

2012 REPORT FROM THE VANCOUVER AND DISTRICT CALLER/TEACHER ASSOCIATION

Submitted by Wendy Krueger, Secretary, V&DCTA

Calendar year 2012

I. Association Officers:

At the annual general meeting of the V&DCTA of Sat. Nov. 19th, 2011, the following officers were installed:

President Mort Fromson, Vice President Lyle O'Hara, Treasurer Cheryl Plume, Secretary Wendy Krueger, Tyler Wagner is Past President

This executive served through 2012 and as all were willing to continue the second year of their 2 year term, they remain in 2013. The next election of officers is set for September 21st, 2013.

II. Membership of the Association:

The membership of the Association stands at 29 caller/cuers and 18 spouses/partners for a total of 47 members as of December 31st, 2012.

III. Meetings of the Association:

In 2012, the Association held three general meetings on January 21st, 2012, March 17th, 2012, and November 17, 2012. They held their Annual General Meeting on September 15th, 2012. Quorum (20% of the membership) is 9.4 members. A minimum of 12 members and an average of 15 members attended the meetings.

IV. Round Dance and Square Dance Coordinators

The Round Dance Coordinator is Heather Wallace. She has been serving in this capacity since November 2009. The Square Dance Coordinator during 2012 was Bryan Clarke. He served from Nov. 2011 until September 2012.

V. Special dances

The V&DCTA Callers Corn Cob Caper was conceived as a "welcome back" dance. The first one was held at Kennedy Hall on Sat. Sep. 24th, 2011. The second annual Callers Corn Cob Caper was also held at Kennedy Hall on Sat. Sept.29th, 2012. The 2013 edition will be held on Saturday, September 21st at Kennedy Hall. They are planning to have this dance on the 3rd or 5th Saturday in September every year to avoid conflict with Brent Mawdsley's dances at Rainbow Squares.

VI. Representation to the FVS&RDA

Ken Crisp has ably represented the Caller/Teachers to the Fraser Valley Square and Round Dance Association for many years.

VII. Participation

The V&DCTA participated with the FVS&RDA in the R.O.A.R. seminar and they

continue to look for promising ideas to support in an ongoing effort to help our activity thrive. The Promotion Committee is a joint committee of the FVSRDA & V&DCTA..

VIII. Service of other members of the V&DCTA

Ken Crisp is Secretary of the BCS&RD Federation

Wendy Krueger is Subscription Person for the Valley Circle

IX. Years of Service of Members of the Association

Updated list in progress