

## Board Buzz—August 9, 2010

At their monthly meeting, the Rebels Board welcomed new board members, Camille, Joyce, and Mike. We also discussed the following topics:

- Camille will be the Junior Program Director, Joyce will be in charge of Public Relations, and Mike will be the Out & About Publisher.
- Heather reviewed the general responsibilities of all board members, in addition to the specific role each director carries. She encouraged strong positive communication with other board members and offering assistance as needed.
- Any assistance from club members in picking up trash and clearing tables Friday nights is greatly appreciated.
- A Money Market account has been opened in the Club's name.
- Doug's weekend was highly successful and profitable.
- We will be issuing a ticket for the paid intermediate lesson. Please give this to your instructor.
- Be sure to reserve your room for MMISL.
- Don't forget Ben and Melina the first weekend of November.
- Food will be served August 20, which is also the first night of the Jack and Jill competitions preparing for MMISL.
- Check the website for the results of the Grand Prix weekend.
- A new selection of t-shirts with the club logo is being ordered. Give your input on styles/colors on the feedback form on-line.
- Shoe bags have been ordered for MMISL. The cost will be \$10. Your name can be added for \$1 per letter-contact Ruth.
- Talk to Christy about registration for out of town events. Dallas Dance September 2-5 and Tampa Bay Classic November 11-14. Check with James if you want to attend Swingin' Dance Party-August 26-29.
- Join the Rebels this year for Hollywood Nites on New Years Eve. See Camille and Joyce for more information.
- The Stratford has an updated menu and new pricing. Our bar and food sales are not meeting expectations, so please take advantage of this service.
- At the next meeting the board will be discussing which pros to invite for workshops next year. Any suggestions are appreciated, use the feedback form at the front desk or on-line.
- October 16<sup>th</sup> has been proposed as the celebration of 5 years of the St. Louis Rebels.
- We will be nominating Matt Auclair to the Midwest Swing Dance Federation Hall of Fame. Share comments about Matt with a board member to include in the nomination.
- Jeff Auclair is arranging with the Stratford to offer massage services in the hallway on Friday nights.

—St Louis Rebels Board/lmg

*To review the approved minutes of any Board meeting, please contact one of the Executive Board Members. Board meetings are held at 7 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at the Stratford Inn. We welcome comments and concerns. These can be presented to the Board by completing the questionnaire available at the front table of the Friday night dances.*

**Keep on dancing!**