

Gakyil Meeting - March 17, 2018

Moderator: Ed Matheny

Gakyil Present: Nancy Paris, Miranda Shannon, Al Daggett, Diane Kramer, Gakyil Call-in Ed Matheny.

Minutes: taken by Al Daggett

Guru Yoga

Vote on February Gakyil Minutes - To be approved at April Gakyil Meeting

Dates for Meetings: Next Informal Gakyil - Tuesday, March 27, 2018

Next Formal Gakyil - Tuesday, April 17, 2018

Interview with Geko Candidate - David Hayes

David is available by the end of March - Will coordinate with Bret

He will move into the renovated Geko room - live at the Schoolhouse

David will sign on for 1 year - Option to renew for an additional year

Yellow will make financial offer thru Bret - RED

BLUE Update

"Zoom" Update - Easy to use, easy to reconvene if connection is lost

Try it out at next informal Gakyil Meeting

Up to 100 people can join in (WebEx limit is 25 people)

Positive for wider us for programs/practices

Broader availability for General Assembly participants

Price difference in favor of Zoom

Nancy to contact Naomi regarding her use of Zoom for Harmonious Breathing

Classes

Programming for Summer Retreat/Celebration - going well

Other schedule, program/practices for spring and fall in the works

Website Updates are finished

RED Update - (Bret not at Gakyil meeting because he is attending TM Intensive)

General Comments:

Geko room almost complete - Rug from Gompa to be installed

Friends of RED Meeting went well

Re-purposing Gompa Rug(s) also in progress

Report that the furnace needs servicing

YELLOW Update -

Fundraising -

Match Pledges For Capital Campaign - 5 committed - \$4k to da
Goal is \$12.5 k for 50/50 Match

Roof Grant -

Mass. Supreme Court decision has been handed down
Unclear what the Town of Conway will do

Ed M will pursue to get clarification

Maintenance Budget - What does the \$5k cover?

Repair and Maintenance line items

Signatures for Checking Signers -

Cumbersome to send the signature pages to each person,
each signature has to be notarized

Financial Report -

We are "holding our own" for now.

Tim to provide membership renewal info to YELLOW

Translation of Merling Agreement -

Ed provided a quote for one document and will get a quote
for the longer Agreement.

IG will reimburse TSE for the cost.

General Discussion -

Review of Gakyil Color Responsibilities -

Read from Blue Book - Principles & Guidelines

If further discussion needed, add to next Gakyil Meeting Agenda

Lungta Flag Production -

Yellow discuss with SSI

NY Ling Alignment -

Still looking for their point person/contact - Complete in 2018

AI to follow up with Dominique

Dedication of Merit

Meeting Ends