## SECOND REGULAR MEETING OF MIAMI VALLEY FOLK DANCE COUNCIL Thursday Night, March 27, 1986

PLACE: MIKE SOLOMON PAVILION

Attending: John Pappas, Sam Ballinger, Joanne Dombrowski, John Puterbaugh, Gitta Reck.

John Pappas reported:

1) Wilfried Knorr, instructor of North German dances will come Thursday, April 17, 1986 for a mini-workshop. Cost will be \$150.00.

2) Nicholas Hilferink (Netherland) will conduct a mini-workshop Thursday, May 1st, 1986; he will teach Romanian dances. Cost will be \$125.00

Council set Open House for May 22, a Thursday night. We decided to advertise the event extensively. Council set a tentative date for a Turkish Workshop with Ercument Kilic, The date is Sep. 18th, 1986.

Council discussed having a summer picnic, for which Dick Clair volunteered his house, yard and patio. We did not come to a conclusion about the picnic and will decide one way or the other at our next meeting.

John Pappas asked approval to by 5 minute tapes, at .95¢ each, council approved the purchase.

John Pappas reported that the cost of the limstings of dances on which Ed Anderson has been working, comes to about \$60.00. The dances are listed alphabetical, by nationality and by types.

Sam reported that there are about \$2,000.00 in the treasury. Sam bought 10 gross of nametag pins at a cost of \$11.00.

John Pappas told us that he received a letter from Ann Kangas, in which she let us know that she enjoyed Tri-City. She asked for the names of people who do our workshops.

This years ethnic Sundays are:

April 13	_	English	Oct. 12 - "Welcome Back"
May 11	-	Romanian	Nov. 9 - Israeli Workshop
June 8	-	Yugoslav	Dec. 14 - French-Canadian
July 13	-	American	Jan 11, 1987 - Annual Meeting
Aug 10	-	International	Feb 8, '87- Polish
Sep 14	_	Latin American	-

The next council meeting was set for May 18th, a Sunday night, at Sam's house. The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Sittu Dech

## MVFD Newsletter, 4/86

A big thank you to Charles Castellano for donating two records to our library.

Also thanks to the following for cleaning the Pavilion on 4 Feb 1986: Charles Krainz, Louis Hyll, Steve Kokot, Pat Hennessy, Dot Santi, Nova Sanders, Marje Darragh, and Sam and Ann Ballinger.

Tri-City was a big success. We are sending a \$450.00 check to the Ralph Page Fund. This was the profit that we promised to send to help carry on the work that Ralph Page started on American contras. Thank you to Marilyn Bishop and Grace Wolff and the other members of MVFD who helped out as well as those of you from Dayton and other cities who participated by attending.

Virginia Garcia is on the program committee instead of Lilly Ulrich as previously reported.

The tape committee is going to purchase some more 10 minute tapes for the club. If any of you wish some for yourself, please see Harry Khamis or John Pappas soon. (About \$1.00 per tape.)

Now, some planned activities:

- 1. April 17, 1986 (Thursday) A North German mini-workshop with Wilfried Knorr of Germany.
- 2. May 1, 1986 (Thursday) Romanian mini-workshop with Nicolaas Hilferink of the Netherlands.
- 3. May 22, 1986 (Thursday) Open House: a special program geared towards non-dancers and beginning dancers. Please invite some one that you wish to introduce to International Folk Dancing. Refreshments will be available. No charge.
- 4. Sept. 18, 1986 (Thursday) (Tentative) A Turkish mini-workshop with Ercument Kilic.
- 5. Oct. 12, 1986 (Sunday) A welcome back day for past members of MVFD. If any of you know the addresses of past members, please give them to Grace Wolff. Dinner is at 1:00 P.M. (See our ad in Viltis Mag.)
- 6. Nov 8,9, 1986 (Tentative) A weekend Israeli workshop. Sandra Toni Francis is trying to set up this one.

There will be a small charge for items 1,2,& 4 to offset our expenses. The charge is \$1.00 for MVFD members, \$2.00 for associate members, and \$3.00 for others.

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June 8 - Yugoslav Dec 14 - French Canadian
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The above list is subject to change to accomodate the special activities listed in items 1 through 6.

If any of you wish an alphabetical listing of our dances, please see Ed Anderson. Cost is about \$2.00 per copy. Three listings are available alphabetically by name, nationality, and type.

How about a picnic this Summer? Please let your wishes be known to me or Dick Clair.

Next council meeting is scheduled for May 18, 1986. If you have a subject matter to bring up, please see a member of the council.

Ciao.