

Meeting

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Date: Tuesday, December 14, 2021 - 03:00

Type: Coordination Circle

Present: BA, SA, TK, JT, ES, AN, SL, FS, LE

Q&A

Some ideas noted from coworkers from this meeting. Note that not everything is covered but just notes and points that stood out.

*Program - the changing needs of companions. It was pointed out that coworkers would like training on how to support our companions changing needs. Ageing and the needs of our newest companions. Coworkers feel the needs for more knowledge how to support challenging behaviors.

*Time to plan - it was recognized that in order to build more structure for the workshop coworkers will be needing separate time for planning session.

*Grants - an idea of a grant writer was introduced by BA and ES.

*Companions work into the community - there seems to me an interest to work towards a bigger project that will give a focus to our existing workshops. A collaborative work that would be taken on by all the workshops and will culminate with an exhibition in the community.

*Planning celebrations and themes ahead - there is a wish to come together to plan about half a year ahead to prepare for festivals and celebrations. Coworkers are interested to work together with a lead in contributing to celebrate our festivals. LE offered to gather coworkers interested to plan together and contribute for a quarterly meetings.

*Notifying CP and CW when someone is leaving/on vacation - usually these kind of news are passed on during the Monday morning gathering. LE offered to add these announcements to weekly Update emails.