

Santa Fe Vipassana Sangha
Board meeting minutes, April 10, 2019, 5 – 7 pm
Teri Hackler's house, 471 Arroyo Tenorio

Present: Sarah Grant, Betty Kuhn, Teri Hackler, Barbara Schroder

Guest: Diane Block

A quorum was declared.

The March Treasurer's Report was approved.

Old Business:

Report by Sarah on Susie Harrington's retreat: 13 registered so far.

DeJa's Napier's retreat: 8 people signed up so far.

Visioning retreat: Teri has written people to ask if the facilitator can call them before the retreat. She will get the names of people agreeing to be called to Barbara to pass on to Mark.

FCC's Google Calendar: If Rev. Tiffany has not already invited Joan P. to the calendar, I will contact Rev. Tiffany. Betty will ask Joan to update the calendar as needed.

Debrief of April 8 Sangha Meeting:

Next step: after visioning retreat, possible committee to investigate possible models of guiding teachers.

Betty will extend the board's invitation to Pat D'Andrea to join the board.

Possible fiscal sponsorship of the Exploring Whiteness course will be taken up again at the next board meeting.

New Business:

Paul Zisman's spiritual friends group will start next Wednesday, from 6 – 8 in the Annex. Sarah put it on the Google Calendar.

Barbara will check with Liz Bryant about whether her book group is still meeting on Thursdays.

Betty discussed the issue of Alexis Santos' residency; personal reasons may cause him to have to cancel.

She also raised the need for the board to find people to implement this year's (2019) and next year's (2020) program schedules. For upcoming events:

DaeJa's residency: Gayle Dawn and Adele will be asked if they could co-coordinate the residency. Rebecca will schedule her practice discussions, and manage the day-long. retreat Sarah will talk with them when she comes back from her retreat.

Winnie Nazarko: needs transportation to/from the airport/Taos. Sarah can transport her. We will explore housing her at the Sage Inn.

Marcia Rose. Teri will arrange housing. Mikaela may be able to co-ordinate her residency.

Alexis Santos. We will wait until we know whether/when he is coming to look for volunteers to coordinate his stay.

Announcers for upcoming Tuesday night sits:

Katherine Turnipseed April 16th Barbara

Joan Mitchell April 23 – Betty

John Ambrosiano April 30 Teri

Julie Tato May 7 - Sarah

May 14th – potluck, no announcer needed

Next board meeting; Friday, May 17th at Barbara Schroder's: 3427 Via Janna.

- minutes submitted by Barbara Schroder