Southern California World Service AMIAS/Alateen Newsletter

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Upcoming Events

We have lots of Alateen events coming up! If you have a potential Alateen event you want to put on please reach out to Jeri, our Alateen Events Coordinator, Betty, our Area Alateen Process Person, or our SCWS Alateen Area Concerns email.

Alateen Events Coordinator (Jeri): alateenevents@scws-al-anon.org

Area Alateen Process Person (Betty): Aapp@scws-al-anon.org

Alateen Area Concerns: alateen-amiasconcerns@scws-al-anon.org



(Southern California Alateen Conference)

presents a Beach BBQ!

Where: Huntington Beach Lifeguard Station 8

When: Saturday May 31, 2025 11am-2pm Suggested donation: \$10 For hamburger or hotdog, beverage, and s'mores!

Contact: Bernadette H. 310) 308-3967 nibradaigh@juno.com Bear W. (805)766-7401 scac.scws@gmail.com



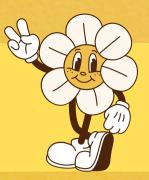
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(PENDING FINAL APPROVAL)



Friday, July 25th to Sunday, July 27th University of Redlands 1200 E Colton Ave, Redlands CA 92373 For more information, contact Bear W. (805)766-7401 scac.scws@gmail.com



Alateen Resources

To reboot Alateen we need Al-Anon families & Institutions to be INFORMED about Alateen!

* * * LOOKING FOR ALATEENS WILLING TO BE SPEAKERS* * *

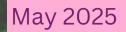
5-minute, 10-minute, 15-minute, or 30-minute speakers at in-person or ZOOM events.

Email: Alateencommunications@scws-al-anon.org

Email to arrange for an Alateen speaker or panel at your meeting or event!!!! We can do in person or on ZOOM!







In-Person Meeting Resource:

https://al-anon.org/al-anon-meetings/find-an-alateenmeeting/

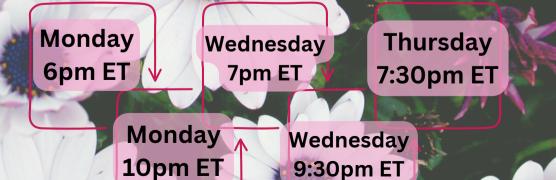
Online Meeting Resource:

WSO Alateen Permanent Electronic Meetings on the Al-Anon App

https://al-anon.org/newcomers/teen-corneralateen/alateen-electronic-meeting/

Alateen Mobile App Meeting Times

Meetings will be displayed in the mobile app in your local time



AMIAS Certification

Can you say yes to Alateen sponsorship?

https://www.scws-al-anon.org/alateen/be-of-service-to-alateen/

To begin the application process for becoming an AMIAS, first talk to your District Representative (DR) and/or District Alateen Liaison (DAL). Let the District know that you are interested in Alateen Service. The DR or DAL can let you know where the opportunities are. They are also responsible for approving your AMIAS Application once your training is complete. Contact the Area Alateen Process Person (AAPP) at aapp@scws-alanon.org once you have notified your District. Include your name, email address, phone number and District number. After you submit your name to the AAPP as a prospective AMIAS, you will receive a confirmation email and then an email invitation around the first of each month. The Invitation will include a link to register for that month's webinar. Training sessions are usually about 90 minutes.

Convention and Event Chairs!

If you would like an AMIAS training at your convention or event, contact Betty: aapp@scws-al-anon.org. Allow 2 ½ hours in your schedule for the training.

WHAT KINDS OF SERVICE ARE AVAILABLE IN ALATEEN?

There are numerous ways you can be of service! Some are...

- Co-sponsor a weekly Alateen meeting
- Help plan and support Alateen events
 - Transport Alateen members to meetings and events

ARE THERE ANY ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS I MUST MEET?

To become an AMIAS, you must:

- Have at least 2 years of regular Al-Anon participation
- Attend at least one Al-Anon meeting a week
 - Be at least 25 years old

Be able to pass the Southern California
 World Service (SCWS) background check

- Attend a 90-minute initial training session (offered online every month by webinar)
- Be willing to step down immediately if any controversy interferes with your purpose of serving Alateen members

SOUNDS GREAT!! I MEET ALL THE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS. HOW DO I GET STARTED?

First, speak with your District Representative and/or District Alateen Liaison to learn what the needs are in your local area and how you can best be of service. Then, email the Area Alateen Process Person (AAPP) and give them your name, email, and phone number. You will receive an email reply with information on everything needed to complete the process. You can contact the AAPP at aapp@scws-al-anon.org

HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE TO GET CERTIFIED?

Most applications are completed in less than 4 weeks.

WHEN CAN I START WORKING WITH ALATEENS?

As soon as you receive the email formally notifying you that your registration is complete. *** You may not participate with Alateen until you are officially notified ***

CONSIDER BECOMING AN AMIAS! Al-Anon Member Involved in Alateen Service

AMIAS Re-Certification

To be eligible for Recertification on May 31, 2025 each currently certified AMIAS must attend one of the Area sponsored AMIAS Recertification

Workshops.

You must be in attendance for the entire workshop and participate to receive the Certificate of Attendance. There is no registration fee. The workshops are FREE and are open to all interested Al-Anon & Alateen members. Please encourage Alateen members to attend.

All AMIAS requiring Recertification will receive an email invitation to attend. A limited number will be able to participate in each workshop. We will be continuing virtual workshops in Zoom format as well as working with districts, conventions and AIS to hold face to face workshops. Registration is requested for face to

face meetings.

The AMIAS Recertification conducted in Spanish Date TBD La Recertificación AMIAS solo en Inglés 2025 Recertification Schedule February 9 Sunday 12-2PM February 25 Tuesday 6-8PM March 4 Tuesday 6-8PM March 29 Saturday 9-11AM April 1 Tuesday 6-8PM April 27 Sunday 12-2 PM May 3 Saturday 9-11AM May 6 Tuesday 6-8PM

Online Meeting Information Join us on Zoom Meeting ID: 886 9247 2467 Passcode: 158832 Please read the <u>Alateen</u> <u>Behavior and Safety</u> <u>Requirements</u>. Bring questions, concerns, experience, strength and hope.

2025-2027

SCWS Alateen Coordinators

Alateen Communications Coordinator Selena J. Alateencommunications@scws-alanon.org

• Contact individuals who have requested information about the Alateen program or forward their request to a District near them and follow-up with the individual.

• Communicate with agencies that have requested an Alateen Panel and arrange Alateens to speak and AMIAS or parent to transport and supervise them.

Create the Area Alateen Newsletter to inform the Area members about recent changes made by SCWS and/or WSO, share AFG Connects postings about Alateen topics, and educate Al-Anon members about Alateen.
Connecting with other Districts about their Alateen meetings.
Hosting a local workshop to encourage potential AMIAS and share about current sponsors/AMIAS opportunities and experiences.
Adding information to the Area Alateen newsletter.

Alateen Events Coordinator Jeri M. Alateenevents@scws-al-anon.org

Create and maintain a process to ensure that SCWS Alateen
events are in compliance with CA(S) and WSO.
Review Alateen Event Plans to ensure compliance with the ASBR (Alateen Safety and Behavioral Requirements) and principles of the Alateen/Al-Anon programs. Then approve or create action item

Communicate with Event Sponsors, Alateen Chairpersons, AMIAS
 Chaperones, and Convention Chairs.

Area Alateen Member Coordinator alateenmembers@scws-al-anon.org

Available to Area Alateen members for discussions regarding concern about meetings, Area policies, etc.

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As appropriate, bring concerns to Officers and/or other Alateen Coordinators. Upon request, arrange and coordinate Alateen members needed for panels and outreach.

Prepare and present written report for each quarterly SCWS meeting. and email to Secretary and Bulletin Coordinator

Receives personal copy of Alateen Talk Newsletter

Alateen Sponsor Coordinator Tina N. Alateensponsor@scws-al-anon.org

- Create the presentation and required materials for AMIAS Certificate Trainings and Recertification Workshops.
- Train and manage Presenters who will conduct AMIAS Recertification Workshops and/or Initial AMIAS Certificate Training in

English and Spanish.

- Manage documents obtained from attendees of workshops,
 attendance roster, and AMIAS Distribution Roster.
 - District rep and District Alateen Liaison training.
- Ensure SCWS Alateen meetings and events are in compliance with CA(S) and WSO.
- Review Alateen Event Plans to approve or create action item list, in
 collaboration with Area Alateen Events Coordinator.
 - Communicate with Event Sponsors, Alateen Chairpersons, and
 Group Sponsors as needed.
 - Review Area Alateen Safety & Behavioral Requirements on an annual basis, per G-24. 8

• Respond to emails from WSO regarding individuals who have requested information about Alateen and contact the individual or forward the request to the District about which the individual is requesting information.

• Serves as primary point of contact with WSO for Area Alateen matters. Communicates with Area Officers about these matters, as appropriate.

- Serves as the primary link of Area support and oversight for the Southern California Alateen Conference (SCAC).
- Oversees and supports Districts with donations and scholarship requests for SCAC.

Alateen Process Person. Betty D.

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