

QUAIL CREEK PERFORMING ARTS GUILD

Minutes of the QCPAG General Meeting of March 28, 2017

Board members present: Cyndy Gierada, Diana Paul, Dodie Prescott, Sydney Ranney, Sandy Boyer, Davey Jones, and Sharon Krueger

President Cyndy Gierada: Cyndy called the meeting to order at 3:05 p.m. A motion to approve the February minutes was made by Muriel Larson, second by Carole Washburn. Minutes approved.

Treasurer Sydney Ranney: Sydney reported the year to date current assets is \$24,278.59.

Membership Chair, Frank Gunn (absent): Cyndy reported that membership remains at 74 paid members. New member, Frannie Vanselow, submitted her application at the meeting and said she likes to dance, sing, create costumes. She also has been asked to perform in the "Black and White" dance number in the Christmas Show.

Publicity: Jeff Webster (absent): No report but Cyndy complimented Jeff on the wonderful job he has done in publicizing all our events.

VP Variety/Music, Dodie Prescott – Dodie reported that the first two acts of the Christmas Show will be "Country" and the third will be traditional Christmas music. Carole Washburn noted that the choral music last year was difficult and that could be why more men hadn't volunteered to sing this year. Director Cyndy Gierada said that the music will be easier this year and therefore it won't be necessary to hold music during the performances. Also, the music will be available in June. Audrey Barbour and Nancy Gibbs asked to be part of the Show.

VP Comedy/Drama, Diana Paul reported that the Spring Play is a week away and it's officially oversold, a total of 474 tickets have been sold (some tables have more than 8). Davey noted that 7 cast members are present today and that the set will be built on Sunday morning. Diana said that during the intermission, red velvet cake will be served and there will be coffee available at the tables.

Member at Large: Davey Jones and Sharon Krueger – Davey and Sharon said that the ushers for the Spring Play are set.

New Business: Cyndy asked for two volunteers to form the 2017 Nominating Committee. There are five Board members whose terms end on June 30, 2017. They are VP, Music and Variety; Membership; Publicity; Secretary; and Member at Large #1. Davey will be the Board representative and member, Muriel Larson, volunteered. There is still a need for one member to complete the Committee. A slate of officers will be presented to the membership at the April meeting. Election will be in May.

Cyndy announced that there will be at least one Music Trivia show in the summer provided the Lounge is available. Once the date(s) are confirmed, Cyndy will ask for a committee of four to help plan the events.

Davey asked for a volunteer to take over the Historian duties. The albums contain memorabilia including pictures and programs. Nancy Gibbs volunteered.

Carole Washburn requested a list of PAG members and Cyndy referred her to Membership Chair, Frank Gunn.

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Old Business: Cyndy reported that she had presented a \$50 gift certificate to Shirley Gray in appreciation for her tenure as our webmaster.

Sydney said that she had sent \$250 each to the drama departments of Sahuarita High School and Walden Grove High School as a charitable donation from the Expo proceeds. A donation was also made to CPAC in memory of JoAnn Street, a long time PAG member.

Cyndy announced an “Easter Parade” lyrics contest. She asked if anyone would get up and sing the lyrics – the winner was Sandy Haegale who won a chocolate Easter Bunny.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:40 p.m. Motion by Diana Paul, second by Carole Washburn.

Submitted by Sandy Boyer, Secretary

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