

Recovery in the Lifestyle



Steering Committee Meeting Minutes

November 9, 2008

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Attending: sweetmeira, Aarkey, Oz, Mistress Stormy

New Business:

- 1) Oz suggested setting up a discussion board (called a group on the website) of FetLife to help spread outreach and awareness. The group agreed unanimously, and all volunteered to monitor the discussions with a particular emphasis of communicating that RitL is an in-face fellowship and not an online only meeting.
- 2) Oz purchased the domain recoveryinthelifestyle.org as it is more appropriate for the fellowship than the current .com domain. The group voted unanimously to compensate Oz for the cost of registering and hosting the domain for one year - \$10.
- 3) Aarkey volunteered to present a new web site design for the next steering committee meeting. There was some initial discussion regarding aspects of the web site that would be beneficial to the group. Some aspects were - Submission forms for: request for support / meeting listings / volunteers for starting meetings, calendar of events, anonymous listings of people attending / interested in starting / interested in attending, document download section & more...
- 4) We discussed setting up a section of the site with some stories about the history of our initial members, ideally between 1,000 and 2,000 words. The group tabled discussion on how to proceed with asking and accepting submissions for listing.
- 5) The group discussed who actually owned and had registered the original .com domain and Mistress Stormy said she would look into it further, as she remembered that it was setup by D*, who was no longer involved in RitL meetings. The group voted to write a check to D* to pay for past hosting and registration charges, and to work with D* to have ownership transferred from him to one of the active members of the fellowship.
- 6) Mistress Stormy and sweetmeira were going to organize the funds of RitL which had been gathered over the course of the last few years and would summarize that for our next steering committee meeting.
- 7) The group voted to allocate funds to the printing of RitL business cards so that it can further help outreach.
- 8) Club Kink is now Club 525, but has still agreed to continue hosting our Sunday meeting – though the time slot may change.
- 9) There was a discussion regarding setting up a formal meeting format, but it was tabled indefinitely.
- 10) The committee agreed to meet on 2/1/9 @ 11AM. Meeting closed.

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