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Hari Om,

I've been wondering how you are all faring since our Mangrove meetings? I have been very tired, climbing back up today. I just had quite a long talk with Terry, so here's the update.

- the only time he can meet with ashram residents before Easter is Good Friday morning. He would come straight from the airport (flight arrives from Darwin at 6.30am) and spend a couple of hours. During that meeting the 'scaffolding' would be put in place for the Sunday meeting. Therefore, I don't think the net should be cast too wide, limit it to people involved in the Mangrove program + perhaps Dayasagar and Yogadharma as they have been introduced to the concept. Rishis H and V should be there. Please confirm acceptance of this.
- Sunday as per the timing we worked out. He will have kits for people to take away, which will include the questions cards he used with us. He wants us to put together a form that would ask them to reflect on their experience and let us know where they think they will take it from here. This session will leave people with a way forward. This will include developing support networks for people to continue with as needed. It will be an organic process of allowing a way forward to emerge.
- he will help with the communications we need to do prior to the event - I'll email him this afternoon with the draft we have and he'll rework with his phrases etc. He'll do this for the teachers/visitors + the abuse victims. I'll ask about something for the websites.
- his fee is negotiable but the figure he named was \$4000 + cost of resources ie the kits which could be a few hundred dollars. This covers everything ie all the sessions, phone calls, assistance with communication and whatever. If the fee is a problem I'll kick in \$500.

I think that's about it. My conversation with him was really good. He has a keen intelligence about all this, is a realist and reads people like a good cop should! I've looked at the websites - he's part of a movement known as Restorative Justice. There is an organisation called The International Institute for Restorative Practices. He seems to have been a key figure in it from early on. His website is www.realjustice.org, there is a foundation whose page is www.restorativeworks.org The institute is www.iirp.edu

I had an email from Atma in NZ and she may be able to visit APP

Take care,
om tat sat,
Ahimsa