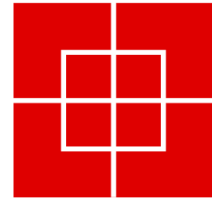


BAASDC & SDCCGB

RPM



JOINT COUNCILS ' RPM COMMITTEE

A joint committee set up by the Square Dance Callers Club of Great Britain and the British Association of American Square Dance Clubs to help clubs recruit new dancers, promote Square Dancing to the public and maintain the numbers recruited.

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RPM MEMBERS: Tony Metcalfe (President BAASDC), Walt Burr (President SDCCGB), Linda Gill (Chairman) Maggie Palmer, Susie Kelly, Patricia Connett-Woodcock, Chris Gill, Irene Dimmer, Paul Bristow, Zoe Bremer

Square Dancing – needs YOU!

The RPM Committee's main objective is to make it possible for Square Dancing to continue for many years to come, by effective recruitment (of new dancers and callers) as well as by promotion of our activity, on the basis of the health and social benefits that Square Dancing offers.

To achieve these aims we need many things, most of which we have already successfully acquired; funding – both from the member clubs of the BAASDC (as well as a few individuals) and from the Lottery grant. We also have a list of callers who are prepared – in fact (in many cases) are very keen to teach new dancers. In addition to this, we also have the agreement of the vast majority of clubs who are keen to see us succeed and wish to see us achieve our goals.

However, the RPM Committee cannot do it alone. Obviously, Great Britain is a large area to cover and the RPM committee cannot personally travel to all the areas where there is a chance that new clubs might be established – or where existing clubs may be ready to take on new-dancer instruction.

The one “resource” that we still require is help and assistance from existing dancers – we need people. In an ideal situation we would connect a caller (who is prepared to teach new dancers) with the people in his or her area who are willing to form a team with the intention of bringing new dancers into the activity.

To do this we need details of dancers who are prepared to play a role within such a team; without these people the task will be almost impossible. Putting it differently, with these people it would be so much easier. So the question has to be: “are you an existing dancer who is prepared to be part of a team that will help to bring new dancers into Square Dancing”? If you are, please contact us – WE NEED YOU!

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