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### Activities Committee

1st Tuesday of the month-6pm

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VINPRANA Area Service  
Committee 2nd Sunday of the  
Month-  
10:15am  
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### Public Relations Committee

3rd Tuesday of the month- 6pm

[www.meet.zoho.com/XCzELGRKkj](http://www.meet.zoho.com/XCzELGRKkj)

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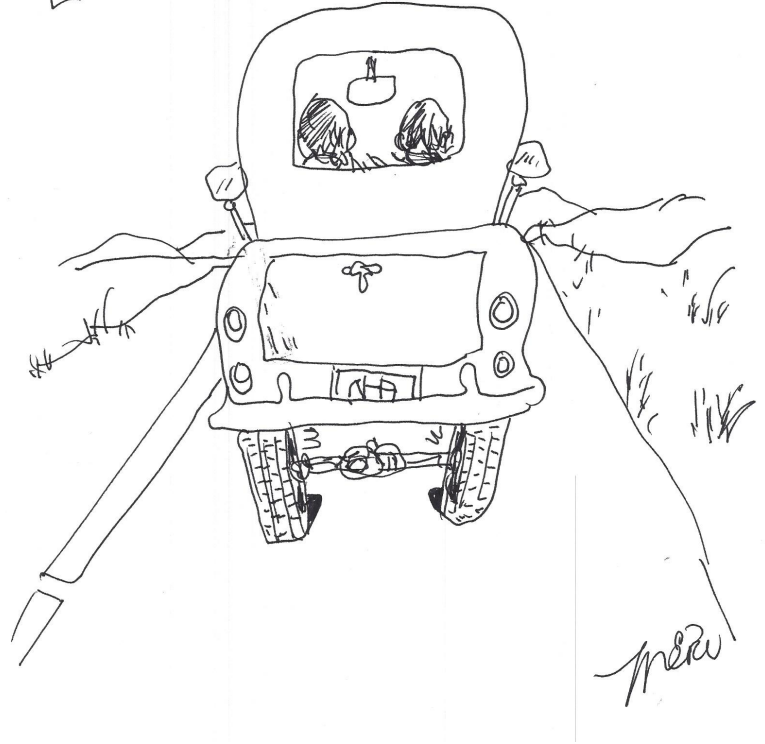
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### Newsletter Committee

meets the LAST Thursday of the  
month at 6pm  
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# Keep Coming Back



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## Home Group

THOUGH "THE HOME GROUP" CARTOON STRIP HAS BEEN A STAPLE OF THE NA WAY FOR ALMOST 9 YEARS - WE'RE WELL AWARE THAT MOST OF YOU HAVE NEVER SEEN US... SO IN THE TIME-TESTED TRADITION OF THE NA MEETING, WE'D LIKE TO STAND AND INTRODUCE OURSELVES SO THAT YOU MAY GET TO KNOW US BETTER:

HI, I'M SERENA, A RESPONSIBLE ADDICT. I'M RESPONSIBLE FOR MY RECOVERY, MY HOME, MY JOB, MY SPONSEES, MY NEIGHBORHOOD, THE ENVIRONMENT, WORLD PEACE... AND THEY SAY THIS PROGRAM IS ABOUT LETTING GO?!!

HI - MY NAME'S JAKE, AND I'M AN ADDICT. HOW LONG HAVE I BEEN AROUND THESE ROOMS? ... I CAN REMEMBER WHEN THE SERENITY PRAYER ENDED WITH "IT WORKS!"

MY NAME IS EDDIE. I'M AN ADDICT. I CAME TO NA TO FIND MY LIFE, WELL... I GOT IT - AND MORE!... I'D LIKE YOU TO MEET MY NEW WIFE, MARGE. YEAH - HI, I'M ALSO AN ADDICT.

HELLO. MY NAME IS ROBERT, AND I'M A GRATEFUL RECOVERING MEMBER OF THE FELLOWSHIP OF NA. KNOW HOW MUCH I LOVE SERVICE? WHEN THEY SAID "90 MEETINGS IN 90 DAYS"... I THOUGHT THEY MEANT SUB-COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

HEY THERE! I'M DENLAH, LIKE, AN ADDICT. YA KNOW, I WAS THINKING ABOUT TAKING, LIKE, THIS SPECIAL SEMINAR THING FOR "COMPULSIVE DEBTORS" TO HELP ME WITH MY, LIKE, SHOPPING PROBLEM... BUT THEY DIDN'T TAKE AMERICAN EXPRESS.

HI, MY NAME IS TIMMY. I'M AN ADDICT. I'M KINDA NEW AROUND HERE. MOST EVERYTHING I'VE LEARNED ABOUT WORKING THE STEPS HAS COME FROM MY SPONSOR, SLUGG - IN SPITE OF WHICH I'VE MANAGED TO STAY CLEAN ANYWAY.

I'M AN ADDICT NAMED SLUGG. NOW YOU'VE MET THE CHARMING PEOPLE I RELY ON FOR MY RECOVERY SUPPORT. OH JOY, PLEASE EXCUSE ME WHILE I GO STRANGLE MYSELF.