

# The Welsh National Gymanfa Ganu Association, Inc.

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December 18, 1995

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Mrs. Arline Barsamian, Chairman  
Welsh National Gymanfa, 1997  
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Dear Arline,

It was good to talk with you by phone the afternoon of Dec. 13th, and to briefly discuss plans for the 1997 WELSH NATIONAL GYMANFA GANU in Milwaukee.

You and your committee have been very concerned regarding the 501(c) (3) status of the WNGGA. I am happy to report that Attorney Paul Stevens, one of our past presidents, has been successful in obtaining clarification of our status from the IRS. They have affirmed the existence of a determination letter granting the WNGGA the 501(c)(3) status. For your information, our 501(c)(3) Federal Identification Number is 23-7304017.

You asked me if seed money is available to the Venue Committee from the WNGGA and if it would be considered a loan. If the committee and sponsoring organizations find it necessary to request such an advance from the WNGGA, I would suggest the request be made via a letter, stating the amount and reason. To my knowledge, such an advance would be returned to the WNGGA.

Please let me know if you need additional information.

Sincerely,

Nelson L. Llewellyn,  
Executive Director

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cc: Wm. John Lewis, MD



WELSH NATIONAL GYMANFA GANU ASSOCIATION

*A Great Sound on a Great Lake*

10/1/96

30 September 1996

TO : Geraint Wilkes  
 FROM : Gary Davis  
 RE : Request for "seed money" from WNGGA

At a meeting of the Milwaukee 97 Executive Committee on 28 September, 1996, which I chaired, the following motion was unanimously approved:

THAT MILWAUKEE 97 REQUEST "SEED MONEY" IN THE FORM OF AN INTEREST FREE LOAN FROM THE WELSH NATIONAL GYMANFA GANU ASSOCIATION IMMEDIATELY IN THE AMOUNT OF \$7,000.

THIS AMOUNT TO BE PAID BACK TO WNGGA UPON COMPLETION OF THE NATIONAL IN MILWAUKEE.

BUDGETS, CASH FLOW ESTIMATES, ETC. HAVE BEEN PROVIDED WNGGA IN THE PAST. MONEY IS NEEDED IMMEDIATELY AS WE HAVE NO FUNDS WITH WHICH TO WORK UNTIL AFTER REGISTRATIONS BEGIN COMING IN.

Please give this request to Nelson Llywelyn this upcoming weekend when you see him.

Thank you.

Gary Davis, Acting Chair  
Milwaukee 97 Executive Committee

10/1/96

TAKID WITH ARLINE - SHE WILL ASK HER FINANCE PEOPLE FOR ENUMERATION OF AREAS OF NEED & DOLLARS NEEDED FOR EACH. ALSO TALK WITH GERANT - DISCUSSED NEED & AMT. CLW CERWYN - LEAPH - STAY IN TOUCH. 4.

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10/22/96

Fax - Nelson Llewelyn  
Executive Director,  
Welsh National Gymanfa Ganu Association

Dear Nelson,

I hope that Betty and you had a great holiday.

**Re Milwaukee:**

I had a long chat with Arline this week and discovered that the committee really does not have much financial backing at this time.

She could not give me the breakdown of the immediate expenses in actual dollars and cents, but I could sense her consternation at having to face the signing of the contracts etc.

If everything goes according to their current plans with the concert which is to held in an auditorium with a seating capacity of 5000, they should be able to raise a considerable amount of revenue.

They are really looking to the "National" for some immediate help and I think that we owe them all the financial backing we can afford! I suggested to Arline that their request for \$7000 would not be forthcoming at this time, but that we would probably consider a sum of \$5000.

I recommend that this be so!!  
"So mote it be"?????

Nos da,

Cerwyn

October 19th 1996