

FOURTH REGULAR MEETING OF MIAMI VALLEY FOLK DANCE COUNCIL

October 25, 1981

PLACE: Home of Sam Ballinger - 7:30 p.m.

ATTENDING: All members present

Meeting was called to order and secretary's minutes were approved as submitted. Treasurer reported a balance of \$1,506.90 after giving V. Fisher \$400.00 for weekend expenses.

Peggy showed us the flyer made up to give new people with general information regarding the club; also the cards Adelle Nellis made up to give any members moving away.

Plans for the International Weekend with Bea Montross are progressing very well. The menu for the Saturday night buffet includes ham, meat balls, molded tuna fish salad, eggs, macaroni and cheese, several salads - slaw, endive etc., and for dessert ice cream with creme de menthe over it and a cookie. Saturday afternoon the snack will be pretzels and lemonade, and in the evening Mexican wedding cakes and Mexican cocoa. Sunday the snack will be cake and coffee.

Ed Anderson's letter of July 14 was read suggesting we have a 10:30 p.m. closing time and that the locking up be formalized with definite people responsible for each evening. After discussion, it was decided not to change our present method or time of closing, as there seems to be no problem making a change necessary.

We had an answer to our inquiry regarding Frantisek Bonus of Czechoslovakia and find he will not be visiting the United States this year.

Peggy advised that all the records were cleaned by Jewel and Ken Steed and Bessie Lee Shropshire. Jeanne Gulden has taped some records for use on our new tape recorder, and also made a tape for use on the Israeli Ethnic Sunday.

Rose Anna Mills wrote a letter to Abner Orick regarding the slippery floor at the Pavilion (she fell the other Thursday night) hoping he might look into the problem, as we have had no response from the City. John suggested the Chairman call the Pavilion Committee and find out if anything has been put on the floor to cause it to be slippery, and if so, eliminate it.

We received a letter from Nicolaas Hilferink, who lives in Canada, with a resume of his experience. He would like to teach for a weekend and charges \$25.00 per hour plus accommodations and travel expenses.

John reported Tom Bozigian is scheduled for Sept. 17-18-19, 1982 for an Armenian workshop here. If possible, we would prefer to have the workshop in October or early November, and when the time gets closer, John will check to see if this will work into Tom's schedule.

Council decided the charge for guests at our New Year's Eve party would remain \$3.00 per person. People suggested to chair the party were: Ed and Doris Alexander, Joe and Dottie Birkemeier, or Don and Peg Eltzroth. Peggy will check and see which couple might be willing.

Sam advised we will have 3 new members before our weekend: Jan and John Puterbaugh, and Ray Gottschall. Jerry Raz will be eligible as soon as he has 20 weeks in.

Peggy will check with Bruce Cantrell regarding a silk flower arrangement for Rick and Mel Rutan as a gift from the club on their marriage.

The next meeting was set for December 1 at Tony's. Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

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