

**NOTES FROM MANY HANDS AND EYES MEETING
SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 2009**

In attendance: Roshi Wendy Egyoku Nakao, Penelope Luminous-Heart Thompson, Sensei John Daishin Buksbazen, John Heart-Mirror Trotter, Deb Faith-Mind Thoreson, Lynda Golan, Katherine Senshin Griffith. Not present: DeWayne Gojitsu Snodgrass, Concetta Getsuren Alfano, Margaret Jifu Gower.

I. Katherine Senshin Griffith was elected the new Steward.

II. An Update on Jimyo (J) and the Limited Access Agreement was given. Some of the key points were:

- He has a new therapist, with Masters in Psychology and Counseling, and experience in his areas.
- He was behind in his 2 appointments and knows he has to make them up. (He has to have 2 sessions a month.
- He seems to be very open to change, keeping on track and deepening his practice.
- Because it took him awhile to find a new therapist (and finish his final exams), his "quarterly meeting has been pushed forward. He's only come to the center 2 or 3 times.
- He seems very appreciative of all the effort that has been done on his behalf.
- Thursdays are long challenging days for him, as he gets up at 3:00 am to get to class etc.
- A description of the Monday night group at Betsy's was given by Heart Mirror.

III. A report on the Angulimala Prison Project was given by Penelope Luminous-Heart Thompson and Deb Faith-Mind Thoreson. Some of the key points made:

- They have met 2-3 times since the last MHAEE meeting.
- It is very hard to set up meetings even though it is a small group.
- They voted to be a part of the center and its mandala but there has been some difficulty in everyone having an equal understanding of what all that entails.
- Koan returns at the beginning of July and will meet with Roshi.
- It is up in the air, whether there will be a single or co-steward.
- Faith Mind is cutting back due to other increased commitments (Grounds Steward, etc.)
- The group is in transition and more will be determined once they have more meetings when Koan returns.

IV. The group began work on the ZCLA policy for former inmates. (See separate sheet of very rough draft.)

V. The next meeting was set for Saturday, July 18, 1:30-3:30 pm.