

Community Council Meeting Dec. 3, 2014

Meeting commenced 5:24 at Guthrie's house

Neil, Raphael, Guthrie (facilitator), Kim, Ana (minutes), Alexana present

Previous minutes approved.

Minutes approval then posting on WEBSITE. Minutes need to be in editable format or Word doc for John C

- Once John C posts, then we post to Drop Box
- Guthrie taking action on this

Budget update. We have received \$3000 from Anonymous Donor. Ruth has placed in savings account for reserve. It is so good to have this due to our recurring expense versus income challenge. Each month we are approx. \$35 to \$200 short of income.

- It's a pattern that has been occurring. Why?
- Sundays are weighty towards the Thursday income. Sunday receipts often fall short of expenses.
- Conflicts of interest ... people get turned off and don't come due to attitudes of crusty interactions.
- There have been new dancers lately, as the weather changed. The sense of community is what will keep them here. How to accomplish that?
- The people who do have resources support those who cannot necessary afford...we all support with our energy in a Gift Economy
- Even though we have this influx of funds, the Fundraising team needs to meet as our expenses are consistently greater than our receipts.
- Some ideas... raffle during each dance
- More outreach

Publicity...in the *Reporter* every week thanks to Guthrie

- *Natural Awakenings* thanks to Ana
- *Truly Alive* has a listing
- *The New Mexican*?

Community letter update. Ana will revise...and have approved via email as her dropbox skills are not "on."

EmbodyDance Flyers. Scott Shuker printed some up and is distributing them YEA SCOTT!!!

Facebook page. Kim created Embodydance Santa Fe (community). THANKS! We still have Embodydance Santa Fe (closed group), administered by Tracy.

Kim and Ana Action Administrators

Communications

- Website – community pages are being posted. If someone wants to put their event on our website, it would need to be approved via CC as an APF
- Drop Box has been great for document management...
- When it's a quick matter of communication between CC members it is useful to have google groups. Please use the group for quick discussions.

Job Description for Francesca....

Neil will contact Francesca about completing her job description.

Her summary sheets do not currently include all the data from the sign in sheets. Guthrie has created an EXCEL sheet to track all the categories we collect when someone signs in at dance. Guthrie is willing to keep that program updated. Neil will contact Francesca to make arrangements for Guthrie to receive the sign in sheets from Francesca after she makes the deposits. Some sign in sheets for 2014 need to be located.

Francesca said she would update her computer so that the Excel can be used, but this is no longer necessary.

New Sign in Sheet. Greeter needs to ask newcomers about where they heard of us. Let's make a column for newcomers. Guthrie volunteered to rework sign in sheet so we have a space to record where new dancers learned about EmbodyDance. THANKS!!!

Housekeeping

- Tables are clear now
- Ana procured candles. THANKS!!!
- Light is out in men's bathroom
- Ana will be contact for Elise & Ruth

Meeting adjourned 6:24 pm

Next meeting 5:15 pm Dec 17th Guthrie's, Alexanna will facilitate.