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WSO News

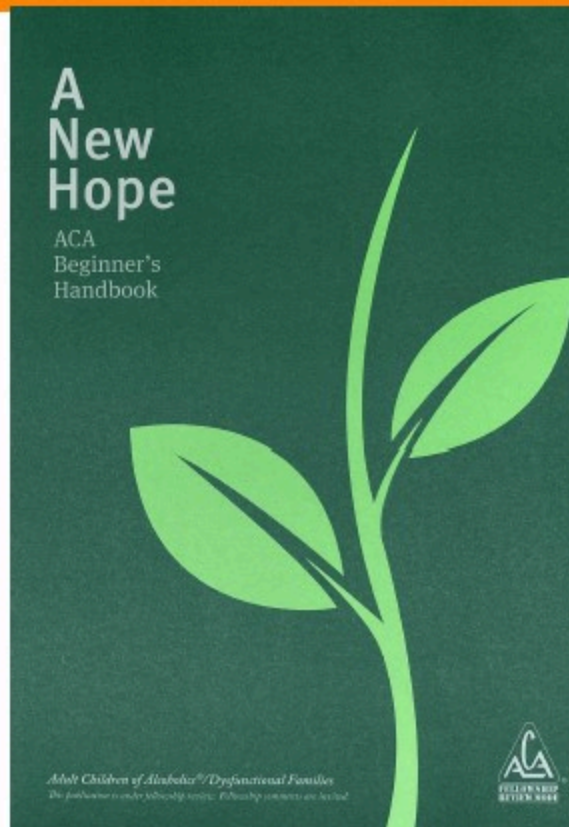
A NEW HOPE – A new book from ACA World Services

NOW SHIPPING!

ORDER YOUR COPY TODAY!

<https://adultchildren.org/a-new-hope>

A New Hope was developed using materials designed to primarily support and guide those who are beginning ACA or would like to have the program tools in one condensed handbook. It is also an invaluable tool for those working with the newcomers.



How to Order:

In the US: <https://shop.adultchildren.org/products/a-new-hope>

In Canada: <https://shop.adultchildren.ca/products/a-new-hope>

International bulk orders (over 10 books): <https://adultchildren.org/international-literature-order-request-form/>

Limited Quantities - Get one before they are gone!

For questions, please email info@acawso.org or call +1 562.595.7831

Your 7th Tradition Donation Helps Newcomers Hear About ACA

ACA members make 7th tradition contributions out of gratitude and to help ACA be self-supporting. If everyone gives something, ACA can do more. How many times have you heard newcomers say "I never knew you existed"? Your Service Office needs more resources to carry the message around the world.

CONTRIBUTE HERE!

<https://adultchildren.org/7th-tradition/>



Call For Support From The AWC Planning Team

The AWC is in urgent need of volunteers from the international community in different time zones to participate in planning and coordinating the next Convention.

To volunteer, please fill in the registration

form: <https://forms.zohopublic.com/admin1564/form/VolunteersattheAWC/formperma/OjzbzIGbVDIEKniYIcGSIhy9RDo7DVVTWXLqXew7ADws> .

Questions? Email us at awc@acawso.org

For more information go to <https://adultchildren.org/awc-planning/>

HOP on THE BUS!

Join us as we take a Field Trip to learn about a WSO Committee. This Month - The ABC Committee. Observe their work. Understand their purpose. Talk about it afterward.

Visit <https://acawso.org/vrc/> for more information.

Volunteer At The WSO!

The ACA Service Office needs volunteers to do service in areas like bundling literature and chips, putting together new meeting packets, and with calls from new people about ACA. Any amount of time between 8am-4pm M-F Pacific Time would be greatly appreciated. Connect with us at info@acawso.org or apply

at <https://acawso.org/service>.

"Virtual Intergroup" Or "Virtual Region"?

Are you a member, meeting or intergroup interested in forming or participating in a "virtual intergroup" or "virtual region"? If so, please email intergroups@adultchildren.org. An email introducing everyone to one another will be sent out to those who respond.

ComLine NEWS!

COMLINE NEWS! Reader comments on ComLine blog shares are enabled for a trial period of up to six months beginning today. Comments will not be made public during this period, but will help decide whether to allow public comments.

MORE COMLINE NEWS! ComLine premieres a new category of shares on the blog. The new category is "NEWCOMER RESOURCES". Check it out, and if you have tips to share with newcomers, write 'em up and submit them for sharing here.

For questions or submissions: <https://adultchildren.org/literature/comline/>

ACA Needs YOU Now!

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<https://acawso.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/04/Announcement-to-apply-for-the-board-or-the-nominating-committee.pdf>

Young Adults & Teens Subcommittee Needs Support

Young Adults & Teens Subcommittee would like to invite new potential servants to support teens and young adults all over the world. We need a co-chair and more members to join the subcommittee. We meet once a month.

<https://acawso.org/young-adult-and-teens/>

ACA ComLine Blog Publications

The ACA ComLine Blog publishes items submitted by ACA members sharing experience, strength, and hope in recovery. Here is a link to an article submitted by a

Fellow Traveler that was published in the 3/01/2022 issue of the blog.

<https://adultchildren.org/comline/aca-toolbox/the-promises-for-today/>

ACA Needs Members Like You!

ACA needs members like you to consider serving on our ACA WSO Board of Trustees. Right now, we need your help to make sure WSO can continue maintaining and growing the ACA program around the world.

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1_8ABtH39Qkx9CUyDF0R7tzdHjz2IncqM8XkhHuaEFKs/edit?usp=sharing

Treasurer's Corner

[Click Here](#) to read the Monthly Treasurer Report. The latest report displayed usually shows the report for the month prior to the current month.

Featured Meetings & Events

Diversity and Inclusion Workshop

On July 20th the Diversity & Inclusion Committee of the Greater East Bay ACA Intergroup is hosting a workshop called "Reclaiming Our Cultural Identity,"

More information is available at <https://acawso.org/calendar/diversity-workshop/>

Sponsored by Greater East bay ACA Intergroup, IG #648

Ready Set Go!! Series

Ready Set Go!! is a 6-week introductory program of the ACA Program, the ACA 12 Steps, and introductory Inner Child Workshop "Awakening Little One."

[Morning Series](#) click [here](#)

[Evening Series](#) click [here](#)

Contact - rsg@acawso.org

Meet & Greet With The Volunteer Resources Committee

Join our “Meet & Greet”, a welcoming space for Representatives and Committee members to discuss WSO service.

Information at: <https://acawso.org/vrc/>

Next meeting July 13, 2024 1:30 - 1:55 pm ET

Meeting ID: 869 3807 5882

Passcode: 656656

July 4th Marathon Meeting

The Marathon **begins Thursday, July 4th, 2024, at 5 am** Eastern Standard Time/ EST **until Friday, July 5th, 2024 at 3 am** EST.

For information click [here](#)

[See More Events](#)

[Submit Your Event](#)

Meetings - ACA WSO maintains a World Meeting List of registered ACA meetings that take place in person, over the phone or online, which is updated monthly. Visit the [Find a Meeting](#) page on adultchildren.org to search for a meeting, or for more detail on specific meeting types, visit the [Meeting](#), [Phone](#), and [Online](#) meeting information pages.

WSO Board of Trustees Teleconference

The ACA WSO Board holds its public teleconference meeting quarterly on the second Saturday using Zoom, at 2pm Eastern time. **Note: The next Teleconference is September 14th.**

Zoom Meeting ID: 228 809 511 **Passcode:** 90755 For more information, including agendas, previous minutes, the Zoom meeting ID, and telephone access numbers, please visit the [ACAWSO.ORG website](https://acawso.org).

Twelve Concepts of Service - Concept VII

The Annual Business Conference recognizes that the Articles of Incorporation and the Bylaws of the Adult Children of Alcoholics World Service Organization are legal instruments: that the Trustees are thereby fully empowered to manage and conduct all of the world service affairs of Adult Children of Alcoholics. It is further understood that our World Service Organization relies upon the force of tradition and the power of the ACA purse for its final effectiveness.

You can find the [12 Concepts of Service here](#).

Daily Meditation Emails

ACA WSO also publishes a daily email with the Meditation of the Day from the book "Strengthening My Recovery". You can sign up to receive the [meditation email here](#). You will need to sign up for this separately from The Traveler Newsletter email.

About Adult Children of Alcoholics (ACA)

ACA is a worldwide 12 Step / 12 Tradition program of recovery dedicated to people who were raised in dysfunctional families. ACA does not seek to assign blame to parents or caretakers, but we seek to understand the reality of how family dysfunctions affected us as children and still affects our adult behavior today.

Family dysfunction can include alcoholism, abandonment, neglect, or any type of addiction or abuse.

ACA is synonymous with ACoA & Adult Children of Alcoholics and Dysfunctional Families.



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