

SECOND REGULAR MEETING OF MIAMI VALLEY FOLK DANCE COUNCIL

PLACE: Home of Marjorie Darragh - 7:30 p.m. - February 27, 1983
ATTENDING: Carole Pappas, Sam Ballinger, Sam Fleischer, Peg Eltzroth, and
Marjorie Darragh

The meeting was called to order. Secretary's minutes were approved as submitted. Treasurer reported a current balance of \$2,047.14 (\$562.00 of which was taken in for Tri City). However, we have made an advance payment to Camp Kern of \$128.23.

Carole reported that Ann Ballinger received a phone call from Jaap Leegwater in reply to our several inquiries. As his reply was so late, we had already committed for an English workshop in May and a Romanian workshop in the fall. Council decided to ask Peggy Booher to see if he will be available for a workshop next year.

Prices for the English workshop were discussed and it was estimated our expenses will be as follows: Snacks (3 times) \$100.00, Security \$50.00, Decorations \$25.00, 6 lunches \$30.00, 6 dinners \$30.00, expenses for 2 cars \$150.00, and publicity and postage \$70.00 making a total of \$455.00. If 50 people came we would take in \$515.00, making \$10.30 per person plus \$4.50 for dinner. We agreed to charge the following prices:

Teaching 10 a.m. to 12 noon	- \$3.00
Teaching 2 p.m. to 5	- 4.00
Dinner	- 4.50
Evening Party	- 3.50
Syllabus	- 1.00
TOTAL	<u>\$16.00</u>

We would offer a package for the entire day for \$14.50 to non-members and \$12.00 to our members.

Carole reported we had 38 reservations for Tri-City to date and hope to get a few more.

The tabulation on the votes by members to give the afternoon group permission to use our equipment at the Pavilion was 48 yes and 6 no.

Vera Fisher advised she does not want to be co-chairman of the Beginners' Class. Ann Ballinger will continue as chairman without a co-chairman.

Sam Fleischer attended an organizational meeting for the Buckeye Square Dance Convention to be held May 4, 5, and 6, 1984. Unless we are interested in having a spot on the program, we will not be involved. It was suggested we try and get the use of the Pavilion on those dates if it is not being used, and schedule our spring workshop then, as we would not have to pay for its use.

Carole only had two responses for suggestions for workshops for 1984. One would be Karin Gottier, who teaches German, Swiss and Austrian dances, and from the Program Committee requesting a Bulgarian workshop. We would hope to engage Jaap Leegwater for this workshop.

Peg Eltzroth received a letter from the city advising the charge for our fall workshop will be \$150.00 (as it is an instructional workshop) for Sat. 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. and 12 to 6 on Sunday at Bomberger. For our New Year's eve party at Lohrey, their charge will be \$400.00 (\$50.00 per hour) as it is a social affair. The charge for the one day workshop (English) will be \$60.00.

Due to the fact that we will have to pay for the centers whenever we have workshops, Sam Fleischer moved we make a survey of the members to see what their reaction would be toward increasing our dues and if so, what they think this increase should be. He agreed to do the survey.

Nest council meeting was set for July 18 at Peg Eltzroth's. Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Marjorie Darragh, Secretary