# FOLK DANCE FEDERATION OF CALIFORNIA, INC.

## ASSEMBLY MINUTES

Blossom Festival San Francisco, CA Apr. 28, 1996

Meeting called to order by President Carlos Ruling at 11:45 AM.

Joel Bruxvoort, President of the SF Council, welcomed members and guests. He also said a lunch would be served after the meeting. Cost would be \$5.00 including festival charge.

### REPORTS:

Sergeant of Arms, Elsa Bacher, reported a quorum present.

#### MINUTES:

Minutes of 3/10/96 meeting in Sacramento approved as mailed.

### PRESIDENT:

Carlos reported he had contacted the mayor's office asking for a welcome and proclamation for Statewide.

### VICE PRESIDENT:

Barbara reported she had made up new flyers for Statewide to be distributed.

## SECRETARY:

Genevieve as pre-registration gave a short Statewide report: 50 dancers had registered to date. Special events were: Institute 32, Concert 44, Installation Brunch 23 and Picnic 16

She had several queries re Statewide from the South. As she had extra magazines, she is sending out copies since the May/June issue has all the latest information. This last issue, thanks to Thad Trela was mailed early.

#### TREASURER:

Report for period from 3-25-96 to 4-28-96	
Beginning Balance \$29,087.61	
Total income 1,793.24	
Total expenses 2,314.02	
Income vs expenses -520.78	
Ending Balance \$28,566.83	
RECAP OF ACCOUNTS	
Checking 6,257.60	
Savings 15,288.12	
Cert of Deposit 7,021.11 28,566.83	
INSURANCE BALANCE 3,963.36	
TOTAL FUNDS \$3	2,530.19

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MEMBERSHIP - MEL MANN New Associate Members Enid Carter 9 Newell Cir., Napa 94558

Denis Murphy 8551 N. Meridian Ave., Fresno 93720 209-298-5708

Flossy Duchardt 6540 Maui Ct, Placerville 95667 916-622-7301

Kate Fortin
285 Peachtree, Vacaville 95688 707-448-1710

## STANDING COMMITTEES:

Dance Research: RUTH RULING

Steps & Styling will be ready for Statewide and will be offered for \$5.00 (sale). It has been completely revised.

Statewide: BILL LIDICKER

He plans to be at the Russian Center at 3 PM on Friday.

He had several questions and those present had several questions.

Barbara stated all information was on WW Web.

Max stated that he would take reservations up to the day of the picnic; of course, he would like to get and up-to-date figure and add to that figure.

We have several vendors and Hospitality has "lots" of information to hand out

Insurance: FRANK AND ELSA BACHER

Frank reported he had sent out 245 certificates to the clubs.

Institute: BRUCE WYCKOFF

Bruce has all three institutes under control.

## ROTATING COMMITTEES:

Bylaws: FRANK BACHER

Frank reported he had had two meetings of the Bylaws Committee. Feb. 29th in Santa Rosa; April 25 in Vacaville. The next meeting will be on May 9 in Vacaville.

Beginners Festival: ED KREMERS

The Beginners Festival will be on June 16th at the Finnish Brotherhood Hall at 1970 Chestnut St. in Berkeley from 1:30-4:30 PM. Committee are Joyce Clyde, Laila Messer and Millie von Konsky

North/South: MEL MANN

There will be a North/South meeting at Statewide on Sunday from 9:30 - 10:30 at the Miyako Inn,

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Mel Mann needed a list of "Where to Dance" for a group and felt the Federation should have one available from all areas. These Minutes of meeting of April 28, 1996 (Cont'd)

are available at the office and are used for telephone queries. However he felt they should be available in quantity so they could be distributed when necessary. The President and Vice President will work on this project.

Under publicizing folk dancing Stela reported that her group would be performing with castanets at the Yerba Buena Arts Center on June 6th at 2 and at 7 PM.

#### NEW BUSINESS:

Motion was made by Frank Bacher, seconded by Elsa Bacher and approved to send Let's Dance Magazine to all Past Presidents free of charge.

Next assembly meeting will be the Valley of the Moon Folk Dance Festival, Fiesta de Sonoma on Sept. 8, 1996.

Next executive board meeting will be on June 2, 1996 at the home of Gen Pereira, 1811 Cornell Drive, Alameda. Purpose is to approve appointments of standing and rotating committees, receive officers and committee reports and discuss financial and tax reports.

Various announcements were made.

#### ADJOURNMENT:

It was moved, seconded and passed to adjourn the meeting at 12:40 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Genevieve Pereira

Secretary

# FOLK DANCE FEDERATION OF CALIFORNIA, INC. ASSEMBLY MEETING ATTENDANCE

Apr. 28, 1996 Blossom Festival San Francisco, CA

# \*denotes absent

Elected Officers	(7)	Federation Past	Presidents
President	Carlos Ruling	Ed Kremers	1943-1944
Vice President	Barbara Bruxvoort		
Recording Secty	Genevieve Pereira	Dolly Barnes	1972-1974
Treasurer	Page Masson		1994-1995
Dir. of Membership	Melvin Mann		
Dir. of Pub. Rel.	Michael Norris*	Frank Bacher	1980-1982
Historian	Craig Blackstone		

Appointed Officers (3)		<u>ouncil Presider</u>	
Parliamentarian	Leona Faoro*	Fresno FDC	Michael Norris*
Office Sect'y and		Gter East Bay	Max Horn
Let's Dance Ed. Genev	ieve Pereira	Peninsula	Arden Pierce*
Calendar of Events	Ed Kremers	Sacramento	Greg Mitchell*
Sergeant at Arms	Elsa Bacher	San Francisco	Carlos Ruling
		Redwood	Frank Bacher

Chairmen Standing Committees (3) Member Club Delegates (10)			
Dance Research	Ruth Ruling	Santa Rosa FD	Elsa Bacher
Costume Research	Eleanor Bacon*	Petaluma FD	Frank Bacher
Insurance Frank	& Elsa Bacher	Palomanians	Ruth Ruling
Festival Advisory Mil.	lie von Konsky*	Changs	Dolly Barnes
Teachers Committee	Bruce Wyckoff*		Page Masson
Legislative Committee	Max Horn		Stela McCoy
Statewide Committee	Bill & Louise	Kolo Festival	Sharon Skorup
	Lidicker	Berkeley Folk	D Mel Mann
		Kopatchkas	Bill Lidicker
		Gateswingers	Chas Crawford

Chairmen Rotating	Committees (3)
Bylaws	Frank Bacher
Finance	Oscar Faoro*
Institute	Bruce Wyckoff*
North/South	Mel Mann
Reginners Festival	Ed Kremers

Associate Members
(not listed elsewhere)
Mabel Foss
Jeanie Kermoian
Sam Kermoian
Thad Trela
Lee Fifer

# Guests

Paul Espanol Roberta Whipple