

First Regular Meeting of the 1997 MVFD Council

Date: February 3, 1997
Place: Home of Joanne Dombrowski
Attendance: Ed Anderson, Joanne Dombrowski, Leslie Hyll, John Puterbaugh

The meeting was called to order at 7:10 by the Chair, John Puterbaugh.

The annual report submitted by the 1996 Treasurer, Sam Ballinger, indicated that the treasury balance as of December 31, 1996, was \$1061.12. The new Treasurer, Leslie Hyll, was asked to check on bank signatures and attend to the audit form. Also, it was suggested by Ed Anderson that a question be added to the registration forms for new members, asking how they had heard about MVFD.

John Puterbaugh announced that the Pavilion would be closed on Thursday, February 6, 1997. New membership lists were distributed to Council members, and a plan was devised to notify all members about the closing. The Pavilion will also be closed on March 17, 18, 19, 20, and the Chair was asked to investigate an alternate sight for Thursday night folk dancing.

John Puterbaugh announced that he plans to conduct a survey concerning Ethnic Sundays and workshops.

Ed Anderson suggested that a check list be provided for closing the pavilion. This could be used to show the Dance Council that we are attending to our responsibilities.

Carolyn Stovall was appointed to coordinate the 7:00-8:00 teaching session on Thursday evenings.

The Council made the following committee appointments:

Kitchen	Truus VanDer Sluijs (Peg Eltzroth)
Refreshments	Dot Santi (Peg Eltzroth)
Publicity	Dona Hyll <i>Maureen Moloney</i>
Equipment	Ed Cordray
Tape	John Pappas, Ed Anderson
Membership	Gitta Reck, Lee Moser
Historian	Joanne Dombrowski
Archives	Leslie Hyll
Program:	Mike Clark, Benita Volk, Gitta Reck, Sarah Fleischer (two additional positions to be filled)

Dayton Dance Partners Representative:	Leslie Hyll
Culture Works Representative:	Bette Kelley
Recording and Equipment Research Committe:	John Pappas, Ed Anderson, Ed Cordray, Lorraine Fortner

Nancy Hyll was nominated to chair the November international workshop which would mark the 45th Anniversary of MFVD.

The Council approved \$175 (possible 10% discount) to place an add in the Dayton International Festival program book.

The Council also approved \$150 for an add for the Cityfolk program book.

Tri-City will be held on April 5, in Cincinnati. MVFD will teach from 2:45-3:45. Instructors should provide 10 copies of the dance instructions and 2 copies of the tape for each dance which is taught. Joanne and Leslie were appointed to plan the dances to be taught.

New Year's Eve was discussed. No decisions were made.

It was suggested that Louise Van Vliet be asked to coordinate participation in the National Folk Festival.

The Open House was set for September 11, 1997. John Puterbaugh will be in charge of the program for this event.

The meeting adjourned at 10:50.

Respectfully submitted,



Joanne Dombrowski, Secretary