

The San Jose Alano Club News

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

A Community Asset For The Last Fifty Eight Years

• Trusted Servants on the Board

- Steve Holloway
- Tammy Henry
- Sue Salmon
- Regina Palacols
- Mike Austin
- Chris Giradot
- Domingo Hurtado
- Milton Brock
- Laura Martin

Trusted Servants In your Employ

- Tony Baron
- Whitney Gonzales
- Maria Garcia
- Regina Palacios
- Kelly Swanberg
- Anthony Martinez
- Diane Nichols
- Tammy Aguirre
- Dominic Gagnon

August Sobriety Milestones

Name	Milestone	Years	Name	Milestone	Years
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Celebrate with us August 21, 2010 Dance

August Member of the Month

Sam Cerra for his help with putting on 2
Barbeques in the month of July! Members like
you are how we get things done! Thank you

Have you visited our Web Site? alanosj.org

Do you have something you would like to Contribute ?

The Alano Club of San Jose Presents— August Activities

Board of Directors Meeting

Thursday

August 19, 2010 7:30pm

All members are always welcome !!



RECOVERY PALOOZA

FREE CONCERT

FRIDAY AUGUST 20, 2010 9:15 PM

FEATURING THE BAND

VIII DAYS CLEAN

AUGUST BIRTHDAY PANEL SPEAKER MEETING

AUGUST 21, 2010 8:00 PM

BIRTHDAY DANCE TO FOLLOW

***** BUY YOUR TICKETS IN ADVANCE ONLY \$ 4.00 *****

Alano Club Membership: *We need you to Continue Paying your Dues. You Help Us Do The Impossible and we appreciate it.* Do you like having a safe, sober, clean and fun place to hang out? We can't do it without your membership! So it is up to you to keep our club doors open!

Behavior: We count on Good Behavior!

Children: No children under 13 years old allowed on Club property after 9:30 p.m.

Children under 16 must not be left unattended for any reason. This includes 12-Step meetings.

We ask the all parents please be responsible for their own children.

August 2010 A Time of Change

After thirty four years as the Club Manager, I was able to get a promotion, which I hope will be better than being shown the door. Whitney has been doing the bulk of my job for some time now. An Assistant Manager if you will, so let's welcome her as Manager of our Club or to put it another way, Club Manager.

The Board was also willing to let me have a new and uncharted position as Chief Executive Officer. I was able to get appointed on a day at a time position and let's hope that I haven't reached my apex of the "Peter Principle" (promoted to a position of incompetence). With all the money rolling in from Social Security, I'm able to work cheap.

We have forged on into an uncharted position of CEO. Other non-profits have them, and now so do you, a day at a time. Part of my job will be the shopping, and I still get to count money, but I need your help and support on the rest of it. I'm going to be working less hours, and sleeping more. Hopefully a chance to revamp and improve my golf game. But I still need more, I feel that I can still contribute, (I could be wrong).

I and a lot of other people want this Club to be here for your children and your grand children. How can we make that happen? Not just Alano Clubs, but, service clubs across the nation are becoming an endangered specie.

Where should we be heading? What will become our true north? This is my request. And I'm asking you because you have shown that you really care. Help me become the best darn CEO this Club has ever seen. Help Whitney become the best Manager this Club has ever seen. Please send me your suggestions and criticisms anonymously, because I am a sensitive alcoholic. Help us with our job descriptions, help our Club become Weller.

With Love,

Tony Baron, CEO
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Whitney Gonzales
Club Manager

August Special \$ 3.00 Member Breakfast
8:30 am-10:30am Monday thru Friday