

FIRST REGULAR MEETING OF MIAMI VALLEY FOLK DANCE COUNCIL

PLACE: Home of Marjorie Darragh - 7:30 p.m. - January 17, 1982

ATTENDING: John Pappas, Chairman, Peggy Booher, Sam Ballinger, Peg Eltzroth,
and Marjorie Darragh

The meeting was called to order and secretary's minutes of last Council meeting were read and approved. Treasurer reported the books were audited by Pat Hennessey on January 7 and approved. Sam reported he had taken in \$399.50 in dues so far this month. We have a cash balance on hand of \$1,885.89.

John reported on bids he had received through Henry Stovall for a chalkboard. Council decided to have Henry purchase the least expensive one - which would be 4 x 6, reversible, on rollers, and with a wooden frame. The cost will be near \$200.00.

Council approved the suggested prices, submitted by Vera Fisher, to charge for the Italian workshop with Mae Fraley. They would be: Saturday afternoon \$3.50, dinner \$5.00, Saturday evening \$4.00, Sunday afternoon \$3.50, syllabus \$1.50. Total cost would be \$17.50 or the entire package for \$16.00. Members would be charged \$10.00 for the entire weekend.

Leslie Hyll went to the Dance Council meeting. She had advised that the annual State Square Dance Conventions were always held the first Friday of May (including the weekend) and that if we planned our spring workshops for that date, we would be able to use the Pavilion for the weekend instead of going to Bomberger.

The Program Committee was selected as follows: Ray Gottschall, Jerry Raz, Carole Pappas, and Joe Birkemeier, with Carolyn Stovall beginning in July to take Leslie Hyll's place. We did not choose a chairman but will allow them to choose their own. We will specify they must choose a chairman, however.

Other committees appointed were: Food - Rose Anna Mills
Promotion (and also to write Miami Valley Dance
Council news article - Roseanne Gessel
Orientation Class - Chairman - Ann Ballinger
Vice Chairman - Vera Fisher

Tri City will be April 17 in Cincinnati and the following people were suggested for teaching: Charlie Castellano, Jerry Raz, and Ray Gottschall. A decision on this as well as the amount the club will pay for members attending was tabled until next meeting.

Peg Eltzroth and Peggy Booher will check on some possible places we might have our New Year's eve party - possible churches, clubs etc.

Workshops for 1983 were discussed and the favorites were Russian and Romanian. Israeli was also suggested as well as Scandanavian. These might be possibilities if we are unable to find instructors for the two favorites. Peggy Booher will chair the Russian workshop and Peg Eltzroth will chair the Romanian workshop.

Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,


Marjorie Darragh