

Central Ohio Corporation of Dance Clubs

Minutes of Meeting Jan. 9, 2017

COCDC President Velma Doyle called the meeting to order at 7:30.

Roll Call: There were 15 members present from 13 clubs.

Minutes: Under Marketing: Maple Leaf Squares is not charging new dancers. Under New Business: 2016 Recruitment assessment forms. Minutes were accepted as corrected.

Treasurer's Report: Pat reviewed expenses paid by checking account and interest earned in savings. Velma turned in receipts for postage of \$3.77 and printing \$47.63 totaling \$51.40. She is searching for a cheaper way to make copies close to home. COCDC approved payment of COCDC materials from her home computer after she researched cheapest cost per copy. Paying of all bills was approved.

Committee Reports:

- a. State Corp. No report
- b. Callers Liaison/Caller's. Dave - Snowball is Feb. 12 from 1:30 - 4:30 @ Eastpointe Church
- c. Demos - No report
- d. Marketing - Post Marketing Meeting statistics were reviewed on New Dancer Dances. Lynn LeMaster has created a spreadsheet to keep track of all dances being covered. It was proposed and approved that COCDC pay for all New Dancer Dance callers, cuers, rent, Cues & Tips ads up to \$35 and flyers through Spring of 2017. Clubs may keep their Split the Pot earnings. Clubs must turn in receipts for reimbursement. Clubs are responsible for hiring their own callers/cuers.
- e. Constitution & By Laws: No report.
- f. Ways & Means: Not all clubs have turned in their nominations. Please comply with deadlines so Pat can prepare for dance in a timely manner.
- g. State Convention: Audit meeting canceled due to ice. Will reschedule Jan. 14 or 21.

Old Business

- All insurance in place for 2017.
- Toys for Tots successful. See agenda for stats.
- Pre-Snowball Jan. 28 @ Gahanna. Pot luck 12 noon. Workshop 1: - 3:30.
- Recruitment assessment forms reviewed at Marketing meeting. A few outstanding.
- Caller scholarships for up to \$400 for new callers. See attached criteria.
- All clubs have agreed to be included on the graduating dancer free passes.

New Business

- A nominating committee of Pat Jones and Terry Ross will seek nominees for President and Secretary positions for March COCDC election.

Club Reports:

Bucks & Does. Class is still accepting new people through the MeetUp.com website. They have 4 students. Jan. 27 Teddy Bear Dance.

Dixie Squares. Beck & Burdette Jan. 13. Flyers on table.

Friendly Squares. 9 students. Jan 15 Kincade/moj. Hi/Lo's until April.

Hicks & Chicks. 3 students. Jan. 21 Laudenschlager/Berry Hi/Lo

LBJ. 7 students. Jan 20. Powell/Burdette Hi/Lo. "Hoedown Theme"

Maple Leaf Squares. Workshops 4: - 6: Dances 4th Sundays

Orbiting Squares. Mark Johnson will do summer workshops. Jan. 20 Davis/Powell, Feb. 17 Daye/Powell, Spring Special Darin Henry - flyers on table.

Grove City. Jan 14 Chili Dance, Feb. 11 Valentines. Caller change 3/25 Pladdys for Arnett

Westerville. 8 students. 1st & 3rd Saturdays. Feb. 4 New Dancer Dance, Feb. 18 Eddie Powell, Mar. 4 caller change Travis Cook, June 3 Kevin Lowe.

Appleseeds. 13 students maybe 3 more returning. Jan. 28 Daye/Burdette Hi/Lo "Sports Theme", Feb. 25 Fellows/Warren.

Special July 16 Honoring Danny Beck. (Appleseeds, Tiffin, Norwalk).

Motion to Adjourn: Next meeting March 6, at 7:30 following Marketing Meeting.

Respectfully submitted,
Nancy Swanberg, secretary