

Upcoming Events:

2007

Jean-Luc Perot will be giving a four-day workshop in the Benecia, California area in early April, hosted by John Cole. Dates yet to be determined. In addition to being a taijiquan coach Jean-Luc is a tuina/anno practitioner, an osteopath, and a fasciae and cranio sacral therapist. His workshop should include mechanics of the 13 postures, tuishou, applications and Daoyin qigong among other topics. His school in Belgium is *La Main Franche* <<http://www.taichichuan.be/>>. Please contact John Cole to be put on a mailing list <john@johncole.com>. Current members will be sent an email when details are confirmed and posted on the AYMTA Website.

YMT Calendar Websites<http://aymta.org/home/Calendar.html><http://taijiquan.free.fr/Calendrier/Calendrier.html>

All past Board Minutes, Financial Statements, requirements for listing as Member Teacher are posted on the Members' Section of the Website under Documents:

<<http://aymta.org/home/members/documents-index.php>>

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

If you haven't paid your 2007 Dues, this is your final issue of the *AYMTA Journal*. Your access to the Members' Section of the AYMTA Website will be discontinued as of March 31 and you will be removed from our mailing lists.

If you wish to continue as an AYMTA Member send your dues to

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Regular Membership \$35
Student Membership \$20
Family Membership \$20

Board of Directors' Minutes

3rdQ

JUL 9, 2006

Present: Charlie Adamec, John Cole, Don Klein, Gretchen MacLane

Minutes of past meetings approved by email.
Treasurer's Report received.

President's Report:

Email exchange with Mark Linett concerning letters to Wang Laoshi.
Since the Shisan Shi project with Chris Nelson has been shelved, Charlie will investigate with Joseph Ku on producing one for distribution on the Members' Section..

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Amicale Stipend. Moved by Don Klein, Seconded by Gretchen MacLane: Jan Phillips to receive \$600 stipend to attend 2006 Rencontres de l'Amicale. Charles Adamec to be backup in case she is unable to attend. Approved Unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Elections. The Secretary will conduct elections for the 2007-2008 Board of Directors. The primary vehicle will be the Members Section of the website. Screens for Nomination & Voting have been released. Members without email addresses on record will be communicated with by post. The schedule will be 3 weeks for nominations in September, a 3 week period to confirm nomination status with nominees, a 3 week period for voting. The Board will meet on November 19 to confirm election results. Moved by Gretchen MacLane, Seconded by Charles Adamec. Approved Unanimously.

2. Journal status. Discussion of making the Journal a commercial publication for the general Taijiquan community. It is currently published under AYMTA's status as a not-for-profit corporation as specified in the By Laws (Article 2, Section 1h). Copies are currently available to non-members for \$25/issue under the purpose of "educating the public" about YMT (Article 2, Sections 1c and 1i). No action taken.

4thQ

DEC 9, 2006

Present: Charlie Adamec, John Cole, Jim Carlson, Gretchen MacClane, Don Klein.

Previous minutes approved by email.
Accepted Treasurer's Report.

OLD BUSINESS.

Berkeley Group still working on 13 Postures Video. Videotaping most likely in Spring.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Don moved, Jim Seconded: New Board of Directors-Charlie Adamec, John Cole, Dale Napier, Gretchen MacClane, Don Klein. Approved Unanimously..

2. Gretchen Moved, Charlie Seconded new section of Bylaws:

RECIPROCAL MEMBERSHIP: AYMTA may enter into Reciprocal Membership Agreements with other YMT Organizations which will involve no charge to either Organization and no voting privileges, and will allow exchange of publications and granting of certain membership rights to the individual members of each organization, particularly the ability to attend events of the other organization at member rates.
Approved Unanimously.

2. John moved, Gretchen seconded. AYMTA will join with other YMT groups in publishing a worldwide directory of YMT practitioners without respect to specific organization membership. Format and financing to be determined.

Approved Unanimously.

3. Discussion of possible WW YMT Festival in Taiwan, probably in 2008. Suggestion that it run sequentially with another event to draw more people. (2008 TJQ World Cup? Don).