

Border Booster Square & Round Dance Assoc.  
Report to the CSRDS Annual General Meeting 2015

Our mission is to encourage and support our member clubs and dancers .

To achieve this, we have many committees made up of our directors. They work towards providing coordination of club activities through our website, publicity for recruitment, and two BBS&RDA Dances – one in the Fall and one in the Spring to welcome the new Graduates. To financially help some of the committees, our Disbursement Committee reviews the results of our last year's programs, to adjust or propose new programs.

Here are the latest proposals to be considered and voted on for the coming dancing season.

1} Continuation of the "Graduates' Program" A new, beginner graduate can qualify for a named, non-transferable \$50. Gift Certificate to be used towards a full registration the following year with a member club as a first year Mainstream or phase II/III dancer.

2} Publicity Program" A club will be reimbursed up to \$200.00 for recruitment expenses (excluding caller/cuer fees) for any Regular member club that holds a Basic/mainstream or phase II class. A Regional Publicity Program will have a \$1000.00 budget to be administered by the Publicity Committee.

3} Continuation of a "Caller/Cuer Bursary Program" offering reimbursement of up to \$500. to qualified applicants. We received one applicant for the 2015 session at Northeast Callers School.

4} "Workshop Program" A BBSRDA Workshop Committee (consisting of one Director from each interested club) will organize monthly teaching/workshopping sessions for both the Basic/Mainstream and Plus square dance levels.

5} "Open Dance Program" BBSRDA will host monthly beginner level dances (ABC teaching format) open to the public to introduce easy square dancing to as broad a population as possible

We are looking forward to an exciting new dance season.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ruth Cunningham, President of BBS&RDA