

Please indicate below any B.A.T.D. requests (Amateur & Professional).

Exams will be scheduled for Thursday, September 29th, 2016.

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RELEASE

For and in consideration of obtaining the benefits of and attending the North American Highland Weekend (the 'event'), each person for themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators or assigns RELEASE, ACQUIT and DISCHARGE the Hyatt Regency Toronto (the 'hotel'), the event organizers, the instructors and their respective employees and agents from any and all injuries, claims, demands, expenses, costs or liabilities arising out of directly or indirectly from the operation of or participation in the event, including, to the extent permitted by law the negligence of the hotel, the B.A.T.D., the event organisers, the instructors and their respective employees and agents. No attendee shall file a lawsuit or otherwise seek monetary damages from the hotel, the B.A.T.D., the event organisers, the instructors and their respective employees and agents arising out of directly or indirectly from the operation of or participation in the event.

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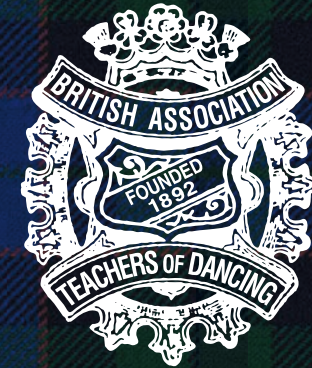
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Sponsored by the B.A.T.D. -
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and North American Sadie Simpson
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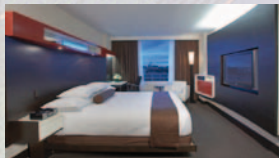
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...to the B.A.T.D. Fifteenth Annual Highland Weekend and North American Sadie Simpson Highland Scholarship, 2016.

ALL AGES AND CATEGORIES ARE WELCOME AND GUARANTEED TO BE A FUN FILLED WEEKEND WITH FRIENDS, FANTASTIC CLASSES AND INSTRUCTORS.

ACCOMMODATION

Hyatt Regency Toronto
370 King Street West,
Toronto, ON M5V1J9



Reservations by phone call 416-599-4785 or 1-877-806-0006 Reference BATD or online

<https://aws.passkey.com/event/14409486/owner/1460357/home>

Book your room prior to Sept. 6th, 2016 to be guaranteed the group rate of \$199 Single or Double occupancy.

The Hyatt Regency is situated at the centre of the city's vibrant downtown core, steps from everything Toronto has to offer; Art Gallery, Centre Island, Hockey Hall of Fame, CN Tower, Princess of Wales Theatre/Royal Alexand Theatre, Air Canada Centre, Toronto Eaton Centre Shopping, roy Thomson Hall, Rogers Centre, Second City, and over 150 restaurants and bars.

TRANSPORTATION FROM AIRPORT.

A train from Pearson Airport to downtown Toronto in 25 minutes (every 15 mins) Stops at Union Station which is approx. 3 blocks from hotel. Adults and students (13-19) \$12 one way - return \$24, senior \$6 one way - return \$12, family \$25 one way (2 adults/3 children under 18). Can also fly into Toronto Island Airport which is right downtown Toronto.



WEEKEND

to include a variety of classes for teachers, dancers and judges including many hours of CPD sessions. Over the weekend classes to include: 2017 Championship steps, "New" Steps from SOBHD Text Book for 2017, perfecting mov'ts, Scottish nationals, jigs, hornpipes, zumba, hip hop, ceillidh dancing, Judges meeting, B.A.T.D. meeting, and many more classes for everyone. The Highland Scholarships are on Friday, 1st October and also during the weekend is a cocktail reception on Friday evening, dinner/ceilidh on Saturday evening, and a Sunday champagne brunch.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Registration room opens at noon Thurs., Sept. 29th (Executive Boardroom) and closes at 9:00 pm, Open Friday, Sept. 30th @ 8:00 am and Sat., Oct. 1st @ 8:00 am

FRIDAY

Times to be confirmed.	Highland Scholarships - (tickets can be purchased to watch solos and class at time of registering or at the registration table) Written paper and Practical
7:00pm - 9:30pm	Cocktail and Welcome Reception. Meet with the B.A.T.D. Officers, Executive Members, North American Highland Co-ordinator.

SATURDAY

9:00am - 9:30am	Warm Up
9:30am - 5:00pm	Classes and Meetings. Lunch not included in package deal SOBHD Judges meeting during lunch break - judges can pre-pay for lunch - please see registration form
6:30pm - 7:00pm	Cocktails
7:00pm - 1:00am	Dinner/Ceilidh

B.A.T.D. meeting will be scheduled during the afternoon - get your questions answered, your views heard, say what's on your mind. How can the B.A.T.D. better serve you?

SUNDAY

10:00am - 11:15am	Champagne Brunch
11:30pm - 3:30pm	Classes

The B.A.T.D. Examiners Meeting will be held on Sunday - time to be confirmed in package.

- Exams for both amateur and professionals are available on Thursday September 29th, 2016. Please make your exam request on the registration form.
 - Teachers and Dancers can participate in all classes.
 - Non-participants will receive a goody bag and are welcome to all social events as well as a few classes. Non-participants will not be permitted to observe dancer lectures except for those classes which will be outlined in your welcome package.
- *NON-PARTICIPANTS ARE MOMS, DADS, GRANDMAS, RELATIVES OR SIBLINGS WHO ARE NOT DANCERS OR TEACHERS BUT WISH TO ATTEND ALL SOCIAL EVENTS. ON SATURDAY YOU CAN ATTEND THE CEILIDH DANCING CLASS, SCRUTINEERING COURSE AND NEW THIS YEAR DANCE CLASS LEARNING A HIGHLAND OR NATIONAL DANCE, AND OTHER FUN CLASSES. YOU WILL ALSO RECEIVE A GOODY BAG.

REGISTRATION FORM

REGISTRATION WILL ONLY BE ACCEPTED ONLINE VIA PAYPAL. ALL CLASSES, COCKTAIL RECEPTION, DINNER, CEILIDH AND BRUNCH ARE INCLUDED IN THE VERY LOW FEE.

To register visit www.eventry.net

COST

B.A.T.D. MEMBERS	(before August 1st, 2016)	\$260 Cdn
	(after August 1st, 2016)	\$280 Cdn
Non-B.A.T.D. MEMBERS		\$300 Cdn
DANCERS		\$260 Cdn
(participating in all Classes, Dinner/Ceilidh and Sunday Brunch, Dancers registering after August 1st, 2016)		\$280 Cdn
SATURDAY AND SUNDAY CLASSES ONLY (Dancers and Teachers)		\$190 Cdn
DINNER/CEILIDH ONLY (Saturday Night)		\$100 Cdn
*NON-PARTICIPANT (see previous page) (Cocktail Reception, Dinner/Ceilidh, some Classes, Sunday Brunch and Goody Bag)		\$180 Cdn
SCHOLARSHIP TICKET TO WATCH FRIDAY SCHOLARSHIPS (class and choreography)		\$20 Cdn
JUDGES PRE-PAID LUNCH		\$50 Cdn

Registrant must be registered prior to September 8th, 2016 - Late charge \$30 - NO REFUNDS.

GROUP BOOKINGS FOR RESERVED TABLES AT THE DINNER/CEILIDH ARE AVAILABLE (table seats 10). Please email to dancejoy@sympatico.ca prior to September 8th, 2016 your table seating preferences.

NEW THIS YEAR For your convenience, we are now only accepting registration ONLINE via PayPal. To register, go to www.eventry.net and click on the BATD North American Conference. Any registration received after September 8th will automatically be charged a \$30 CAD late fee.