

TO: FLB STAFF, FCCIs, & FIELD SCNS

FROM: GO PR

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I was very happy to receive such a positive response from you all on last week's wins briefing. The Guardian's Office is back on Source and having continuous wins and I will be making every effort to share these wins with you weekly.

This past week Milt (the AGPR) met with the Clearwater Sun's new editor. He was very friendly and SANE and feels that the anti-Scientology editorials written in the past were improper and apologized for a recent one that was written when he was out of town. He said that he thought it was in bad taste and that from now on we will be treated like any other group in CW. We spent the last year trying to get the last editor to get this viewpoint and take responsibility for the biased editorials of his junior, the editorial editor. He left and having this sane terminal there is a very big win for us and all of CW.

We had Wings Hauser here on a media tour this past week. He is a Scientologist who starred on the soap opera "The Young and the Restless", one of the most popular soaps. (He recently left the soap to do 5 films, the first of which will be released in Jan.) What I think you will appreciate is what strong allies we are building up when I tell you what happened with Wings. A feature reporter from the Tampa Tribune arranged an interview for Wings with the Tribune film reporter when he heard he was coming, because he has enjoyed working with us in the past. And in Sarasota a couple who are very involved in the community and well respected held a press conference for Wings, in their own home, that they fully arranged. They aren't Scientologists but did this for us because they think what Scientology is doing is great!

Our Community Services program is continuing full speed ahead. We have been busy booking entertainment events at nursing homes for Thanksgiving and the Xmas holidays and have about 12 lined up. We entertain and do light group processing at these events which are received very well.

Gerus had a very nice win this week. They are working with a woman to help her regain her competency. She was declared incompetent which means she's lost all her civil rights. Gerus took her to one of the most respected psychiatrists in Tampa for a competency exam. The psych asked the Gerus Director if Gerus was connected to the Church of Scientology. When she said it is, the psych told the incompetent woman to listen to what Gerus tells her to do because they are good people trying to help her. Also, on examination he found the woman to be competent and said he would testify in her favor at the court hearing.

Currently Gerus is traveling around the state of Florida, meeting with other groups involved in protecting the rights of the elderly and gathering support for a legislative bill they will be proposing to revise the guardianship laws so it won't be so easy to get a senior citizen declared incompetent and then take away all his or her money and property. Everywhere Gerus has gone they have received praise and recognition for being the group spearheading the efforts to improve the plight of the elderly.

New Clearwater for the 80s had a nice win as well. They were called upon by one of the local merchants to help her sort out a 2D problem she has. She is now reading the Volunteer Minister's Handbook.

Mike Fine and the Social Coordination Bureau are still going strong on delivery of LRH tech to the community. Mike will be giving the Comm Course to the Drug and Substance Abuse Counselor of the CW based Coast Guard and to an Officer of the Pinellas Medium Security Center (jail). His intention is to teach them the tech so they can either make more referrals to us, or teach the comm course to their people themselves. This aligns with the actions that Narconons are doing all over the country, which is to train other drug rehab groups on the Hubbard Method which NN uses as so many more people can be helped this way.

Mike also met with the Director of Florida Informed Parents, who is also on the Board of Directors of the National Federation of Drug Free Youth. She just returned from visiting Nancy Reagan at the White House, who is a big supporter of the Parents movement. Pat had the Tone Scale tech delivered to her and now thinks Scn is just great. The plans now are for co-motion with her group by forming up a drug free youth parents group in CW, composed of Scners, as who knows more about this than us?! She has a failed purpose in getting a group started in Pinellas County and appreciates our support.

On the Legal front, I have some news I am sure you will enjoy. Our legal handlings have gone very much back on Source and the wins just keep rolling in. An example of this is the excellent team work between our attorneys and the Legal Unit handling the Tonja Burden and McLean's damage cases. They are applying Source material in working with attorneys. The attorney in the Burden case asked the unit to prepare material for a motion he is filing in the case. They prepared it and he used all of it, which saved over \$10,000 if he'd had to do the work himself!

In the Burden case we have filed a motion to change the location of the case from Tampa to California. We produced 3-4 inches of documentation showing why Michael Flynn, Burden's attorney, chose the wrong court. California is a better operating climate for us as well and is the place where most of the witnesses are.

Our Church attorney in Boston has been receiving phone calls from disaffected Scners, some of whom are even suing us, to ask for his help because Flynn is bothering them. Our attorney called the Bar Association to find out what he is supposed to do about this and they told him to have the calls go to the Bar Assoc., thinking it was one or two complaints. The Bar Assoc. then received so many calls they called our attorney back and told them to have all these people put their complaints in writing. This shows that Flynn's clients and disaffected Scners he wants as clients are starting to become disenchanted with him. As you can see they are very PTS and at effect to be calling us to find out what to do next. I'll keep you posted as more things develop on this scene.

One other bit of news relating to Flynn: A Scientologist in California, Steve Miller, sued Flynn for being party to an attempted deprogramming on him. Flynn failed to answer the complaint filed by Miller. So Miller filed a Motion for Default which means since Flynn didn't answer he is automatically found guilty. Flynn answered the Default Motion begging for an opportunity to file his response to the original complaint. He didn't follow the local California admin rules on his papers, such as right size of papers, margins, proper numbers, etc. These are called the "local rules" and if you don't follow them your motions are automatically rejected. The judge reamed Flynn out and gave him 2 weeks to get his act together and submit his answers. Flynn then submitted his answer and emphasized in it that the reason his motion was rejected is because there is a Scientology plant in the courthouse! As you can see Flynn is starting to act very paranoid and psycho. The judge hasn't responded yet to his answers but we believe he will be shocked by it as he already reamed him out and told him he was at fault for not following the local rules. We are looking forward to the next episode in this case.

So you can see things are going well. I enjoy hearing from you as well. Please write me if you want to share some wins you have had locally or if you want briefing data on something in particular which I haven't included here.

Love,

Laura Wolfe
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