

Dakota Country Dance Club Board Meeting
9-12-16
Held at Jerry Nusz Home

Meeting opened 7:40pm

Present- Jerry Nusz, Dave Rasmusson, Heather Allmendinger, Michelle Wang, -Dave Ryan arrived after meeting started

Secretary report- read by Jerry, correction of start time listed as 8:50pm to 7:50pm, clarification of board members present vs. members present. Approved after clarifications

Treasurers report- Treasurers report states balance is \$2209.60. discussion of outstanding checks and needing to balance checkbook with bank statement. Tea Legion was paid for both August and September events. Treasurer will revise and send out via email. Approved after clarifications

Sunshine Committee- Board has not heard any news, Sheila is currently with family as brother-in-law just got out of surgery

Web Report- Jerry and Kurt have been corresponding via email about the website being obsolete, it is currently difficult to update. Kurt is looking into options, possibly Go Daddy. Ryan A also mentioned at the last meeting that he has an easy website hosting site. Board needs someone with time and knowledge to update website. Heather is to email Kurt for more info on this.

Discussion of Facebook page. Jill was to make Heather and Sheila admins of the Facebook page but it is proving difficult due to the way Facebook pages are setup. We may have to create a new Facebook page so board members can post to the main page. The person who creates the page can add admins, etc. It was discussed that the page is being updated with our event posters.

Activities Report- Next event Sept 24th Tea Legion. Chute Rooster band hired. Lessons from 6-8. Band from 8-12. Will discuss more in Old business. Jerry has been discussing restarting line dance with Bucks management. Thursdays and Saturdays will not work at this time due to other activities they have planned. Wacko's comedy club has contacted us about doing line dances there possibly on Tuesdays. Jerry is discussing with them. Heather will also contact the Moose as they are now open and could be a possibility for a new dance venue. Board would like to start lessons again around Oct 4th.

Membership Report- One new member signed up at August event

Newsletter- Jen did last months newsletter and it was sent out to members. Those present did not know if any information had been sent to Jen to do Sept newsletter. Will discuss at next meeting when all are present.

Old Business- August Event, \$145 came in plus one new member signed up. Attendance was low, but those there seemed to enjoy the venue.

Sept 24th event, need help with setup starting at 4, need help with the admission table, discussed that we need to pay attention to the side entrance. Will use wristbands to determine who has paid, send an email out to club about event and asking for help. Dave Rasmusson will work on getting printer back to the board for club printing purposes.

New Business- Oct event, Bucks has a Halloween party planned so we cannot teach lessons, instead we will plan on having a club get together earlier in the evening at Bucks. Dancing and fellowship with costumes. This will be on Oct 29th.

November event, Jerry will check with Wackos about possibly doing a club comedy and dance workshop event on the 19th. \$10 per comedy ticket and \$5 for workshop. \$600 budget. Bring snacks to share.

December event. Club Christmas party, turkey dinner, and white elephant gift exchange. Renner Legion Dec 9th. This event is booked.

Membership promotion- Board will be assigned previous members from the membership list to contact about dance coming up on the 24th and also to tell them about the various events we have had over the last year. Try to convince them to join. Members who have not renewed in over 2 yrs will receive prorated membership. Dave Rasmusson will contact previous members A-C, will take list and assign to rest of board.

Next Meeting- Oct 10 at 7:30 Jerry Nusz Home

Meeting adjourned 10:07 pm