E-Notes for April 2019

: The AGM and Dance is on April 27 at Crescent School 7:30 pm – 11:00 Music by Don Bartlett & The Scottish Heirs

: Strategic Planning Review

On April 8 the TA Board approved the Strategic Plan as presented, recognizing the need to implement the Plan through the Board's annual Workplans and the need to develop Outcome Measurements.

A committee has been formed and met on April 11 to discuss how to move forward. The thought now was to go through the three Key Goals that had been identified and to be sure that we have the actions and indicators in place to measure our accomplishments and/or provide direction to new actions.

: Extension Classes (Mixed Abilities): April 4 - May 23, 2019

Designed as a bridge between the end of regular classes and the beginning of Dancing in the Park, these classes extend the learning experience as dancers review steps and formations previously taught and are introduced to new ones. Three teachers (TBA) will share the teaching duties.

Thursdays: 7:30 - 9:30pm — April 4 - May 23

(8 weeks: \$80) It is not too late to join in. Fees will be prorated.

At Eastminster United Church 310 Danforth Ave. one block west of Chester station.

Enter church by side door. Go downstairs to register; upstairs to dance.

Contact Catherine MacLean 416.996-1136 Class Rep: Anne Bishop 647.234-4631

: Volunteer Awards

Congratulations to Anne Anderson. Chris Elliott and Donalda McDonald on receiving their awards, for their dedication and hard work on behalf of the Toronto Branch. The RSCDS Branch Award was presented to Margaret Rieger

: Orillia Scottish Festival Sat July 20, 2019

Will Kinghorn is coordinating the Scottish Country Dance participation at the Orillia Scottish Festival. He really needs sets to participate from the various Social Groups. Will and Maureen are willing to visit the Social Groups and help them prepare their dances.

: Bookmarks for Dancing in The Park

RSCDS TA dancers have been asked to Adopt A Library (or a Church, Fitness Centre, Store, Bank) and have Bookmarks available. The second set of 4 advertises Dancing in The Park. They will be available at the AGM & Dance.

: Monthly Dance location

Due to an increase in fees at Crescent School alternative locations are being explored. If you have any suggestions, (a good floor, a kitchen and parking are essential) please Contact Irene Bailey 416 369 3004 or <u>ib1490559@gmail.com</u>