

Laughing Squares of Indianapolis, Inc.
November 8, 2018
Meeting Minutes

President Jerry Hale called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.; there were 18 members present.

Secretary Fred Mosemiller read the minutes of the October 11th meeting. Nina Upton pointed out that Jack Robinson had arranged for blue ribbons (not badges, as mentioned in the minutes) celebrating the 60th Anniversary to be made and distributed. Nina moved and Connie Carmean seconded a motion to accept the minutes as clarified; the motion passed.

Nina, Treasurer, read the October, 2018, financial report. Income for the month was \$1458.53 and expenses totaled \$2264.78 for a monthly loss of \$806.25 and a yearly increase of \$1923.13. A report of finances for the Anniversary Dance was attached; only 4 more checks remain to be written and it appears the overall net cost will be about \$1200.00. Marti Mosemiller moved and Sharon Roberts seconded a motion to accept the report; the motion passed.

Jack, as head of the Nominating Committee, reported he has received no more nominations for 2019 officers. Scott and Sharon Roberts, current Vice Presidents, offered to remain in that office for another year. The slate will be voted on during a brief meeting following this evening's dance. Also, Jack has finalized callers for all but one dance for 2019; those callers, the dance dates and the dance themes were handed out to those in attendance at this meeting.

Nina made a motion to increase our dance fees to \$6 for members and \$7 for guests, beginning in January, 2019; Jack seconded the motion; the motion carried unanimously.

Nina reported that Paula Egenolf wishes to join the Club and has paid her dues; a vote was taken and she has been accepted into the Club.

Jerry reported that Ron Burger, our web master, will not be rejoining the Club in 2019; they are currently not attending dances but hope to return to dances and the Club in the future. Members discussed whether Ron can/should continue as web master if not a member; it was unanimous that we ask him to stay on as web master.

Marti asked that members explore our website (www.laughingsquares.com) and let her and Jerry know of any changes that can be made; currently there is a calendar, but most agreed this is not used or needed. Sheila mentioned that the Club does have a presence on FaceBook: Laughing Squares. Scott reminded everyone that he and Sharon took photos of those in attendance at the Anniversary Dance; these are available through Dropbox; anyone unable to access or print these should contact Scott.

Connie moved and Fred seconded a motion to adjourn the meeting; Jerry did so at 7:00 p.m.

At a brief meeting at 9:55 p.m., after the Thanksgiving Dance, Jack Robinson presented the following slate of officers; a vote of the members in attendance was taken and the slate was elected:

Presidents:	Jerry and Donna Hale
Vice Presidents:	Scott and Sharon Roberts
Treasurer:	Lisa Dee Guy
Secretaries:	Fred and Marti Mosemiller

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