



TANTEX Executive Committee Meeting Minutes – April 2013

Subject	TANTEX Executive Committee Meeting – April 2013		Date	04/8/2013
Meeting Chair	Suresh Manduva, President of TANTEX			
Facilitator	Subramanyam Jonnalagadda, Secretary of TANTEX		Time	9:00 PM
Location	Virtual Conference Call			
Attendees	1. Ananth Mallavarapu	2. Neeraja Padigela		
	3. Balki Chamkura	4. Sharada Singireddy		
	5. Chinasatyam Veernapu	6. Subramanyam Jonnalagadda		
	7. Geeta Dammanna	8. Subhash Nelakanti		
	9. Indu Reddy Mandadi	10. Subhashini Pentakota (Excused)		
	11. Jyothi Vanam	12. Suresh Manduva		
	13. Krishnaveni Seelam	14. Vijay Mohan Kakarla (Excused)		
	15. Krishna Reddy Uppalapati	16. Rajesh Chilukuri		
	17. Mahesh Aditya Adibhatla (Excused)	18. Shashikanth Kanaparthi		
	19. Narasimha Reddy Urimindi	20. Raghu Chittimalla		
	21. Sunil Devireddy			

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1	Previous EC / GoB meeting minutes: Review & Approval	President Suresh Manduva called the meeting to order @ 9:11 PM. Sunil Devireddy proposed and Indu Reddy seconded the March 3rd, 2013 meeting minutes with no changes.
2	Review of Action items from previous meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Status on the new website for TANTEX: Committee has been informed that updates are in process to the upgraded web platform.</li> <li>• Status on the Business cards for all GoB members: Committee has been informed that samples obtained are not good. Changes have been suggested and new samples are being obtained.</li> <li>• Status on the Coupon books to all life members: Committee has been informed that 13 businesses have come forward to provide coupon offers. Cover page is being designed Urimindi Narasimha Reddy. All EC members have been requested to get some more sponsors.</li> <li>• Status on the SOP Document: BOT is working on the latest version. Would be reviewed in May 2013 meeting.</li> </ul>
3	Treasurer's Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Treasurer Indu Reddy Mandadi provided sponsors payment status.</li> <li>• Reviewed the payments due from 2012 Sponsors and committee opined that all needed efforts to be put to collect the dues.</li> <li>• Also reviewed the payments due from 2013 sponsors.</li> </ul>
4	Marketing / Sponsors Update	<p>Shashikanth Kanaparathi and President Suresh Manduva provided the marketing / sponsors update.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Committee has been informed that iSmile Dental has dropped their idea of becoming TANTEX sponsor due to funds constraint.</li> <li>• South fork Dental indicated that they will continue to be TANTEX Sponsor.</li> <li>• President Suresh Manduva indicated that Vish Palepu, CPA firm has expressed interest to be Gold Sponsor. Need to work further details with them. Also Vish Palepu has confirmed to be a part sponsor with \$500 amount towards Ugaadi Telugu Calendar.</li> <li>• Treasurer Indu Reddy Mandadi indicated that David Weekley Homes has confirmed to be \$500 sponsor for Ugaadi Telugu Calendar in addition to be 'Event Sponsor' for Ugaadi Utsavaalu-2013.</li> <li>• Marketing Chair Shashi Kanaparathi informed that he is following up with sponsor ship leads received and also working with Our Place Indian Cuisine for probable sponsorship. Also informed to the committee that Classic Management expressed interest to be sponsor.</li> </ul>

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5	Approval of New Life Members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The following life members have newly joined and the list has been approved by the committee                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Narani Ramesh</li> <li>○ Thummaluru Anithakumar Reddy</li> <li>○ Padmasolala Chandramouli</li> <li>○ Meduri Srikar</li> <li>○ Anjanaiah Udaikumar</li> <li>○ Sunku Koteswara Rao</li> <li>○ Krishna Kandadai</li> <li>○ Appa Rao Yalam</li> <li>○ Krishna Kodali</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
6	Ugaadi Utsavaalu – 2013 Planning & preparation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Event Coordinator Krishna Uppalapati provided the update on the status of various activities planned.</li> <li>• Cultural Chair Krishnaveni Seelam provided the update on the cultural items planned.</li> <li>• Food Chair, Narasimha Reddy Urimindi provided the update on the Food related activities planned.</li> <li>• President Suresh Manduva provided the updates related to guests from India: Comedian Srilakshmi and TV actor Indraneil.</li> <li>• President Suresh Manduva informed the committee that Telugu Calendar is getting ready to be distributed on Ugaadi event day.</li> <li>• Krishna Uppalapati informed the committee that an exclusive conference call is planned on 04/10/2013 to review the Ugaadi Utsavaalu check list and requested all the members to attend the call.</li> </ul>
7	Student Scholarships & TANTEX building action plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The topics could not be discussed for want of time. To be discussed in next meeting.</li> </ul>
8	Upcoming Events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Committee has been informed about the following upcoming events:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 69<sup>th</sup> NNTV Sadassu (Ugaadi Kavi Sammelanam) is planned to be conducted on April 21<sup>st</sup> 2013 in Youth Center of DFW Hindu Temple.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• TANTEX Supported Events:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ ManaBadi Maatlaata</li> <li>○ DHIM TANA on May 12<sup>th</sup></li> <li>○ TIPS Shankar Mahadevan Concert on June 15<sup>th</sup></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
9	Open Items (If time permits and with the approval of President)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• None</li> </ul>
10	Meeting Adjourn	Meeting adjourned at 11:27 PM by the Chair, Suresh Manduva

### Action Plan

No	Action Item(s)	Owner	Target Date
1.	Status on new website for TANTEX	China Satyam	
2	Status on business cards for all GoB members	Subramanyam Jonnalagadda	
3	To share the current version of BOT prepared SOP document with all office bearers for review	Suresh Manduva	