

## Chattahoochee Contra Dancers (CCD) Steering Committee Meeting Minutes

Meeting Location: 1380 Bramble Rd, Atlanta, GA

May 30, 2018, 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

### In Attendance:

#### Steering Committee Members:

Sri Nori	Kevin Liske
Jonathan Roveto	Joseph Steinhauser
Dan Sandler	Bill Porter

#### **Next meeting:**

**Date:** July 18, 2018  
**Time:** 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm  
**Location:** 1380 Bramble Rd

#### Guests:

Kimbi Hagen

#### **Finances**

- CCD accounts are now signed over from Doug Singleton to Jonathan Roveto
- The latest CCD balance sheet was distributed and reviewed. Some additional funds may eventually come from sale of old sound gear.
- Considered possibility of diversifying investment by purchasing municipal bond(s) when cash comes in: hold onto CD for now (earning 0.15% interest), purchase e.g. City of Decatur bond earning 4% with added income, possibly after ADW. Pros and cons to be discussed further at next SC meeting.

#### **Sound Fund**

- We have spent a total of \$3,900 to date this year on sound equipment, with about \$2,000 remaining in the sound fund. An additional \$800-\$900 will be spent on two new monitors with other expenditures to be determined after discussions with Ed Howe during the upcoming ADW.

#### **New Year's Eve Dance 2018**

- Unanimous vote not to have a NYE dance this year. We will possibly have a community party instead. Jonathan has been asked to post the topic on Facebook and solicit ideas.

#### **Advanced Dance Saturday**

- To be held on Saturday June 16, 7:30-10:30, at DRC Studio. Bands will be Avant Gardners / ContraFusion with Andrea Nettleton. Have confirmed date with DRC staff.

#### **DRC Blackout Dates**

DecRec will not be available to us on the following dates

- June 22 (Basketball camp) - Dance at Ebster Gym instead? - Bill Porter will call to reserve.
- Aug. 31 (AJC Book Festival) - Possible pool party at Kimbi and Karl's instead
- Sep. 21 (Fandango) - Look at Core studio as venue for late night Techno Contra?
- Oct. 5 (Circus camp conference) - Dance at Ebster instead? Bill Porter to check availability.
- Dec. 21 and 28 (floor refinishing). Cancelled dances.

#### **Atlanta Dance Weekend**

- **Theme:** Decided on a replacement theme with a 5-1 vote for "Super Hero League of Contra." Winner of original theme will still get in for free. SC to consider changes to theme selection process before next year
- **Budget:** Jonathan suggested providing committee heads with debit cards that have a fixed limit instead of asking them to pay and then get reimbursed. This idea was accepted by acclamation, rather than vote. Cost of Stage from All Events Rental has climbed to \$900 (12 8'x4' sections plus stairs); look for other options?
- **Registration Payments:** Venmo as option would reduce amounts of cash being handled due to walk-ins. Need training for those at entry table. Square reader charges but we could add that to entry fee as other dances do. To be discussed again at next meeting

**CCD SC Nominating Committee**

- Should begin process very soon. Bill Porter to forward previous instructions and suggestions for NC chair. To be taken up at the next meeting and/or begun before that

**Openers and Closers**

- **Openers:** Once we are not paying for this we will still need a way to assure that volunteers are planning to help open. We will ask Deanna to continue recruiting from her list.
- **Closers:** There are enough available dancers on hand to close

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