

The Alano Club of San Jose News

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The Alano Club is your Club. Our mission is to:

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- Provide a safe & supportive environment where 12-step recovery can take place
- Provide information to help those new to recovery
- Provide encouragement through fellowship within a twelve step community
- Provide a place where twelve step meetings can take place
- Provide a social setting for events and other recovery-related activities

We have been a community asset for over sixty years.

Sobriety Milestones

Name	Milestone/Years	Name	Milestone/Years
Kindra T	12/01/2006 8	Don S	12/03/2006 8
Aisha J	12/03/2013 1	Jerry H	12/04/1990 24
Patty H	12/04/2005 9	Miguel G	12/05/1982 32
Shep H	12/07/2002 12	Muhammed Y	12/07/2007 7
Francisco H	12/12/1995 19	Eddie D	12/12/2006 8
Andrew E	12/15/2013 1	Butch M	12/18/1976 38
Miguel M	12/21/2013 1	David K	12/22/1996 18
Matt B	12/23/2014 0	Chris G	12/28/1990 24
Mike O	12/30/1983 31	Diana B	12/31/1970 44

Alano Club Staff

Tony Baron
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Members of the Month – Michael J, Montana W and Terri W

Our members of the month are Michael J, Montana W, and Terri W for their exceptional time, talent, and dedication in support of giving back to our Club! Each has brought unique talent and service.

For those of you who attended the Heritage Dinner, you may have noticed new friends in the crowd. That is because Michael J went above and beyond, going out to the entire 12-step community to promote our club, and the end result – he sold 25% of all tickets merely by word of mouth. His contribution alone brought in \$600 for ticket sales and potential new members to the club!

And, it is an honor to speak about Montana's dedication to our club. Every month, he holds a Jewelry Sale, and all net proceeds are donated to the club. Not only does he pass along very generous discounts as well as hold outstanding raffles, but in addition, his contribution to the club is an average of \$300 each month!

And it is our pleasure to announce that Terri W is now an employee here in the Café; and although her hours are part time, you will still find her here helping out at all hours. Her time and dedication is exactly what the Café needs to keep costs down.

Thank you Michael, Montana, and Terri for all that you give to the 12-step community and our club!

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Activities & More at the Alano Club of San Jose

Christmas Gifts Sale

CHRISTMAS GIFTS JEWELRY SALE
MONTANASILVER 796 & BLACKEAGLE TRADING CO

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7TH 2014
10 AM — 3 PM

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3rd Annual Alano Club Toy Ride



THE ALANO CLUB OF SAN JOSE TOY RIDE

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13TH 2014
9 AM — 1 PM

STARTING POINT — SPIRIT MOTORCYCLES
460 Meridian Ave, San Jose CA 95126
Coffee and Donuts Provided

KICKSTANDS UP AT 10 AM
ENDING AT THE ALANO CLUB OF SAN JOSE
Hamburgers & Hot Dogs Provided
ENTRY IS A \$10 FEE AND A NEW/UNWRAPPED TOY



FOR INFORMATION, CONTACT: JOEY @ 408-561-6274 OR
THE ALANO CLUB OF SAN JOSE @ 408-297-1878

Christmas Day at the Alano Club of San Jose

SANTA COMES TO THE ALANO CLUB!
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 25TH 2014

STOP BY TO SEE SANTA AND HIS TOYLAND OF GIFTS
FROM 12 PM – 1:30 PM



The Fair Avenue Fellowship Group invites you to our

CHRISTMAS DAY ALCATHON
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 25TH 2014
9 AM – 9 PM



&

CHRISTMAS DINNER

Will be served at 2 PM – 4 PM
and hosted by the Alano Club of San Jose



All Are Invited – Our Way Of Giving Back
Come Fellowship With Us!

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The Alano Club Is Open On New Year's Eve

Join us on New Year's Eve as we celebrate with friends & new friends!



Come Fellowship With Us – Potluck Celebration in the Café
Bring in the New Year with a Midnight AA Meeting!

The Alano Club of San Jose – 12 Step Meetings

Alcoholics Anonymous		Narcotics Anonymous	
Daily	9:00 am, 12:00 pm	Mon & Tue	6:30 pm
Mon- Thu	4:00 pm	Tue	8:00 pm (Book Study)
Mon-Thu	6:00 pm	Tue	8:00 pm (Spanish)
Sat	6:00 pm (Newcomers Q & A's)		
Tue	9:30 pm (Men)	Fri	6:00 pm (Women)
Thu	7:30 pm (Chip Mtg)	Fri	6:00 pm (Spanish)
Wed	8:00 pm (Women)	Fri & Sat	8:00 pm
Fri	6:30 pm (Speaker)		
Sat	10:00 am (Men)	Sat & Sun	10:00 am
Sun	3:00 pm (Women), 5:00 pm (Men)	Sun	6:30 pm (Speaker)
Mon-Fri	7:30 pm (Spanish)	Sun	7:30 pm (Spanish)
AA Medicine Crow Talking Circle		Cocaine Anonymous (CA)	
Sat	12:00 pm	Sat	8:00 pm
Crystal Meth Anonymous (CMA)		AI-Anon	
Sun	6:00 pm	Mon	8:00 pm
		Tue	12:00 pm
Cross Addiction		Co-Dependents Anonymous	
Mon	7:30 pm	Wed	6:30 pm
		Sun	5:00 pm

THE NEXT ALANO CLUB OF SAN JOSE
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
December 4th 2014 at 6:00 pm – Members Welcome

THE NEXT FAIR AVENUE FELLOWSHIP GROUP
STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING
December 11th 2014 at 6:30 pm – All Are Welcome

Elections For 2015 “Board of Directors” Positions

ELECTIONS FOR 2015 ALANO CLUB OF SAN JOSE “BOARD OF DIRECTORS” POSITIONS

Sunday, December 7th 2014 at 1 PM

There are 5 positions up for re-election and available for any new candidates who are interested. Requirements to be a Board Member are:

- Minimum of one year of clean and sober time
- Ability to attend the monthly board meeting (first Thursday of each month, 6 – 7:30 pm)
- Commitment to put in up to 15 hours monthly on various projects and activities
- Commitment to participate as a member on several team committees
- Ability to attend a minimum of 50% of the club activities

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