

NLANA Vermilion Committee Minutes

11 a.m. Saturday, June 1, 2013

Peace Church, Duluth

Opened meeting with Serenity Prayer

Introductions: Lindsey, Trac R., Val D., John B., Melissa, Austin, Rihannon, Jeremy, Marvella D., Sheila F., Sue J., Shelby

Positions still open: Facilities chair: John B elected. Kitchen Chair, Kids Crafts

Merchandise: (see report)

Committee okayed the less detailed logo with one color for sweat pants, coffee mugs.

They would like to continue our tradition of having only two chairs for auction and NOT order the camp chairs, but perhaps purchase them like we normally do and put a logo on them (?)

For the vests, we want six of them. We were unclear about how many words we can do. If it is only one word, say, "HUGGER". If multiple words, "Vermilion Hugger"

Committee wants five blankets ordered and sell for \$25.

Would like same style sweat pants as last year.

Programming: Julie m will help on committee. Main speaker is Will, workshop speakers are Jitterbug & Austin, Chris C and Nicky F. Will get them letters and mileage for main speaker.

Registration: Missy will help on committee. Spencer is working on online registration which will work with paypal. Robin is working on creating google doc registration. Sheila and Tracy will look into capabilities of using a card reader for at event.

Adult Games: scavenger hunt, kickball. Trac look for past years scavenger hunt list.

Kids games: relay races, obstacle course, shark attack, dragon, apple-eating contest

Discounts: all committee members are eligible for kids price discount (not just chair person). That discount is based on honesty and integrity. Bakk house committee price is \$70.

Extend kids price to half-way houses and treatment centers in exchange for service work. Trac will send them letter. Bakk house is not included in discounts.

Other: Send Bryan J pictures of prior Vermilions for slide show. Marvella will renew Sam's club membership.

Close with Gratitude Prayer

Next meeting: Pilgrim Lutheran Church, July 7, 2013

July Meeting:

Fill open positions (kitchen, kids crafts)

Add committee members

Committee check ins

Order extra meeting lists and registrations

Merchandise Report May 2013

Sorry I could not attend but it has been a productive month for merchandise. First I want to correct my last report. I forgot that I had taken a \$100 draw for startup money and I was looking at the deposit. The total merchandise sold to date is \$570 and not \$670. This matches my inventory report which is attached plus \$10. Must have been a donation. We are still owed \$15 for a tee sale which I expect to see after this meeting.

I met with on the limit to get some pricing. We discussed a less detailed logo which I am going to have them do. It will be one color and less detail so we can use it for the sweat pant, coffee mug and chairs if we decide to order them. Our thoughts were to keep the bonsi outline with a little shading, the partial NA logo and the circle with lettering as it is. Need feedback on this.

Next- I showed Liz the two styles of vest I brought from Val. Liz suggested using a vest like we used at MNNAC for several reasons-wear, washing, sizing and ease of print screening. I have enclosed a price per vest screened in one color with whatever word we want. We need to decide if that is the way we want to go, what word and how many.

I also got pricing for mugs in cobalt blue with the simple one color logo like the ones we did at MNNAC. The mugs were a huge success.

A fellow addict asked about doing camp chairs so I got pricing for them. We would have to order in lots of four, using the one color simple logo. I think we could order four and if they don't sell we can raffle them off. What do you think?

The sport blankets would be made out of hooded material and have our full size color logo on it. 50"x60". I think it's a great price and we should look at it. What do you think?

Last, I got pricing on the same style sweat pant we ordered last year. Do we want to look at something different? Let me know.

I have attached the quote from on the limit and inventory.

Oh, I spoke with On-the limit about adding the registered trademark to our logos. We also need to pay tax for any purchases we make because we are not a non-profit organization.

In loving service

Tracy P