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The mission of the Alano Club is to maintain a safe, secure and stable environment of 12 Step Recovery, support and fellowship to take place.

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Mark Your Date Book for a Country Western Band, April 22nd here at our Club
 The T S Sims Band - Classic and Current Country Hits

First of all, although men have a common destiny, each individual also has to work out his own personal salvation for himself in fear and trembling. We can help one another to find the meaning of life no doubt. But in the last analysis, the individual person is responsible for living his own life and for "finding himself". If he persists in shifting his responsibility to somebody else, he fails to find out the meaning of his own existence. You cannot tell me who I am, and I cannot tell you who you are. If you do not know your own identity, who is going to identify you?
 Thomas Merton

These Great and Wonderful Club Members will be celebrating a Milestone Soon!

Sam A. 4/1/67	Gabriel C, 4/1/98	Robert H. 4/1/7	Doris K. 4/6/81
Joe S. 4/10/99	Gloria S. 4/12/91	JoAnn J. 4/18/91	Jim S. 4/19/99
Jewel K. 4/19/99	Ralph S. 4/24/80	Patty R. 4/26/98	Chris L. 4/28/84
Joe H. 4/28/91	Obey, G. 4/29/98	Congratulations !!	

Member of the Month:

Craig Swanson is kind of a hard guy to catch doing all of the things that he does. Many of those things you just don't hear about because he finds something that needs to be done around the Club and he just does it. A few of the examples are finding a clock that needs a battery and putting one in. Craig will find a light that is burnt out and replace it. Finding a broken doorstopper for the meeting room and replacing it. These acts of heroism may not make the front page of the Mercury News but they are so necessary to improve everyone's quality of life at the Club. So the Board would like to acknowledge you for your deeds Craig.

Kid's Only!

The Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be on Sunday, April 23, after-noonish! Parents, we need candy & baskets

Club Member\Customer Satisfaction Survey

Please think about your visits over the past months to The Alano Club. Date_____

1. How satisfied were you that our staff...

- Provided courteous and friendly service?_____
 - Kept your wait to an acceptable amount of time considering conditions?_____
 - Were competent and knowledgeable?_____
 - Provided accurate and reliable service? _____
 - Followed through on any request you may have had?_____
 - What can we do to make things better for your next visit?_____
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2. What activities not already offered at the Club or with Club Members would you be interested in having?

- Would you be interested in helping out on these activities?_____
- Do you have a special skill for these activities?_____

3. In your opinion do we offer a good variety of 12 Step Meetings here at the Club.

- Are you comfortable bringing your friends to any of our meetings? _____
- What type of meetings would you like added to the mix?_____

Who is New On The Board?

Mitch Mitchell, is the new recording secretary for our Board of Directors and was elected at our last board meeting that most likely you didn't attend. Mitch has a strong business background and gained sobriety in Sacramento, California thirteen years ago. Welcome on board Mitch. I hope we can make your tour of duty an interesting one.