

DanceSport Alberta Association
Presidents Report
April/04,2025

Membership

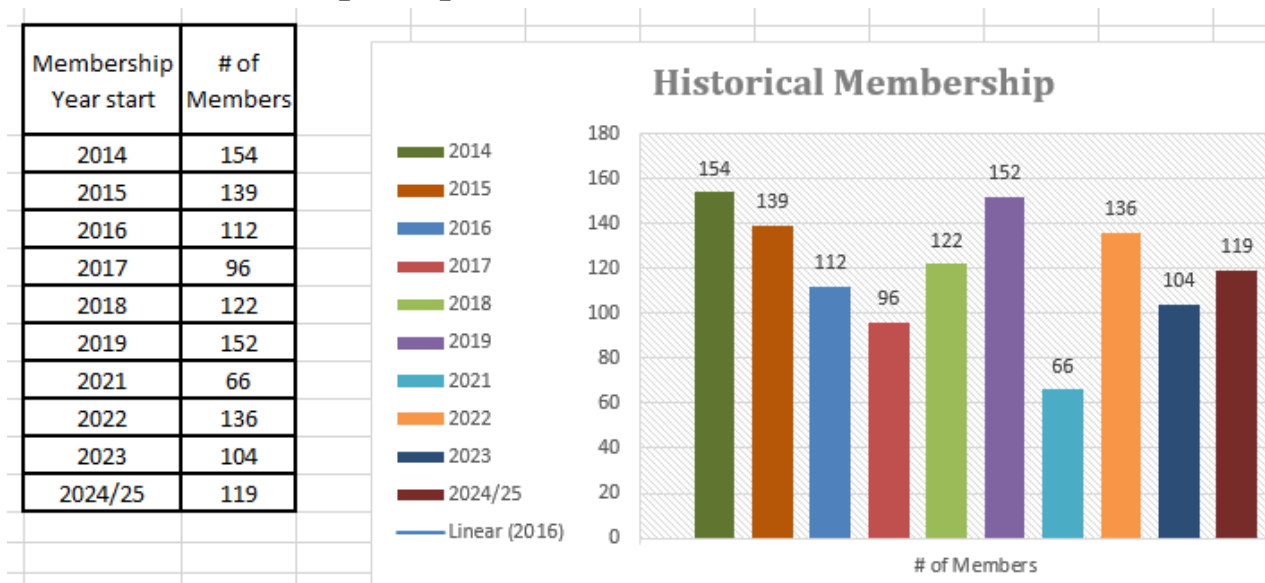
Alberta membership this year is September 2024 – December 2025, which is a transition year to the calendar year.

Alberta membership is **119**, including **9** non-competitors / Board members / Breakers, and rest (**110**) being all Ballroom and Latin competitors an increase from last year.

Ballroom & Latin Demographic:

- **46** Juveniles (three at age 6), **30** Juniors, **10** Youth, **6** Adult, and **18** Senior Competitors (ages: 35 – 77)
- **76** from Calgary, **30** from Edmonton, **2** from Sherwood Park, and **2** from Sturgeon County
- **34** Open, and **76** Syllabus (**27** of which are all Newcomer Latin only, ages 6 – 13, all from Calgary)

Historical Membership Graph:



Competitions

The Alberta Winter Classic

On March 29th DSAB hosted our CCC qualifier, **The Alberta Winter Classic**

Number of entries surpassed our expectations as we had to increase our rental time by 3 hours

- AWC had 121 unique competitors which made up 702 entries
- Dancers from other provinces competing: 1 from Ontario, and 7 from BC
- We had an increase in Teacher/Student Entries
- We had an increase in Teacher/Student Entries in Smooth and Rhythm
- Our music was not prepared for American and Rhythm BPM specifications and we had to adjust on the fly
- Solo entries continued to be well registered
- We had 3 solo championship level competitors, Jr 2, Standard and Latin and Adult Latin
- Decrease in Senior couples at all levels including championship
- Increase in Adult Standard Championship couples, 4 couples
- We had an increase in numbers of solo Jr 1 and 2 Latin
- One new Calgary coach registered 34 kids
- We had 2 championship Youth Standard and Latin couples
- We were only supported by one coach from Edmonton
- Once again, a number of NDC coaches from both Edmonton and Calgary did not support AWC
- Our judging panel was from BC, Alberta and Ontario

CCC 2027

We have chosen the Dates:

CCC 2027: Friday April 23/Saturday April 24

CDS 2027AGM: Thursday April 23

Venue: Calgary MNP Community and Sport Center, Gyms 4/5

Hotel Contract: Hilton Garden Inn and Homewood Suites

We are working with Tourism Calgary who has offered us sponsorship

Breaking

We do not have any significant interaction with the Braking community. We have one Breaker on our Board, but no Breaking concerns are addressed at our Board meetings. We have no volunteers from the Breaking Community. Breakers in Alberta are competing at their non-sanctioned competition and have no need to take out a DSAB membership. Unless they are competing at a WDSF event, they do not have any involvement with DSAB.