

Minutes
Whitehorse Regional Pride Committee
October 4th, 2007
Noon PM
YEU Boardroom

In attendance: Karen Branigan, Ally Easton, Lisa Vollans, Mistie Couture, Sharleen Patterson

Call to order 12:10

Adoption of Agenda

- minutes adopted with the inclusion of EOC Pride rep report

Reports

- Chair(s)
 - Committee has been fairly quiet since last meeting, but attended Yukon Area Council
- Treasurer
 - Budget 07 carried – Sharleen/Lisa (attached below)
- EOC Pride Rep
 - Being the only Pride committee active in the North, Karen or Kathy should request to be the North rep on the EOC Pride committee tele-conferences.
 - The large wall flag for national events is almost done, should be at the women's conference in the Pride Caucus room
 - There is a new PSAC Pride logo, 2 cogs with swirly rainbow coloring. Electronic versions will be sent out to pride and HR committees
 - The next EOC meeting has been moved to December because of the level2 training
 - Carolyne Moffit-NCR-arranged for tickets to a festival to be purchased for low income people with PSAC matching the number.

Old Business

- AHD dance – the liquor from the dance has been returned, but it will be about 3 weeks until the cheque arrives.
- Positive Space stickers – no progress
- Partnering with GALA – Stephen Dunbar was given the contact info for Karen and Kathy when Sharleen stepped down as chair. To date there has been no contact. Lisa volunteered to be the liaison with GALA and will contact Stephen.

New Business

- Priorities for coming years
 - Anti-Homophobia Day
 - Education system
 - Pride day/Canada Day
 - Feed the People BBQ
- If time allows, work will be done on the safe space campaign, and a bi-monthly companionship program
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- Resolutions to PSAC North Convention – deferred to next meeting

Elections

- Selection of Chair(s)
 - Karen Branigan, and Kathy Traplin were re-acclaimed as co-chairs

Selection of Delegates and alternates to PSAC North convention – deferred to next meeting

Next Meeting – Friday Nov 2nd, noon, YEU boardroom.

**YUKON PRIDE COMMITTEE
2007 BUDGET PROPOSAL**

The Yukon Pride Committee, this committee is proud to have established their presence in the union and the community where awareness of GLBT issues has been raised. To build on this success, the following priorities have been identified for 2007: Call for more inclusive representation of same sex families in the YTG public school curriculum and resource material, Anti-homophobia Day writing contest and dance, assist members from other Territories with formation of area pride committees, and strengthen ties with GALA Yukon.

Meeting Expenses		300.00
Food	- 200	
Misc supplies	- 100	
Community Coalition Projects		1700.00
Youth	- 150	
Political Action Campaigns	- 250	
Coalition Projects		
-Anti-homophobia day	- 350	
-Canada Day/pride picnic	- 250	
- Education	- 700	
Total request		\$2000.00