

Puget Sound SAA Schedule - Jan 11, 2022

Contact trustservwast@gmail.com with changes or to receive updates. Type of meeting: Closed and mixed unless otherwise noted. You can come to a closed meeting if you have a desire to stop addictive sexual behavior.

| | Type | City | Zoom Room & Passcode or Address | | Contact/Notes |
|------------------|-----------------------------|------------|---|-----------------------|--|
| Sunday | | | | | |
| 9:15am | Men | Seattle | PEER Seattle, 1520 Bellevue Ave, STE 100, Room 3 | | seattlesundayserenity@gmail.com , (206) 503-7867 |
| 5:00pm | Cmte | Seattle | 828 7365 4896 | 828301 | Intergroup committee. |
| 6:00pm | Open | Seattle | 745 7354 5027 | (none) | |
| Monday | | | | | |
| 12:00pm | | Bellevue | 859 2090 7523 | Bellevue | Passcode for phone: 42510276 |
| 6:30pm | | Shoreline | 547 872 413 | (none) | 253.215.8782 |
| 6:30pm | Men | Poulsbo | In person. Call contact for info | | Chris M 360.473.3077. 2 hour meeting |
| 7:00pm | | | 301 005 370 | 277921 | |
| 7:30pm | | Olympia | Zoom - call contact for info | | Jack 360.259.0666 |
| Tuesday | | | | | |
| 7:00pm | | Bellingham | Bellingham Unitarian Fellowship 1207 Ellsworth St. | | 2013finallyfree@gmail.com Masks and vaccination required, social distancing enforced |
| 7:00pm | | Kent | 11717 SE 240 th St. | | First Christian Church of Kent. 201.500.5247, Tom B. 206.304.3830 |
| 7:00pm | LGBTQIA+ | Seattle | 105 329 062 | | saatueslgbt@gmail.com for anyone identifying as LGBTQIA+ or ally |
| Wednesday | | | | | |
| 5:00pm | BIPOC | Orlando | 973 4234 7085 | 062266 | |
| 5:30pm | Men | Gig Harbor | 338 571 4540 | 790201 | GratefulHarbor@gmail.com |
| 5:45pm | Closed/ Mixed/ Hybrid | Bellevue | 396 491 153 | 016969 Alano Club, | Club on NE 8 th , same room saa.bellevue@gmail.com |
| 7:00pm | | Burlington | 800 E. Rio Vista Ave., Valley Community Church (was Faith Baptist) | | togetherwecan365@gmail.com |
| 7:00pm | | Puyallup | 340 287 211 | 478346 | 253.256.3411, puyallupgreenbook@gmail.com |
| 7:00pm | | Marysville | 287 558 6407 | 598647 | |
| 7:30pm | Hybrid | Seattle | 889 7059 3216 | 052383 | |
| | | | 6512 – 12 th Ave NW, Seattle, WA 98117 | | St. Paul's United Church of Christ, vaccines required |
| Thursday | | | | | |
| 12:00pm | | Bellevue | 859 2090 7523 | Bellevue | Passcode for phone: 42510276 |
| 7:00pm | | Everett | 810 9231 2023 | winner | Jason 425-610-7071 |
| 7:00pm | | Milton | 849 196 290 | 692957 | Leah S. 253.360.6711, lsbutterfly@gmail.com |
| 7:00pm | Open, Hybrid | W. Seattle | 748 2640 3961 | (none) | ThursWestSeattleSAA@gmail.com |
| 7:00pm | | Olympia | Church of Christ in W Seattle | | |
| 7:00pm | | | Call contact for info | | Stewart 360.339.3069 |
| Friday | | | | | |
| 6:00pm | | Tacoma | 352 919 147 | 692957 | |
| Saturday | | | | | |
| 8:00am | | Olympia | Call contact for info | | Greg B 360-888-0995 |
| 8:15am | Phone | | (425) 436-6308 | 503734 | Saturday Answers in the Heart |
| 10:00am | BIPOC | Bay Area | 899 5672 1678 | Saturday | |
| 10:00am | Hybrid | Everett | Everett United Church of Christ 2624 Rockefeller Ave 885 2542 5540 123456 | | (1 st floor parlor in the back) Jeffrey 360-358-3081 |
| 5:15pm | Speaker | Spanaway | 251 518 2503 | 04122020 | Speaker Meeting – 3rd Sat of Jan, Apr, Jul, Oct. |
| 6:00pm | | Spanaway | 117 836 131 | 867255 | |
| 6:30pm | Speaker | Seattle | 868 6373 2234 | Voices | Quarterly. Next one in September |
| Daily | | | | | |
| 9:00pm | Phone | n/a | 712-775-7465 | 606024# | *6 to mute, *6 again to talk |

Area Contacts

- *Puget Sound intergroup*. 331.303.2077, trustservwast@gmail.com, pugetsoundsaa.org
- *Women* can also call Leah at 253.380.6711 or Bonnie at 505.554.7845
- *King County Eastside*. bellevuesaa@gmail.com
- *Annual SAA/COSA Retreat*. 425.272.5740, SerenityOnTheSound@gmail.com, soundretreat.org
- *Portland, OR intergroup*. 346.808.0722 (text ok), portlandsaa.org, recovery@portlandsaa.org, forwomen@portlandsaa.org
- *Vancouver, BC intergroup*. 236.889.5331, men@saavancouver.org, women@saavancouver.org, www.saavancouver.org

National/International Contacts

- *SAA internation organization*. 800.477.8191, saa-recovery.org/, telemeetings: saatalk.info
- *SAA Women's intergroup*. grace@saa-women.org, saa-women.org, saaforwomen.org

A Special Note about Safety

From the Women's Outreach Committee:

As a newcomer in SAA, please be aware that this is an individual 12-step program with no governing authority except our Higher Power. This is a group of sex addicts. If any person you encounter within our fellowship tries to behave sexually with you, this is inappropriate. You may end the conversation/relationship immediately. Our 5th tradition states that our primary purpose is to carry the message of recovery to the sex addict who still suffers. Exploiting a new member is not in keeping with our Traditions and is inappropriate. This behavior, commonly referred to as "13th stepping," is rare but unfortunately does happen.

Here are some suggestions some of us have found helpful for discerning and preventing "13th stepping."

1. Have a wide range of support. Reach out to several people for support, not just one or two people. If something doesn't feel right, question it. Do not hesitate to turn to another sober member for support if necessary.
2. Some groups have found it helpful to assign two temporary sponsors to each newcomer, that way the newcomer is never alone with another member.
3. Read our literature on Safe and Sober Meetings. Do not spend one-on-one time or have phone calls with people in SAA to whom you are attracted or have expressed an attraction to you.

Above all, sobriety is the goal. Honor yourself by surrounding yourself with people who support your recovery.

SAA meeting: "We Are Priceless"

"We Are Priceless" is a safe space where former sex workers, and current sex workers who are seeking to leave the industry, can heal together. For the purposes of the group, Sex work is defined as, but not limited to anyone who traded sexual behavior for money, goods, notoriety, services, etc. for any amount of time, including once. The group was born from a discussion between a few former sex workers and an ally, who were talking about how to share in SAA meetings, especially mixed meetings, about their experiences with selling sex without triggering other sex addicts. So this meeting was created where people of all genders, with a common history of trading for sex, along with trusted allies, can work their recovery together, and create a safe place to share. For safety, interested members are requested to email saa.xsw@gmail.com for more info, and in order to be accepted to join the meeting. We would [...] set up a conference call with two representatives of the meeting to share stories and give the access information, [...] with anyone who inquires about the meeting. Meeting guidelines ask that participants focus on the solution, and that has largely been the case. While there is a common history of selling for sex, and people have shared issues common to ex workers (such as financial issues and finding employment), it's usually an incredibly safe and uplifting meeting.

(Note: When the group was formed, the Group Conscience was to allow safe, selected allies as well as sex workers.)

Telemeeting details, for group *We Are Priceless*

Attendance: Mixed - any sex addicts seeking recovery

How to join: please email saa.xsw@gmail.com for more information

Scheduled time: Sunday 12:00-1:00 US/Pacific

Meeting type : Boundary (new members must meet with members and be invited to join)