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HAPPY VALENTINES DAY

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Thanks

Thank you all for your tremendous show of support for the Alano Club and its goals in these times of trouble and turmoil. Thank you for your support of our raising of the dues and a few prices on the menu. As a result of your help and concern we were able to make much progress in the year of 1995 and we need your continued support, but the good word is that we have moved out of imminent danger. Please understand that I as your Club Manager am going out on a limb here just by saying that but I also know that many of you have been worrying a great deal about the Club. We remain on a tightrope and as in all Clubs we must have your continued support on a daily basis.

Our Boutique

Saturday, February 3rd, spaces are still available for you at \$10.00 a table space. In addition we will also be having a bake sale, so come and indulge your sweet tooth with our many delectables.

Lets acknowledge these fine folks for another milestone in recovery:

Dorothy F.	2/01/79	Vincent A.	2/03/92	Lafayette M.	2/03/94	Luther B.	2/09/90
Alice B.	2/14/94	Rita H.	2/14/85	Rudy R.	2/14/74	Kathy R.	
	2/14/88						
John P.	2/15/88	Danny G.	2/15/90	Jerry V.	2/15/91	Jack S.	2/17/88
Pedro F.	2/17/95	George P.	2/18/90	Ted G.	2/22/82	Phil M.	2/22/84
Don S.	2/22/92	Carl L.	2/23/91	Cora S.	2/24/87	Stace R.	2/26/81
Rodney R.	2/26/88	Joe O.	2/27/87	Peggy K.	2/28/60	Frank G.	2/28/95

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Our Valentines Dance

Saturday, February 17th, If you are having a Milestone in Recovery Anniversary in The month of February, we at The Alano Club would like to invite you to a free Dance on this evening. Prices for the Dance will be posted at the door.

Members of the Month:

Those of you that missed the Luau really missed something! The Board of Directors would like to recognize all that participated in putting together this event. However, they would like to thank Tina and Sima by making them members of the month.

Also the Board wants to recognize Luther B. for all of his help with the 4th Annual Martin Luther King Dinner. Many thanks again to all that participated in this event.

Missed The Board Meeting?

You missed Cafe Latte's and about six different kinds of cookies. But more important you missed the chance to have an impact in the internal decisions of our operation. Third Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Monthly

If you want to change who you are, change what you do, or don't do.

Our Luau:

Many thanks to all that were in attendance. I can't think of how we could have done it any better. The entertainment was most professional and even an aging editor got to dance with a sweetie. The food was fantastic and the fellowship was great. The decorations were the best we have had and I guess that I would like to go on record stating that I liked it a lot.

Funstuff:

**Play the "Happy Birthday" song on a Touch-tone phone while on the line with a friend by pushing:*

*114*9**

1141#0

*11#0*74*

*##0*08*

Lets all call Ted Green collect on the 22nd, Our Boy Next Door, and give him the Birthday Song.

Martin Luther King Dinner.

I left there learning a little bit more about the million man march and how a couple of our members attended the event. Tyree S. And Luther B. attended the event and told us a few facts that were not reported in the newspapers and on television. Howard H. fed us again as only Howard can do.

Power Failure:

**Paint the flashlight handle with luminous paint. It'll be easier to locate at night in an emergency. (Like trying to find the flashlight).*

**If you're using candles during a power outage, put the candle and holder in a large, shallow dish filled with water. Water reflects the light and makes things a bit brighter.*



Lack of Power can be a dilemma.

Fair Avenue Fellowship Group (FAFG) Steering Committee Meeting

The next meeting of the Fair Avenue Fellowship Steering Committee will be Sunday, February 18th at 5:00 pm. All meeting FAFG Secretaries are reminded that they are members of this committee and that their attendance is highly desired. The more who attend; the more ideas we have to consider for improvement of our Group.

Initial Secretary's Workshop scheduled for February 17

Last month the FAFG Steering Committee approved the new Secretaries Workshop format. On February 17th at 10 am we will be holding the first workshop under the new format. All persons who are interested in becoming meeting secretaries are encouraged to attend. If you wish to attend, please provide your meeting secretary with your full name, your phone number, and your sobriety birthdate. You will be notified if you are selected to attend.

I'm still acting the way I want to be, so that one day I will be the way I act.