KSDCA Minutes January 28, 2018 Salina, Kansas

Allen H. called the meeting to order at 1:00 PM Sunday at the Belmont Boulevard Christian Church. He welcomed everyone that was there and thanked Sue D. for arranging for us to meet at the church. A moment of silence was held for Bill Gough, Kerry Wallace, family of Richard Verge, and Joan Smith.

Those Present were: Dale Stead, Diana Wagner, David Myers, Sheldon and Cindy Lawrence, Kevin and Diane Denning, Peter Denning, Peg Anschutz, Rex Johnson, Terry Lewis, Tom Hollinberger, Joe Dawley, Sue Dellere, Mike Turner, Alan Hahn, and Jeanne and Warren Shane.

The Minutes had previously been sent out by e-mail. Sheldon L. moved minutes be accepted as written, David M. second, motion passed.

Treasure's report: Mike T. gave the treasure's report stating that balance on May 1, 2017 there was \$3,502.11 in the Treasure. Deposits of \$32.21 were made and checks paid out was \$58.40 leaving a balance of \$3,475.92 on December 31, 2017. Three scholarships were paid at this meeting to Betty S., Sue D., and Jeanne S., who also gave a report on Roundalab. Checks were also written for ribbons to the State Square Dance Convention. Dale S. moved to accept the treasurer's report, David M. second, motion passed.

Tom H., Caller Coordinator, reported that ticket sales are going well. At the KSDA dance, that afternoon, they will be selling tickets for the state convention. They are trying out a new method of selling tickets by credit cards just at the dance. There is a new contract that was negotiated by Allen H. and George and Nancy Sloop for the Tony's Pizza Event Center. It does not include using the Arena. The usage will be for the three Heritage Halls and 2 rooms upstairs on Saturday morning for the meetings and Sewing Clinic. The Saturday evening beginning program will be held in Heritage South Hall. Allen H. reported that the contract will be for 5 years, running through 2022, and will save about a third of the price that we are now paying for the center

Allen H. reported on the program for the State Square Dance Convention. Allen passed out a tentative schedule for the week-end. He is also planning on using the featured caller and cuer more. Kevin D. proposed the possibility of having the featured cuer cue upper level rounds in the Round Dance Hall sometime during the evening program on Saturday night. The feature cuer would begin and end in Heritage South and would occasionally do upper level rounds in the Round Dance Hall coordinating with a local cuer in Heritage South during that time. The idea came from Colorado State Square Dance Convention.

Motel for the convention will be the Country Inn and Suits. The price will be in the \$70.00's. Camping registration needs to be in soon in order to hold you spot.

Sound Chairman will be David M. during the convention. Sounding the halls will be: Heritage South Dana S. for \$200.00, Heritage NW David M. for \$75.00, and Heritage NE Stash T. for \$75.00. Peggy A. moved that we accept the sound bids, Terry L. second, and motion passed.

Sue moved that we pay half of the admission for youth for the 2018 State Convention. David M. second and motion passed.

Nominating report ask anyone interested in running for office to contact Sue D.

David M. moved that we continue giving the Honorary Members free tickets to the State Convention, Sue D. second, motion passed. They may pick them up at the door when they come to the convention.

Jeanne and Warren Shane have agreed to be Caller Coordinator for 2019.

Organization Reports:

ACA: No report

<u>Callerlab</u>: Caller school, Heart of America, was cancelled due to lack of registrations. Callerlab Convention will be held March 26-28, 2018 in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Roundalab: Convention will be held in the Renaissance Hotel and Convention Center in Tulsa, Oklahoma on July 6th through July 10th. This year the convention with be held just before the ICBDA Convention instead of the National Square Dance Convention.

Contra Lab: No Report

<u>Clogging</u>: Joe D. reported that he received his CCI certification while attending the convention in San Antonio. Arkansas Clogging Council moved to April 27-28, in North Little Rock.

<u>Line Dancing</u>: Joe D. has taken over some Line Dancing class in Wichita.

District Reports:

<u>West</u>: The Snowball Festival with Bob Thomas from Oklahoma and Kevin and Diane Denning was successful. Shooting Stars are having Lessons in Hayes, KS. Tenderfoot dance will be Saturday, February 3 and on April 15th Lanny Weaklend will be in Great Bend for their Spring Dance and Meeting.

North Central: The North Central will hold their district dance on Sunday, February 11th. Kelly Kennedy will be the caller with Jeanne Shane cueing rounds. Lone Wranglers have changed their dance night to the first and third Tuesdays starting on March 6th.

<u>Northeast:</u> The Northeast District Tenderfoot Dance will be held Sunday afternoon, March 18th at Croco Hall.

<u>South</u>: The South District will feature Darryl Lipscomb and Bob and Sally Nolen on the April 6th and 7th for their Spring Festival. The District's Tenderfoot dance will be February 25th at the West Side Church of God in Wichita, KS. They will also have a clothing sale at that time.

National Square Dance Convention: Sue reported that 80% of the programming is finished. Sue is Chairperson of Hospitality.

Callers may purchase ribbons for their spouse from the secretary today, or by attending the KSDA dance this afternoon.

Sue D. moved to adjourn, David M. second, Motion passed.

Respectfully Submitted Jeanne Shane KSDCA Secretary