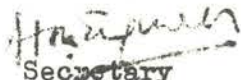


INDIA CLUB, VANCOUVER

MINUTES OF MEETING of BOARD OF DIRECTORS on February 21, 1971

(Present: M/s Nath, Colosie, Desai, Kapahi, Engineer and Mrs. Kapahi
Mr & Mrs. Kumar by invitation)

1. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS BOARD MEETING: Adoption moved by Dr. Desai,
seconded by Mr. Kapahi... Carried.
2. VOTING RIGHTS: "Since, according to the practice of our Club, an
Ordinary Member refers to family membership, therefore for
purposes of voting the husband and wife should each have a
vote." This resolution was moved by Dr. Colosie, seconded by
Mrs. Kapahi and unanimously carried.
3. CLUB DUES: The following resolution was proposed by Dr. Khanna and
seconded by Dr. Colosie on the presumption that the Annual
General Meeting will approve the abovenoted Voting interpret-
ation and accept the constitutional amendment setting up an
Associate Membership for those ex-Greater Vancouver:
"The following dues are recommended for 1971-72 for Club
membership:
Ordinary : Family membership \$25
Single (unmarried).... 15
Associate membership... 10
Student membership..... 10"
Resolution was carried unanimously.
4. NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT: The following names were submitted by
the Nominating Committee as the slate for 1971-72 Board of
Directors:
Dr. I. D. Desai..... President
Mrs. Shobha Khanna..... Vice-President
Mr. H. Varshney Treasurer
Mr. H. M. Engineer... Secretary
Mr. A. Atal)
Mr. S. Kumar) Members-at-Large
Dr. D. Goel)
Mr. G. Nath..... Past-President
Further nominations for the elective posts may be made from the
floor after obtaining a seconder and prior approval of the
candidate-to-be, at the ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING on March 28, 1971
5. CHIEF MINISTER BADAL'S DINNER: The final accounting to date as
reported by the Secretary was a net deficit of \$165.00.
Contributions made: Khalsa Diwan Society.... \$100
Mr. H. M. Engineer... \$ 25
Balance of deficit..... \$ 40
After some discussion and caution about future involvement in
such functions, the following resolution moved by Dr. Khanna
and seconded by Mr. Engineer was adopted: "That the India Club
contribute \$40 towards clearing the remaining deficit.
6. VISITS TO MAHATMAJI'S STATUE: Moved by Mr. Kapahi, seconded by Dr.
Colosie: "The question of organized visits to Mahatmaji's
statue at the Simon Fraser University on auspicious occasions
be left for the next year's Board of Directors to decide." Carried
7. FUTURE FUNCTIONS:
February 28, 1971... RELIGIOUS HERITAGE OF INDIA
--- Talk by Dr. McKinnon
March 14, 1971..... HOLI CELEBRATIONS
March 28, 1971..... ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
April 1971..... Talk by Mr. H. McPherson on his impressions
of India.
May 1971..... Picnic recommended to next year's Activity
Committee.
8. IMMIGRATION RACKET: The President was requested to write to the media
representing against the tendentious reporting damaging to the
image of East Indians generally


Secretary

INDIA CLUB, VANCOUVER, B.C.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

I. RELIGIOUS HERITAGE OF INDIA

Date: Sunday, February 28, 1971 TIME: 7.00 to 9.00 p.m.
Place: The Central Institute Hall, 1100 Thurlow Street (behind St. Pauls' Hospital)
Subject: "THE RELIGIOUS HERITAGE OF INDIA"
Speaker: Rev. Dr. C. Paul McKinnon, Director of the Central Institute of Religious Studies, a recognized scholar on the religions of the world.
The talk will be directed also at the CHILDREN. There will be a question period following the talk.
Guests: Visitors and guests are welcome and we hope many will turn up.
COFFEE & COOKIES... will be served at the end.
COME ONE COME ALL !

II. "UNDERSTANDING EAST INDIAN CULTURE"

The U.B.C. Center for Continuing Education, with the backing of the Vancouver School Board, is sponsoring a seminar at the Sikh Temple to discuss the problem of educating and integrating children of East Indian parents not conversant with the English language or the Western way of life obtaining in Canada.

There will be four (4) weekly sessions between 7.30 and 9.30 p.m.

1. East Indians come to Canada and their cultural background on March 3rd, 1971
2. Family Structure and Relationships:..... March 10, 1971
3. The Family and Education March 17, 1971
4. Religion & Culture..... March 24. 1971

In each case the session will be led off by an East Indian panel attended by educators, public health nurses and other Canadians interested in the subject.

During the post-panel discussions we would like other East Indians in audience to act as back-up resource persons. So, all members, friends and other interested associations are invited to join in to make this occasion a great success.

H. S. S. S.
Secretary

FOR MEMBERS ONLY!

III. HOLI CELEBRATIONS

OYEZ! OYEZ! OYEZ!

ANNOUNCING the BIG OCCASION of the SPRING SEASON only for those lucky India Club members and their families.

A GREAT EVENING of COLOUR-THROWING (washable colours will be provided) as the children, BIG & small, celebrate this exhilarating Hindu Festival.

ORGANIZER? Why, none other than the one and only Holi Virtuoso-ess of Vancouver..... Mrs. RASHMA KUMAR, the finest sharpshooting colour-shooter of 'em all!!!

Date: SUNDAY, March 14, 1971 Time: 2.00 to 5.00 p.m.

Place: CENTRAL INSTITUTE HALL, 1100 Thurlow St, (behind St. Paul's Hospital)

Program: Dr. Goel, famed Holi Child Specialist, will in his own inimitable racy style give the low-down on this Holi-business.... there will be games for Junior as well as his parents, oh yes with Prizes and all.... and maybe a suitable film if available in time

WARNING: You wear your show-off \$300 suit/sari at your own risk. People coming in rags will not be refused admission, nor---and I have this in writing from the President --- will NOT, repeat NOT be expelled from this august organization. In fact, Dirty Clothes are "IN".

SEE YOU ALL THERE..... Once again, "Sorry, no guests! "

And, don't be too late or you'll miss the good Doctor's FREE dissertation on Holi, apart from risking an extra-special "Colourful" reception!

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