Apr 17, 2020

Dear Sarnia Ballroom Dancing Club Members

In this current state of emergency your executive has decided to cancel our upcoming April dance, the May AGM, and the June and July dances. At this time we plan to hold the AGM in the fall.

This year is the club's 38<sup>th</sup> anniversary, and we want it to continue for many more years.

Currently the executive consists of 8 members, but we have a well deserved retirement, and 3 others with health issues that will make it difficult for them to continue in full capacity. Many of those remaining members are now doing two, three or even four jobs to be sure everything gets done. Also, most of the executive have been on the executive for many years, and would, at some point, eventually like to step down.

Please consider becoming involved. Anyone joining now will have the ability to learn the job with the help of the current executive. It's not difficult. It's not a huge commitment – about 3 years. It's manageable when the job is shared. We have an amazing amount of fun at our meetings while being productive!

The Executive jobs consist of:

President Vice President Treasurer Secretary Music Director Event Liaison Webmaster Registrar/School Liaison Public relations/advertising (marketing/promo) Social (decorations and set-up) Dance hall bookings

Even someone to volunteer to do some photography at any event so that our website can be a venue for history, interest, and fun.

There is also a need for volunteers to host our monthly dances (i.e. be the people at the door)

The Executive is the engine that makes sure that the bylaws are followed, the money is well kept and appropriately used, the events are advertised, the schools are booked for lessons and practices, the music is prepared (and legal), there is a hall for hosting our monthly dances, and that correspondence is answered. The executive is working very hard to maintain a club of excellence. On behalf of the SBDC Executive, this letter to all members is to invite you to become involved in the organization and future of your dance club.

Sincerely,

Your Sarnia Ballroom Dancing Club Executive