

Northern Wisconsin NORML Board Meeting for September 12th, 2013

Call Meeting to Order. Roll Call for Board of Directors: \_\_\_\_\_ Elizabeth, \_\_\_\_\_ Jason, \_\_\_\_\_ Jay, \_\_\_\_\_ Danielle, \_\_\_\_\_ Ben.

Any Public Comments: (Comments due not need to be addressed at this meeting, but notes taken addressed at next meeting)

August Treasurer's Report: Bank Bal \$468.25, PayPal \$157.12 Contributions \$316.80, Expenses \$216.89, Four (4) New Members

Northern Wisconsin NORML officially recognized by National NORML, founded September 21st, 2010. Third Year Anniversary!

Old Business:

Thanks for responses/changes/suggestions of the Introductory Activist Guide. The pdf / brochure is available online. More printed here, please use them as pass outs, recruit new members and even as fliers on billboards, gas stations, head shops, bars, etc, etc.

<http://www.northernwinorml.org/pyo/introductory-activist-guide-membership-brochure/>

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Last Tuesday of the month Board of Directors Phone Conference and/or meeting has not been effective. Any suggestions for keeping the momentum going? Do have the need for a second meeting per month? As projects come and go, should those dictate their own schedules?

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Harvest Fest 43rd Annual: Get ready for our big booth at Harvest Fest. Much is needed and technically this is **last meeting** before the actual event on Oct 5-6th, so the people responsible will need to stay in communication and someone from the chapter should be attending planning meetings and helping if all possible? Next one is \_\_\_\_\_ Sunday at EVP Coffee 1250 East Washington Avenue Madison, WI. <http://madisonhempfest.com/>

Who is in charge of what? Booth set up? Take down? Remember it is both days. Parade Sunday, who is staying behind with tent/gear? Shifts during the event to man the booth? Hotel room(s)?- maybe for the ones who will take down/put up tent?

New Business:

New Wisconsin Medical Cannabis / Jacki Rickert Medical Marijuana Act signature support page now available. Made by SE WI NORML. <http://www.northernwinorml.org/pyo/wisconsin-medical-marijuana-petition/>

It is up on the Print Your Own Section of the website and available printed here at meetings.

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WHAT: Baked Sale "Pie By The Slice"

WHERE: From The Land Festival in Green Lake

WHEN: Sat Oct 19th (10-4) and Sun 20th (10-3)

WHO: Open To Public

Narin and Jay probably have the event under control, as it is conjunction with our festival and we did it last year. Please come and enjoy the festival. Make sure you wear a NORML or marijuana themed shirt though, it is always appreciated.

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*Marijuana and the Voice of the People - Challenging the "Conventional Wisdom".*

*Do you think supporting cannabis law reform is "political suicide?" THINK AGAIN*

Information piece on voting percentages during the last elections and marijuana reform. Should we try to use this piece in a lobbying

effort directly in Madison? Mail it to them. Mail, email, get the public to send it to them? Please take a copy with you and give input for next meeting.

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Check calendar of events often and support when and where you can! Statewide events are listed:

<http://www.northernwinorml.org/calendar/>