MINUTES OF THE MEETING AT RWITTI'S HOUSE ON OCTOBER 14^{TH} AT 7:00PM as a potluck dinner meeting.

Sangita Handa was absent from the meeting as she had guests at home.

PRESENT AT THE MEETING WERE: Rwitti Roy, Lakshmi Garimella, Rashmi Chaturvedi, Charu Balachander, Uma Peeta, Kumari Govindaraju, Smita Carneiro, Puja Tanwani and Anisha Singhal.

The meeting started with Rwitti asking Renuji to tell the board how much money was collected for advertisements for the Sanskriti magazine. Renuji reported that \$7575 for Advertisements and \$2000 for sponsorship was collected. Rwitti also described the various articles to be printed in the Sanskriti magazine. She briefly described each article and they also introduce new members, Ritu Marwah and Amrutha Inamdar, who have been helping with the magazine.

Everyone applauded Sangita Handa and Renuji efforts for getting the money. Rwitti informed the board that she has joined Rashmi as a co-editor to the magazine and introduced, Rashmi, Lakshmi and herself as editorial oversite committee.

Meeting Minutes for the later part

- 1. Plan for Chitresh Das and Co. (3 dancers) is on track.
- 2. IWA stall: Neetu Dave to be contacted for setting up the stall.
- 3. Uma, Debjaya, Renu, Rwitti and Anisha to assist Aaron with the sound track and/program logistics.
- 4. Rik (singer) arriving with the musician on Monday. Rik staying with Rwitti, musician with Maha, Meghana (singer) with Renu and Labuni staying with Rashmi.
- 5. Tony Roswarski and Sheila Klinker will be present/coming to the COI event.
- 6. Vinod Sagi is making arrangements for 3 projector screen or display.
- 7. Working on getting Debashih Dutta, Farah Sayed for the inauguration of Sanskriti.
- 8. The back ground slides need to be made with an existing template. To contact Meena for this. Renu has the slides from last COI.
- 9. Debjaya to work on hosting the movie 'Petals'. Rwitti will send the link.
- 10. Theme of the slides: activism going in India geared towards children, women. Something like 'history of doing'.

- 11. At the event, designer's high resolution pictures will be projected, at different times with prices and shipping and handling cost. Aparna to be contacted for artistically presenting the pictures which can be displayed at the event. This presentation to be repeated more times for increased visibility.
- 12. The vendor agreement for needs to be filled for that. Puja needs to send the form to the designer.
- 13. Rwitti would design the COI poster by Sunday or else Charu would make the poster.
- 14. Puja and Anisha would tally the tokens from the vendor at the end of the COI event.
- 15. Rwitti asked Renu to make some rules for the ticket table and about sale of tokens.
- 16. Rwitti called Bhavin Shah ,President of BTCCGL asking to set up table at Navratri Dance for selling COI tickets. Bhavin said he will get back on that.

The meeting concluded at 10:30 pm.