

Indy Contra Minutes August 17, 2010

Attending: Juliet Port, Dianna Davis, Ken Gall, Barry Levitt, Carole Gall (guest), Kathryn Millis (recorder).

1. Minutes
 - a. Approved, but several members had trouble reading or finding. Kathryn will troubleshoot and re-send.
2. Treasurer's report
 - a. Attendance and income have stayed stable.
 - b. Taxes and insurance have been filed. Earth House and Boy Scouts are "additional insured" which means they would need to co-sign a reimbursement check even if they got none of the money; they may have asked for this as a condition of using their spaces. Barry's not sure this is necessary.
 - c. Barry will try to reserve the first weekend in November 2011 at the Scout Camp for GMB.
 - d. Barry will be gone October & needs someone to handle the desk and money.
3. Scheduler's report:
 - a. October is almost scheduled. (Kathryn will do a newsletter for printing before Sugar Hill.)
4. Earth House
 - a. Juliet still waiting for paperwork back. We are free to have food & drink.
5. GMB
 - a. 2010 Schedule:
 - i. Friday: 8 - 11 pm contra with Coffee Zombies & David Ernst
 - ii. Saturday:
 1. 1 - 2 setup & couples dancing with Dianna
 2. 2 - 4:15 Advanced contra with Coffee Zombies & Diane Silver
 3. 4:30 - 6 contra for all with Perpetual e-Motion and undecided caller. Dianna will talk with David & Diane; may depend on energy level.
 4. 6 - 7:30 dinner
 5. 8 - 10 contra with Coffee Zombies & David
 6. 10:15 - 1 contra with Perpetual e-Motion and Diane
 - iii. Sunday:
 1. couple's & waltz still uncertain
 2. contra noon - 3 with Perpetual e-Motion and Diane
 - b. 2010 Tasks
 - i. Distributed overview of GMB tasks, but did not review individual projects. Make cabin check in on Friday night a scholarship task.
 - ii. Juliet will finish the GMB flier and print hundreds. She'll bring

to Sugar Hill. Kathryn will bring envelopes for us to send copies home with other midwest dance group leaders, and arrange an exchange.

6. Publicity:
 - a. Looked at new logo in various options.
 - b. Juliet distributed fliers to Indiana State Fair's Pioneer Village. She'll email Kathryn the file to post on the website. State fair dance turnout was good but not great. Juliet will talk with Bill Bailey about other promotion.
7. Website
 - a. Juliet has asked Doug Becker to help with making a newer, easier to maintain website. Can we use another template or program on Cactusgraphics, or do we need to change hosts? Can he and Kathryn work on it soon, so the site is up well before GMB, or should we wait until after?
8. Next meeting – 2nd Tuesday as usual.
9. Vickie Herndon is calling 2nd week in September. Can we meet at Bazbeaux or EarthHouse, and have both meeting and host her for dinner?