

MIAMI VALLEY DANCE COUNCIL

Michael Solomon Pavilion

May 8, 2012

Pledge of Allegiance – Steve Stoehr opened with the pledge to the flag at 7:00 PM.

Secretary – Secretary report not mailed out. Steve Hayden motioned to move the approval of the minutes to the next meeting. Seconded by Jean Aills and approved.

Treasurer's Report – Joan Ganger provided a written Financial Report covering the period of March 13, 2012 thru May 7, 2012. There were no questions and the report will be filed for audit.

Vice President – Dale Blackburn announced that the summer workshop starts June 4. He recommends that the clubs encourage their students to attend because it is a good remedial and also a great opportunity to meet other students. Dale thanked the callers and the clubs that are supporting the workshop and also encourages the angels to participate. He thanked Steve Hayden for incorporating it into the front of the MVDC website, Pam Byrd for the complete posting on the MSP schedule and Renee Arnett for the copy in the newsletter. Now he needs club updates for the Fall Lesson Class handouts to be sent in by June 15 so he can have them available by the July meeting.

Trustee's – Kathy Divens announced that the Benefit Dance will be September 16 at the Dayton Mall from 2-5 PM and Children's Medical Center will be the beneficiary. They will provide a banner and a tablecloth for the dance. Jack Pladdys will be the caller with Elaine Wintrow on rounds and Mary Beth Arnett Back on lines. Also Concord Cloverleaf's are moving their June 1 dance to the Fairfield Commons Mall.

President – No report.

Publicity – Already discussed the Mall Dance in the Trustee's report.

Caller's Association – Stuart Lewis stated they had two events, the roast for Gay Chevalier and the Caller Seminar. He thanked the dancers for their support of the dances because that allows them to put on the education for the callers and cuers. He also thanked the dancers that helped at the seminar. Next event will be the Student Dance in January.

Award's Chair – Linda Hasting reported there were 15 awards and one club got the 60 Star. Still working on the signage.

MSP Support Committee – Bob DeRegnaucourt announced the floor sanding is done on the 5th weekend in September. The guidelines were updated for the building with no significant changes and is posted on the website. The walls are scheduled to come down the middle of May and back up in September. John Stocker started repairing them and is replacing the nails with screws.

Pavilion Scheduler – Pam Byrd said she has been the MSP scheduler since July 2011 and needs each clubs help, especially the clubs that dance at the MSP, to check the schedule on the website and let her know if there are any errors, because Joan Ganger does the billing from the calendar.

Historian – Report attached on the back of the agenda.

Hotline – The foldouts are available for pick up.

State Corp – Steve Hayden reported that 846 dancers attended the state convention in Akron. In 2013 the convention will be May 3 and 4 in Columbus at the Aladdin Shrine Event Center and flyers are on the tables

with information. The Honor Dancers were Leslie Hyll and Ed Cordray. Fay Samborsky and Stuart Lewis were also Honor Dancers for the Buckeye Round Dance Council. New State Corp officers are: President-Steve and Bev Stoehr, Vice-President-Barry and Peggy Carney, Treasurers- Bob and Judy Calkins, Recording Secretary-Judy Nelson, Corresponding Secretary- Ray and Irene Dommin. The Treasurers report had \$2400 in operating funds, \$843 mini-legacy, and \$3000 education for a total of \$6246. The education fund monies itself cannot be spent but the interest is to be used for education. That amount is in the mini-legacy. Any Council level education activity can apply for money and be considered by State Corp.

Newsletter – Renee Arnett announced that there were 11 entries for the newsletter logo contest and Daniela Collins is the current winner. She chose Chili's for her gift certificate. The newsletter deadline will always be the 21st before the next newsletter.

Unfinished Business –None

New Business – Steve Stoehr brought up the form from Columbus to tell them about any large or special dances they can come visit to advertise their next convention between now and May 2013.

Club News- Tom Griffis from Yellow Rockers announced their next dance will not be the second Sunday but on May 20. It is a hi-lo with Tom Strickland and Elaine Wintrow. Steve Hayden told of an old letter in 1962 when the 4th annual Buckeye Convention was held in Dayton that had interesting statistics.

Attendance- Cityfolk, Tuesday Afternoon Plus and Wheeler Dealers were not signed in.

Additional- Jean Aills commented that all but 2 of our square dance clubs were present at the convention.

Adjournment –Renee Arnett made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by Bob DeRegnaucourt. Motion carried and meeting was adjourned at 7:45 PM.

Next Miami Valley Dance Council meeting will be at MSP on July 11, 2012 at 7:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,
Kyle Rieker,
MVDC Secretary