

BHDA Meeting September 18, 2014

Called to order at 1730 by Tracey S.

1. Minutes from the last meeting
 - a. Read and approved by Kerilyn, seconded by Vicki
 - b. Business arising – many families who had pictures for tartan tea have either not been refunded the money or have not been able to get an answer as to when they can pick up their photos. Bring back a total of \$\$ owed by O-Liv photography and photos undelivered to the next meeting.
2. Old Business
 - a. Dancer clothing – order going in September 19th
3. Executive/Committee Reports
 - a. Financial – expense claim form is online
 - end of July balance is roughly \$9000
 - b. Competition – volunteer form on the website (must sign up online)
 - Contact Jamie with questions
 - Entry form on the website
 - Ceilidh surprise
 - c. Burns – Jan 24/15
 - joint venture with the Mason's
 - only fundraiser of the year,
 - the bar will be the responsibility of the Mason's and the silent auction will be the responsibility of BHDA
 - Due to the increase in dancers this year we will be some changes to how tickets are distributed and how many tickets there will be available per family. Decisions on that to be made by Debbie and Heather.
4. New Business
 - a. Communication – monthly newsletter (or email)
 - 24-hour turnaround on emails to battlefordshighland@gmail.com
 - b. Practise Incentive - prizes for completing practise incentives
 - Further discussion required on how to manage
5. Other
 - a. Trip – Bus trip to Canmore or MJ/Regina for Highland games, Kerilyn will look into this if there is enough interest.
 - b. Teachers will be present at competitions to warm up all BHDA dancers. It is the dancer/parents responsibility to seek out the teacher, it is not the responsibility of the teacher to corral the dancers.
 - c. Dance outs will be the third tues or wed of each month (alternating each month)
6. Next Meeting will be October 23, 2014 at 5:30 pm – Annual General Meeting
7. Meeting adjourned at 6:25pm by Tracey, seconded by Rebecca