



# General Membership Meeting Minutes

**Date:** November 7, 2007

**Next Meeting:** December 5, 2007

**Present:** Louis J. Gastelum, Brian P. Wells, Tom Copeland, Joey Kramar, Pete Crowe, Rachel Brown

## **Old Business- Holiday Party:**

Saturday, December 1st, 6pm - 12am @ Mill Creek Park at Bear's Den Cabin. The committee for the Holiday Party is Joey Kramar, Tom Copeland, and Pete Crowe. \$3.00 donation. Officers asked to be there early to help set up. Food will be asked to be provided based on last name A-G Main, H-M Side, N-R dessert, S-Z beverage

## **Meeting Minutes:**

Meeting minutes amendments

- Holiday Party time corrected from 4pm - 12am to 6pm - 12am

- Brunch and a Movie was changed from 1st Sunday of every month to Sunday OUTing on the 1st Sunday following the monthly Pride Center Meeting. Activity will be decided at the Pride Center Meeting and Brian will send an email with details to the list

- Joe Kramer changed to Joe Kramar

Amended Meeting Minutes were accepted

## **Email:**

Reminder the new email address is [mahoningvalleypridecenter@yahoo.com](mailto:mahoningvalleypridecenter@yahoo.com), if you know of anyone who would like to be added please have them email the address above

## **In the Works:**

Volunteering with Sister Kathleen, Movie Nights (need someone to take on this project), Quarterly newsletter submissions sent to Tom by December 15th, Calendar of events, Laura, Louis, Pete, Brian, new constitution with new name needs to be filed with the Secretary of State once they approve it it needs to be filed with the IRS

## **New Business- MVPC Website:**

Any recommendations

- Link to myspace



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## November OUTing:

YSU Urinetown at Ford Theatre 3:00pm, Meet at 2:30pm

## Membership Letter:

Sponsorship levels

Organizations to be included \$51-\$150

Corporate sponsorship (think of including this)

Draft a letter asking for their support

Schwebels, K-Mart, Starbucks, etc...

Needs to be signed by someone (Brian & Nicole)

Womyn, Wimmyn, Brian will find out correct terms

## Letterhead:

Brian will get some letterhead printed

Add web address

Masthead

## Town Hall Meeting:

Brian Wells would like to get the MVPC Leadership to meet with other leadership in Youngstown. Then have a town hall meeting to discuss what Youngstown needs.

## Phone Tree:

List of people who will relay information (such as announcements) to each other  
Tom Copeland will take on this project.

## Unitarian Church:

Brian is working with Kris Harrington to develop a training packet for churches interested in becoming a welcoming congregation.

Also developing groups

Women's group

Green Group

Youth Group

Etc....

## Other Announcements:

Gay Friendly Bowling League:

McKinley Lanes Robbins Avenue in Niles. 13 people interested so far, they need 12 total but the more the merrier. January 20, 2008 at 6:30pm. First season will be short 14 weeks. \$10.00 a week plus \$1.50 a week for shoes

## Next Meeting:

Wednesday, December 5, 2007