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We know that COVID-19 is on everyone's minds and you may be wondering what will become of the Toronto 2020 fly-in. Of course, we are watching the news and considering our options, but we believe it is too soon to make a decision at this point. That said, we do have some news to share now, and we plan to make a further announcement in early April as we see how things progress.

**Callers:**

We are sad to have to announce that, after careful discussion with Anne Uebelacker, we have decided it is not prudent for her to call our 2020 fly-in. Now is not a great time to be flying and crossing borders, and her home city of Seattle is currently a coronavirus hotspot. So we hope Anne can stay safe and warm, hunkered down at home this May.

The good news is, we are already making plans for 2021 and we expect to have Anne Uebelacker as one of our 2021 fly-in callers. (We know, we usually don't like to let that sort of thing slip out so soon, but in this case we hope you can forgive the breach of protocol.)

Okay, but who can fill Anne's shoes this year? Our very own Barry Clasper has agreed to step up to the challenge, and we hope to get to see that!

**Dancers:**

Toronto Public Health is now recommending that anyone coming to Toronto from outside Canada should self-isolate for 14 days. In addition, Prime Minister Trudeau announced this morning that Canada's borders will be closing on Wednesday to foreign travelers (with a few exceptions, including U.S. citizens). See daily updates here: <https://toronto.ca/coronavirus>.

Dancers who wish to cancel their registration may do so by sending email to [satb@trianglesquares.com](mailto:satb@trianglesquares.com). You may request a full refund (no admin fee if your cancellation is COVID-19 related), or transfer your registration to 2021. If we ultimately need to cancel the 2020 fly-in, the same options will be offered to all registrants at that time.

**Until we speak again:**

Take care of yourselves and keep safe. As mentioned before, we will monitor the situation and give another fly-in update in early April.

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