# Board of Directors' Meeting Minutes October 6, 2006 Ingenhutt's Residence Golden Valley, MN

Meeting was called to order at 8:15pm and presided by Fe Castillejos, outgoing Chairwoman of the Board.

# I WELCOME

A. Agenda, July/2006 minutes, B/S and P/L statements for August, September/2006 were handed out.

# II APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A. Agenda was reviewed, amended and approved by the body.

# III MINUTES OF LAST MEETING

- A. July/2006 minutes were reviewed and approved by the body.
- B. Sign-up sheet for next year's monthly meeting host was passed around

<u>EVENT</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>PRIMARY</u>	<u>ALTERNATE</u>
Member	5-Jan-07	Oconer's	
Board	2-Feb-07	Bergenthal's	/
Member	2-Mar-07	Castillejos'	
Board	6-Apr-07	Noren's	
Member	11-May-07	Rivera's	
		Jonson's	
Board	1-Jun-07	(Jay & Nina)	
Member	13-Jul-07	Santos/Carlos'	
Board	10-Aug-07	Peterson's	
Elections	7-Sep-07	TBA	
Board	5-Oct-07	Winick's	
Member	2-Nov-07	???	
Board	7-Dec-07	?Hiess'?	
Member	4-Jan-08	???	

#### IV FINANCIAL REPORT

- A. Transition of Duties
  - 1. Four new signatories are as follows: Ludy, Fe, Tony, Jeff; Need to arrange common schedule to meet at the bank, likely after Induction.
  - 2. For amounts >= \$200, require two signatories; Otherwise, just one

## B. Computer

- 1. Copies of police report(2 cameras also stolen) distributed; No word yet from Aero Assemblies insurance company, estimated total loss claim is at \$3500, with company deductible of \$1000
- 2. Motion was made and approved to purchase an immediate replacement (brand new) for the stolen laptop plus flash drive for backup, to be decided by a committee composed of Tony, Jeff, Jose and Tonette; Options are as follows:
  - > Jeff's employee(Honeywell) discount with Dell
  - > \$900 CompUSA ad
- 3. Buying used or refurbished is not a viable option because outdated technology puts us at a disadvantage; Laptop is used for accounting, website, forms, video player/dance troupe recruitment, etc
- 4. Motion was made and approved to hold Aero Assemblies/Tony Winick financially accountable for the computer loss and reimburse the organization for an aliquot(~fractional) share, if and when the insurance company settles the claim
- 5. Holding individual members (financially) responsible for CSFA-property in their safekeeping, in the event of loss or damage, needs to be on a case-to-case basis; Making this a policy might alienate members from volunteering; Volunteers are expected to treat property as their own; Maybe look into reviving inventory sign-out for accountability?
- 6. Need to redo inventory; Ideal to get insurance to cover ALL property but quite expensive

## C. Miscellaneous

- 1. Back to old form; Not necessarily lot of work, depending on what the org is willing to accept; Accounts are current as of 7/31; Problem arises when someone asks for detail
- 2. 2-month compilation
- 3. Bank data gathered online
- 4. Props/Costume categorized into same account
- 5. Motion was made and approved to reimburse Meg Layese, in the amount of \$98 (Philippine Independence Day Picnic expense); Though no receipt was provided, copy of check issued, was made available
- 6. Treasurer/Auditor duties and responsibilities begin/end on calendar year.

For more information, please refer to written report handed out at the meeting

#### V BUSINESS-AT-HAND

- A. Induction of Officers
  - 1. Invites have been mailed out; Ticket price announced at Elections was incorrect; Will leave it to the early buyers' discretion to donate difference
  - 2. Copies of budget distributed; Does not include projected raffle proceeds and décor expenses(unless rented)
  - 3. Tickets Tonette, Lynn and Tony
    - > Sales to be reported every Thursday(plus names and ticket #s)
    - LAST due date is 10/19, otherwise considered sold at \$35
  - 4. Food (buffet) Tonette and Tony
  - 5. Raffle prizes Tonette and Tisha
  - 6. Early evening registration Fe, Lorna, Nina
  - 7. National anthems Mar(American), Ed Santos(Filipino)
  - 8. Decors Meding & Co.
  - 9. Priest for invocation Tita Lynn
  - 10. Need to get bill from DJ(Ed)
  - 11. Need screen for presentation of officers
  - 12. Need master of ceremony
  - 13. Presidential awards at Gary's discretion
  - 14. Roxas brothers to perform song number
  - 15. Bowling awards might have to be taken out to shorten program

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## B. Caroling

- 1. Nena is checking with Jun Luces for practice schedule
- 2. Looking for hosts from the 4 regions

## C. Pasko sa Nayon

- 1. Tonette co-chairs
- 2. Santa Claus Randy
- 3. Welcome Speech Ludy
- 4. Kitchen Meding agreed as long as everyone helps out
- 5. Candy Lina
- 6. Children's Caroling Lourdes (practice every Thursdays)
- 7. Officers, board members and other interested volunteers are requested to donate door prizes worth (\$25)
- 8. Invitation to be sent to FAME

#### D. Newsletter

- 1. Next issue tentatively scheduled for January; Might push for the week after 12/9 (Pasko sa Nayon)
- 2. Reminder to committee chairs about articles

## E. Philippine Scholars

- 1. PagAsa Fiesta donated \$100, to be forwarded to Glen
- 2. Latest letter from Jenie included a poem, forwarded to Gaya for inclusion in the next issue of newsletter

#### F. Festival of Nations 2007

- 1. Gary has received the application forms and willing to fill out the form, on behalf of the org, provided the needed Information (committee chairs)
  - ➤ Adult Gary
  - ➤ Children Tonette
  - ➤ Bazaar Linda
  - Café ?Lynn?
  - Overall Fe

### VI COMMITTEE REPORTS

### A. SUNSHINE –

- 1. Floyd Ducusin passed away
- 2. Pete Pataksil passed away; Need to notify Glen

# B. MEMBERSHIP - Mar not available

1. Sign up sheets for new members (collected from Election) have been forwarded to Jose

### C. DANCE TROUPE -

- 1. Recent performance was invitation from Paray last 9/23
- 2. Upcoming performances include:
  - ➤ 10/7, Southern Theater(Mu)
  - ➤ 10/11, UCC New Brighton
  - > 10/22, St John Neumann
  - > 7/14/07, St Cloud; need to make sure no conflict with campout
- 3. Proposal was sent out via email by Tito Mar with regards to satellite dance practices

## D. CHARITIES -

- 1. Received plea for financial help from Tess Borja (former member, now residing in California)
  - Lost job; In/out of hospital; Caring for handicapped child
- 2. Already referred to lawyer and have yet to tap government agencies and other available resources for assistance
- 3. From a legal standpoint, it may be frowned upon by IRS that an individual member received personal gain
- 4. Nothing is stopping us to help from our own personal pockets; Envelope was passed around

#### VII **NEW BUSINESS**

A. Health & Wealth Fitness Expo (c/o Ludy) – Tabled for next meeting

#### VIII **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- A. Appreciation card received from one of the PAMANA audience (Pat, retired teacher at Hopkins and friend of Meding)
- B. Next Meeting
  - 1. Member, Nov 3, Burkhart's Residence, Minneapolis
  - 2. Board, Dec 1, Leiviska's Residence, Lakeville
- C. PCM
  - 1. Spooktacular, 10/28 Sat, St Williams, 6pm-11pm; \$12/Adults, \$6/Kids (Dinner included); Costume contest for all ages
- D. BASILICA Cherubs' Choir(Jose Santos)
  - 1. 10/8, Sun 4:30pm mass

#### IX **ADJOURN**

Meeting was adjourned at 10:09 pm.

# **ATTENDANCE**

- 1) Pearl Malit
- Jasper Jonson
- 3) Nina Jonson
- 4) Tonette Burkhart
- 5) Ligaya Carlos
- 6) Ludy Bergenthal
- Randall Tigue
- 8) Lillian Brion
- 9) Lina Jonson
- 10) Lynn Winick
- 11) Jannie Noren
- 12) Lorna Faustino
- 13) Ronnie & Cecille Alcantara
- 14) Ferdie Oconer
- 15) Tessie Oconer

16) Therese Peterson

17) Meding Ingenhutt

18) Jeff Hiess

19) Judith Hiess

20) Tony Winick

21) Fe Castillejos