



Round Dance Council

Minutes from 31st Jan 2010

Cuer's Council (CuC) Minutes

31.01.10 Widford Village Hall, Ware

Attendees:

Steve Sturgiss (S), Shirley Cox (SC)
 Alex (AS) & Roy (R) Stillwell
 Matt (M) [minutes] & Sue (SB) Baldry
 Paul (P) & Teresa (T) Hart

Meeting Opened 10.15am

	Action
<u>Welcome and apologies for absence:</u> David & Valerie Marshall, Jerry & Jo Knight, Tone & Sylvia Mak, Nick Wright (NW), Judy Wakely.	
<u>Approval of minutes of initial meeting of Cuers of 21st November 2009</u> Minutes of the previous meeting voted as accurate and signed by AS.	
<u>Matters arising not covered elsewhere in this agenda.</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AS talked about couples might want to put their joint names to positions and paperwork, this was discussed and decided it should be individual / couples choice. • Roundalab Affiliation Fees are due on 1st April 2010, NW to deal with the renewal getting the Callers Council to pay the fees direct. NW is also to keep the Discount Code and issue it to members on request. • GSI to have Cuers School 2013 T & P co-opted on to GSI council for this. • <u>Officers Elected</u> Teresa as Liaison Officer Nominated by Matt, Seconded by Shirley Alex stood down as Chair, Shirley Cox elected as Chair Nominated by Matt, Seconded by Alex, Nick Wright elected as Librarian Nominated by Teresa, Seconded by Matt, Paul as Treasurer Nominated by Matt, Seconded by Roy, Matt as Vice Chair/ Secretary Nominated by Steve, Sec Shirley. All votes were carried with no objections. • NW/T to request Roundalab DVD from Callers Council for Library 	<p>NW</p> <p>NW/T</p>
<u>Report by Liaison Officer on last Caller Club Council Meeting</u> T reported that the last meeting was cancelled due to bad weather and	

<p>held via E-Mails & Internet. Meeting discussion included the Harry Preston Award, future CuC meetings and the Callers/Cuers School – 6th/7th November. The next meeting is Sunday 21st February 2010.</p>	
<p><u>The Relationship between Cuers' Council, Caller Club and Roving Rounds.</u> T stated that there is NO relationship and read Roving Rounds Article 3 from it's constitution "The purposes of the club are i The promotion of friendship and goodwill through the enjoyment of round dancing ii To encourage the spread of the friendship and goodwill by holding periodical dances for the enjoyment of all who have completed a course of round dancing. iii To encourage and support dancers who wish to become Round Dance cuers in an informal manner. iv To introduce Round Dancing to non-dancers or dancers from other disciplines. v To provide regular club meetings for the enjoyment of members. In addition to provide practice opportunities, and giving recommendation of joining CuC when ready to formalise training"</p>	
<p><u>Dates, locations and format for the CuC meetings.</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Aims & Objectives</u> the group discussed the need for CuC to have their own Aims & Objectives ALL are to compose what they think they should be so we can compile an Aims & Objectives Statement and to mailed to M by 20th Feb. Then M can compile a draft for the next meeting on the 7th March • NW to think about having a Library Membership Fee (small £1 or £2) and Lending Rules. • <u>CuC meetings</u> to coincide with Callers Council Meeting when possible (Bi-Monthly) • Meeting Rooms Pd for by Callers Council, T to get further Dates & Venues, Next is 7th March. 	<p>ALL M NW T</p>
<p><u>Training Structure and Accreditation</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AS talked about accreditation it was thought it might need to be renamed to stop any negative impact on new cuers maybe Training Schedule, also the question was asked how it would be recognised in Europe. T discussed new phasing system in Europe A, B, C and will get details for next meeting. AS has given the "Training Schedule" to M to distribute for us to look at and discuss at the next meeting. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • T to get an up-to-date 'black list' of record labels. • AS to help with training, at CuC meetings when time allows. • Everyone to write 16 Measure 2 Step Module starting and finishing in B/Fly (Phase 2), In prep for creating cue sheets for Callers. • NW to write information on Roundalab (what it is? what can you get from it? Etc) for inclusion in the welcome pack 	<p>T M T ALL NW</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> get from it? Etc) for inclusion in the welcome pack New draft for the welcome pack to be done by M, ask Trevor Day about Logo 	M
<p><u>Welcome pack and contact form</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Following conversation it was decided that a second draft is put together by M for further discussion at the next meeting, 	M

Meeting Closed 12.50

AS went onto to do a teach on teaching styles looking at different ways people learn, ie Visual, Audio or Doing.

Cuers' Council (CuC) Programme – 7th March 2010

Drayton, Oxfordshire

10.00 – 10.15	Arrival and settling in
10.15 – 11.15	Meeting – Chair Matt
	• Welcome and apologies for absence
	• Approval of minutes 31 st January 2010
	• Matters arising
	• Report by Liaison Office [Teresa]
	• Aims and objectives [Matt]
	• New A, B, C phasing system [Teresa]
	• Training Schedule [Alex]
	• Welcome pack and contact form [Matt]
	• AOB
	• Next meeting
11.15 – 11.30	Coffee break
11.30 – 12.00	Mic time – for those who would like to please bring one dance which is a recent addition to your repertoire to cue to the group, please be prepared to teach/show any unusual or tricky parts.
12.00 – 12.30	Training – look at the training scheme and arrange the main topics in order led by Alex
12.30 – 13.00	If time allows Classic 'Round of the Quarter' dance teach by Teresa
13.00 – 13.45	Lunch
14.00 – 15.00	SDCCGB AGM