

CUAA Working Committee Meeting

Highlights of Annual Meeting

November 11, 2007

CUAA-DC members held their annual meeting on November 11, 2007 at the Potomac Community Center, Potomac, MD. According to several members, this meeting was a great success in terms of attendance (75 people) and collections received for yearly memberships and other donations. The highlights are outlined below:

The meeting started with a welcome address and Bijoya greetings by Tapas Pradhan. He gave a brief review of the past activities and future plans for the Association. Several members from the floor voiced their opinion that the Association should charge \$10.00 membership fee/person/year so that the organization may implement future donations to some charitable organizations. The membership fee was passed by almost unanimous vote.

Asok Pal and Bidhan Bandyopadhyay joined as new core members. Nandita Bagchi, Rina Dalal and Sanchita Ghosh wanted to help the Association as on needed basis.

Asok/Saswati Motayed contributed \$200.00 for the Association's scholarship fund. Pramita Chatterjee, Aparna Pradhan, Utpal Das Gupta and Indrani Dey contributed to the Association for the singer, Dr. Sreekumar Chatterjee.

The Association presented a variety of cultural programs to the delight of the audience. Pramita Chatterjee organized the cultural program. Sikha Bhar was in charge of the food preparation.

The meeting ended after a vote of thanks by Tapas Pradhan.

With best wishes to all,
Tapas Pradhan