

Louisville Country Dancers
Regular monthly board meeting minutes
August 11, 2007

In attendance: Clint Cummins (chair), Miriam Schusler-Williams, Lydia Whitford, Jim Bennett, and John Thornberry

The minutes of last meeting were read and corrected.

Dance cancellation policy: A motion was passed that if a dance has to be cancelled without advance notice, all dancers who show up to dance will be given a coupon redeemable for one free dance. A roll of tickets is available for this purpose. The person who was to open that night will remain on site until 9:30 to pass out the coupons. Note: this does not apply to cancellation caused by circumstances beyond human control, such as severe snowstorms, etc.

Community Dance Project: A motion was passed for LCD to sponsor the initial community dance (freestyle social dancing with a DJ/recorded music) tentatively scheduled for October 13 at the Church of the Advent. Loren Freed, who is spearheading the project, is to pay LCD \$108 (including \$35 for liability insurance) to cover our costs.

A motion was passed to offer to let the Church of the Advent use our sound equipment for their annual auction, as a goodwill gesture. The auction is to be held September 29.

Potato Run 2008: A decision will need to be made whether or not to hold the dance weekend next May. After Contradance Kentucky, persons potentially interested in taking on the organizing of it will be briefed on the duties involved, with a decision hopefully to be made at our next board meeting.

Childcare at Saturday dances: We will initiate providing this service on a trial basis (as approved at last board meeting) at the September dance. For the time being we will not advertise the service, until we see how it's working.

Booking dance bands and callers: Jim Bennett volunteered to handle all Monday night dance bookings from now until the end of the year. We are still in need of a band and caller for our next Saturday dance, Sept 15.

New contact person for LCD: John Thornberry volunteered to be the contact person. He will contact the local news outlets that publicize our dances to have them substitute his phone number for Norm Stewart's.

Next board meeting: As our group will be preoccupied with organizing Contradance Kentucky next month, our next meeting will be postponed to Saturday October 20. Clint volunteered to host it.

Meeting adjourned.

Secretary