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To: Group Secretary

Re: National Service Forum Sponsorship Project

The ISCCSO Inc is offering 5 funded sponsorships (worth \$175* each) for the AA National Services Forum being held this long weekend in October 2026.

Groups are invited to nominate any AA member of their group who

- ° has a sponsor
 - ° had done the twelve steps, and
 - ° has a minimum of twelve months sobriety (*and drug free - prescribed drugs exempt*)
 - ° is keen to learn more about AA's broader service opportunities
 - ° can get to Canberra and accommodate themselves,
- along with a paragraph or two, of why they'd like to attend.

Groups may provide some words of support for the member or members they nominate

If we have more applications than the number of sponsorships being offered, the Committee will consider the nomination and group's words of support and/or draws nominations from a hat!. The Committee's decision will be final.

5 tickets @ \$175 equals a budget of \$875

NB The full ticket includes Saturday night dinner @ \$60

If the member wants to put that \$60 towards fuel/ accommodate I recommend that we can approve that - with some sort of receipt.

Details about "How groups can to apply" will be posted on the CSO website under Local News as soon as possible after the AGM.

Kindest Regards

Rona Goold
Treasurer & Public Officer

Date: 15th August 2026

Note: The ISCCSO Inc is also funding ten (10) “Pay It Forward” amounts totally \$750 to assist any member of AA to attend either a part or all of the Forum.

More information about the AA National Service Forum

Can be found on this website:

<https://aancsf2026.org.au/>

by contacting the Forum via the Contact Form or Phone on the website

or the Convenor by email at:

hello@aancsf2026.org.au