

WING Monthly Meeting Minutes February 2, 2010 7:30 pm

Attending: Phyllis Burkhart, Sharon Pilat, Patricia Holland, Pam Liepshutz, Cindy Doheny, Jo Porostovsky, Donna Biggins, Beth Serio, Marsha Crisler, Robin Sanford and Laura Morris

Meeting started at 7:50 p.m. President Donna Biggins opened the meeting with a Bible reading – Matthew 5:21. After that everyone introduced themselves.

Wine Tasting – Donna thanked Phyllis Burkhart for the success of the event and the positive comments received. The ladies loved the food and liked the idea of the balloons to help them find the different wine tasting tables. The MOGS were also thanked for helping us with serving and talking about the wines.

...waiting for Robin to bring the wine.... Robin got her keys locked inside her car and Marsha had to go and pick her up... this was after Donna dropped a bottle of wine in the parking lot and she and Cindy cleaned it up...sorry Robin and Donna! Thank you Marsha and Cindy!

Suggestions – Some of the comments were read and it was decided that the committee will meet at Marsha's home on February 11th to go over the comments and the event.

Phyllis gave us the breakdown of the income and expenses with the amounts rounded off–

Income was \$2,600. Ticket sales \$1,250; silent auction \$1,200; 50/50 raffle \$150.
Expenses \$1,222 (includes the wine, \$458)
Net income \$1,580
There were some additional receipts that were added later.

Spring Tea – Patricia announced that the spring tea is scheduled for **Sunday, April 25th from 2-4 p.m.** She has a small committee who will meet next week for planning purposes.

Robin and Marsha asked her to describe the tea and she explained that it is held in the Community Center and is open to women of all ages. There was some discussion if to call it a mother-daughter tea but it was decided not to do that.

She mentioned that we had food that included small sandwiches, finger desserts. We usually provide 4 different kinds of teas and we encourage the guests to bring their own teacups and saucers. We do have available the church's tea cups for those who do not bring one. Tables are decorated with teapots/flowers, etc. There have been door prizes and 50/50 raffles.

Patricia asked Robin about buying the same small sandwiches she provided for the Wine Tasting event. 80 sandwiches would cost about \$50.

She also mentioned that previous years we've had speakers and musicians and even Jenn Taylor (our 5:30 p.m. mass choir director) sang at one of the teas. The committee will decide on the

program next week – we are hoping to have some variety. Laura suggested the TLT actors perform a skit.

Laura suggested the possibility of having Bags For Hope for sale at the tea to benefit the HOPE Community (about \$10 each). This will also be discussed at the planning meeting.

The planning meeting is scheduled at Jo Porostovsky's home on February 9th from 11-1 PM.

Please **MARK YOUR CALENDARS:** June 6th Reception – Father Mike asked WINGS if they could help with food for the reception after the noon mass on June 6th where our parishioner, Kevin McQuone will be celebrating his first Mass after his ordination to the priesthood the day before. The church will purchase the food and WINGS is asked to put it together, serve it and clean afterwards. The MOGS will be providing the drinks so they will help with the set up.

HOPE Community and Good News Outreach - Donna contacted the GS person in charge of coordinating the HOPE Community luncheons and all the dates have been filled for this year. Normally we have been asked to cook for them once every other year. She then contacted the Good News Outreach folks to see if they had opening for WINGS to serve a luncheon. They do and she explained that they would expect us to buy, cook and serve the meals. We would prepare the meal for 150 people and bring it to their location in Lafayette Circle to be served. This should be a commitment of 3 hours from 10 am to 1 p.m. We do not have to provide desserts, drinks, or paper goods. Donna suggested purchasing some hams and making macaroni and cheese and a veggie. Sharon suggested maybe some bar-b-q sandwiches. It was voted that we will do it. The only dates available in March are 10th (a Wednesday), 11th (a Thursday), 24th (a Wednesday) or 31st (a Wednesday). The cost is expected to be under \$400. It was decided that we wanted to see how it goes before committing for future times. Please email Donna if these dates are good for you and you'd like to help. We need around 10 women to serve and several to cook. You could do one or the other or both. **Email Donna by noon on Wednesday, February 10th by so she can let them know of our decision.**

It was also suggested to have a WINGS group volunteer to serve at the Soup Kitchen – no money involved. More information at the next meeting.

Please **MARK YOUR CALENDARS:** St. Patrick's Day Dinner Decorations - MOGS asked Donna to help with decorations and finding volunteers to help her and Robin decorate for the dinner. Jo, Phyllis, Marcia Beth and Pam volunteered. Thank you, Ladies! Please be at the Community Center Friday, March 14th at 7 pm. We will get started right after the Lenten Soup Dinner is over.

Please **MARK YOUR CALENDARS:** Kid's Stuff Consignment Sale dates are July 28th to 31st. Stay tuned for more information.

The meeting was closed with a reading from the book of Matthew.

Our meetings are ALWAYS the 1st Tuesday of each month. Our next meeting is Tuesday, March 2nd, 2010 at 7:30 pm in the Community Center.