

NASW Oregon Chapter 2008 Leadership Retreat Evaluation (N = 19)

	Strongly Agree	Agree	Neutral	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
1. I have a good understanding of my role within the Chapter.	1 11	2 8	3	4	5
	<i>Average: 1.42</i>				
2. The retreat helped me establish goals I want to accomplish for the Chapter in the coming year.	1 13	2 5	3 1	4	5
	<i>Average: 1.37</i>				
3. I enjoyed interacting with other members and leaders of the Chapter.	1 17	2 2	3	4	5
	<i>Average: 1.11</i>				
4. I feel "energized" to help build the Chapter.	1 10	2 8	3 1	4	5
	<i>Average: 1.53</i>				
5. I believe that I will recruit new members to NASW this year.	1 8	2 6	3 4	4 1	5
	<i>Average: 1.89</i>				
6. The overall format and content of the retreat was helpful, informative and worthwhile.	1 7	2 12	3	4	5
	<i>Average: 1.63</i>				
7. The strategic/action planning breakout sessions format was useful.	1 9	2 8	3 2	4	5
	<i>Average: 1.63</i>				
8. I was able to express my ideas and point of view during the strategic planning process.	1 13	2 4	3 2	4	5
	<i>Average: 1.42</i>				
9. I feel that my ideas and point of view were heard and acknowledged.	1 13	2 4	3 2	4	5
	<i>Average:</i>				
10. I liked the site, facility, meals and lodging.	1 10	2 7	3 2	4	5
	<i>Average: 1.58</i>				

Do you have suggestions for future retreat sites?

- Still Meadows
- I really liked it here
- Food suggestion – offer a protein at each meal (breakfast)
- Inn of the Seventh Mountain – Bend
- Sun River
- McMenamain's Hotel Oregon
- If we return here, improve meeting room arrangements

What was the most useful part of the retreat?

- Networking
- The call to action (personal action plans) – although I wish we had more time for this part, because many were unfinished. We could have seen more of it come to life, or see what is really unrealistic.
- I really liked getting to know others in our group.
- Planning sessions
- Team building
- Developing ANSWERS
- Breakout sessions and personal action plans
- Small breakout sessions and plans
- ANSWERS
- Breakout sessions
- Strategic planning overview
- Strategic Planning
- Enjoyed the whole thing, though all the walking was tiring
- Meeting everyone involved in leadership, networking with them

What was the least useful part of the retreat?

- Breakout sessions
- I know others like the evening social activities, so I would definitely keep it, but for myself I needed time to myself after a full day of meetings
- Public sharing of action plans was terrific, but it was quite time consuming to key in plans using group time, maybe have people share out loud and then later circulate the plan
- Listening to others action plans (but maybe I was just ready to be done)
- Mission statement work
- The first icebreaker activity
- ANSWERS (only useful if we implement it somehow; ex: bookmark, post on website, etc.)
- The beds – felt like sleeping on concrete

I attended:

Entire Retreat
18

Saturday Only
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Sunday Only

Additional comments and suggestions:

- You are awesome Stacey, Larry, Janet and Kathy
- Nice job – yay!
- I thought that it was well thought out and focused
- More time needed for strategic planning breakouts or attendees need to be provided with prep material prior to retreat
- Great job Stacey and planning committee! It was beautifully planned and orchestrated.
- I am a more kinesthetic person and enjoyed seeing the plan
- Better than in years past
- Lovely site, good facility & food