

# Southern Nevada Association of PRIDE, Inc.

Board Meeting- September 1, 2011

7:00pm- The Center

Call to Order- Ernie (7:08pm)

Present	Excused	Absent
Ernie Matt Brady Andy Eric Michael Angelo Brandon J. Kalani Adam		

Approve- minutes - postpone

Community Comments- 30 minutes

Amber – Albertson’s

-Volunteer tent refreshments donation recap

J.Son Dinant

-Dyke March vs. Lesbian March

-Katherine, removed online postings due to negative connotation; organized Lesbian march walk; 200 members;

Matt asks why Katherine did not attend when invited

Katherine said Ernie told her that due to our SHEdonism agreement, her events could continue, but would not be able to be ‘official’ events

Brandon reiterates the inclusion of SHEdonism timeline

Katherine reiterated that she is promoting a weekly lesbian event with an attendance of 800; she feels like the inclusion of SHEdonism is not centric to a ‘march’

Ernie redirects to disincluding SHEdonism and Lisa and including this discussion;

Katherine claims that other organizations are being included as ‘march’ participants and feels like she should be included in-kind

Brandon reiterated the importance of the Dyke March and the conditions we imposed on their original plans and the importance that the financial commitment SHEdonism played

Matt, Ernie, Brandon, and Katherine decided that we will allow their Parade Entry to be called, ‘QueerKat Lesbian Strut’; and confirmed that they may not call their participation a ‘march’

# Committee Reports

## Finance

- Charlie's SNAP Saturdays, \$435.25; Need to order drink tickets; need to order checks; Armored trucks for monies pickup on-site scheduled; until further notice, confirm funds availability before spend; \$307.66 initial deposit for busses and entertainment transportation; Matt motions to approve check for \$307.66, Eric 2nds; Unanimous

## Pageant

- 6 entries; more expected at next scheduled meeting of RU1-2; Justin and Eric will be fetching and providing snacks and drink from storage for the event; Brandon and Justin will be decorating, on Sat at 1pm; Justin is coordinating with either Charlie's las vegas or Escape lounge for spotlight; MAC Cosmetics will be donating \$100.00 each per title to the winner (3)

## Logistics

- 50 port-a-potties, min; Add 5 day laborers for F&B with hours from 7-11am and 8-12am; Pueblo room and Pyramid are FREE from County; Cleaning required (Brady add 2 cleaners specific for this room); smoking area needs; Brady add partial barricade to parking lot main for additional ADA only parking(ernie will call barricade – brady add security); Parking area attendant schedule; parking parking; (add security for security)

## Vendors

- 71 vendors total; some 10x20 tents as premium; Sept, 5 is FINAL entry;

## Community Involvement-

- Done.

## Sponsorship-

- Done.

## Marketing

- Poster near completion; Rack-Cards; Sponsor and Vendor Posters being processed;

## Education

- Poster project in process

## Entertainment-

- Brady will refer Sound and Lighting (XPS) to Matt for specific requirements; Entertainment confirmed; Done and done.

## Special Events

- During SNAP Saturday and other special events, no tips may be kept by volunteers. All tips must be donated to the general fund

## Food and Beverage

3 large main bars; this year will be NO LIQUOR at Parade due to issues with timeline on pulling permit with city;

## Volunteers

Jorge will be implementing schedules prepared by Committee Chairs;

# Pride Events Events

9-3 Pageant- Justin

9-8 Nuts-and-Bolts

Andy, KC, Jorge, Eric = 100+jello shots, KC=making raffle basket, Justin, Matt, and Diana, Brandon, Brady, Freddy, John,

9-9 Kick Off Party- Brandon

6 performers, decorations by Brandon and jello shots, raffles

Justin, Andy, Brandon, Adam, Matt, Diana, Keyska,

9-11 Pool Party –Ernie

Justin, Matt, KC, Diana, Parade Committee

9-13 Q Social- Eric

Brady, Eric, Adam, Freddy, Diana, Justin

9-13 Drag Queen Bingo- Brandon

KC, Diana, Justin, Eric, Andy, Jorge

9-14 Cocktails & Conversation - Matt

Dina Titus being requested

9-14 Parade Meeting- Ernie

9-14 Boots and Briefs- Brandon

9-15 Boys Party- Matt

Brandon, Eric, Matt, Adam, Justin, Andy, Diana, KC, Jorge;

Door \$5

9-16 Night Parade- Ernie

Cox involvement different than last year, with Stephanie out for the year;

9-17 Festival

6am starting time; Orange Bands will be Vendor; Purple is 21+;

9-17- Heaven- Royalty- Ernie/Matt

VIP area including KC and Diana

9-18- T Dance Eric

9-18 Closet Sundays- Royalty Ernie/Matt

Diana will do rotation to all;

New Business-

Next Public Meeting October 6, 2011 The Center 7:00pm

Eric makes a motion to adjourn, Brady 2nds; unanimous