

1998 MVFD OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES

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Miami Valley Folk Dancers

The News



CALENDAR

MVFD Events

Oct 29 ***Halloween Party*** - come in costume!
 Nov 8 ***Reliving Romanian*** – a workshopette
 Dec 13 ***Bulgarian Ethnic Sunday***
 Dec 31 ***New Year's Eve at the Pavilion!***
 Jan 10 ***Annual Business Meeting and Potluck*** - no dance
 Feb 14 ***Scottish/English Ethnic Sunday***

Other Events

Oct 17 ***Croatian Kolo Party***, Eintracht Club (Zivio)
 Oct 24 ***Guateque Folkloric Ballet of Puerto Rico***, Victoria Theatre (Cityfolk & PACO)
 Oct 31 ***Dayton Community Dance*** – Univ. of Dayton (Cityfolk)
 Oct 31 ***Folk Dance Halloween Party*** (UCIFD)
 Nov 8 ***Community Dance of Yellow Springs***
 Nov 14 ***Dayton Community Dance*** – Univ. of Dayton (Cityfolk)
 Dec 11 ***Dayton Community Dance*** – Univ. of Dayton (Cityfolk)
 Jan 9 ***Muntu Dance Theatre***, Memorial Hall (Cityfolk)
 Feb 26-28 ***Columbus Folk Dancers Workshop*** - TBA
 Apr 10-11 ***Rhythm in Shoes***, Memorial Hall (Cityfolk)

MVFD on the World Wide Web:
<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/3382/mvfd.html>

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☛ From the Chair - John Puterbaugh

So far this has been a great year. Thanks to all of you for helping to make this possible. We still have some more activities scheduled and I hope all of you will join in and make these successful. On Oct. 29 we will be having our Halloween Party with Lou Hyll in charge. I understand Mike Clark is handling the pumpkins. On Nov. 8 we will be having a workshoppette, be sure to get your flyer for all the info on this. Of course later on we will be having our Christmas and New Years parties but more about those in the next Newsletter. As you can see we still have a lot of fun to come and we welcome all of you to be a part of it.

I might also mention that your Council has met and set up the scheduling for next year and already things are being discussed to make next year even better than this year. We will be asking for you help, so don't be bashful. Just say OK when asked.

The MVFD Council would like to congratulate Ed Cordray on his being named Chairperson of the MVDC Pavilion Support Committee. Thanks Ed for taking on this responsibility.



☛ Reliving Romanian

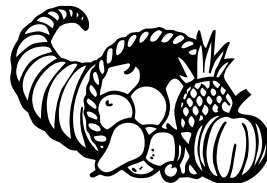
Be sure to plan for our "workshoppette" on Sunday, Nov. 8, 1998. Bette Kelley is chairing this day. Bette has lined up some of our best instructors to help us "re-live" Romanian dances we have learned over the years.

Don't be afraid to come. Many of the dances are slow to moderate speed so even the least energetic of us will be able to participate. Of course there will be a couple of "zippy" dances for those who can't control themselves.

The instruction begins at 9 am. We'll take a break from noon to 2 pm for a covered-dish lunch. Then more instruction from 2 - 6 pm. The cost for the day, for members and non-members, is \$4.00. It is a small amount so we can pay the rent. If you don't want to bring lunch, we'll let you mooch for \$2.00 more (but please let Leslie Hyll know by Nov 5).

Please note: NO DINNER ON THIS DAY, ONLY LUNCH!

This should be a fun day, so please come!



☛ MS Support Committee News - Mike Clark

Well, the big news is that John Roasa has resigned as chair of the support committee. An emergency meeting of the committee was held on Sept. 13. Our own Ed Cordray attended and volunteered to take up the torch. Many people were relieved that someone was actually interested in being the chair. We all know it can be a thankless job. Everything should continue to function as it has been while Ed learns all about the job.

Ed is putting together an ongoing maintenance and improvements list that will be prioritized by the support committee. He has already put a new faucet in the men's restroom.

Although Ed is now the chair, I, Mike, am still MVFD's illustrious representative to the support committee. If you have comments or suggestions about the Pavilion, please give them to me. That way Ed only has to interface with one representative per club.

The next meeting of the Michael Solomon Support Committee will be Saturday, Oct. 24 at 10 am.

☛ Pat Hennessey Moved!

We were informed by one of Pat's sons, Tim, that Pat has moved to the Gallipolis, Ohio area where

Tim and his family live. Pat's new address is

Holzer Senior Care Center,
Room 110
380 Colonial Drive
Bidwell, Ohio 45614

Ed Anderson last saw Pat on 8/31 and told him that he looked better then than he did a year ago. They played some checkers, a favorite pasttime of Pat's. Tim said there is a checker player at the Senior Center where Pat is now residing. Pat Hennessey is an Honorary Member of MVFD.

☛ Annual Meeting Proposals

Any proposals for the Annual Meeting must be submitted to John Puterbaugh by Dec 3, 1998. This is so they may be distributed with the Dec newsletter. Any proposal that would change the club Rules and Regulations or Method of Operations must be presented to the membership in advance of the meeting.

☛ Quote - Moliere, 1622

When someone blunders, we say that he makes a misstep. Is it then not clear that All the ills of mankind, all the tragic misfortunes that fill our history books, all the political blunders, all the failures of the great leaders have arisen merely from a lack of skill in dancing.