

Laughing Squares of Indianapolis, Inc.
March 14, 2019
Meeting Minutes

President Jerry Hale called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.; there were 17 members present.

Treasurer Lisa Dee Guy presented the Treasurer's report for February. Income for the month was \$780.00 and expenses were \$671.25, resulting in a gain for the month of \$108.75 and for the year of \$278.00. Fred Mosemiller made a motion that the report be accepted; Rosie Bishop seconded it and the motion carried.

Fred, Secretary, read the minutes of the February 14th meeting. Nina Upton made a motion to accept the minutes as read; Rosie seconded the motion and it passed.

Jerry mentioned that Jack Robinson had visited the Crawfordsville site of this year's NDRU and had spoken with Cheryl Hughes about the set-up; he has enlisted 4 Club members and another dancer to help do both set-up and take down. Jerry also mentioned that no attempts to find an alternate site for the August 8th dance have been successful, so it was decided to have it at Krannert on Thursday, August 1st, with Zelmer Daugherty calling; Marti Mosemiller will contact those who work with our calendars and schedules. The idea of offering DBD classes has been tabled until later.

The Cheer Committee, Marcia Elliott, reported no new mailings.

Dave Upton reminded the Club that filings need to be made twice each year, a federal one in the spring and for the state in the fall. Officers will check on this and ensure that mailings are done on time.

The annual Club picnic was discussed; rain in 2018 forced a cancellation and the charge for the shelter house was not returned. Recent turnout has been low. Jerry has asked Club members to let him know if they would attend a picnic this September on a Saturday and a decision will be made in April.

Jerry discussed plans for the graduation of this year's students, scheduled for Tuesday, March 26th. He is preparing certificates and has an agenda for the evening, Jan Dunaway has arranged for refreshments, both Gary Hutton and Jan Smith will be calling/cuing dances and Drew from Krannert has assured Jerry that it will be OK if the celebration goes a bit past our 8:45 p.m. usual end time.

Nina offered CDs on which she has recorded all past Club paperwork she was able to locate—newsletters, membership lists, meeting minutes, etc. Both the Treasurer and Vice Presidents expressed a desire to upload this information to the cloud via DropBox to make it accessible to those today and in the future. Nina also mentioned that the hall closet at Krannert now has a tote box of scrapbooks and Club memorabilia which she no longer wishes to store.

Jack announced that Kristy Williams has agreed to be the caller at our June 27th dance; Marti will make the changes to our calendars and schedules.

Jerry adjourned the meeting at 7:10 p.m.

Fred and Marti Mosemiller
Secretaries