



Minutes of the VSNA Board of Directors' Meeting minutes

March 11, 2007

On March 11th, 2007, the VSNA Board of Directors had the Teleconference call. The meeting started at around 11.00 am and was adjourned around 12.15 pm.

Attendees:

- Prabhu Patil-President VSNA
- Dr. Chandramouli-VP VSNA
- Raj Adapur-Secretary VSNA
- G. Doddamani-Convention-2007 Convention Chair
- Shalini Bhagavan-Ohio
- Shanta Dandappanvar-Southern-California
- Dr. Ravindra Kumar-CA-Central
- Mamata Prakash-Texas
- Avinash Patil-Texas
- Rajesh Lalgoudar-North Carolina
- Channabasava Gouda-MA
- Bhavani Moodabagil-IL
- Kalpna-FL
- Sundaresh Yajaman-BOD
- Vinod Korategere-BOD
- Channu Kamblyal-BOD
- Dr. S. Munavalli
- G. Shankar-BOR
- Neetal Jagadeesh-President-YLB

2. Minutes of the January 28th, 2006 meeting approval:
Motion: It was proposed to accept BOD meeting minutes of January 28, 2007

Proposed: Dr. Chandramouli
Seconded: Shanta Dhandappanvar.

3. Introduction by newly Elected BOD: BOD congratulated the newly elected BOD members and each member introduced themselves to the board.

1. Prabhu Patil, President VSNA opened the meeting by welcoming all the BOD members and he stressed that to run any organization, we need time and money.

4. 2007 VSNA Projects Update: Nine projects were resulted from the past boot camp:

- Program for Young Adults (Age group between 18 & 30): Neetal Jagadeesh President YLB, will come up with the plan and Sundaresh Yajaman from BOD and G. Shankar from BOR will sit on their board and support YLB.
- Rejuvenate Chapters: Dr. Chandramouli and Channu Kamblyal will head these projects.
- Religious Kit for Chapters: Performing Istalinga pooja, practice and learning kit and build material and hand out to each chapter. Sateesh Kavi from BOR and Prema shankar will head this project.
- VSNA Convention: The main objects of this project are Education, Religious & Spiritual, and platform for children and Youth, networking, workshop and fund raising etc. G. Doddamani is headed this project.

- Fund raising & Investment: The main object of this project is to reactivate and seek new pledges and raise half a Million by end of 12/2007 and One Million by end of 2012. Nag Manohar and Manjula Sankarappa will head this project.
 - Membership Drive: This is revenue generating vehicle, VSNA Newsletter and Membership Kit are ready for printing in India and VSNA Global Directory is in the pipe line. Vinod Korategere will head this project.
 - VSNA Training: Train new VSNA officers, Chapter Presidents , BOD , YLB and BOR members. The training material will be updated by G. Doddamani and G. Shankar from BOR will support.
 - VSNA Communication: VSNA Yahoo group, VSNA website, VSNA-Newsletter and communication through e-mails.
 - Membership Dues: VSNA Treasurer will communicate with each chapter Treasurer on regular basis and collect membership dues.
5. Detroit 2007 VSNA Convention update by G. Doddamani: Registration packet will be mailed to all members by first week of April and all information regarding Detroit Convention 2007 is posted on the website at www.vsna.org/2007. There will be orientation for all chapter officers regarding VSNA Bylaws to bring up all chapters in line.
 6. VSNA News letter Update by Bhavani Moodabagil: Need help from each chapter. Each chapter need to appoint one of its officers (may be Secretary) to update their Chapter activity to VSNA News letter editor. Need feed back and the latest VSNA News letter is now ready for Printing in India.
 7. VSNA Publication: Dr. Munavalli developed the VSNA History, all BOD members need to review and approve before it goes for printing. VSNA will find the sponsor for this publication.
 8. Member's suggestion:
 1. There is an animated movie of Lord Basavanna, need to get copies and include in the Member's welcome kit.
 2. Government of India released Lord Basavanna coins, need more information.
 3. Government of Karnataka developed On line Vachana Sahithya, need to get copies.
 4. To Subscribe VSNA-Yahoo Group send e-mail to vsna_all-subscribe@yahogroups.com