Here's some great news for all of us!

Save the date

75th Southern California AA Convention

October 1st -3rd, 2027

at The Westin Rancho Mirage Golf Resort & Spa

See You Next Year!

- No photography or video cameras permitted.

74th Southern California AA Convention

with Al-Anon Participation



October 16, 17 & 18, 2026

Digital Schedule

The Westin
Rancho Mirage
Golf Resort & Spa

Rancho Mirage, CA (Palm Springs)

Welcome to the 74th Southern California AA Convention

HI THERE!

Welcome to the 74th Southern California Alcoholics Anonymous Convention!

On behalf of the 2026 Planning Committee, welcome! We are so happy you're here to celebrate this incredible weekend of recovery, fellowship, and spiritual renewal. Our theme, "Get Your Spiritual Kicks in 2026," reminds us that the joy and freedom of sobriety are found through living the Twelve Steps and sharing this journey together.

We have some special moments planned that you won't want to miss. We'll kick off the weekend by honoring our history during the Opening Ceremony, where some of our past SCAAC Chairs will serve as our flag bearers. Also, we have the opportunity to center your mind in meditation with a special meditation leader. Be sure to attend our AA Workshop, where two of our main speakers will come together to bring the message of recovery to life in a powerful and meaningful way. I hope you'll take advantage of everything the convention has to offer.

This event would not be possible without the dedication of our incredible committee and volunteers. Thank you to everyone who gave their time and heart in service. A special thank you to my Co-Chair, Steve N., for his support and wisdom, to our Convention Coordinator, Michele L., for her enthusiasm and dedication for a successful convention, and to my husband, Tom P., whose love, patience, and strength has carried me through this year.

Serving as your Chairperson is an honor. This experience has reminded me that we truly keep what we have by giving it away and that love is at the heart of service. My hope is that you leave this weekend with renewed faith, meaningful connections, and a stronger foundation for your recovery.
Have an amazing weekend, take care of one another, and let's all Get Our Spiritual Kicks in 2026!

With love and gratitude,
Duffy Phelan
2026 SCAAC Chairperson

"The great fact is just this, and nothing less: That we have had deep and effectual spiritual experiences which have revolutionized our whole attitude toward life, toward our fellows and toward God's universe. The central fact of our lives today is the absolute certainty that our Creator has entered into our hearts and lives in a way which is indeed miraculous. He has commenced to accomplish those things for us which we could never do by ourselves."

Big Book of Alcoholics Anonymous, page 25

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NOTES

All recordings of our fantastic speakers this weekend will be available to you free of charge! Here's how to get your copies of this weekend's talks:

Password: 2026socal (Case Sensitive) You DO NOT have to be a member of Dropbox. Follow the link and accept the cookies from Dropbox, then scroll to the bottom of the page and open on Website.

Scan it with your phone and follow the prompts to get access to all our recorded speakers. Or, visit our friends at the Sound Solutions table in the Celebrity Ballroom foyer and they will be more than pleased to walk you through the process. Sound Solutions also sells an incredible array of archived talks from many gifted speakers. All those recordings have been digitized and can be sent to your phone or delivered on a flash drive.

1952 SCAAC Past Chairs 2025

1952	Long Beach	Clyde Davis	Deceased
1953	Santa Barbara	Cliff Walker	Deceased
1954	Pasadena	Al Marineau	Deceased
1955	Los Angeles	Howard Emory	Deceased
1956	San Diego	Jack White	Deceased
1957	Riverside	Jim Bratten	Deceased
1958	San Luis Obispo	Bob Depell	Deceased
1959	Bakersfield	Dale Rude	Deceased
1960	Santa Barbara	Glen Christenson	Deceased
1961	Santa Monica	O.B.C., Alaska	Deceased
1962	San Diego	Cecil Jastrom	Deceased
1963	Long Beach	Harry Hallecke	Deceased
1964	San Bernardino	Tommy Tunney	Deceased
1965	Bakersfield	Jack Schaeffer	Deceased
1966	Santa Monica	Leo Haley	Deceased
1967	Anaheim	Ozzie Falk	Deceased
1968	San Diego	Al Hardin	Deceased
1969	Anaheim	John McAneny	Deceased
1970	Bakersfield	Frank Huddleston	Deceased
1971	San Diego	Bob Lemke	Deceased
1972	Bakersfield	Lyn Wilder	Deceased
1973	Anaheim	Dick Sutherland	Deceased
1974	San Diego	Byron Wallien	Deceased
1975	Bakersfield	Keith Carpenter	Deceased
1976	Anaheim	Ed Regan	Deceased
1977	Long Beach	Bob R.	Oxnard
1978	Los Angeles	Jim Ockerman	Deceased
1979	Bakersfield	Chuck Nesbit	Deceased
1980	Bakersfield	Jim Shaw	Deceased
1981	Bakersfield	Jim Haggerty	Deceased
1982	San Diego	Frank Albertson	Deceased
1983	Bakersfield	Jim Beam	Deceased
1984	San Diego	Keith D.	Yorba Linda
1985	Bakersfield	Mack Brewster	Deceased
1986	San Diego	Sara S.	Pennsylvania
1987	Long Beach	Harvey Angers	Deceased
1988	Bakersfield	Milton Murrill	Deceased
1989	San Diego	Mike Ross	Deceased
1990	Pasadena	Ray Mehlbaum	Deceased
1991	San Diego	Jim T.	No. California
1992	Anaheim	George W.	South Carolina
1993	Bakersfield	Joe Carico	Deceased
1994	San Diego	Stu Williams	Deceased
1995	Bakersfield	Carol C.	Anaheim
1996	San Diego	Larry P.	Covina
1997	Bakersfield	Julian Combs	Deceased
1998	San Diego	Sandy Dudderar	Deceased
1999	Pasadena	Larry E.	Covina
2000	San Diego	George Phelps	Deceased
2001	Riverside	SherAli Jennings	Deceased
2002	San Diego	Bruce A.	Valencia
2003	Riverside	Kathy O.	Missouri
2004	San Diego	Roman C.	San Dimas
2005	Riverside	Tom B.	Northridge
2006	San Diego	Pat Morrison	Deceased
2007	Anaheim	Mike R.	Los Alamitos
2008	San Diego	Polly C.	West Covina
2009	Anaheim	Rob B.	Covina
2010	San Diego	Kristine M.	Dove Canyon
2011	Rancho Mirage	Mike "Shamu" E.	Northridge
2012	San Diego	Jennifer P.	La Verne
2013	Rancho Mirage	Ron H.	Upland
2014	San Diego	Sheila F.	Long Beach
2015	Rancho Mirage	Kristen B. / Larry Stephens	Covina / Deceased
2016	San Diego	Jesse C.	Pomona
2017	Rancho Mirage	Lyn H.	Rancho Cucamonga
2018	Rancho Mirage	Mike M.	Covina
2019	Rancho Mirage	Fernando O.	Chino
2020	Convention Online		
2021	Rancho Mirage	Julie S.	Upland
2022	City of Industry	Debbie R.	Fontana
2023	City of Industry	David G.	Santa Monica
2024	City of Industry	Thomas C.	Glendora
2025	Rancho Mirage	Victor O.	Ontario

Events & Activities

Tickets and/or Registration is required for all events:

Friday
Registration Opens Friday 9:00am
Celebrity Foyer / Polo Room

Golf Tournament 8:00am
Please check in by 7:00am - Tee-Off at 8:00am
(Shotgun Start)
84-000 Terra Lago Pkwy., Indio, CA

Archives 12:00pm - 5:00pm
Oasis 5&6

Alanon Opening Meeting 6:00pm - 7:15pm
Ambassador 4-7

Friday Night Flag Ceremony
7:30pm
Celebrity Ballroom

Friday Night Opening Meeting
8:00pm
Celebrity Ballroom

Friday Night YP DJ / Dance
10:00pm - 12am
Ambassador 4-7
Registration Badge gets you in!!

Friday Cigar Meeting
11:00pm -12:00am
Ambassador Plaza East

Saturday
Saturday Meditation
7:00am - 7:45am
Oasis 4

Saturday Registration 8:00am

5k/10k Run/Walk - Saturday 7:30am
Meet in front of the Westin Rancho Mirage
Please pick up your sports packet at the Sports Table
Celebrity Foyer

Pickleball Tournament
8:00am
at The Westin Rancho Mirage

Archives 9:00am - 12:00pm and 1:00pm - 4pm
Oasis 5&6

Poker Run 10:00am
in front of Westin Rancho Mirage

Al-Anon Luncheon - Saturday 11:00am
Celebrity Ballroom

AA Banquet/Meeting
Saturday 6:00pm
Celebrity Ballroom

Saturday Night Live Band Dance / Concert
9:30pm
Celebrity Ballroom
Tickets are availbale at Registration or at door

Sunday
Sunday Closing Meeting
10:30am
Celebrity Ballroom

Schedule at a Glance

Friday, October 16, 2026

8:00am	Golf Tournament	Terra Lago Golf Course
9:00am	Registration Opens	Polo Room and Celebrity Foyer
12:00pm	Hospitality Room Opens	Rancho Mirage A&B
12:00pm	Archives 12:00pm -5:00pm	Oasis 5&6
12:00pm	AA Marathon Meetings Begins* til Sunday 7am	Oasis 1,2,3
2:00pm	Host City Meeting	Oasis 4
3:45pm	LGBTQ Meeting	Oasis 4
6:00pm	Alanon Marathon Meeting*	Ambassador 2
6:00pm	Alanon Opening Meeting**	Ambassador 4-7
7:30pm	Opening Ceremonies	Celebrity Ballroom
8:00pm	Opening Meeting**	Celebrity Ballroom
9:45pm	Business Meeting	Celebrity Ballroom
10:00pm	DJ Dance	Ambassador 4-7
11:00pm	Cigar Meeting*	Ambassador Plaza East

Saturday, October 17, 2026

7:00am	Meditation	Oasis 4
7:30am	5k/10k Run/Walk	See Sports Table on Friday
8:00am	Registration	Polo Room and Celebrity Foyer
8:00am	Pickleball Tournament	See Sports Table on Friday
8:00am	H&I Meeting**	Oasis 4
8:00am	Alanon Marathon Meeting*	Ambassador 2
8:30am	Alanon Spanish Meeting*	Ambassador 3
9:00am	AA Spanish Marathon*	Oasis 7
9:00am	Morning Alanon Meeting**	Ambassador 1
09:30am	AA Workshop**	Ambassador 4-7
10:00am	Poker Run	See Sports Table on Friday
11:00am	Alanon Luncheon**	Celebrity Ballroom
11:15am	General Service**	Oasis 4
1:30pm	Long Timers*	Ambassador 4-7
1:30pm	Alanon Business Meeting	Ambassador 1
3:00pm	Alanon Family in Recovery*	Ambassador 1
4:30pm	YPAA Speaker**	Ambassador 4-7
6:00pm	AA Banquet**	Celebrity Ballroom
9:30pm	Live Band / Dance / Concert	Ambassador 4-7

Al-Anon Past Chairs

1952	Unknown	
1953	Cecil M.	
1954	Ruth W.	
1955	Rauline C.	
1956	Priscilla C.	Deceased
1957	Al S.	
1958	Helen B-R.	
1959	Paul H.	
1960	Elsa C.	Deceased
1961	Norris R.	Deceased
1962	Winnie E.	Deceased
1963	Delores V.	
1964	Aura C.	Deceased
1965	Louise T.	
1966	Georgia F.	
1967	Helen A.	
1968	Lucille M.	
1969	Elsie Q.	Deceased
1970	Betty E.	Deceased
1971	Nancy N.	
1972	Beryl M.	
1973	Bernie E.	Deceased
1974	Sallye C.	Deceased
1975	Ellen H.	
1976	Bob L.	Deceased
1977	June A.	Deceased
1978	Lyn F.D.	
1979	Rachelle R.	Deceased
1980	Joyce B. K.	
1981	Kay B.	
1982	Sue D.	
1983	Carol P.	Deceased
1984	Wendie S.L.	
1985	Alice T.	
1986	Ruby M.	
1987	Cathy S.	
1988	Kary L.	
1989	Sandy A.K.	
1990	Chris C.	
1991	Jayne U.	Deceased
1992	Larcine G.	
1993	Carol T.	Deceased
1994	Barbara N.	Deceased
1995	Heather T.	
1996	Del L.	Deceased
1997	Martin L.	
1998	Lil S.	
1999	Robin Br.	Deceased
2000	Joanne P.	
2001	Dolores E.	Deceased
2002	Anne F.	
2003	Georgia D.	
2004	Pam B.	
2005	Lynn A.	
2006	Sandie E.	
2007	Nancy B.	
2008	Laura S.	
2009	Corrine E.	
2010	MaryAnn H.	
2011	Lisa T.	
2012	Jean B.	
2013	Myra K.	
2014	Robin Ba.	
2015	Laureen B.	
2016	Kathleen G.	
2017	Valerie N.	
2018	Emily M.	
2019	Lisa M.	
2020	Melody B.	
2021	Dolores B.	
2022	Cathy W.	
2023	Patricia B.	
2024	Susie H.	
2025	Beth G.	

2026 SCAAC Al-Anon Committee

Al-Anon Chair	Charlene Hobbs
Al-Anon Co-Chair	Frances Jones
Assistant to Frances J.	Helen C.
Past Chair Advisor	Lil Sass
Secretary	Erik Forsberg
Treasurer	Lisa Maddox
Co-Treasurer	Sheryl Conner
Album/Photography	Rachel M.
Archives Chair	Cyndi D.
Carry the Message OC	Dan Pediford
Carry the Message SGV	Denise I.
Convention Coordinator	Beth G.
Decorations Chair	Jeaneen A.
Decorations Co-Chair	Katherine Saavedra
Decorations Committee	Gloria Howell
Decorations Committee	Tana Lakin
Decorations Committee	Kat Q
Decorations Committee	Liz London
Fundraiser Chair (IE)	Val Nelson
Fundraiser Co-Chair	Wendy Cole
Hospitality Chair (plan mtg)	Laureen Breegle
Hospitality Co-Chair (plan mtg)	Heather Renz
	Denise I.
	Victoria O.
Hospitality (Chair suite @ convention)	Christa W. Teague
Hospitality (Chair suite @ convention)	Cathy Watson
Host/Hostess Chair	Christa W. Teague
Literature Chair	Yolanda Rodriguez
Literature Committee	Vivian P.
Literature Committee	Melody W.
Marathon Meetings Chair	Kathy Goblirsch
Marathon Meetings Co-Chair	Margaret Castro
Past Chairman's Tea (@ convention)	Cathy Satter
Past Chairman's Tea (@ convention)	Larcine Gantner
Program Chair	Patricia Bejarano
Program Co-Chair	Ruth
Publicity Chair	Cathy Watson
Sign & Graphics	Denise Midel
Social Media Chair	Patricia Bejarano
Spanish Marathons Chair	Linda Towler
Spanish Marathons Co-Chair	Estella Aguilar
Speaker Host/Hostess Chair	Michele RF
Tickets Chair	Emelinda M.
Tickets Co-Chair	Denise Flieg
VIP tickets Co-Chair	Frances Jones
Ways & Means Chair	Kerry M.
Zoom Chair	April Geltch

Schedule at a Glance

Saturday, October 17, 2026



9:30pm Live Band / Dance / Concert — Ambassador 4-7
MC - Lindsey C. — Covina



Buy Tickets at Registration
or at The Door

Sunday, October 18, 2026

Marathons move from Oasis 1,2,3 to Celebrity Ballroom

7:00am - 10:00am		Final Marathon Meetings
9:00am	Al-Anon Closing Meeting	Ambassador 4-7
10:30am	AA Closing Meeting**	Celebrity Ballroom

Participation Meeting*

Speaker**

Speaker & Participation Meeting***

A.A. Meeting Schedule

Friday, October 16, 2026

AA Marathons Begin
Oasis 1,2,3 — 12:00 Noon

Host City Meeting
Oasis 4 — Friday 2:00pm - 3:00pm

Leader:	James L.	Indian Wells
Chapter 5:	Sherif T.	Indian Wells
12 Traditions:	Tony C.	Rancho Mirage
Speaker:	Annie L.	Indian Wells
Speaker:	Alex A.	Palm Desert
A Vision For You:	Mike S.	Rancho Mirage

LGBTQ Meeting
Oasis 4 — Friday 3:45pm - 5:00pm

Leaders:	Kathy G.	Long Beach
Leaders:	Delilah T.	Marina Del Ray
Speaker:	Jimmy S.	Laguna Beach
Speaker:	Damon C.	Laguna Beach
Speaker:	Julie L.	Las Vegas
Speaker:	Hilda F.	Las Vegas

Opening Ceremonies
Celebrity Ballroom — 7:30pm - 7:50pm

Leader:	Meghan M.	Buena Park

Friday Night Opening Meeting
Celebrity Ballroom — 8:00pm - 9:30pm

Announcer:	Taylor G.	Irvine
Leader: (Prev. Chair)	Victor O.	Ontario
Chapter 5:	Bill R.	La Verne
12 Traditions:	Brian R.	Covina
Speaker:	Nancy C.	Downey
A Vision For You:	Merriam R.	La Verne

Business Meeting
Celebrity Ballroom — Following Opening Meeting

Leader:	Debbie R. (Chairperson of Steering Committee)	Fontana
2025 Secretary:	Minda P.	Covina

Cigar Meeting
Ambassador Plaza East — 11:00pm - 12:00am

Leader:	Demitrious T.	Long Beach

Saturday, October 17, 2026

H & I Service Meeting
Oasis 4 — 8:00am - 9:15am

Leader:	Terry M.	Covina
Reader:	Kristian B.	Ventura
Reader:	Fernando O.	InterValley
Speaker:	Scott S.	Ventura

AA Workshop
Ambassador 4-7 — 9:30am - 11:00am

Leader:	Tom P.	San Juan Capistrano
Speaker:	Bob B.	St. Paul, MN
Speaker:	Ralph W.	Los Angeles

Al-Anon Marathon Meetings

Friday, October 16, 2026
Ambassador 2

6:00pm	Think - Thoughtful, Honest, Intelligent, Necessary, Kind	Denise M.	Glendora
7:00pm	Would You Rather Be Right or Happy?	April G.	Covina
8:00pm	Someone Else's Urgency, Is Not My Emergency	Becky M.	So. El Monte
9:00pm	Not Me, I'm Not Powerless. I'll fix this	Suzie H.	West Covina

Saturday, October 17, 2026
Ambassador 2

8:00am	Teach Me the Use of Silence	Lynn A.	Ventura
9:00am	Write a Letter to Your Higher Power	Yolanda R.	Diamond Bar
10:00am	Am I Too Busy to Pray? Have I No Time For Meditation?	Tom B.	Palm Springs
11:00am	To Me: Conscious Contact with God means?	Trudy L.	Upland
12:00pm	Faith Over Fear	Marina D.	Pasadena
1:00pm	Got Serenity?	Debra D.	Manhattan Beach
2:00pm	A Journey of Discovery, Me	Lissen G.	Manhattan Beach
3:00pm	If You Want to Make God Laugh, Tell Him Your Plans	Linda S.	Manhattan Beach
4:00pm	Wherever You Are, Be There Totally	Erik F.	El Sereno
5:00pm	Breathe Out Fear and Breath In Trust.	Gloria H.	La Puente
6:00 PM	Acceptance Is Your Spiritual Hammock	John W.	Sherman Oaks
7:00 PM	Balancing Your Mind, Body and Spirit	Margaret C.	Alhambra
8:00 PM	Freedom To Be Flexible	Karla R.	Lynwood
9:00 PM	Rejection Is God's Protection	Chris S.	Pasadena

Al-Anon Meeting Schedule

Business Meeting Immediately after Luncheon		1:30pm-2:30pm
Ambassador 1		
Al-Anon Service Manual	Charlene H.	Diamond Bar
Al-Anon Service Manual	Patty B.	Diamond Bar
Read Minutes of 2025	Erik F.	El Sereno
Speaker	Charlene H.	Diamond Bar
Al-Anon Service Manual	Frances J.	Azusa

Saturday Afternoon Family Meeting		3:00pm - 5:00pm
Ambassador 1		
Al-Anon Service Manual	Patty B.	Diamond Bar
Courage To Change	Popa Willie	Sun City
Speaker	Byron F.	Newport Beach
Speaker	Dee F.	Hemet
Speaker	Steve F.	Hemet
Al-Anon Service Manual	Zoe A.	Laguna Niguel

Sunday, October 18, 2026

Alanon Closing Meeting		9:00am - 10:30am
Ambassador 1		
Al-Anon Service Manual	Kathy G.	Chino Hills
As We Understood	Tammy E.	Apple Valley
Path To Recovery	Dan P.	Artesia
Speaker	Char J.	Agoura Hills
Al-Anon Service Manual	Alev L.	Agoura Hills

A.A. Meeting Schedule

Saturday, October 17, 2026 (cont.)

General Service Meeting

Oasis 4		11:15pm - 1:15pm
Leader:	Debra L.	Seal Beach
Leader:	Tara F.	Dana Point
Chapter 5:	Candice C.	Boise, Idaho
12 Traditions:	Adrian O.	Spring Valley
Speaker:	Tara F.	Dana Point
Speaker:	Rodrigo A.	Oceanside
Speaker:	Gola	Santa Monica
A Vision For You:	Alfonso C.	Simi Valley

Long Timer's Meeting (30+)

Ambassador 4-7 1:30pm - 3:30pm

Anyone with 30 years or more, to participate, please sign up at the table outside the meeting by 1:00pm. Only Longtimers share, but we encourage everyone to attend!

Leaders:	Larry P.	Covina
Leaders:	Nadine G.	Ontario
Leaders:	Lynn B.	San Dimas
Leaders:	Roman C.	San Dimas
Leaders:	Jesse C.	Pomona

YPAA Speaker Meeting

Ambassador 4-7		4:30pm - 6:00pm
Leader:	Cody L.	Aliso Viejo
Chapter 5:	Brendan W.	Los Angeles
12 Traditions:	Gola R.	Los Angeles
Speaker:	Priya S.	Los Angeles
Speaker:	Betsy L.	Los Alamitos
A Vision For You:	Kaden M.	San Juan Capistrano

AA Banquet/Speaker Meeting (ticket required)

Celebrity Ballroom		6:00pm - 10:00pm
Announcer:	Michele L.	Laguna Hills
Leader:	Duffy P.	San Juan Capistrano
Invocation:	Tom P.	San Juan Capistrano
Chapter 5:	Jenny T.	Rancho Cucamonga
12 Traditions:	Rudy H.	Huntington Beach
Speaker:	Bob B.	St.Paul, MN
A Vision For You:	Katya A.	Santa Monica

Sunday, October 18, 2026

Closing Meeting

Celebrity Ballroom		10:30am - 12:30pm
Announcer:	Gloria G.	Garden Grove
Marathon Meeting Chair:	Tina Mc.	Mission Viejo
Leader (2027 Chair):	Steve N.	Rancho Cucamonga
Chapter 5:	Carlos N.	Beaumont
12 Traditions:	Jackie V.	Upland
Speaker:	Ralph W.	Los Angeles
A Vision For You (Chair Elect 2028):		

AA Marathon Meetings

Friday, October 16, 2026

Noon	Fellowship in Alcoholics Anonymous Big Book Page 152	Larry P. Minda P.	Covina Covina
1:00pm	Insist on Enjoying Life Big Book Page 132	Alex V. Jill R.	Los Amigos Los Amigos
2:00pm	To Be Helpful is Our Only Aim Big Book page 89	Stacey G. Cindy V.	Downey Downey
3:00pm	Ongoing Spiritual Maintenance Big Book page 85	Jim S. Brent W.	Eagle Rock Laguna Niguel
4:00pm	Rarely Have We Seen a Person Fail Big Book page 58	Jerome S. Glenis S.	Corona Corona
5:00pm	Growing Along Spiritual Lines Big Book page 59 - 60	Alijah L. Karen F.	Bellflower BBG Bellflower BBG
6:00pm	Revolutionized Our Whole Attitude… "Attitude Adjustment" - BB page 25	Bob B.	Chino
7:00pm	Step 1 - Fully Concede to Our Innermost Self - BB page 30	Tom S. Xochilti	Palm Desert Santa Monica
8:00pm	Peace and Serenity Big Book page 14	Jodi H. Michael LW	Downey Upland
9:00pm	Usefulness - Big Book page 8	Allison S. Kai B.	Sunset Beach Sunset Beach
10:00pm	We Agnostics Big Book page 44 - 45	Toni S. Bailio L.	Downey Downey
11:00pm	Willingness - Big Book page 46	Heidi B.	Seal Beach
Midnight	We Found the Great Reality Deep Down Within Us - Big Book page 55	Elmer A.	Laguna Woods

Saturday, October 17, 2026

1:00am	Happy, Joyous, and Free Big Book page 133	Brenden W.	Pacific Group
2:00am	It Means Release From Care, Burden or Worry - Vision For You - BB page 151	Halie W.	ACYPAA
3:00am	Living by Faith Big Book page 47	Cyndi B. Teddi P.	Hemet Temecula
4:00am	Reliance On a Higher Power Big Book page 52	Kathy G. Teresa F.	Bellflower BBG Bellflower BBG
5:00am	Spiritual Demonstration and Relationship With a God - BB pages 98 pp 3, page 100 1st sentence	Kandis M. Teresa R.	Bellflower BBG Bellflower BBG
6:00am	Channel of Thy Peace Step 11 - 12/12 - pages 99 -100	Julie S. Linda L.	Upland Westchester
7:00am	Character Over Comfort Big Book page 97, pp 1	Galo A. Tom	Brea/Placentia Brea/Placentia
8:00am	Prayer and Meditation Big Book Page 86 - 88	Nathan D. Trish D.	Los Angeles Los Angeles
9:00am	Willingness to Have Defects Removed Step 6 - 12/12 - pages 63-69	Debbie R. Donna S.	Inland Group

Al-Anon Meeting Schedule

Friday, October 16, 2026

Al-Anon Marathon Meeting		6:00pm - 10:00pm
Ambassador 2		
Friday Night Opening Meeting		6:00pm - 7:15pm
Ambassador 4 -7		
Al-Anon Service Manual	Dan P.	Artesia
ODAT	Margaret C.	Alhambra
From Survival To Recovery (2nd para.)	Diane P.	Artesia
Speaker	Rose S.	Pomona
Al-Anon Service Manual	Dan P.	Artesia

Saturday, October 17, 2026

Al-Anon Marathons Resume		8:00am - 10:00pm
Ambassador 2		
Al-Anon Empiesa Maratóns en Español*		8:30am - 4:00pm
Ambassador 3		
Saturday Morning Al-Anon Meeting		9:00am - 10:30am
Ambassador 1		
Al-Anon Service Manual	Frances J.	Azusa
12 Steps	Sheryl C.	Covina
Understanding Ourselves	Susie P.	Covina
-	Kim A.	Glendora
Al-Anon Service Manual	Lil S.	Azusa
Al-Anon Luncheon		11:00am - 1:00pm
Celebrity Ballroom		
Al-Anon Service Manual	Charlene H.	Diamond Bar
Spanish Al-Anon Service Manual	Yolanda R.	Walnut
-	Lil S.	Azusa
When I Got Busy I Got Better-		
A Sense of Purpose	Alev L.	Agoura Hills
"From Survival to Recovery-		
Al-Anon Service Manual"	Dinah D.	Palm Dessert
Speaker	Larcine G.	Hawthorne
Closing	Frances J.	Azusa

Al-Anon Greeting

Dear Southern California Al-Anon Family,

With heartfelt love and gratitude, thank you for entrusting me with the privilege of serving as your 2026 Southern California Al-Anon Chair. It is a true honor to walk this journey with each of you. I accept this opportunity with humility, a willing spirit, and faith in a Higher Power, knowing that service strengthens our recovery and reminds us that we never walk alone.

Our 2026 theme, "Get Your Spiritual Kicks in 2026," invites us to embrace the joy of spiritual growth through the Al-Anon principles. May this year bring us closer to our Higher Power and to one another as we laugh, learn, serve, and carry the message of hope and healing to families and friends of alcoholics.

Thank you to every trusted servant, past and present, whose dedication keeps our fellowship strong. I look forward to serving alongside all of you as we celebrate recovery, strengthen our unity, and truly Get Our Spiritual Kicks in 2026!

With love and gratitude,
Charlene Hobbs
2026 Southern California Al-Anon Chair

AA Marathon Meetings

Saturday, October 17, 2026 (Cont.)

10:00am	God Will Keep You Unharmed Big Book page 102	Morgan D. Sean C.	Pacific Group Pacific Group
11:00am	Building an Arch to Freedom - First 5 proposals - Big Book page 75	Louie L. Larry L.	Pacoima Pacoima
Noon	Deep Own in Every Man, Woman, and Child, Is the Fundamental Idea of God. - BB page 55	Gloria G. Steve G.	Bellflower BBG Bellflower BBG
1:00pm	Quality Not Quantity of Faith Step 2 - 12/12 - page 32	Debra P. Keith S.	Bellflower BBG Valley Village
2:00pm	Foundation Stone of Recovery Big Book page 97	Bobby G. Jason F.	Pacific Group PG Mens Stag
3:00pm	The Bright Spot of Our Lives Big Book pages 89 -103	Marty L.	Encino Group
4:00pm	God Either Is, or He Isn't Big Book page 53	Brian A.	Do it Sober Laguna Woods
5:00pm	3rd Step Prayer Big Book page 63	Brian R. Mike S.	Covina Covina
6:00pm	Willing to Believe Big Book page 93	Rebekah H.	Riverside Tues Night Podium Participation
7:00pm	The Great Fact Big Book page 25	Nilo P. K'Imani D.	Pacific Group Pacific Group
8:00pm	Spiritual Experience* Big Book page 567 - 568	Victor Jane	Paramount Group Paramount Group
9:00pm	We Begin to Feel the Nearness of Our Creator - Big Book page 75	Ezekiel U. Stephanie W.	Saddleback Valley
10:00pm	Unity: Spiritual Survival 12/12 Tradition 1 - pages 129 -131	Terri W. Darrell W.	Redondo Beach Redondo Beach
11:00pm	Complete Defeat and Hope - Step 1 Big Book pages 21-24	Brent W. Tim A.	Canyon Club

Sunday, October18, 2026

Midnight	Faith Without Works Is Dead Big Book page 88	Cesar L. Daniel B.	Corona Cerritos
1:00am	Fun in Sobriety Big Book page 16	Chris F. Rich C.	Concepts Recovery Home
2:00am	How it Works Big Book pages 58 -71	Kaden M.	San Juan Capo
3:00am	Willingness, the Key to Recovery Step 3 -12/12 - page 34	Liz R. Alex C.	Downey Downey
4:00am	"Live and Let Live" Big Book page 118	Cyndi B. Teddi P.	Hemet Temecula
5:00am	Tangible Results, Helpfulness and Friendliness - Big Book page 99	Fernando O. Victor O.	Chino Ontario
6:00am	Promises - Big Book page 83 - 84	Ron D. John M.	Bellflower BBG Bellflower BBG

7:00, 8:00, 9:00am Held in Celebrity Ballroom

7:00am	Spiritual Experience BB page 567-568	Karl M.	Covina 502 Club
8:00am	The Home Group	Todd L.	Bellflower BBG
9:00am	Pick Up the Simple Kit of Spiritual Tools - Big Book page 25	Sharon F.	Pacific Group

AA Maratón en Español

Saturday, October 17, 2026
Oasis 7

9:00am Richard R. West Covina
¡Un Despertar Espiritual: La Solución Sigue Funcionando!

10:00am Lina R. Downey
Del Caos a la Paz: Un Día a la Vez

11:00am Refugio R. Palm Desert
¡Suéltalo y Déjaselo a Dios!

12:00pm Leopoldo Cathedral City
Inventario Sin Miedo: Conociéndome de Verdad

1:00pm Felipe O. San Bernardino
Reparar, Restaurar y Reconectar

2:00pm Daisy F. Riverside
La Oración y la Meditación: Recargando Nuestro Espíritu

3:00pm Juan B. San Dimas
Cuando la Vida Se Pone Difícil: Los Principios Funcionan

4:00pm Luis M. Buena Park
Servicio: Llevar el Mensaje, Mantener la Sobriedad

Al-Anon Maratón en Español

Saturday, October 17, 2026
Ambassador 3

8:30am Las Tres A's June P. Corona

9:30am Desapego Estela Anaheim

1:30pm Dios de nuestro entendimiento
Linda T. Corona

3:00pm Gratitud Yolanda W. Covina

AA Committee 2026

Housing Chair	Jeremiah S.	Walnut
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Long Timer Meeting Co-Chair	Nadine G.	Ontario
Long Timer Meeting Co-Chair	Lynn B.	San Dimas
Long Timer Meeting Co-Chair	Roman C.	San Dimas
Long Timer Meeting Co-Chair	Jesse C.	Pomona
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Pre-Registration Co-Chair	Joni C.	Bellflower
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Spanish Meetings Crew	Joe H.	Los Angeles
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Sports - Pickle Ball	Mark M.	Long Beach
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Volunteer Crew	Tim R.	Huntington Beach
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Young People AA Mtg Co-Chair	Brendan W.	Los Angeles
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Steering Committee (Chair)	Debbie R.	Fontana
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Steering Committee	Thomas C.	Glendora
Steering Committee	Victor O.	Ontario
Steering Committee	Duffy P.	San Juan Capistrano
Steering Committee	Steve N.	Rancho Cucamonga
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Volunteers	Kenny J.	Glendora
Volunteers	Laura G.	Santa Monica
Volunteers	Erma P.	Upland
Volunteers	Alfredo B.	Monrovia
Volunteers	Kris L.	Costa Mesa
Volunteers	Carey N.	Los Angeles
Volunteers	Farrah C.	Covina

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Convention Co-Coordinator	Carlos N.	Beaumont
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Connvention Coordinator Crew	Grant T.	Mission Viejo
Connvention Coordinator Crew	Taylor G.	Costa Mesa
Connvention Coordinator Crew	Mark M.	Long Beach
Connvention Coordinator Crew	Patrice M.	Montclair
Connvention Coordinator Crew	Zach Z.	Irvine
Connvention Coordinator Crew	Jose M.	Baldwin Park
Connvention Coordinator Crew	Garrett D.	Upland
Connvention Coordinator Crew	Shane M.	Huntington Beach
Connvention Coordinator Crew	Paula K.	Fulton Valley
Connvention Coordinator Crew	Kristen B.	Covina
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Host City Co-Chair	Annie L.	Palm Springs
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Hostess/Greeter Chair	Julie S.	Upland
Hostess/Greeter Co-Chair	Mikayla A.	Glendora
Hostess/Greeter Crew	Eleni M.	Upland
Hostess/Greeter Crew	Theresa W.	Chino
Hostess/Greeter Crew	Lori S.	Upland

Notes

AMBASSADOR BALLROOM 4-7

Amb. 4-7 Friday: Al-Anon Opening Mtg 5:30-6:45pm
DJ Dance 10:00pm

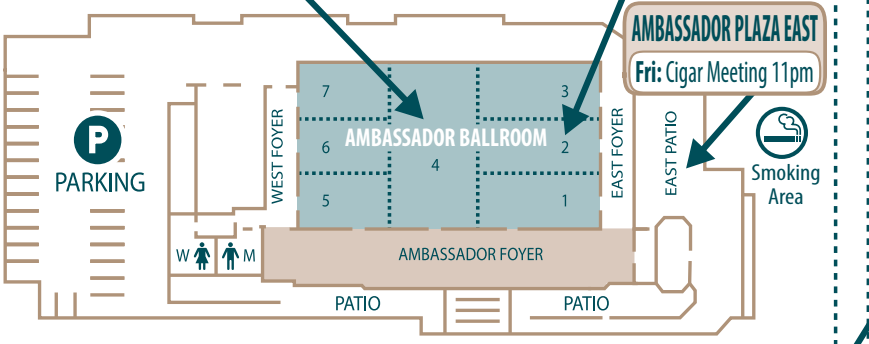
Saturday: AA Workshop 9:30-11am
Long Timers Meeting 1:30-3:30pm
YPAA Speaker Meeting 4:30-6pm
Live Band /Dance/ Concert 9:30pm

AMBASSADOR BALLROOM 1-3

Amb.1 Friday: Al-Anon Opening Meeting 6pm-7:15pm
Saturday: Al-Anon Meeting 9am-10:30am
Al-Anon Business Meeting 1:30-2:30pm
Sunday: Al-Anon Closing Meeting 9am-10:30am
Amb.2 Friday: Al-Anon Marathon Meetings 6-10pm
Saturday: Al-Anon Marathon Meeting 8am-10pm
Amb.3 Saturday: Al-Anon Spanish Marathon 8:30am-4pm
Al-Anon Family Meeting 3pm-5pm

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AMBASSADOR PLAZA EAST
Fri: Cigar Meeting 11pm

Smoking Area

5K/10K RUN WALK MEETING PLACE
Sat: Run/Walk 7:30am

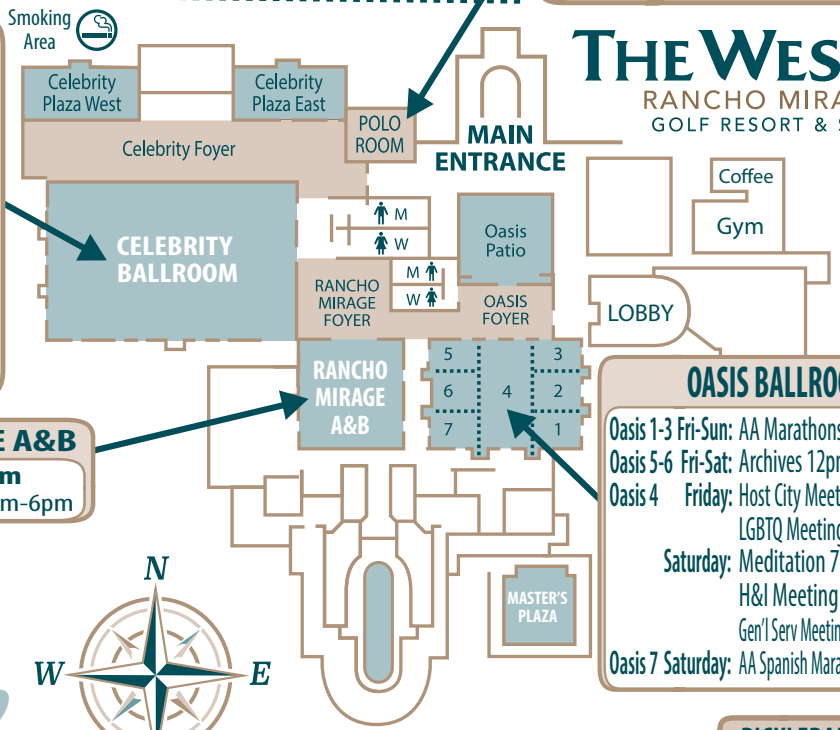
POKER RUN MEETING PLACE
Sat: Poker Run 10am

POLO ROOM & CELEBRITY FOYER

REGISTRATION
(Required for all Events)
Fri: 9:00am **Sat:** 8:00am

CELEBRITY BALLROOM

Friday: AA Opening Ceremony 7:30-7:50pm
AA Opening Meeting 8pm-9:30pm
AA Business Meeting 9:45pm
Saturday: Al-Anon Luncheon 11am-1pm
AA Banquet 6pm-9:00pm
Sunday: AA Marathon Meeting 7am-10am
AA Closing Meeting 10am-12pm



RANCHO MIRAGE A&B

Hospitality Room
Fri: 12pm-7pm **Sat:** 9am-6pm

OASIS BALLROOM

Oasis 1-3 Fri-Sun: AA Marathons 12pm-7am
Oasis 5-6 Fri-Sat: Archives 12pm-6pm
Oasis 4 Friday: Host City Meeting 2-3:30pm
LGBTQ Meeting 3:45-5pm
Saturday: Meditation 7-7:45am
H&I Meeting 8-9:15am
Gen'l Serv Meeting 11:15-1:15pm
Oasis 7 Saturday: AA Spanish Marathon 9am-5pm



PETE DYE RESORT COURSE

PICKLEBALL COURT
Saturday:
Pickleball Tournament
8:00am