

**Perth International Dance 2nd Committee meeting 2011
held 12.30pm Sat. 29th Jan at Jenny and John Bardill's 20 Browne St
Subiaco**

Present: Palenque Blair, Jennifer Eyre, Cyndie Innes, John Bardill, Jenny Bardill, John Whaite, Jenny Currell, Jo Dilly, Carolyn Cox

1. Apologies: Deb Harwood, Bev Williamson

2. Key roles and responsibilities:

President: Palenque Blair

Vice President: Jennifer Eyre

Minutes Secretary: Cyndie Innes

Treasurer: John Whaite

Grapevine Editor: Jenny Currell

Teacher coordinator: Palenque Blair

Dance Choreographers: Palenque, John, Jennifer, Jenny C.

Promotion and Publicity: Cyndie and Jenny C.

Events Coordinator: Jennifer E.

Performance Coordinator: Palenque

Asset Collator i.e. computer, music, dances notes etc: Jennifer E.

Costumes Carolyn [storage], Jennifer and Palenque

Notice board reviewer: Jenny Bardill

Supplies e.g. milk tea etc: Deb H. and John B.

Kitchen cleanup coordinator: Jo Dilly and/or volunteers.

Committee member's periods of absence during 2011

Cyndie: mid April to Mid May

John and Jenny Bardill: September

3. Previous minutes of the meeting 15.12.10: were accepted

4. Action from previous meeting:

Curtin radio has receipted us for annual fee of \$30 plus \$3 GST

Palenque arranged our promotion for dance week and also informing them of an advanced workshop May 7th.

Visit from Les Deniers Trouveres was arranged for Sun 30th July at the JH Abrahams Reserve, Matilda Bay.

Martin Williams was offered life membership. John B. proposed we had a definite criteria for who is offered life membership e.g. length of service in order to avoid future uncertainties, to which the committee agreed. He will look into drawing one up.

Andre's visit: July 16th weekend.

5. Treasurer's report:

Insurance: John proposed we continue with our current accident insurance [due 1st Feb \$150] together with our public liability insurance. [Due June \$300] Agreed by the committee.

Membership: He proposed that membership payments less time consuming if we design a membership form with tear off portion to act as a receipt to avoid tedium of writing receipts. He will change the membership forms accordingly.

Class fees: Concessions still stand for annual membership fee and workshops.

Weekly fees are being increased to cover hall costs to member/ nonmember 5/7 per class if paid monthly and 6/8 each session. If prices of classes are considered too costly, for individual negotiation.

The possibility of arranging online membership was discussed

Group Assets: T-shirts: Carolyn will make regular checks and sell what ever is there if possible.

Group Memberships of Aus Dance, Folk Dance Australia and Kulcha to continue [At total cost of \$300]

6. Performance Group:

Fairbridge has yet to respond for our offer to dance there.

13.3.11 Harmony Week: Has called for performers . Belmont multicultural event with a stage.

26.3 .11. Invited to perform at Hilton Community Gardens. There has been a query on the suitability of the ground to dance on.

7. **Future events:**

Advanced Workshop 7th May

Andre Van der Plas: 16th and 17th July. Palenque will check if St Margaret's is available

John stated he has spoken to Yorgo Kaporis who expressed his wish to do another workshop with us in the future.

A Russian dance teacher has expressed interest in teaching gypsy style.

Palenque and Jennifer are teaching dances to the students of Terri Charlesworth dance studio.

Palenque and Jennifer are teaching a beginner's course in Bassendean in Term 2. No date as yet.

Party Nights: dates May30th, Aug. 29th

Suggestions made of possible groups such as Tri Allegri, Jo suggested Girian Mozella for a Mediterranean night. possibly to play for an hour.

Point Peron Camp. Discussion re time: next year 2012

Jenny B is aware of a camp near Hillary's and will look into it.

Red Faces. A possible date to check with Leone {Cyndie to check} is Sat Sept 3rd to coincide with the ten year anniversary of the Saturday group, [The red faces concert would be in the evening]. Jenny B. suggested John Leckie Hall: to be discussed further,

Promotion

Our trading name was discussed and the group agreed we are to be called Perth International Dance and to be registered as that. This means also changing the logo. The website domain name to be www.perthinternationaldance.com. Jenny Currell has offered to look into this.

John is checking if we are still incorporated.

Group photos for promotion. An extra question to ask on the membership form is if they are willing for their photo is used as promotion if they happen to appear in a group dance.

Face book was discussed as an advertising tool. Palenque will set up a face book page.

Other Business

Jennifer E suggested we have a postbox address near where we dance. Cyndie will check availability and costs.

Computer antivirus to have 6 monthly updates, together with music backup.

Glossy flyers to be updated by Jenny Currell

Cyndie was informed by the Claremont Cottelsoe post they need good quality photo if we want to use one. They appear very keen to help.

Meeting dates for the year: 9th April at Jenny and John Bardill's house 12.30pm, July 25th, October 8th

The meeting closed approx 2.30pm . Grateful thanks for the drinks and nibblies provide by Jenny and John.