

MIAMI VALLEY DANCE COUNCIL  
MINUTES  
September 14, 1982

The bi-monthly meeting of the Miami Valley Dance Council was held on September 14, 1982 at the Michael Solomon Pavilion with President Ed Stephens presiding. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM with the following persons in attendance:

Ed & Ocie Stephens	3508 Waterbury Dr, Dayton 45439	293-3959	President
Charlie & Jo Feeser	2133 Newgate Avenue, Dayton 45420	256-3179	V. President MV Clogging
Ted & Gert Schaefer	2019 Fauver Ave, Dayton 45420	253-2596	Treasurer
Charlotte N. Campbell	865 Meadow Lane, Troy 45373	335-2183	Secretary
Betty French	5207 Weddington, Dayton 45326	837-3530	Editor
Joann & Al Moebus	11581 Old Columbus Rd, S. Vienna 45369	568-4173	Crawford Sq.
Aaron & Janet Harper	4466 Pansy Rd, Clarksville 45113	289-2489	Clinton Co. Sq.
Corrine Starkey	1520 Torrence Dr, Springfield	399-2648	S'Allemandes
Barbara & Jim Burton	1484 S. Burnett, Springfield	325-5348	S'Allemandes
Gertrude & Forrest Medford	5256 Ormand Rd, Dayton	294-5042	Date 'N 8's
Dale & Marjorie Ranft	1232 Dellinger Dr, Fairborn 45324	878-5416	Shooting Stars
Arline F. Snyder	1812 John Glenn Rd, Dayton 45420	253-6879	Open Sq.
Jim Oliver	1439 Long Island Ct, Xenia 45385	426-5305	Trustee
Gerald A. Plzak	4913 Silver Arrow Dr, Dayton 45424	233-8401	Expressors
Len Hynie	761 Silverleaf, Dayton 45431	254-5877	MVCA
Ray Sanford	1090 W. Springbrook La, Piqua 45356	773-5381	Happy Sq.
Géne Diener	5933 Hartwick Lane, Dayton 45424	233-6703	Wright Patters
Paul Bonnell	53 Corona Ave, Dayton 45419	298-3042	St. Rep, '84 Conv
Dottie & Walt Wilson	437 Bellaire Ave, Dayton 45420	252-0456	Whirlaways
Merle & Evelyn Steiner	718 Grafton, Dayton 45406	275-1727	DSDC, Past Pres
Fred & Nadine Thompson	407 N. Miami St, West Milton 45383	698-6039	Grand Sq.
Tim Wojdacz	3103 SR 503, Lewisburg 45338	839-5615	L. Promenaders
Gordon W. Stephens	605 Little Ct., Englewood 48322	836-2251	Just-A-Mere
Glen R. Berry	522 Shade Dr., W. Carrollton 45449	859-8695	Publicity
Harry Winegar	3070 Stop Eight Rd, Dayton	890-9799	Silver Sq.
Dorothy Freet	4324 Pennlyn Ave, Kettering 45429	294-4417	Röse E MM
Betty Helwig	108 Ashwood Ave, Dayton 45405	278-8553	Buckeye Sq.
Wm. & Norma J. Overacker	400 N. Burnett Rd, Springfield 45503	324-0233	Star Fromeno's
Marge & Dick Krichbaum	2534 Casey Dr, Springfield	399-3416	S'Allemandes
Dick Musselman	2236 Russet Ave, Dayton 45420	252-4126	Kittyhawks
Donald I. Grove	905 Larriwood Ave, Kettering 45429	298-4826	Twin Base
Judy Williams	504 Valewood Ct., Englewood 45322	836-4138	MV Round DC
Rob Parker	914 Crestwood Hills, Vandalia 45377	898-6806	Circle 8
Mike & Sharon Wilson	538 Fernwood, Troy 45373	335-8132	Chargers
Bob Wilcox	2720 Delaine, Dayton 45419	294-3054	Wash. Sq.
Anna C. Funk	3383 Annabelle Dr, Dayton 45429	293-6576	Wash. Sq.
Dorothy & Jack Slamer	963 Sharewood Ct, Kettering 45429	294-0738	Wash. Sq.
Clint Byerly	608 Mavor, Springfield 45505	325-9198	Cardinal Sq.
Sed Tarbutton	313 Rawson Dr, N. Carlisle 45344	845-0962	Cardinal Sq.
Elmer Stauble	980 Wilmington Ave, Apt 1114, Dayton	253-7943	Golden Sq.
Mona & Len Cannell	2201 Hazelhurst Ct, Kettering 45344	294-1647	Easy Does it/Contra
Liz Gangluff	3010 Kenmore Ave, Kayton 45420	252-1784	Super B

Marge & Cecil Hartis	58 W. Ridgeway Rd, Centerville 45459	433-6129	Trustee/Adv.Sq.
George & Pat Baver	2165 Knoll Dr, Beavercreek 45421	426-4585	State Corp.
John & Dorothy Roasa	P.O. Box 162, Hillsboro 45133	393-3633	EZ Rounds
Bill Warrick	5033 Lauderdale Dr, Dayton 45439	296-1010	Sq. A-Go-Go
Richard Ehlers	5807 Rosebury Dr, Huber Hts. 45424	233-7878	2 x 4's
Dale Williamson	9875 Pleasant Plain Rd, Brookville 45309	833-5680	Curli-Q's
Dottie Wilson	437 Bellaire Ave, Dayton	252-0456	DSD
John & Virginia Sessler	5880 S.Chas.Clifton Rd, S. Charleston	462-8803	Lake Choctaw

It was voted to dispense with the reading of the minutes from the last meeting. and to approve them as mailed.

The treasurer's report was given by Gert Schaeffer, indicating a balance on August 31, 1982 of \$57,788.91--\$9,428.04 in the general operating fund, \$38,360.87 in the building fund and \$10,00 in escrow for the 1984 convention. Al Moebus made a motion to accept the report as read. Gene Diener seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Charlie Feeser reported that the A-1 workshop with Dave Hodson ended on August 30. An A-2 workshop will begin on October 6 with Chuck Myers at Sorrell's Courtyard in Miamisburg. This will be on Wednesdays from 7:30-10:00 PM. An Open House and a free get-aquainted dance will be held on September 29 for all dancers dancing A-1. The dances will be on an A-1 level with two A-2 calls being taught each week.

An A-1 level group is starting at the Stouder Community and Health Education Center in Troy with Joe Chiles and Keith Zimmerman calling. Rounds will be with Ruth Rickey. This group will dance on the first and third Friday nights.

The council beginning open house was held on September 13. There was a good turnout of both prospective dancers and angels. Any club belonging to the Council may send angels to the lesson classes.

A new C-1 workshop is starting at Burhardt Center. Dave Hodson is teaching this on Thursdays for 12 weeks from 8:00-10:30 PM. \$40.00 per couple.

Representatives from the Miami Valley Cerebral Palsy Association gave a presentation on United Cerebral Palsy and the Telethon which is to be held in January. MVDC was invited to hold a benefit dance in January. Ed Stephens asked the representatives to go back to their clubs and talk about it. If there is interest on the part of some of the clubs to sponsor such a dance, they should let Ed know.

Appreciation was expressed to the City of Dayton for providing MVDC with a float in the Kettering Holiday At Home Parade.

Mike Grady, Circle 8's, and Jim Burton, S'Allemandes, were appointed as Trustees to replace Don Blomberg and Bob Strong.

The Nominating Committee for 1983 officers is as follows: Cecil Hartis, Chairman, Gordon Stephens and Corrine Starkey. The election will be held in November. Suggestions for nominations should be given to the committee as soon as possible.

Len Hynie, representing the Callers' Association, asked if there has been any confusion because of the change of the names of the levels of dancing. Quite a lengthy discussion ensued.

The first dance for this year's lesson class members will be on November 28. Flyers will be sent out soon.

Betty French reminded everyone that news articles are due by the 20th of the month. Please notify Betty if there are changes in officers, place of dancing time of dances, etc. Betty also should be notified of any workshops being held by the clubs so information can be included in the newsletter. Schedules for the first half of 1983 are due by September 20. It was suggested that a phone number be listed on the schedule for the place clubs are dancing.

Michael Solomon support checks should be given to Mady D'Aloiso or Janet Warren. They do not go to the MVDC Treasurer.

Flyers for the 1983 State Convention in Cincinnati are available at the Pavilion. There will be clogging in Cincinnati at the convention.

Paul Bonnell encouraged each club to begin now to choose an Honor Couple for 1983. These would be recognized by the Council and from this group would be chosen one couple to represent the Council in Cincinnati.

At the recent State Corporation meeting the '82, '83 and '84 conventions were discussed. It has been suggested that the publicity dress for the 1984 convention be state wide since this will be the Silver Anniversary convention.

Names of callers who are to participate in the State Fair Square Dance Day should be turned in earlier so the schedule can be worked out and given to the fair board so the callers can be notified. Bonnells were judges for the Youth Competition at the Fair.

Anyone having memorabilia from any of the previous conventions are asked to let the committee know so it can be displayed at the '84 convention. 7000 dancers is the goal for this convention. Everyone will be needed to help.

The big question now is "Who will follow Jo and Paul Bonnell as Convention Chairpersons?" Assistant Chairpersons are needed now to work along with them on the '84 convention and then to take over on the '88 convention.

Glenn Berry, Publicity Chairperson, reported a busy 30 days with demos at Bellbrook, Rax Roast Beef, Springfield, Dayton Mall and Kettering's Holiday at Home.

Gov. Rhodes proclaimed September 20-26 as Ohio Square Dance Week.

The suggestion was made that the council build a float to be used in a variety of parades in 1984 for publicity for the Silver Anniversary.

Plans for the proposed free dance for members of MVDC Council to be held this fall have not been made. After much discussion, Joan Moebus made the motion, seconded by Evelyn Steiner, that the idea be dropped at this time. Motion carried.

Forms are available to send in for listing in the National Square Dance Directory.

Information about incorporation was presented. Incorporation of the individual square dance clubs is recommended for preventing individual's being sued in case of a person's being injured at a club dance. This information is available from Ed Stephens or by writing to: Anthony J. Celebrezze, Jr., Secretary of State, 30 East Broad Street, 14th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215 (614-466-3910). The fee for incorporating is \$25.00.

## SPECIAL EVENTS AND CLUB INFORMATION

Washington Squares, Clothing Sale, November 6, 10AM-2PM. Need clothing-- need buyers. Will accept clothing until November 1.

2x4's Luau, October 2, Pavilion, Chuck Myers

Bellfair Country Store--Twin Base, September 18, Beginning 7:30 PM. Sam Dunn.

ClintonCounty Squares, Halloween Dance. October 23, Jim Shaffer, 8:00-10:30PM. Laurel Oaks Auditorium. Wear costumes.

Shooting Stars Hobo Dance, September 18, Pam Cooper

Halloween Dance, October 30, Chuck Myers

Curli-Q's and Lewisburg Promenaders, November 14, 2-5 PM, Joe Chiles

Circle 8's Halloween Dance, Pavilion, October 31, 2-6 PM

Pitchin Woodstackers have moved to Covenant Presbyterian Church, Springfield. They dance the 1st and 3rd Saturdays.

Joann Moebus moved, seconded by Jim Oliver, that the meeting be adjourned. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted:

*Charlotte N. Campbell*

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Secretary