

Notes from PRIDE meeting, 2 June 2005

Attending: Ken Severin, Hillary Schwafel, Maureen English, and the following by phone:  
Jacqueline Maillet (Brisbane, Australia)  
Kathy Mattes (Los Angeles, CA)  
Lindy Howe (Maine)  
Sue Anne Kelly (Wasilla, AK)

Hillary showed eleven illustrations with rough-draft captions for the coloring book. She has several more illustrations in the works. It was decided to go with her illustrations and use one (colored) as the cover. There might be a blank page (make your own sled dog story) in addition, depending on whether pages are needed or not. It was decided that all pages will be one sided. Sue Anne, Kathy, and Ken will check with various sources about the technical details of printing (is there some magic number of pages that works better than another? What kind of paper? And so on). The question as to how to compensate Hillary is still open. Hillary got Ken copies of the images and captions which Ken will distribute selectively after degrading the images (to prevent unauthorized copying) for comments on the captions as well as content.

Webpage – Maureen is working with Anne Taylor (Whitehorse) on trying to get the membership form online as well as getting PayPal going. Maureen asked that we spread the word about getting links to various old versions of the page wiped out. Need to get the current bylaws on the page.

Newsletter: Get information to Jacqueline ASAP with the goal of getting something out in early July.

New Board: Do everything we can to shake out new board members to keep PRIDE alive. Ken really wants out and it is pretty apparent that most of the existing board does as well. How to keep PRIDE alive continues to be a problem.

Next meeting in July, probably the week of the 18<sup>th</sup>.