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Dear Sisters;

Well the Pizza was good, and we had a very nice time in our October meeting. Our Business meeting was short just enough time to cover the business at hand. The meeting was attended with the following sisters in attendance, Denise Miller, Janice Gnau, Jean H., Kelly Wright. Patty Jones showed up with a nice surprise-- Tracy and Diane from the Rochester CD Network. They were on their way to do a College lecture on Crossdressing to a group.

However, on a sad note we found out that we lost one of our dear sisters. Constance Lee passed away suddenly that past week. Though we only knew her for a short time she will be missed.

At the meeting we voted on the dues(\$25.00)per year for Regular membership; (\$10.00) for Associate membership; and a meeting fee of (\$5.00) per meeting. So girls, start saving your pin money you only have two more meetings before the notices stop and the location/ directions to our meeting place becomes harder to obtain. We have two types of memberships , Active and Associate. Regular members may attend all meetings, vote on chapter business, receive monthly notices; associate members are placed on the on the mailing list and may occasionally attend a meeting. Annual membership dues are \$25.00 for regular members and \$10.00 for Associate members. All memberships are renewed in January and dues are pro-rated according to when you join as indicated below. Checks and money orders should be made out to "cash".

DUES CHART					
MONTH	REG DUES	ASSOC. DUES	MONTH	REG DUES	ASSOC. DUES
Jan thru Jun	\$25.00	\$10.00	July thru Dec	\$15.00	\$5.00

A meeting fee of \$5.00 per member , associate member or visitor is charged and is payable to the Business Manager upon arrival. Wives, significant others or visiting sisters from out-of-state chapters are not charged meeting fees. This fee goes directly to payment of the meeting room and expenses.

We are starting to get into the Fall/Winter weather conditions, and decided to follow the following guidelines. If there is a weather advisory in effect or anything more server the meeting will be cancelled. We will try to have an announcement made on the radio (930). If you are on your way to the meeting and the conditions change then you have to use your own judgement.

Some sisters may get, in this notice, a new application that was developed, don't get your feathers up ladies, we are trying to update the datadase on some of the girls, its optional, but could be helpful in the security aspects of mailings ,phone calls and listing and choosing your type of memberships.

For some of the sisters who have difficulty of getting out because of various commitments, we have a letter inviting you to a mens social club. It can be previewed before it is sent to your official address. This is only a suggestion for your consideration if you care to use this method.

Meeting Notice

Saturday November 14, 1992
Upstairs

The next meeting will be on
the Above Date, doors
open 4:00 P.M. to 11:00 P.M.,
Meeting starts at
7:00 P.M. Unitarian
Universalist Church of
Amherst, 6320 Main
St. Williamsville, N.Y.
14221. To get there take
I-90 to the Depew Exit(49),
turn left onto Transit
Rd.(RT. 20/78). Many Motels
on this road, turn left onto
Main St.(RT. 5) across from
Erie Community College and
Newmen Ctr.

1992 Meeting Dates

Saturday December 12 upstairs

* Some Dates may change so as to
avoid conflicting with holiday
plans or other circumstances.

Meeting Place Description

There is a long driveway with a huge parking lot behind the Church. The parking lot is tree and bush enclosed, to give a seclude appearance, a comfort factor for any new sisters venturing out. Depending, on where you park there is approx. a 200 foot walk to the enclosed breezeway(center of the building). The sisters arriving in heels should be careful as not to turn an ankle(stone parking lot, but sidewalk half way to the building). Enter through the glass enclosed breezeway, a double left turn past the church part will place you at the meeting room. For those arriving in Male attire who wish to change, upon entering take a right turn, pass through a sitting room or kitchen to a stairway. Up stairs to the left is two Bathrooms we can use for changing. The alternative meeting rooms are upstairs, which we may have to use occasionally(no smoking upstairs). Hopefully I be there to greet you and give direction. At the present time, no other group is meeting at the church during our meeting. Our supplies are stored in the cellar.

P.S.--- One of our sisters suggested that if you know of any other sister who might be interested in attending our meetings that the information be passed along to them. That would be fine but, Please use discretion on our meeting place.