

GLBT In Recovery Executive Committee Meeting

Meeting took place on March 19, 2008 at 8:00 PM

Attendees:

Dan K
Erik A
Chuck J
Zeke D
Michael B
Brentt F
Chris M
Glade W

Meeting Minutes:

Old Business:

Erik, Zeke and Marc went to the bank and got debit cards.

Zeke to get in touch with Bob W to setup billing through the new debit cards instead of sending a monthly check for \$3.xx.

Follow-up on Brad C – Marc J issued him a check for \$586 to reserve the suite at Gopher State.

Zeke reports that Tony M found old papers detailing the history of the GLBT in Recovery organization.

Zeke called Tony M to come to the next committee meeting. Zeke is going to send him an email to follow-up.

Treasurer's report:

- Gopher state - \$586
- St. Patty's Day event lost money
 - o Spent \$510.72
 - o Income was \$292.00
 - o Net -292.xx
- \$2,238.96 is our balance

What went wrong with St Patty's Day?

- Not enough time to plan and prepare in advance of the event

Chuck to call Brad C to see what he needs for Gopher state. Invite him to the next meeting.

Minnesober Update

- Justin S stepped down as co-chair
- Layne stepped down as volunteer chair
- Emily N is co-chair, Glade will call her to invite her to the next GLBT in Recovery meeting

- Cheryl S has volunteered to be the Minnesober volunteer chair

Spring Event Update from Brentt F:

- Event will begin at noon on May 4th
- Event will take place at The Pride Institute
 - o Nikki Simon is activities coordinator there
- Pride Institute is going to cover the food (apparently at their expense)
- Brentt F is meeting with Nikki at Vera's on Sunday at 12:30 (It's Easter Sunday)
 - o Anyone is welcome to attend this meeting
- Kevin B is going to produce the flyer – all info will come from Sunday's meeting at Vera's.
- Chris M will have flyers printed and distributed to people to bring to meetings
- Brentt F has two speakers lined up
- Suggestion to move up the election of to-be vacant co-chair for GLBT in Recovery to earlier in the event so there are more eligible people present
- Glade has spoken with Justin S at Lavender about advertising.
 - o Committee suggested that we advertise for Minnesober if we get a deal. If we can get a deal for both, that's great, but we suspect that we only get one shot and we'd like to spend that one shot on Minnesober.

Halloween Event Update:

- Michael B has volunteered to be the event chairperson
- Committee suggested that Michael B get in touch with JD, as he ran the last Halloween event

Website Update:

- Talk to the guys about putting the spring event up on the website
- Desire to have individual website pages for each event
- Gopher state page will need the time slots
- Add information for the new volunteer contact for Minnesober – contact Cheryl S

Wrap up:

GLBT in Recovery Committee meetings will now be held at 8:00 PM, remaining at the Park Ave House.

Next meeting is scheduled for April 16th.