

Region 5 Caller / Cuer / Dancer Association

April 6, 2013

Region 5 only 7 delegates.

A break-down of Region 5 clubs and Number of registered dancer follows;

(Dancers includes teen dancers)

Northern Twisters - 78 dancers, 2 callers/cuers

100 Mile - 9 dancers

Lac La Hache - 20 dancers, 2 callers/cuers

Williams Lake - 34 dancers, 2 callers/cuers

Mile Zero - 38 dancers, 1 caller/cuer

Quesnel - 9 dancers

Vanderhoof - 13 dancers, 1 caller/cuer

Total: 201 dancers (18 are teens), 8 callers/cuers

Due to the lack of new dancers in both 100 Mile and Lac La Hache, this year will be the Final 57th Annual South Cariboo Square Dance Jamboree.

This event was put on annually by the South Cariboo Square Dance Association (Lac La Hache Caribooters - 100 Mile Twirlers) and has always been a great fun weekend.

Unfortunately the 100 Mile Twirlers have suspended dancing this season due to lack of dancers. Lac La Hache Caribooters are still dancing every Monday and welcomes any dancers to join them.

Williams Lake and Prince George have their Jamborees coming up in the spring as well.

Dawson Creek had an increase of new young dancers this year, which is exciting for our region as most clubs are declining in numbers.

With the loss of Prince George caller Larry Mann this past year a Memorial fund has been set up in Region 5 for persons from this region who would like to take training to become a Caller or Cuer. We are hoping with this assistance available to younger and/ or newer people interested in learning to call or cue.

Thank you to Mary Anne Turner the secretary for Region 5 as she has done all the work in getting information out to the dance clubs in our Region this year.

Thanks to Krystal Etter Leason as treasurer for her work with the finances of the Region this year.

Thanks to John Tutte the Vice President in our Region this year.

Thank you to the delegates who have volunteered their time and made the commitment to represent our region.

These people have kept things going in our Region while I have been unable to be fully committed to my position due to Family illness.

Respectfully Submitted

Peggy-Jo Zettl & Region 5 Delegate Bill Rose