

**FRIDAY July 31, 2009**

Golf Tournament - **Warm Springs Golf Course 8am Shotgun start**

Registration Noon-9pm

Hospitality Room 3pm-12 Midnight

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Panel Discussions/Workshops

Kickoff Meeting 6:30-9pm

Online registration information

**Al-Anon Speaker: Ralph B.** Los Angeles, Ca

**[www.gemstateroundup.org](http://www.gemstateroundup.org)**

**AA Speaker: Lillie H.** (19yrs) Maine

**Comedian: John Wing** 10pm (As seen on Comic Strip Live & Evening At The Improv)

**SATURDAY August 1, 2009**

Registration 8am-6pm

Hospitality Room 7am-12 Midnight

Panel Discussions/Workshops (AM)

Al-Anon Luncheon 11:30am

**Al-Anon Speaker: Judy A.** (39yrs) B.C. Canada

Panel Discussions/Workshops (PM)

Banquet/ Speaker Meeting 6:00pm

Raffle/Auction

**AA Speaker: Linda P.** (10yrs) Lake Balboa, Ca

**Dance** 10pm -1:00am

**HOTEL INFORMATION**

***DoubleTree Riverside Hotel***

2900 Chinden Blvd.

Boise, Idaho 83714

Phone: 1-800-222-8733 or 1-208-343-1871

**Mention the Gem State Roundup**

For the special rate of \$95.00 per night.

Must register before July 15 to  
guarantee Roundup room rate.

**SUNDAY August 2, 2009**

Registration 8am - 9am

Hospitality Room 8am-11am

Spiritual Breakfast 9am

Closing Meeting 10am

**AA Speaker: Dick J.** (38 yrs) Riverside, Ca

**NOTE:** Most associations like to hold conferences/conventions. In AA, Al-Anon and Alateen, a conference/convention is an important opportunity to share the recovery experience in a broad way. There are many AA, Al-Anon or Alateen conferences held around the world. One of the most common misconceptions of these gatherings is that they are AA, Al-Anon or Alateen meetings, and since there are “no dues or fees for membership...” there should be no fees to attend these conferences. Conventions and conferences are special events, not regular meetings. They require months of planning, preparation, and money. Since most events are in hotels/convention centers, the hotel/convention center will require that the group purchase coffee and food. Other expenses include travel and lodging for conference speakers, printing of flyers, programs and schedules, postage and supplies. A large event requires a substantial amount of money.

**Attendance at a convention/conference is voluntary. Furthermore, attending as part of a group is optional. As responsible AA, Al-Anon or Alateen members, we must “pay our own way!”**

**Distribution of proceeds from the 2009 Gem State Roundup will be as follows:**

**1) prudent reserve for 2010; 2) percentage to Al-Anon based on participation; 3) remainder to AA service entities as decided by group conscience of the 2009 Roundup participants**