at the base of Mt Lassen, with a multi-purpose building, kitchen, showers, flush toilets & bunkhouse type cabins that can sleep multiple people.

Cost: \$90 for 2 nights / \$45 for 1 night

Includes Food & Lodging, Recovery Meetings, Spiritual Campfires, Crafts, Prayer & Meditation, Hiking, Fun, Food, Fellowship & More!

Prize Drawing: The proceeds provide seed money for next year's retreat and help with scholarships. Prize baskets gratefully accepted.

What to Bring: Warm sleeping bag & pillow (or bedding), personal toiletries (soaps, towels, etc), lawn chairs, sunscreen, mosquito repellant, flashlight, warm camping attire. **Days are normally warm, but nights are chilly.**

Don't Bring: Gas lights, stoves or grills; dogs (except service dogs), candles or resentments.

SMOKING: Only in Designated areas, never in the buildings and dispose in butt cans.

Directions: Located half-way between Red Bluff & Susanville on Hwy 36.

From Red Bluff – take Hwy 36 East about 40 miles to Mineral, continue straight on Hwy 36 about 10mi. (Do NOT turn onto Hwy 172 "LOOP" at Mineral)

**about 10 miles past Mineral you'll turn right onto Hwy 172 – Camp Tehama is less than a mile on your right.

CONTACTS: Jonnie C 530-953-6385 or Jessica L. 209-210-8539



PLEASE REGISTER by August 6th

Scholarship requests
due July 30th

NO late registrations
No refunds unless
retreat is canceled

Make Checks
payable to:
Jonnie Cardwell
P.O. Box 990394
Redding, CA 96099

Registration Form

[] 2 Nights @ \$90 per person \$ _____
[] 1 nights @ \$45 per person \$ _____
[] I am requesting a partial scholarship and am aware that if granted I am to help during the retreat and during final clean-up.
[] I have included \$ _____ to put towards a scholarship.
[] T-Shirt for \$25 Size: _____
[] Hoodie Sweatshirt for \$45 Size: _____

* Payment arrangements can be made with Jonnie C. (Reg. only)

Name: _____ Phone: _____

NEW & ONLINE MEETINGS



Butte Unity Group
of Alcoholics Anonymous



DAILY BUG GROUP

EVERY MORNING - 8AM PST

WEDNESDAYS WOMENS MEETING "LADYBUGS" - 6PM PST

Zoom ID 772 361 498 Passcode BUG

Open online meeting

Mondays
12 Steps

Tuesdays
Daily Reflection

Wednesdays
Grapevine

Thursdays

Beginners
Speaker
Meeting

Fridays

Emotional
Sobriety

Saturdays

Lit Reading
Speaker
Discussion

Sundays

Speaker
Meeting

YOUNG — AND — SOBER *Sundays*

YPAA: Young People
in Alcoholics Anonymous

SUNDAYS AT 1PM
ZOOM MEETING

Meeting ID: 539 759 619

Password: 532511



All members are welcome!

Your experience, strength and hope
can make a difference.

AA FOR 2SLGBTQIA+ AND ALLIES

 **As
Queers
See It**



TUESDAYS 6-7 PM
FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH
667 EAST 1ST AVE
ROOM 8

**NEW
SLETTER**

If you would like to subscribe
to our monthly newsletters
please email a request to
nvignewsletter@gmail.com
In Love and Service,
Gregg S.

NORTH VALLEY INTERGROUP

**NEEDS
YOU!**

Recording
Secretary

Vacant Service Positions
Need to be Filled Immediately

Alternate
Chairperson

**COME TO OUR NEXT MEETING
TO FIND OUT MORE.**

2nd Tuesday of each month,
6:30pm-7:30pm

First Christian Church, 295 E
Washington Ave., Chico, CA. 96926
Room 5

Alternate Treasurer

