

Minutes from Programming Committee on 4/22/12

Members Present: Robin, Jen, Donnie, Trac, and Jane. Additional NA members sitting in: Sue, Bryan, Zoey, Rachel, Scott, Austin

Recap from last meeting:

- Donnie took on checking out speaker cds.
- Jen took on using face book and twitter and other social media sites to get the word out about MNNAC and posting for ideas.

Things to resolve at May 7th Main Committee meeting;

- Need times and location for Sat/Sun brunches

Suggestions:

- Hold two marathon meetings in the hospitality rooms during the day.
- Hold men and women's raps at different times during the day.
- Hold Regional Meeting at MNNAC at 11am to 1pm and hold extra marathon meetings at this time.

Wouldn't it be cool if ideas:

- Friday night 2 speakers at 10:00pm and 12:00am.
- Marathon meetings beginning to end.
- Candle light meeting
- "Get to know people activities" "Ice breaker between areas"
- Every new comer in Duluth comes to MNNAC
- Arrange transportation for half way houses for speakers and meetings
- Late night game night
- A game room
- Huggers count hugs
- Ideas from previous MNNAC's use readings for ice breaker use of puzzle pieces. Give at registration find people with different readings to collect them all. Find others to complete puzzle.
- Friend people on Facebook at MNNAC
- Workshops put on by people from the first MNNAC

Future items to discuss:

- MNNAC through the years display
- Acknowledging NA members from 1st MNNAC
- How to solicit ideas for Theme
- Need stats from previous convention: agenda, attendance, etc.
- Need to determine location of events like the marathon meetings
- Men's/ women's raps: do we stagger them or run them together.
- Determine schedule for workshops, Friday activities, banquet, speaker, and entertainment