MIDNIGHT SQUARES CLUB MEETING, 2 February 2003 Minutes

In attendance: Pat Smith, Larry Queen, Don Queen, Arthur Morris, Harlan Kerr, Richard Tuck (East Bay), Richard Rockwell, Richard Tuck (SF), Frank Biafore, Neale Grasham, Tony Loncich, Ed Zeigler, Ari Cruse, Lily Hickman, Peggy Shumway, John Hodgkin, Bill Nettle, Anna Garden, Rick Perna, Robert Jungeberg, Jim Levin, Carol Flores, Mary Jane "Woody" Wood, Jeff Hamilton, Judith Stevenson

- 1. Treasurer's Report. Pat Smith reported on the treasury; the club had a total of \$9355 as of February 1.
- 2. Membership. Mary Jane "Woody" Wood reported that the current membership is at 102... and that Peggy Shumway is sending a renewal reminder, going out this week.
- 3. Administrative Items. Larry Queen reported that:
 - a. The company that usually does our T-shirts has changed ownership/management, and they no longer have our club artwork on file. The artwork for T-shirts needs to be submitted to them by supplying a t-shirt sample. Richard Rockwell agreed to do that.
 - b. Badges are all ordered
 - c. No books are needed at this time.
- 4. Wednesday/Thursday Club Dancing; Turnout is reported as going well. Larry Queen agreed to send out email announcements for the Wednesday night dances. Pat Smith will follow up with Western Star (Alvin Bennett is administrator) about the 5th Wednesday availability.
- 5. Next Club meeting is March 23 at 3:30.
- 6. Upcoming Dances: In addition to the information on the Annual Dances Table distributed by Jeff Hamilton, the following was decided:
 - a. 23 February: almost all the details are attended to for the Todd Felegy dances. Arrangements are still needed to get him back to the airport. Pat Smith will attend to the door, and Richard Rockwell will arrange drinks.
 - b. 29 March, Jokers Wild: Neale Grasham is arranging for volunteers to attend the door (Midnight Squares' commitment to the event).
 - c. 10 May Graduation Dance: Anne Uebelacker has been retained. Neale is coordinating; Woody is arranging housing; Arthur is to try to reserve Ebenezer Lutheran Church; dance will be free to students, \$8 for members and \$10 for others; Jeff will determine whether Anne is available on 11 May to call C2 and C3A.
 - d. 13 Sept: Arthur to try to reserve Ebenezer Lutheran Church.
- 7. Club Communications. None/
- 8. Classes.

- a. Advanced: Peggy reports that the class is making progress; they are half-way through A2. There are 3-4 weaker dancers, but others are strong. The class will be completed in time for the graduation dance.
- b. C1: Harlan feels that the class is at a good place. By the end of class today all of the calls will have been taught. The class will continue with variations, and floor time until graduation.

9. Club Liaisons:

- a. Foggy City will be having its Plus class start 11 March, taught by Harlan.
- b. PACE: calendar for 2003 is solidifying and available on its website.
- 10. Convention. The question of the SF clubs being together at the Grand March was brought up. Rick Perna reported support from Foggy City. Don Queen will check with Western Star. Consensus at Midnight Squares is to ask for a single San Francisco contingent. Following agreement by Western Star, Jeff Hamilton will make the request to the Convention Committee.
- 11. New Business. The Schedule for Sundays was discussed. Classes will continue until May 4. May 11 will be for the tentative Anne Uebelacker calling of C2 and C3A. There will be club dancing every Sunday until convention, except for the holidays and dances already scheduled. There will be no dancing on the last Sunday in June (parade day). There will be a review held on the three weeks before convention.

Respectfully submitted,

Arthur Morris Your faithful secretary