



# Royal Scottish Country Dance Society

## St Andrews Branch

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### Branch Ball, 2015

I have not been able to attend the Branch Ball in some years. When I last made it, it was in a different hall, on a different date, with different caterers and a different band. Being asked to play for the Ball in 2015 was like being asked to play for a different event, and what an event it was!

Concerned about ticket sales, the Branch committee provided a real bargain for attendees. A welcome drink set the mood and the beautiful buffet would rival any restaurant in town. There was a fabulous atmosphere and community spirit round the hall.

Next year I am back to being a dancer. The committee

Already have wonderful plans for the 2016 event. Look out for them, and snap up your ticket early. You won't regret it.

*Luke Brady*

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Do you have a  
story, a  
picture or  
anything else  
on SCD for our  
next issue?

### Dates for your Diary

2nd June	Annual General Meeting. 7.30 p.m., VMH. Business to be followed by dancing. Please submit any motions or nominations to Jonathan Wilson.
19th July	Summer Dance. 8-11 p.m., Town Hall. Band: Marian Anderson. £7.
26th July	Summer Dance. 8-11 p.m., Town Hall. Band: Neil Galloway. £7.
2nd August	Summer Dance. 8-11 p.m., Town Hall. Band: Jim Lindsay. £7.
9th August	Summer Dance. 8-11 p.m., <b>Boys' Brigade Hall</b> . Band: James Coutts. £7.

## From the Chair

With spring in the air I realise the coming AGM will be the end of my seventh year on the committee. During this time our branch has seen many changes. Many of these changes have been successful however the ones that were less so did provide us with a learning experience. To remain a vibrant branch we must continue to evolve and not always choose the safe path.

The path ahead will be uncertain. There will be new challenges, obstacles, and opportunities. I am confident the new committee will embrace these and strive to take the branch forward.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of those who have helped, be they committee members, teachers or just ordinary members with the odd good suggestion. It takes all of us to be a branch.

Happy dancing  
Shelley

