



B.C. Square & Round Dance Federation

## NEWSLETTER

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This newsletter is from your new President of the B.C. Square & Round Dance Federation.

My name is Frank McNeil. Many of you know me as Webmaster of the Federation and/or the ad editor of the Valley Circle Magazine or the Chair of the FVSRDA Promotion Committee and I am also Webmaster for BC Festival 2025. My home club is the Surrey Square Wheelers where my wife Yvonne and I dance weekly – were I have had the position of President and am now Webmaster for the club.

I would first like to thank Dennis Sutton for his years of service. Dennis will now serve as Past President and Norm Cox will retire from the position of past president.

At the start of the summer of 2024 things look promising for Square Dancing, Round Dancing, Clogging and Contra Dancing as the 23rd Canadian National Square & Round Dance Convention for July 17 – 20, 2024 has been sold out since last summer.

BC Festival 2025 is coming to Langley July 31, Aug. 1 & 2, 2025 with a trail in dance at the festival location and a Trail out dance with a location to be determined. Registrations have started coming in, check the Federation web site for the BC Festival 2025 Registration, Poster, and more info on the festival and register soon.

I look forward to working with the Executive and Directors at large who work to support the clubs and members of the B.C. Square & Round Dance Federation. All members of the Federation are welcome to attend our AGM (Our adjourned AGM is on October 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024 @ 9:30 a.m.) or email the Executive [info@squaredance.bc.ca](mailto:info@squaredance.bc.ca) with any questions or concerns. Check our website [squaredance.bc.ca](http://squaredance.bc.ca) for more information.

Regards,

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