

GREAT LAKES SWING DANCE CLUB
Newsletter Board Meeting Minutes - July 18th, 2011

Officers Present: Cathy Kelley, Ernie Callard, Matt Kelley, Jim Vroman, Jim DeVoe, Leo Brennan, Becky McGinnis, Diane Kopec

Old Business Discussed

- A. Check with Matt to see if RR wall video is displayed on website and u-tube.
- B. Picnic Dance
 - Membership meeting @ Picnic before Grace is said.
 - All activities are being coordinated and supplies finalized by Chairs Leo/Marge Brennan, Assistant Chairs Jan Vroman, and Diane Kopec
- C. Matt to confirm services...Emergency notice – suggestion of Boy Scout mailing list – make one call and system will send out info to mass list.
- D. Marketing- Matt to check students for Logo prints. Will review next meeting.
- E. Have supplies from Stuart's basement for Picnic, Fall Fest, and NY party. Rope lighting and sound system still in Stuart's basement.
- F. September Fall Fest
 - Ernie to announce Chairperson needed.
- G. Rollerrink
 - We honor USA/MSDA/MSHHD member cards but they are not GLSDC Members. USA members honored only from Midland's Chapter 2043 (2 different chapters)
 - The dance floor seems to be working fine with the saw dust and dance wax.
- H. Membership is 288 members to date.
- I. Advertising – Flint Journal has no Community Events Calendar area. Have to talk to each city to place adds individually. Leo has tried the Flushing paper and they do not return the call. Also Tri-County Times.

New Business Discussed

- A. Some additional financial cutbacks for GLSDC starting August, 2011
 - Free pass given out on Wednesday night shall be discontinued.
 - \$10/wk giveaway shall be discontinued.
 - Workers and Board Members shall pay \$3 on Wednesdays (possible By-Law change to Standing Rules discussed at next meeting).
- B. Future options if needing additional cutbacks
 - Hard copy newsletter cut back to bi-monthly but put calendar on flyer table mthly... on-line done monthly. Separate meeting to discuss TBA.
 - Possible change to how door table is worked.
- C. Board Members to count \$ at 8:45 on Wed night (excluding L. Brennan and J. Vroman). Only one helper working door for 8:30 shift. Effective August, 2011
- D. Book at door to be secured for just board members...just a sheet of paper for that night and the next weeks workers.
- E. Shoe bags to be sold on shirt night for \$10 each.

Next Meeting- August 1st for Swingfest discussion

Next Board Meeting- September 19th at Stuart's

Respectfully submitted by D. Kopec