

Intergroup Scoop December 2010-January 2011

Tis' The Season to be of Service. Welcome to the three new Intergroup Representatives, from Nooney Tunes, Rule 62 and Back Porch Step Sisters, who attended our December meeting. We look forward to meeting other new Intergroup Representatives at our January meeting. We gratefully welcome our incoming Chair, with a solid service background...who is *not* an Intergroup Representative for his home group.

For those of you who have never experienced it...this is how we literally...Stand For Office. The position is announced, everyone in the room stands, then everyone *except* the person who wishes to be elected to the office sits down. Then we vote. The process moved along smoothly until it came time to stand for Corresponding Secretary. Initially EVERYONE sat down, but not without a delightful struggle...the incoming Chair & the Women's Jail Coordinator had sandwiched in one of our new representatives. It seemed as though HP, in the guise of our two fellow AA'ers, had given her a physical nudge. And then we saw the real magic when HP ignited the spark in our Intergroup newcomer, who stood up with a big smile on her face and said, "Awe, what the heck."

All slots for the Christmas Alcothon have gratefully been filled!!! Way to go!!!! PLEASE COME AT 5PM TO HELP DECORATE THE CHRISTMAS TREE. The Alcothon runs from 6 pm Christmas Eve until 6 pm Christmas Day at the Ola'a Community Center in Kea'au. We do have plenty of New Year's Day slots to fill. Sign up at the Christmas Alcothon or call 965-1970. Along with the New Years Eve Alcothon, Rule 62 is hosting a dance from 10 pm to midnight in the big room on the right at Ola'a. There is no admission charge; snacks will be available for purchase.

As of January 10, 2011 the Ola'a Community Center in Kea'au is no longer available. We are investigating other venues...please contact us with any ideas. Puna District will still meet at Ola'a on January 8 @ 3pm. That will be our last event at Ola'a which has served AA admirably. We honor its passing.

New meeting schedules are available at the Central Office, call 961-6133.
Please contact easthawaiiintergroup@gmail.com or 963-6063 with any changes.

Our new webmaster has made the www.hawaiiiaa.org site even more user friendly. Check it out!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRASSA will meet the first weekend in March, 2011 at the Ala Moana on O'ahu.

The 4th ANNUAL EAST HAWAII ROUND-UP is March 11-13, 2011 at the Hawaiian Village Puhi Bay, Keaukaha. Call 990-7345 or 987-1462.

The 18th Annual Aloha (Gay & Lesbian) Round-Up will be held February 18-20 at the McCoy Pavillion, Oahu. All gay-friendly 12- Steppers are invited.

PLEASE ATTEND OUR NEXT INTERGROUP MEETING, JANUARY 13, 2011, 5:30 PM at the Kea'au Community Center. We will continue our dialogue about the possibility of relocating Central Office to Kea'au. Stop by...you just may experience a nudge from HP!

In Service, J-