A Moment of Magic
General Meeting
6/24/2020

Time | Location/Link

ATTENDEES
Paige, Sadie, Chloe E, Christian, Lindsey, Payton, Allie, Katie E, Amanda, Joey, Andi, Sam D, Genna, Isaac, Maddie, Katie P, Danielle

AGENDA & MEETING MINUTES

Activity: Ice breaker
1. Everyone grabbed one item from their room and did a show and tell of that item

Discussion
1. Safe Word — “Magic Wand”
   a. Because we are an organization largely composed of women, we need to be prepared for any situation that could put our volunteers in danger on a visit. If volunteers ever feel unsafe on a visit, they should call our chapter MEC (Chloe Eggers) and state something like “We forgot our magic wand.” The MEC will then know that something is wrong and alert authorities with the volunteer’s location.
   b. Nothing like this has happened before, and hopefully nothing ever does, but being prepared is the best way to ensure the safety of all of our volunteers
2. Apparel Drawing - Winner Allie Spears!
   a. For the month of June, AMOM-Wisconsin decided to reward our volunteers with a drawing for new apparel. For every hotline call or Wonder Wheels visit a volunteer completed, their name was entered into a drawing that was picked at the last general body meeting of the month. Congratulations to Allie for completing her first visits in character AND winning a free shirt from AMOM!
3. Still unknown if we’ll be able to meet in the fall
   a. Although we have heard from UW that we will partially be returning to school in-person this fall, Paige is still waiting to hear from the heads of RSO (Registered Student Organizations) on whether or not student orgs will be able to meet in-person
   b. If we are unable to meet in-person, we will continue to have bi-weekly meetings over Zoom on Wednesday nights, likely still at 7pm, for our general body meetings
   c. We will also need the green light from Nationals on whether in-person meetings are okay, so stay tuned for more updates on fall meetings
4. Point system is still the same
   a. Over the summer, you can earn 25 points that will carry over to the fall semester
   b. Completing a visit is still worth 20 points, so doing just one virtual visit or a Wonder Wheels parade can nearly get you to that goal!
   c. Meetings and socials are also still worth points, so please continue coming to our virtual monthly meeting if you are able to
5. Chloe is going to work with Nationals to try to get a confirmation for booked hotline calls sooner than a day's notice 
   a. Concern brought up by Isaac Otte and Chloe Eggers

6. Exec board is planning on still doing their retreat in-person in August as long as conditions don't get worse 
   a. They will plan for the Fall semester and get all of the exec positions and details laid out so our Fall 2020 Semester can be the best one yet

7. Interest from FB posts 
   a. Because there is still so much up in the air for Fall 2020, we have decided to start making posts on our class Facebook groups from Madison to gain interest in AMOM
   b. A member from each year will make a post to the Facebook group with a description of the org, contact information, and lots of pictures or videos
   c. If you know anyone who is going to be enrolled at UW this Fall, no matter what year, feel free to get their email and add them to the Slack workspace for UW
      i. If you need any help, reach out to Lindsey Cardell and she will help you and the new member get situated on slack and signed up for our mailing list

8. Walk through of the Volunteer Database 
   a. Reach out to an exec board member for the password
   b. The portal is available at https://www.amomentofmagic.org/chapters-1 all the way at the bottom of the page
   c. This portal has important resources for volunteers like
      i. Character databases
      ii. Scholarship opportunities
      iii. The Mindfulness App
      iv. Along with many others

**ACTION ITEMS**

1. Talk to your friends about AMOM to recruit. Possibly reach out to other student orgs that may express interest
2. Sign up for hotline calls and wonder wheels visits 
   a. Everyone should make it a goal to sign up for AT LEAST one virtual visit (hotline call, magic maker call, wonder wheels visit, etc.) before the end of the summer
   b. These events are super time-flexible and easy to complete from your home so keep up the morale
3. When a person donates to you, post their contact in the slack thread (in #general from Andi Krawczyk) so Andi can send them a thank you from AMOM-Wisconsin
4. Next meeting will be at the end of July
5. Continue looking at Slack for general updates from org members
6. COMMUNICATION IS STILL OUR #1 PRIORITY