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| OA QUEENSLAND INTERGROUP | NEWSLETTER |

NEW 12 and 12 SECOND EDITION OUT NOW!

After 28 years, a new updated 12 and 12 has been launched and is available from the OA bookstore at www.oa.org in hard copy and electronic format from Amazon Kindle & IBooks.

The new edition contains a helpful index making it easier to use for topic meetings and reference and has a restructured chapter on Step Four and new inventory questions.

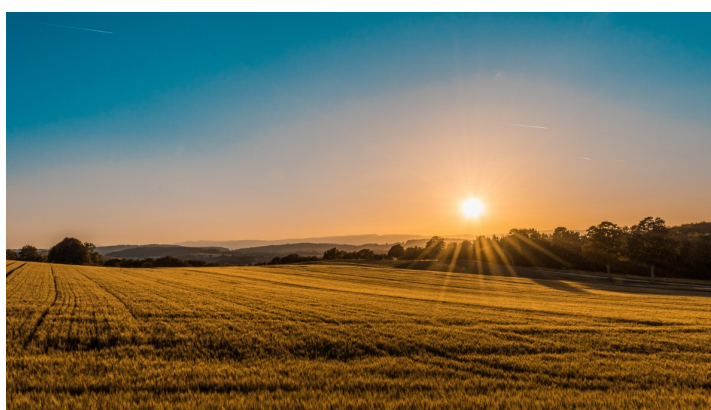
A new Twelve Step Workbook will be available from June replacing the the current edition which references pages from the first edition.

OXENFORD SPEAKER MEETING DEBUT

The first ever Speaker / ID meeting of Sunday's Oxenford group was held on 30th April.

Speaker meetings will be held in July and September on the last Sunday of the month and on 16th December in 2018.

CLIFTON CELEBRATES RECOVERY



Fellowship and Camaraderie were in great supply as OA came to Clifton in April for a wonderful STEP retreat. Held over two days, it was the perfect combination of step recovery work and fun, culminating in the Saturday night cinematic treat that is the New Tivoli Theatre, built in 1911 and one of the last country movie theatres in Queensland.

Many expressed that they had gained or kick started their recovery during the retreat and the peaceful countryside location offered a welcome respite from the stresses of everyday life. Many thanks to the organisers for such a splendid weekend.

2018 ASSEMBLY & CONVENTION

The Region Ten Assembly and Convention will be held in Sydney this year on 10 – 14th October at St Joseph's Baulkham Hills Centre for Reflective Living. Registration Details will be available shortly.





We want to hear from YOU!

Please share your OA-RELATED NEWS, STORIES, INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR GROUP, OR ANY OTHER INFORMATION YOU WISH TO SHARE WITH OA QUEENSLAND.

The closing date for submissions is 7th July 2018

Send any info to:

oaqldnewsletterco@gmail.com

QUEENSLAND Convention - RECOVER WITH US

*RECOVERY:
SPIRITUAL,
EMOTIONAL AND
PHYSICAL*



OA QUEENSLAND INTERGROUP CONVENTION

QCCB BROOKFIELD

November 2ND, 3RD & 4TH 2018

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New “Virtual” Intergroup to launch

Following a proposal approved at the recent World Service Business Conference in April, the first OA virtual intergroup is set to launch within the coming weeks.

It’s a great example of OA responding to the changes and challenges of recovery in the 21st century and reacting to the increasing reliance we all have on technology in every aspect of our lives including our recoveries.

There are thousands of existing members of registered OA Facebook and other OA social media groups and the numbers are growing.



Many members, especially in Australia and other less densely populated regions, find it difficult to get to regular face to face meetings either through incapacity, family and work commitments or geographical proximity and the online environment can be a vital resource in their recovery.

Establishing a virtual intergroup will help to regulate and disseminate central information to virtual groups around the world and further strengthen OA as opposed to unregistered and unregulated groups that purport to offer OA recovery but have no affiliation whatsoever and don’t follow the Traditions and guidelines of OA.

Recently OA has been cracking down on unregistered groups using the OA name which confuses members who sign up thinking they are official OA meetings and groups when in reality they are not.

For a full list of Non-real-time meetings, go to: <http://oa.org/find-a-meeting/?type=5>

INTERGROUP MEETS 1ST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE CURCH OF CHRIST - 55 CROWN STREET, HOLLAND PARK, 4121