

## 1. Did you feel that the Beginnings 2011 Retreat was effective at

	Yes	No	Not sure	Response Count
energizing and building cohesion to carry out our Mission	<b>100.0% (9)</b>	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	9
establishing priority activities for the next 3 years	<b>87.5% (7)</b>	0.0% (0)	12.5% (1)	8
Comments related to the above goals				1
<b>answered question</b>				<b>9</b>
<b>skipped question</b>				<b>0</b>

## 2. Please rate the following activities

	Loved it	Liked it	Feeling neutral about it	Felt it was not necessary	Response Count
Art supplies available on the tables	<b>77.8% (7)</b>	22.2% (2)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	9
Lunch and refreshments	<b>77.8% (7)</b>	22.2% (2)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	9
Information Packets (red folders)	<b>55.6% (5)</b>	33.3% (3)	11.1% (1)	0.0% (0)	9
comments				2	
<b>answered question</b>				<b>9</b>	
<b>skipped question</b>				<b>0</b>	


### 3. Please rate the facilitator, Wendy Wendt, on the following

	Excellent	Average	Below Average	Response Count
able to help us achieve our goals for the day	<b>77.8% (7)</b>	22.2% (2)	0.0% (0)	9
maintained a balance between equal participation and staying on track	<b>88.9% (8)</b>	11.1% (1)	0.0% (0)	9
effectively synthesized information and opinions	<b>77.8% (7)</b>	22.2% (2)	0.0% (0)	9
used activities that fostered open dialogue while moving us forward	<b>77.8% (7)</b>	22.2% (2)	0.0% (0)	9
Would you recommend using this facilitator in the future? Please explain				5
<b>answered question</b>				<b>9</b>
<b>skipped question</b>				<b>0</b>

### 4. Regarding the communication prior to the retreat

	Yes	No	Not sure	Response Count
did you know what to expect	<b>100.0% (9)</b>	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	9
did you know how to prepare	<b>88.9% (8)</b>	11.1% (1)	0.0% (0)	9
Please explain				3
<b>answered question</b>				<b>9</b>
<b>skipped question</b>				<b>0</b>

**5. Would you recommend the facility (the SLO Botanical Gardens) for future Beginnings retreats or functions?**

		Response Percent	Response Count
Yes		100.0%	9
No		0.0%	0
Not sure		0.0%	0

comments about the facility 4

answered question 9

skipped question 0

**6. Suggestions for improvement.**



	Response Count
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answered question 4

skipped question 5

**7. Rate the overall effectiveness of the 2011 Beginnings Retreat (A = Excellent, F=failure)**

		Response Percent	Response Count
A		77.8%	7
B		22.2%	2
C		0.0%	0
D		0.0%	0
F		0.0%	0
	Overall comments		3
	<b>answered question</b>		<b>9</b>
	<b>skipped question</b>		<b>0</b>

**Page 1, Q1. Did you feel that the Beginnings 2011 Retreat was effective at**

1	There was a lot of discussion that brought up forward, but when it came to the priorities for the next 3 years it did leave open a lot more clarification to determine focus is what I was left with.	Jan 22, 2012 4:24 AM
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**Page 1, Q2. Please rate the following activities**

1	I loved the location because we were surrounded by nature provided a beautiful environment to work in.	Jan 24, 2012 9:29 AM
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2	The variety was appreciated to cover all needs.	Jan 22, 2012 4:24 AM
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**Page 2, Q1. Please rate the facilitator, Wendy Wendt, on the following**

1	Yes!	Jan 24, 2012 9:30 AM
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2	Yes. She helped pull a lot of people and ideas they presented together. It could have been improved on keeping everyone more focused because our retreat did start to go overtime especially near the end.	Jan 22, 2012 4:26 AM
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3	Yes, Yes, Yes! Extremely organized and knowledgeable about Beginnings and collaborative working groups.	Jan 20, 2012 9:51 AM
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4	yes-she was warm & caring while still able to "push" us along!	Jan 18, 2012 11:38 AM
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5	Yes...Wendy brings practical tools that teaches participants how to work more effectively together.	Jan 17, 2012 10:42 AM
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**Page 3, Q1. Regarding the communication prior to the retreat**

1	Shannon did a great job communicating by email all the information I needed.	Jan 24, 2012 9:32 AM
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2	Since there wasn't too many actions required beforehand it was easy to prepare and also it was communicated clearly what our participation at the retreat was intended for.	Jan 22, 2012 4:32 AM
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3	Appreciate the reminders of the event	Jan 17, 2012 10:43 AM
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**Page 3, Q2. Would you recommend the facility (the SLO Botanical Gardens) for future Beginnings retreats or functions?**

1	Lovely.....cozy, warm and relaxing.	Jan 24, 2012 9:32 AM
2	The natural light available made it a better atmosphere.	Jan 22, 2012 4:32 AM
3	Loved the facility. Would have liked to take a walk with the group.	Jan 20, 2012 9:51 AM
4	A beautiful and serene setting that allows you to be creative and re-energize.	Jan 17, 2012 10:43 AM

**Page 4, Q1. Suggestions for improvement.**

1	Everything was great and I can't imagine how it could be improved.	Jan 24, 2012 9:32 AM
2	Nothing outside of the issue that the retreat was going overtime.	Jan 22, 2012 4:41 AM
3	This year we could have had more time with all of the activities. Wendy was an excellent facillitator, liked the space, tables etc. If we have it in the budget, it would be nice to have a catered event with more time to socialize at lunch time.	Jan 20, 2012 9:56 AM
4	Maybe schedule the retreat in late October or early November instead of December	Jan 17, 2012 10:44 AM

**Page 4, Q2. Rate the overall effectiveness of the 2011 Beginnings Retreat (A = Excellent, F=failure)**

1	Thank you!	Jan 24, 2012 9:32 AM
2	I felt that there was a lot of meaningful participation and that it went fairly well in moving forward. Some additional structure would have helped in certain points, which is why I provided a B rating.	Jan 22, 2012 4:41 AM
3	Great Job Group! Many Hands Make Light Work!	Jan 20, 2012 9:56 AM