# PERTH INTERNATIONAL DANCE COMMITTEE MEETING 11.6.11

Held at Jenny and John Bardill's home 20 Browne St Subiaco.

Present: Palenque, John W. John B. Cyndie, Carolyn, Jenny B, Jenny C, Jennifer. Bev.W. Apologies: Deb.

Minutes from the meeting 29.1.11 accepted by Palenque, seconded by Carolyn

### **Action from previous meeting complete:**

PIFDG is incorporated still

Blue folder in cupboard includes: Membership forms updated, Sat lists, Mon lists and glasses.

Accident & Third party insurance paid.

Red faces: Jenny and John B will be away in September. Carolyn checking with Leone if putting it off to a week later from Sept  $3^{rd}$  to  $10^{th}$  would be more suitable due to August party night date.

Post Office Box: Bev has offered to share hers which will be in Swanbourne. She will let us know cost and the address when arranged.

Our official website address is now <a href="www.perthinternationaldance.org.au">www.perthinternationaldance.org.au</a> : updates by Jenny C.

Andre's workshop going ahead on 16th and 17th July

#### **Actions Outstanding:**

Guidelines for life membership: John B

Carolyn to count T shirts and make available at Andre's workshop. Consider new batch for next year.

Antiviral update: JE and JC

Glossy Flyers as handouts: Jenny C.

Camps: Jenny B is looking into possible venues and costs.

## **Updates on other Actions:**

Advanced workshop 7<sup>th</sup> May covered costs but teachers not paid. Ausdance advertising has not drawn new attendees or members. Palenque proposed that teachers should be paid for such events irrespective of costs incurred. Committee agreed to pay Jennifer E and John W \$20each. This was agreed by the committee.

#### Advertising:

Radio Advertising to Gypsy Night drew some interest but they have not continued to come.

Claremont Cottelsoe Post supports us well and we continue to draw interest from there. Performances are a useful means to advertise us, as is pamphlets at Kulcha. Palenque's Facebook page for Perth International Dance is another source of advertising.

Terri Charlesworth dance studio teaching of teachers conducted by Palenque and Jennifer. Several teachers demonstrated interest in attending.

Party nights: next to be August 29<sup>th</sup>. Jo is looking into arranging Giri Mazzella and Sanjiva to come and perform from 7.30 to 8.30, food 8.30 to 9.00 followed by usual dances. Jo will check if that date is suitable and their cost.

#### **General business**

- 1. Eve would like the tape deck and it was agreed we no longer need it.
- 2. The old stereo system to be held as backup. Use of ipods debated but considered not reliable. If we have the CDs and the back-up thumb drive, we have sufficient back up for the PC. John B has USB for back up.

Action: Jenny C. to continue program of 6-monthly back-ups (next due soon).

## 3. Andre's workshop

Palenque to check that St Margaret's hall is booked (checked and it is), and will check if Eve can accommodate him (Yes and this is Andre's preference). Otherwise Bev has kindly offered her home.

Catering: Deb is in charge - Carolyn will liaise with Deb and see if Leone and Nina wish to help out.

Andre will arrive Fri 7.30pm and leave Sun afternoon 4.15pm.

The workshop times are sat 16<sup>th</sup> July 10-1 and 2-5, Sunday 17th July 10.30 to 1.30pm.

Jennifer E will construct a flyer. Registration form with direct transfer payments made possible to be drafted and arranged to put on the website by Jenny C. Cyndie will arrange press releases, and help distribute flyers to libraries, kulcha etc.

Costs; early bird \$55/65 mem/nonmem if paid up to two weeks in advance otherwise \$60/70 or \$25 per single session.

Paying Andre in cash was discussed, possibly arranging a cash cheque for withdrawal on the Friday to save having lots of cash hanging around for long.

Bev looking into a restaurant for the night of the 16<sup>th</sup>, the other option at home of Eve's if she is willing.

Palenque will arrange feedback surveys after Andre's workshop.

- 4. The poster at St Margaret: A4 size agreed and Jenny C and Jennifer E to arrange.
- 5. School Dance Award:

John W has suggested we promote a folk dance award during Aus Dance week, encouraging high schools to participate. He has generously made an offer of \$2000, maybe per year for the next 4 years, calling it the "Penny Why Award: We will need to discuss the idea with Ausdance and check with Penny's family first. Palenque will find how to contact Celia [Penny's daughter] via Joan Pope. We could also arrange fundraisers for this. Many thanks to John from us all for his generous offer.

- 6. Beginner's course: Bassendean did not go ahead possibly due to limited advertising. PID is on the books for next term. Next time consider advertising at the Bassendean markets and in the local paper. Planned time is for Thursday nights with possible ongoing class.
- 7. Jennifer E notified that a friend is helping organise details of a workshop in Denmark [WA] for the Oct school holidays probably the first weekend of school holidays.
- 8. Next meeting will be Sat. august 6<sup>th</sup> at J and J Bardill's home
- 9. Meeting closed 3.45pm . Thanks to Jenny and John and to those who provided food.