

## Site Preparation Planning Meeting for 2006 Illinois Yearly Meeting (IYM)

Minutes for 9/24/2005

Dubois Center, near Mt. Vernon, IL

### *Attending*

- Bloomington Normal Friends Meeting (BNFM) - Michael Dennis, Beth Schobernd
- Clear Creek Friends Meeting (CCFM) - Grayce Mesner, Neil Mesner
- Columbia Friends Meeting (CFM) - David Finke, Robert Wixom
- Decatur Friends Worship Group - no one present
- Rolla Preparative Meeting of Friends (RPM) - Chris Jocius
- St. Louis Friends Meeting (SLFM) - Steve Hinson, Margaret Katranides, Dawn Rubbert
- Southern Illinois Friends Meeting (SIFM) - Dawn Amos, Lisa Johnson Zee, Carolyn Zee
- Springfield Worship Group (SWG) - no one present
- Urbana-Champaign Friends Meeting (UCFM) - Mariellen Gilpin, Charlotte Green, Sharon Haworth,

*Overall Site Prep Coordinator:* Margaret Katranides (STL)

*Recording:* Michael Dennis (BNFM)

### *Minutes:*

The meeting was preceded by a panel presentation, by David Finke, Peter Lasersohn, Neil Mesner, and Nancy Duncan on the history of Quaker community.

Margaret opened by reading some evaluation comments from prior years that emphasized the fruitfulness of the IYM sessions.

BRQ is responsible for site preparation, the volunteer coordinators are:

- Overall Coordinator/Advanced Preparation: Margaret Katranides
- Site Preparation Coordinator: Grayce Mesner, Jeannie Marvin, Bob Wixom
- Food Services during Site Preparation: Dawn Rubbert
- Purchasing Coordinator: Beth Schobernd
- Housekeeping Coordinator: David Finke
- Clean up Coordinator: Mike & Diane Dennis

### *Other notes*

- Margaret will mail out the worksheets next week.
- Site prep will be held from 7/22 to 26 (meeting will be 7/26-30) and clean up will be 7/30.
- Site prep cooking will be arranged by Dawn Rubbert for 7/22 to 7/26 am.
- Volunteer ideas - get a group from Young Friends and Adult Young Friends to organize a group. Mike Dennis will try to help organize young friends. Lisa Johnson Zee will talk

- with Mariellen Gilpin about recruiting Adult Young Friends. It is suggested that recruitment will be more successful if we emphasize the joy of fellowship in service.
- Suggestion made to put a notice inviting people in the fall issue of Among Friends and to include examples of the kinds of things people do there (from simple to more complex/demanding). Margaret will do this.

Meeting closed with silent worship.