

60 Years of having a Portland Al-Anon Information Service (AIS)

Dear Individual Al-Anon and Alateen Members of the greater Portland Area Al-Anon,

In 1960 there were members with such a love for the Al-Anon program and the knowledge that Alcoholism doesn't only effect the alcoholic but the family as a whole, and those special members started the Portland Al-Anon Information Service; 60 years later Portland still has this special resource.

To celebrate having 60 years of recovery support from our Portland Al-Anon Information Service we are having a **Birthday Donation Fundraiser**. Our primary purpose today is still the same as it was in 1960, to provide valuable services to help families and friends of alcoholics find help and support in Al-Anon and Alateen Family Groups. Having a local AIS, English & Spanish phone lines, brand new website, social media and public service are all designed to attract members to meetings where we welcome newcomers and watch Al-Anon grow, thrive and be available for generations to come. AIS depends entirely on the sale of Conference Approved Literature (CAL) and financial contributions from individuals, groups and the districts it supports. A list of services the AIS offers is shown below.

Please consider celebrating the AIS's 60th Birthday with a monetary donation to continue the local support that we all are receiving. Please mail donations to our AIS at the address below (Memo – 60th Birthday). Contributions can be any amount \$6, \$60,... (Maximum \$1,389 per person 2.5% of the annual budget). Your donation is greatly appreciated to continue giving comfort, help & hope to friends & families of alcoholics.

Portland Al-Anon Information Service is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Your contribution is tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law & a tax deductible receipt will be provided.

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How the Portland AIS Serves Your Group & You

<p>Group & Member Services</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Supports local Al-Anon and Alateen meetings ✓ Creates the bi-monthly newsletter "The Group Scoop" ✓ Supports Alateen and facilitates a monthly Alateen Sponsors (Al-Anon Member in Alateen Service, AMIAS) meeting. ✓ Supports 12 Step Calls in both English & Spanish 	<p>Program Services</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Maintains a meeting list of over 100 local Al-Anon and Alateen meetings in English and Spanish ✓ The Literature Depot stocks only Al-Anon Conference Approved Literature (CAL), housing all English Al-Anon & Alateen books, 15 Spanish books and most pamphlets in the current catalog. ✓ The office is open 40 hours a week, except major holidays 	<p>AIS Service Board carries the message via:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Host communication meetings for Information Service Representatives (ISR's) from each local group bi-monthly ✓ Performs Public Outreach & Outreach to professionals ✓ Taking meetings to home bound members ✓ Displaying & promoting literature ✓ Coordinating Speakers for Al-Anon & Outreach events ✓ Liaisons with the Oregon Area Al-Anon and Liaisons with the Local AA.
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Thank you for your continued support of our Local Al-Anon Information Service – 60 years strong!
AIS Service Committee, Office staff and Office Volunteers