

NEWSLETTER

Find Help & Hope.

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**We could not do it
without our
volunteers!**

**Are you interested in
volunteering?**

Contact us at
outreach@namisanjoaquin.org

**We are *strongest*
when we are
united for
the same cause.**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT



Thank you to all who supported and participated in the NAMIWALK 2021 on May 22. San Joaquin County had four of the top earning teams this year out of all of Northern California. It was a success not only in our fundraising efforts but also we had more teams participate this year which means more people were reached. We are still accepting donations at:

<http://namiwalks.org/northernCalifornia>

TEEOFF FOR TRAVIS



NAMI San Joaquin was pleased to attend the Tee Off for Travis Memorial Golf Tournament on May 10. This event was in honor of Travis Lopez, who died by suicide in May 2020. The event raised money for the World Changer Scholarship and raised awareness for mental health.

Travis's life had much to celebrate. He was Outstanding Graduating Senior of

2013 at San Jose State University, a successful professional, and deeply loved by family and friends. He started the World Changer Scholarship in 2013 to support San Jose State students who want to blend business with social justice. Travis was also a person with mental health challenges. While the event was to honor Travis's life, strengths, and accomplishments, Travis's friends and family also wanted to raise awareness that it is okay to talk about mental health.

NAMI volunteers and board members spent an afternoon talking about NAMI programs, listening to stories of personal and family experiences with mental health challenges, and spreading the word that no one has to experience mental illness alone.

For more information, please visit <https://sites.google.com/view/teeoff-for-travis/home>.

<p>NAMI SJC Family Support Groups</p> <p>Do you have a family member who is living with a mental illness? Are you looking for support and education? NAMI San Joaquin offers Family Support Groups throughout the county.</p> <p>2nd Tuesday and 4th Thursday each month at 6:00pm</p> <p>Meetings are temporarily being held via Zoom. If interested in attending and to receive the link to join the group, please contact NAMI SJC via email at info@namisanjoaquin.org</p>	<p>NAMI SJC Connection Support Groups</p> <p>A Peer-led Support Group for adults living with mental illness. This group can assist with insights by hearing the challenges and successes of other peers. The groups are led by NAMI-Trained Facilitators who have lived experience.</p> <p>1st and 3rd Tuesday & 2nd and 4th Friday at 6:00pm</p> <p>Meetings are temporarily being held via Zoom. If interested in attending and to receive the link to join the group, please contact NAMI SJC via email at info@namisanjoaquin.org</p>
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NAMI SJC Board Meetings

3rd Thursday/monthly at 6:00 PM Meetings are temporarily being held via Zoom. If interested in attending, please contact NAMI SJC at info@namisanjoaquin.org

SJC BHS Board Meetings

3rd Wednesday of each at 5:00 PM Meetings are temporarily being held via zoom. If interested in attending, please contact BHS for information at (209) 468-8700

Stockton Spanish Support

We apologize for the inconvenience but our Spanish Family Support Groups & Spanish Connection Support Groups are temporarily on hold. We are seeking Spanish speaking volunteer leaders.

S.J. Co. Behavioral Health Services Family Advocate:
Richard Black
 209-401-6087



COVID 19 Hotline
 1-833-422-4255
 M-F 8-8 Sat-Sun 8-5

BECOME A NAMI MEMBER TODAY!

NAMI SJC Membership Drive Use the form on this letter to submit your renewal or new membership dues. Your membership and support are essential to NAMI San Joaquin County and enables our affiliate to provide education, support, advocacy and to grow.



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Membership is for NAMI SJC, NAMI California and NAMI.

New Member Renewal

Household Membership\$60

Individual Member \$40

Open Door (limited Income)\$5

NAME: _____

STREET: _____

CITY: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ CELL: _____

EMAIL: _____

ADDITIONAL DONATION

Please consider giving an additional \$25 or more to NAMI San Joaquin County. Your donation supports our local services for those with mental illness and their family members.

\$ _____ Total Enclosed

Make checks payable to:

NAMI San Joaquin County or join online at www.namisanjoaquin.org

I am interested in volunteering for NAMI San Joaquin County. Please contact me at the above address/phone/Email.

PLEASE MAIL THIS FORM TO:

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