Board of Directors Meeting
Thursday, March 9, 2022 - 2:30pm
Hilton Head Presbyterian Church

MINUTES

Attendees: John Thomas
Vicki Brown
Bruce Zimmerman
Pamela Stiles
Marcia Salera
Joyce Heidt
Sam Heidt
Becky Elliott
Rick Elliott
Bill Anderson
Myra Griemel
Tony Griemel

Call To Order: The meeting was called to order at 2:30pm by John Thomas.

Minutes of the March 3, 2022 meeting were read by Pamela Stiles.

Report on new Dance Venue for Tuesday and Friday Nights: John Thomas

- John has struck a verbal agreement with the owner of the upstairs space at the former Ruby Lee's South to have HHICSC dance there Tuesday (lessons) and Friday (social) nights. Pending inspection by John, Bruce, Becky and Rick, dancing in that space could begin at the end of April. The space is approx. 1,800 sq. ft. Cost to the club will be $200/week. Food and drink will be available for purchase. There will be a $5 floor charge.
  To be looked into:
  …Availability of elevator to transport club's sound equipment.
  …Availability and location of restrooms.

Spring Fling: Vicki Brown

- 68 people have signed up so far for the Spring Fling party on March 25 at Sonesta Ballroom. We are aiming at a max of 80.
- It should be added to the newsletter (and announced at the Friday night social) that people who have recently snail mailed their reservations for the party should contact Vicki to let her know, so she can get an accurate head count before deadline.
- There will be a cash bar; no drink tickets.

Proposal for Combined HHICSC and Beaufort Shag Club Party: Myra Griemel, President – Beaufort Shag Club

- Party will be held on Saturday, May 14 from 6:30 to 9:30 PM at Sun City Lake House Ballroom. It will be billed as the Battle of the DJs.
- Attendees must sign up ahead of time, and attendance will be limited to 80 people total, 40 people per club. HHICSC will have a wait list in case there are over 40 sign-ups.
- Attendees will bring their own appetizers and desserts to share; also BYOD.
- Sun City Lake House Ballroom is located on the Jasper County side of Sun City. Sun City will provide passes for attendees to get through the gates.
- Cost of event is $400 (which includes plates and utensils), which will be split between the 2 clubs.
- HHICSC will absorb the $200 cost of the party; Marcia Salera will send the check to Myra.
- Myra will provide a flyer for the event to Sam Heidt to put up on the HHICSC website.
- Beaufort club will do set up for the event. HHI club will do clean-up.

Treasurer's Report: Marcia Salera

- Marcia distributed a 2022 Cash Report. Cash balance as of February 28, 2022 is $28,342.06.
- A report comparing annual income and expenses from 2018 through 2021 was distributed.
- All Winter Classic 2022 expenses have been paid.

Webmaster Tasks: Sam Heidt

- We have a need for help with the Shag Club website. Specifically, updates to the site are done in Word Press. If anyone has experience with Word Press or has the time to learn the basics of that program, we would love to have their help.

Dance Committee: Rick and Becky Elliott

- Rick and Becky are continuing to give shag lessons each Tuesday evening at North End Pour House (formerly Reilley's North End Pub). Attendance this past week was approximately 46.
- There will be a charity fund raiser on Thursday, May 5 from 4pm to 7pm at Palmetto Dunes. There will be dance demo first, then a dance lesson, then hopefully people will get up and dance. The deck where it is taking place is not wood, so it is advised that participants do not wear dance shoes. Bill will ask for volunteers; those who volunteer will be fed. Anyone who needs further information about this event should check with Rick and Becky.

Apparel: Bill Anderson

- Bill led a discussion about apparel and showed us several samples.
  … Styles were discussed – long sleeve vs. short sleeve for the men; perhaps have both.
  … What styles would the ladies like?
  … Bill will put together a selection of what styles he thinks will sell and a minimum quantity of each needed.
  … Should there be a table at Friday night dances at which to sell logo merchandise?
  … Should we keep an array of styles in stock, or should it be special order?
  … Are we interested in chair covers? Possibly of a stretch fabric that will fit a multitude of chairs.
  … Shoe bags?

Other Business:

- The club calendar needs to be set up on the website.
- It is reported that Dolphin Head still shows us on their website incorrectly as dancing at Dolphin Head Golf Club. When we get a permanent place to dance, we then will publicize where the club is dancing.

Next BOD Meeting… is scheduled for Wednesday, April 13 at 2:30.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 4:40pm by John Thomas.