Our Fellowship

You say, "Yes, I'm willing. But am I to be consigned to a life where I shall be stupid, boring and glum, like some righteous people I see? I know I must get along without liquor, but how can I? Have you a sufficient substitute?"

Yes, there is a substitute and it is vastly more than that. It is a fellowship in Alcoholics Anonymous. There you will find release from care, boredom and worry. Your imagination will be fired. Life will mean something at last. The most satisfactory years of your existence lie ahead. Thus we find the fellowship, and so will you. "How is that to come about?" you ask. "Where am I

to find these people?" You are going to meet these new friends in your own community. Near you, alcoholics



are dying helplessly

dying Alcoholics Anonymous Founders
Bill W. and Doctor Bob

like people in a sinking ship. If you live in a large place, there are hundreds. High and low, rich and poor, these are future fellows of Alcoholics Anonymous. Among them you will make lifelong friends. You will be bound to them with new and wonderful ties, for you will escape disaster together and you will commence shoulder to shoulder your common journey. Then you will know what it means to give of yourself that others may survive and rediscover life. You will learn the full meaning of "Love thy neighbor as thyself."

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Membership Information

We need YOU, so we can better serve others.

12-Step Meetings

Fellowship Events

Our Mission

The Elgin Alano Club, Inc., herein referred to as EAC, is a not-for-profit corporation dedicated to serving the needs of the recovery community in the greater Elgin area. Our mission is to provide a safe environment where people participating in 12-step recovery programs can meet, socialize and find support for each other and their families. Our membership is open to all members of any 12-step recovery program.

Elgin Alano Club Event Calendar

- Annual Pig Roast in the Summer
- Annual Open Speaker Banquet in February/March
- Monthly Sunday Open Speak Brunch
- Thanksgiving and Christmas Day Open House, Meetings & Potluck
- NFL Nights, Game Nights, Texas
 Hold'em Tournaments & Bingo Nights
- Other Events: Alcathons, Rafting & Camping Trip, Cookie Exchange, etc.



Membership Benefits

- Member Key & LED keychain swag
- 18x7x365 club access
- Discounts tickets to all club events
- Member lounge with TV and DVD
- Attend over 15 meetings per week
- Access to literature materials, gift shop and recovery based speaker library

Membership Requirements

90 days of current, continuous sobriety for alcoholics or addicts; or active participation in Al-Anon or any other 12-Step based recovery program.

Membership Dues

- \$70 annual dues (Fiscal year is July -June)
- \$35 for January-June
- ⇒ Early Renewal \$5 Discount at Annual Banquet
- ⇒ Family Rates (2-keys) available at a discount of \$120 yr please contact EAC for more info.

The Elgin Alano Club (EAC) is for all people recovering from alcoholism and addiction as well as their families and loved ones. Please show your support as a club member and be a part of this miraculous process of recovery, healing and restoration.



All membership dues and donations are tax-deductible.