

# **STC board meeting - Nov 2019**

Date: 2019-11-09

Place: Råcksta

Note taker: Niranjan K

#### Attendees:

Surendra A	Praveen R	Niranjan K
Suman V	Gangadhar N	Rajendra K
Rama devi P	Sneha	Srinivas T (Online)

## Agenda

- 1. Event summary Dasara Bathukamma
- 2. Financial closing & Audit plan
- 3. Update from DTA discussion
- 4. Pending transfer from Old Committee
- 5. Summary of handover KTs for Election, Membership and IT committee
- 6. Discussion on Telugu Badi Initiative
- 7. Future events planning
- 8. Entrepreneurs connect
- 9. Learning from other communities

# Event summary - Dasara Bathukamma

Discussed the feedback received on Dasara Bathukamma event and there was suggestion to start event little early, which should be considered in future events. Event specific balance sheet to be prepared with the income and expenditure.

o Action: Suman to prepare Dasara Bathukamma event balance sheet

### Financial closing & Audit plan

• Preparations to be done for financial closing of 2019 and financial year report to be prepared in Jan 2020., have to discuss with CAs if they can help in audit.

Action: Surendra to check with Mahender for Audit assistance

## Update from DTA (Denmark Telugu Association) discussion - Kuchipudi

 Niranjan updated the discussion with DTA and the Kuchipudi professor they suggested to contact. Kuchipudi professor from India is willing to perform if there is any event in Jan 2020. As no event is planned for January, hence can't accommodate Kuchipudi performance.

#### Pending transfer from Old Committee

 As the financial and inventory handover is not completely happened, need to discuss with STC old committee to expedite the process. Surendra and Suman will take care of financial handover and Rama will take care of inventory handling and renting

Action 1: Surendra and Suman to check with old STC committee Action 2: Rama will take care of inventory handling and renting

### Summary of handover KTs for Election, Membership and IT committee

Niranjan briefed on handover KTs happened for new Election & Membership committees from old committees. There was IT & PR committee meeting in which Suman M provided the KT to new members on website handling and roles. Srinivas T will be handling membership matters from the board as Membership committee secretary. There should be a meeting with election committee to discuss on future on election process and to decide the term of the current board members as 4 of the existing committee members tenure should be one year so that there will be half vacancies every year.

Action: Gangadhar N to set up a meeting with election committee

### Discussion on Telugu Badi Initiative

Updated the 'Telugu Bhasha Committee' meeting details which happened before this meeting and the resolutions made in the meeting. Niranjan K provided the details of responses from parents to enrol their children in 'Telugu Badi'. It is decided that 'Telugu Bhasha Committee' will take forward this initiative and update the board regularly.

Action: Niranjan K, Praveen R and Gangadhar N to take forward this initiative with the expansion of 'Telugu Bhasha Committee'

#### Future events planning

Tentatively agreed to conduct below events in coming months.

Winter Badminton tournament in Dec 2019

Mother tongue day in Feb 2020

Ugadi in Mar/Apr 2020

AGM in May/Jun 2020

# Action: Praveen R, Gangadhar N, Sneha and Surendra A will drive winter sports initiative

# Entrepreneurs connect

As discussed in previous meetings, STC need to arrange a meeting with entrepreneurs within Telugu community, explain them the activities done and being planned to seek financial support from their companies. Immediate steps to be taken in this regard.

Action: Surendra to prepare presentation and set up meeting

# Learning from other communities

Need to engage with other cultural organisations, especially Indian organisations based in Stockholm and learn the good practises from these organisations.