

Meeting 7/20/2014

Meeting began: 1:21 PM at the Catalyst

In attendance: Justin Britton, Tobin Britton, Bill Westervelt, Gary Klein, Thom Butts, Dominic Chevalier,  
Guests: Don Hood, Steven Steinbock, Matteo Hudson

Secretary report from previous meeting was tabled due to Kevin's absence.

Treasurer's report read and accepted by all Board members, Justin abstained

Titleholder's reports:

Dara was not present

Stormy was not present at first but arrived later

Bill Westervelt-Summarized his monthly activities

Leather Pride Week:

Leather Vegas-

We have 2 dealers currently (Mack McCall and Ken McGee) Dominic volunteered to deal as well.

Donations, scrip and equipment for Leather Vegas are arranged (donations slowly coming in)

Justin wants to bundle scrip prior to opening at Leather Vegas.

Jens is taking care of the music, Thom to create a compilation to play at Leather Vegas

Contest-

Don Hood is the stage manager

Thom is to coordinate the back patches through RockRanch Embroidery. We will order a Bootblack backpatch if we have a contestant.

Tobin to donate tech boots for the Bootblack contestant if we have one, wants them returned after the contest.

Emcees, Nick and Sandra, are confirmed

Judges have all confirmed

Currently we have 3 contestants (2 for Mr. and 1 for Ms.)

Posters for the contest have been distributed

Need a new hand stamp for contest admittance, Lanyards and pouches for volunteers.

We need lights for the judges table, Don Hood believes he has lights and will coordinate

Application Committee-

Tobin to pick up application that was sent certified

Gary and Dominic to coordinate pre-screening

Tribal-

Dominic asked for a \$100 budget for Tribal!

Gary motioned to allot \$100 for Tribal! And Justin 2<sup>nd</sup>.

The motion passed unanimously.

Brunch-

We want to encourage the buffet offerings and not special orders and Martha at the Courtyard is going to create table top menus to advertise pricing and special drinks (Bloody Mary's and Mimosas).

Sponsorship-

All spaces are filled!

Seattle- Law offices of ben Behar wants to sponsor, but we are full so we are suggesting that they sponsor ASL interpreters.

No corporate sponsorship found per Thom

Ad sales-

ISRC is buying a full page ad per Don Hood

Thom Butts is purchasing a full page

BiLS are purchasing a ¼ page ad

Hawks PDX is purchasing a full page ad

Titleholders were asked about their ad sales and Bill informed us that they have not met to discuss ads.

The Board informed them they need to jump on this right away.

We have 20 calendars left, told the titleholders to sell them during LPW.

Gay Pride-

It was rainy and cold and found that we had no issues with the add-ons to the group marching Puppies and the Pony were very popular!

Back 2 Black-

Tabled until after LPW

L.I.C.K.S.-

A well organized event

CONFLICT RESOLUTION-

Stormy's boy is competing. Tobin is going to inform the judges of known conflict for full disclosure

Tobin was playing with a potential contestant but has ceased all personal interactions.

Dan White resigned the Board, Thom motioned to remove Dan from BLP and the Board unanimously agreed to accept his resignation.

Leather Bingo-

Tobin and Justin will attend Leather Bingo

All current Titleholders will be conducting a workshop on titleholding on 8/3/2014.

The Board closed the meeting to officers only to vote on Rose and Thorn nominations.