

Topeka Area Presidents council (TAPS)

Meeting Tuesday September 18, 2007

7:00 p.m. at Bartlett & West, 1207 SW Executive Drive

Attendance:

Kuntry Kuzzins — Donna Schirmer

Shawnee Swingers — Henry Staub & Dorothy Booher

Strato Jets — Mac McNall & Lavon Metzger

Swinging Squares — Dottie Wilson

TAPS — Diane Dukat

Top-Kan Twirlers — Not Represented

Wheatheart Squares — Ralph & Deb Vickers

Discussion of New Years Eve Dance:

Kuntry Kuzzins — Support Dance, any kind of food

Shawnee Swingers — Support dance, finger food & snacks

Strato Jets — Support Dance, any kind of food

Swinging Squares — Support dance, finger food & snacks

Top-Kan Twirlers — No report.

Wheatheart Squares — Support dance, any kind of food

After discussion it was decided that we would ask Topeka Dancers from these clubs to bring finger food to New Years Eve dance. We would have no sign-up sheets for what to bring or when to work. Presidents would approach dancers at dance and ask them to work 1 tip during dance. Discussion about how to advertise the dance. TAPS name should not be used because dance would not be insured for accidents, they are not a member of KSDA and do not have insurance coverage.

- Party supplies — we have left over from last year but would need to order more. Diane would get with Donna and review status of party favors.
- Supplies would be donated from clubs sponsoring dance. Napkins, paper plates, silver ware, cups, coffee, tea and other misc.
- Kitchen help, clean up help and decorating would be done by all clubs sponsoring the dance.
- NO DISH WASHING is to take place this night. Take your dishes home dirty.
- Would like to have POT OF GOLD and split being 50/50 with proceeds going to TAPS for promoting the Square Dance activity around the Topeka area.
- Price at door should be \$ 10.00 per couple, \$ 5.00 per single. Youth price was not set.

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- All TAPS clubs should be advertised on flyer. Dance would be sponsored by Kuntry Kuzzins, Shawnee Swingers, Strato Jets, Swinging Squares, Top-Kan Twirlers and Wheatheart Squares.
- Plus Squares Workshop Group would also be listed since contract for hail that night is listed with this club and Dana Schirmer signed contract. Door and money handling would be taken care of by Dana & Donna Schirmer as well as callers fees, rent and decorations cost.
- Callers for the dance will be Dana Schirmer, Berryton, Kansas (Dana will donate his services and will not be paid for calling this night) and Lynn Nelson, Kansas City, Kansas. Cuers and line dancing to be decided by Dana & Donna Schirmer of Plus Squares Workshop group who have contract for hall this night. Dana has approached Pam Young, Wally Kelly, Lalla Steenbock, Vernon Nelson, and Joyce Juhler for the round dance program and Judy Broers for the line dancing program.

Next meeting to be Thursday November 1, 2007 at Bartlett & West.
1207 SW Executive Drive at 7:00 p.m.

Please bring some thoughts of goals and objective for this organization.
Also give some thought to hOw often we should meet.

Exchange of dance schedule cards took place and exchange of information on lessons.

- Kuntry Kuzzins — Lessons Starting Wednesday September 26, 2007 at Croco Hail with Dana Schirmer instructor.
- Shawnee Swingers — To be announced
- Strato Jets — Lessons have already started they will be sharing lessons with Wheatheart Squares. Lessons on Wednesday Night at Waliy Kelly dance hail. Instructors will be Larry Stock and Larry Crady.
- Swinging Squares — To be announced
- Top-Kan Twirlers — Lessons starting on Tuesday October 23, 2007 at Croco Hall with Dana Schirmer instructor.
- Wheatheart Squares - Lessons have already started they will be sharing lessons with Strato Jets. Lessons on Wednesday Night at Wally Kelly dance hail. Instructors will be Larry Crady and Larry Stock.