

January 2023 Serenity Flash Report From the Lake-Sumter Central Office

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Happy
New Year

THANK
you!

To all **12-Step volunteers**. This incredible group of people has accepted the mission to answer calls that come in during non-office hours. In doing so, they help hundreds of callers experiencing pain and anguish throughout the year. Each worker takes one day a month (and several volunteers take more) to cover the phones until midnight on their assigned days. We even have Spanish speaking workers for Latino callers. If you would like to be part of this service work, call us for more information.

Congratulations

To **Jenn C** and her committee for the amazingly successful Christmas Gala! They pulled off their first event in a very short time, yet everything went well, the room looked beautiful, everyone thoroughly enjoyed the festivities, and we made a profit.

UPCOMING
EVENTS

- **Central Office Monthly Steering Committee and Rep Meetings** 2nd Weds
- **District 7 Monthly Meeting** 2nd Thursday
- **Workshop with Chris R** Jan 27-28, 2023. \$25 tickets available online and in the office.
- **Central FL Women's Workshop** Mar 17-19, 2023 Lake Yale Baptist Conference Center, Leesburg. Double Room \$199pp, Single \$250
- **66TH Florida State Convention** August 10-13 Saddlebrook Resort, Wesley Chapel. Info: www.floridastateconvention.com
- **SSAASA7** November 17-19. Marriott Orlando. Info: ssaasa7@gmail.com

Check our website for other events: aalakesumter.com.

Would you like your event to be listed here? Just ask!

Office Hours
10am to 2pm

Tuesday
Thursday
Friday



What were the last words of the fish at the AA meeting?
"Hello, I'm the fish and I'm dry."

I drink beer because I'm too lazy to walk.
They say you should walk 10,000 steps, AA only requires 12.

An alcoholic is sitting at a bar and orders two shots. He pours out the first one all over the bar, drinks the second one and orders two more. He pours out the first one on the bar, downs the second one and orders two more. Bartender asks him why he keeps pouring out the first shot all over the bar. The alcoholic replies with "My AA group said all I need to do is avoid that first drink."

(<https://upjoke.com/aa-jokes>)

Did
You
know?

AA Grapevine is having an ongoing photo contest!

- Send them your most striking photographs that reflect the joy of living, serenity, and other sobriety themes.
- Photos must be anonymity protected (no full-face poses or identifiable images of people).
- Selected photos will be posted on the AA Grapevine Instagram page!
- You may enter as many photos as you wish. Contest is ongoing.
- Please include your name and last initial, and location.
- **Send photos to social@agrapevine.org**

Looking forward to seeing your images!