



SCAC MESSENGER

The Bi-Monthly Newsletter of the Sonoma County Alano Club

SEPT-OCTOBER 2026

1050 PETALUMA BLVD. N., PETALUMA, CA 94952

October 10th at 6:00pm JOIN US FOR OUR 2ND ANNUAL BENEFIT GALA & AUCTION



TICKETS AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE

Whether it's your first Gala or you're returning after last year's memorable times, each ticket and auction bid provides our Club with meaningful financial support. Please visit the link below to purchase—or to make an event donation. And if you'd like to volunteer, please talk with a Board of Directors member.

[PURCHASE TICKETS](#)

Our gratitude list

- Club Operations Manager** John M and **Officer at Large** Forrest H for steadfast leadership and dedication to preserving the well-being of our Club and community. Much love & respect.
- Summer Craft Fair Makers & Bakers:** Christina A, Suzie B, Sandy C, Tina G, Judith H, Janet L, Dean M, Cara M, Ed N, Mary O, Sharon P, Jori R, Katha S, and Malissa V — who raised almost \$200 dollars for our Club with their talents, caring, and time.
- Benny & Grocery Outlet** for their unfailing support and donations.
- Members of the Santa Rosa recovery community & SCIF Intergroup** who have been showing up with joy & creativity for our events—and announcing them at area meetings.
- Downtown BBQ restaurant in Santa Rosa** who is aligned to cater our 2026 Benefit Gala. The menu promises to be delicious!
- We also thank Allison La R** for her service on our Board of Directors this Summer & support in our recovery community.

September & October 2026 Events Calendar

SPECIAL HAPPENINGS, LAST SATURDAY EVENTS, & UPCOMING EATS FROM OUR OWN *Keep Coming Back Kitchen*

★ Alano Club Members receive a 15% discount on all event prices. Food events go until the food runs out—and it does! ★



RECOVERY ROCKS! SOBER KARAOKE

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 12TH, 7:00pm

- All recovery programs & friends welcome!
- \$6.00 per person, includes a slice of pizza while it lasts!
- Note: October date TBD



LABOR DAY BBQ!

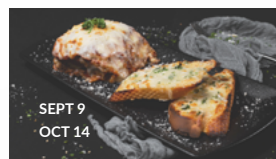
- MONDAY SEPTEMBER 7, 3:00pm
- \$8.00 eats until they run out!
 - We're always grateful for delicious side dishes and desserts brought by guests. Thanks for making it special with us!



CREATIVE FELLOWSHIP

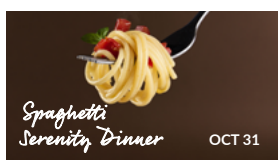
LAST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH

- September 26 & October 31, 1-4:00pm
- A free afternoon event for our artists & crafters to share space & fellowship
- Bring your creative recovery friends!



One Bowl at A Time

- PASTA & FELLOWSHIP DINNER**
2ND WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH
- September 9 & October 14, 6-7pm
 - \$8.00 Pasta, garlic bread, & salad.



Spaghetti Serenity

PRE-GAME NIGHT FELLOWSHIP DINNER
RETURNS IN OCTOBER!

- October 31, 6-7:00pm
- \$8.00 dinner includes optional free Team Trivia game from 7-8pm.



Early Birds

FELLOWSHIP DAY

- SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 19, 10am-3:00pm
- Free event with meetings at McNears Park
 - All the food, fun, and Fellowship you can pile on your plate. Please bring a side dish!



TEAM TRIVIA: MUSIC & POP CULTURE

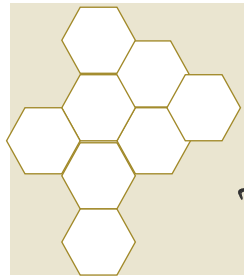
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- October 31, 7-8:00pm
- This month's theme: Music!
- \$6.00 game entry, or make it free with the \$8.00 pre-game dinner.



BIRTHDAY CHIP MEETING

- LAST TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH
- Sept 29 & October 27, 7-8:00pm
 - Speaker meeting with chips & birthday cake! Bring your friends and family.



VOLUNTEERS OF THE MONTH!

Niles & Tina

Thank you both for your service!



Happy Birthday to our Members!

Come celebrate your sobriety at the Birthday Chip Meeting on the last Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm!

JULY

Name	Years
Victor P	3
Rick C	37
Janet L	39
Jim S	40

AUGUST

Name	Years
Charles F	2
Julia H	3
Kathleen G	12

★ BECOME A MEMBER ★

Membership to SCAC includes the benefit of discounts at the Club while helping to furnish and maintain the facility, pay utilities, and make repairs.

Please give back to our community and help keep the doors open!

Membership Type	Monthly \$	Annually \$	Lifetime \$
Individual	\$30.00	\$330.00	\$3,000.00
Couples	\$50.00	\$550.00	\$4,500.00
Group	\$65.00	\$715.00	\$6,500.00

COMMUNITY PARTNERS

We are seeking additional Community Partners to help support the club on an ongoing basis. If your business or organization would like to become a Community Partner, please reach out to us at sonomacountyalanoclub.org.

SCAC WEEKLY MEETING SCHEDULE

SUNDAY

6:30am	AA Early Birds
7:45am	Join Us Meeting
10:00am	AA Good, Bad & Ugly
10:00am	NA I'm Clean, Now What
12:00pm	AA Breakfast Club
5:00pm	AA Outsiders
6:00pm	BBA Wrkshp (closed group)
7:00pm	Pills anonymous

MONDAY

6:30am	AA Early Birds
12:00pm	AA Keep It Simple
5:00pm	AA Outsiders
5:30pm	AA Back to Basics (Beginners)

TUESDAY

6:30am	AA Early Birds
12:00pm	AA Tuesday Noon
2:00pm	AA Plain Language BB Study
5:00pm	AA Outsiders
7:15pm	Marijuana Anonymous
7:00pm	Birthday Meeting (last Tuesdays)

WEDNESDAY

6:30am	AA Early Birds
12:00pm	AA Midday Midweek
12:00pm	AA Wednesday Women's
5:00pm	AA Outsiders
6:30pm	Al-Anon

THURSDAY

6:30am	AA Early Birds
12:00pm	AA Chair It or Air It
5:00pm	AA Big Book Study
7:00pm	AA Men's Stag

FRIDAY

6:30am	AA Early Birds
12:00pm	AA TGIF Meeting
5:00pm	AA Outsiders
7:00pm	Narcotics Anonymous

SATURDAY

6:30am	AA Early Birds
12:00pm	AA Saturday Serenity
12:00pm	NA Clean Freaks
5:00pm	AA Outsiders

WE THANK OUR COMMUNITY PARTNERS FOR THEIR SUPPORT!



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SCAC ORGANIZATION

The SCAC Board of Directors meets the 3rd Wednesday of every month at 6:30pm. All SCAC Members are welcome.

2026 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

PRESIDENT: Ryan Lee
1st VICE PRESIDENT: Jori Rosenfield
2nd VICE PRESIDENT: Judith Helman

TREASURER: George Vieira
VICE TREASURER: Darby Davenport
OFFICER AT LARGE: Forrest Hansen

SECRETARY: Justin Oxford
VICE SECRETARY: [Open position](#)
EVENTS COORDINATOR: Robert Holden

MANAGEMENT & SUPPORT

CLUB OPERATIONS MANAGER: John Mynatt
GIFT SHOP MANAGER: Sharon Piezzi
FACILITY MAINTENANCE: [Open position](#)

VOLUNTEER COORD.: Forrest Hansen
MEMBERSHIP COORD: [Open position](#)
SOCIAL MEDIA COORD.: [Open position](#)

EVENTS COMMITTEE: Robert Holden & Jori Rosenfield with Member Volunteers
NEWSLETTER EDITOR: Jori Rosenfield