



Round Dance Council

Minutes from 20th November 2011

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20-11-2011 at Thornbury

Started at 12.00 the meeting lasted until 14.00

Attendees - Judi Read (JR) & Michael Read (MR),
 Jill Woodall (JiW), Teresa Hart (TH) & Paul Hart (PH),
 Matt Baldry (MB) & Sue Baldry (SB)
 Nick Wright (NW). Shirley Cox (SC) & Steve Sturgiss (SS)

Apologies - David (DM) & Valerie Marshall (VM), Sandra Higson (SH),
 Nina (NM) & Roger Marshall (RM)

(Training Team - TT)

	ACTION
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Approval of Minutes</u> <p>Minutes Approved by those present</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Matters Arising</u> <p>JiW has wrote the letter for Alan Sheriffs it was read aloud and approved, MB to print, sign & send.</p> <p>Training Manual first part is published</p> <p>John Mee is booked for PAT Testing for AGM.</p> <p>Happy Birthday Rumba, long cues to written MB to distribute short cues.</p> <p>JR talked to Helen about a special dance, she declined however there was an event held for her which JR attended and was a great success. SH made a card for her on behalf of the RDC which was sent.</p> <p>NW has received his refund for the roundalab funds</p>	<p>MB</p> <p>MB</p>

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Matters Arising (Cont)</u> <p>The Web Links are now published.</p> <p>There has been a great response for the request for cuers for the 60th anniversary celebrations.</p> <p>MB to speak to Simon & Trudy ref meeting dates.</p> <p>GSI fundraising card to be completed and distributed to clubs</p> <p>Update on GSI dance the date has changed to 2014 so not to clash with the 60th anniversary celebrations.</p>	<p>MB</p> <p>MB,SB, TH & PH</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Forthcoming AGM</u> <p>Everyone present is happy to continue, MB needs to contact those not present</p> <p>The new SDCCGB president is unable to attend however Simon & Susie Kelly will attend in their absence.</p> <p>There will be a SDCCGB meeting between our AGM and theirs enabling us to report back to the council.</p> <p>The AGM is to be held in Steventon Village Hall (JR has booked and will enquire about use of 2nd hall)</p> <p>The AGM does clash with Alan's Snowflake dance, however Alan is OK with this as a one off, TH is to mail everyone asking for dates for 2013 so we don't clash next time.</p> <p>JR to sound out dancers to see if they would attend an evening dance after the AGM</p> <p>JR to organise afternoon workshop on tango</p> <p>2 scenarios were discussed for AGM one with and one without an evening dance.</p> <p>10:30 – 12:00 Practice time for new taster's 12:00 – 13:00 Lunch 13:00 – 14:30 AGM 15:00 – 17:00 Workshop (Tango with JR) 19:00 – 22:00 Dance</p>	<p>MB</p> <p>JR</p> <p>TH</p> <p>JR</p> <p>JR</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Forthcoming AGM (Cont)</u> <p>PAC testing will be available</p> <p>MB to invite attendees of the taster day to the AGM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Cuer’s schools for 2012</u> <p>MB has spoken to Martin Prufer about using a different coach at some point in the next few years, he is happy with this. Initially he was thinking about Susie Rotscheid in 2014 but as the GSI is now in 2014 with Martin as it’s coach then he will approach Susie asking about 2013. Maybe use Martin for a school late 2012.</p> <p>Another Taster Day is to planned in the first quarter of next year in the midlands area. MB to contact Jean to invite her to help and ask her advice on location and timing, MB to contact Angie to ask if she knows of any good locations as well.</p> <p>A follow up day entitled “Moving On” is to be held 2nd to 3rd quarter of 2012 for the attendees of both taster days location to be arranged.</p> <p>TH to contact people for possible dates for all of these.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Cuer’s Rep Report</u> <p>We have permission to put onto the Members only side of the website all copies of Roundalab Journals which should prove to be a great benefit for members.</p> <p>TH has asked the SDCCGB if it’s possible to claim petrol expenses for future Taster Days</p> <p>60th Anniversary, we have our own hall for rounds to be decorated by the RDC (colours and theme to be confirmed later)</p> <p>We will also have rounds in the evening dances</p> <p>And the badge consists of a interlocked square and round instead of as previously used 2 interlocked squares.</p>	<p>ACTION</p> <p>MB</p> <p>MB</p> <p>MB</p>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Cuer's Rep Report (Cont)</u> <p>MB to circulate a schedule to everyone asking everyone to write an article for News & Views the schedule will request when each person's article will be needed. However if someone has something extra at any point that they would like to submit this would be great.</p> <p>SC and SS were asked if they would like to do some sort of travel blog to demonstrate to others the diversity of European Dancing on their doorstep. (They will think about it)</p> • <u>Treasurer's Report</u> <p>PH nothing has changed there is still £95 in the account; a full report will be ready for the AGM.</p> <p>Taster Day cost us only for the advert in LSD which was given at half price. The hall was paid directly from SDCCGB.</p> • <u>Librarian's Report</u> <p>NW Cataloguing is continuing. Roundalab Journals have been sent to Gene for inclusion on website</p> • <u>Any other business</u> <p>SS mentioned he had problems renewing this years membership and hadn't been sent anything forms or reminders by Trevor Day. He also asked what benefits being a associate member brought, and he wondered if having a non-caller/cuer as a member was a problem as the Council didn't seem to know what box to them in.</p> <p>TH & MB to discuss at next SDCCGB meeting</p> <p>TH brought up about Roundalab Journals being a benefit (see cuers rep report)</p> <p>NW to find out if it's possible to get a subscription for an American version of LSD to be placed on the members only side of the website</p> <p>More information is to be circulated via all medias before meeti</p> 	<p>ACTION</p> <p>MB</p> <p>PH</p> <p>TH & MB</p> <p>NW</p>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Next Meeting</u> <p>AGM on the 21st January 2012 at 10am for 10:30 start Steventon Village Hall, The Green, Steventon, Oxon, OX13 6RR</p>	
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NAME	ACTION'S REQUIRED
TH & MB	Discuss SS renewal problems with SDCCGB
PH	Full report for AGM
TH	To E-Mail asking about free dates for Taster Day 2, Moving On and Cuers School 2012 To E-Mail asking about free dates for 2013 AGM Write long cues for P4 Rumba
JR	Organise afternoon workshop on tango To sound out local dancers re interest in an evening dance after AGM. To check 2 nd hall availability for AGM Write Long Cues for P5 Rumba
MB	Circulate schedule for News & Views articles Contact Jean and Angie Re – Taster Day 2 Contact Susie & Martin Re-Schools 2013/14 Invite attendees of taster day to AGM Contact those not present to see if they are ok to continue To Print, Sign & Send Letter to Alan Sheriff To speak to Simon & Trudy about meeting Dates To add RDC Meetings to coming events in LSD Write Long Cues for P3 Rumba To distribute Long Cue Template and short cues
NW	To look into getting the American version of LSD
PH,TH,SB & MB	Finish GSI fundraising Card.