

## Three Cranes 4/5/07 Business Meeting

**Scribified by:** Anna

**Attendants:** Anna, Jim via Cell-phone

**Time begun:** 6:40pm

### Items discussed:

**1) Beltaine rite** --> Anna's leading it; basing it off of last year but needs more ideas. Expected attendance Jim, Lees, Mike, Anna, Nick, Anne; who knows who else. Anna doesn't think she wants to do the Maypole, so she needs to research alternative ideas and symbolism. More at Lit meeting, 4/19

**2) Summerlands menu** --> Jim is on top of it. Basically the same but some upgrades and changes. More fingerfoods and lighter fare, fresh fruit. Jim's gotta go to the store and figure out prices to see if we can up the asking price. Remember no freebies to Grovemates unless they helped all weekend.

**POLL: WHO WANTS TO BE THERE TO HELP?**

**3) Commfest** --> Mike needs to follow up to see if the main office / Mother Grove has any outreach materials we can use, like "What is ADF?" pamphlets or something. If so, we need to figure out the cost of printing it. We have the banner and will get a tent from Dick's (new.) Will do Midsummer rite at this time. **Need to schedule special Commfest meeting** and practice. Also, what are we gonna wear? All ADF shirts? Three Cranes shirts? Something even more fabulous? Hmm???

Need to finalize what kind of printing/posting stuff we need. June 24<sup>th</sup>.

**4) Newsletter** --> Jim needs articles for next news letter. Art, poems, etc. Hook him up. **He wants it by the last weekend in May.**

**5) Community service** --> FAILURE. We need to look into cemeteries, races, good things like that. Komen 5k??? Anna freely invites people to come do service at the E^3 5K Earth Day event downtown, but it may be too late to register. Will send the info and alert people of other good service opportunities / 5K's if possible. Also... anyone know what's going on with the cost of Adopt-a-Crane? Do we need a donation fund for it? May be too expensive.

**6) Scribe report** --> from last ritual will be posted soon.

**7) Current balance** --> \$994.51. Three outstanding checks will come out of that – ADF dues for the Grove for the first half of the year, Commfest checks, and other things you can read about in Jim's fabulous pursewarden report elsewhere.

**8) Outreach** --> Need to be better about getting description of ritual out to the website, paper, etc. Anna liked the sexy photographs. <3

**9) Festivals** --> Who's going to Trillium? Wellspring? Carpooling?

**10) Salacious gossip** --> Tragically, there was none. Aww.