



Closed Highland Dance Competition

CSK-CO-21 -1006

Saturday, November 6, 2021

Saskatchewan Express

2272 Pasqua St, Regina, SK S4T4M4

Adjudicator: Carolyn Dunn – Saskatoon, SK

Enter online at www.eventry.net/rhda.

Entries open 7:00 a.m. (CST) Friday October 15, 2021 and close 11:59 p.m. on Friday October 29, 2021. No entries will be accepted after October 29, 2021.

Workshop: Sunday, November 7, 2021.

Location: Saskatchewan Express 2272 Pasqua St, Regina, SK S4T4M4

This event is being held in compliance with all provincial health and safety orders as well as facility requirements for Covid-19.

Our goal is to allow our dancers to compete in a safe, calm, inclusive and positive environment. We appreciate unexpected situations will arise on the day that may require action that is meant to protect our dancers, judges, volunteers and other participants.

On the day of the competition, if you or any household family member has symptoms, has been diagnosed as having Covid-19, has been required to quarantine or self-isolate within the previous 14 days, or has been out of the country within the previous 14 days – **please stay at home**. Please do not attend if you are feeling unwell, experiencing COVID-like symptoms, or if you have been asked by Public Health to self-isolate.

You may contact the Competition Secretary by email to advise of your situation:

rhdacompetition@gmail.com

Please be respectful of all requests or you will be escorted from the facility.

Rules for attending ScotDance Canada Sanctioned Competitions:

- On the competition day, entry into the competition will be allowed **only** after QR code or contact tracing sheet has been signed and declaration of good health has been provided. Per Provincial guidelines proof of full vaccination **OR** a negative covid test dated within 72 hours is required.
- On the day of the competition, if you are feeling unwell, experiencing COVID-like symptoms, or if you have been asked by Public Health to self-isolate, please stay home.
- If you test positive for Covid following the event, you must contact the competition organizer
- Wearing of masks is strongly encouraged for the safety of all attending. Masks **must** be worn by all entering the facility if there is a provincial government mask mandate order in effect at the time. Please bring your own mask! Dancers **may** choose to remove mask prior to going on stage for

each dance. A bag will be provided for each dancer's mask, if they choose to remove it while competing.

- Physical distancing strongly encouraged at all times while within the facility.
- Only one parent/guardian is allowed in the facility with their dancer(s) due to venue capacity limits and will be assigned a volunteer role.
- All competitors and their parents/guardians are required to exit the facility once their competition events are completed. An exception is where a parent/guardian may be volunteering, and even then, they must exit once their duties have been completed (exiting facility requirements dependent upon crowd size capacity restrictions in effect).
- There will be no costume changes and no space provided for costume changes at this time. Dancers are to arrive in costume prepared to dance, hair done and make-up applied. Please bring safety pins to affix number to dance costume.
- No garment bags or personal foam mats will be allowed within the facility when crowd size capacity restrictions are in place – please leave unnecessary items in your car.
- If crowd size capacity restrictions in place, in order to facilitate the unique situation faced when organizing this event, dancers will be called to the marshalling (line-up) area in small groups almost immediately prior to competing. Dancers who do not arrive when called may forfeit their opportunity to compete for that event.
- Washroom facilities will have limited occupancy depending on number of cubicles while maintaining physical distancing requirements—this may be a requirement of the facility. Please limit use as much as is possible.

Competition Rules and Regulations:

1. All dancing events are governed by the rules and regulations of the Royal Scottish Official Board of Highland Dancing (RSOBHD) and ScotDance Canada.
2. **CLOSED:** The competition is open to all Saskatchewan Dancers and dancers of the Cross Borders Highland Dance Association.
3. This event may be cancelled at any time up to, and including on or during the date of competition, dependent upon public health concerns.
4. The decision of the judge(s) is final.
5. Dancers will compete in inverse order of entry. First to enter is last to dance.
6. Age is as of 12.01am on competition date.
7. Entry fee must accompany entry.
8. Late entries will NOT be accepted.
9. Refunds are at discretion of Organiser policy. Where admittance to event is refused based upon good health declaration, fees will be refunded (excepting an administration fee of \$3.00 per family).
10. All competitors must present current RSOBHD registration card prior to receiving awards.

11. Protests must be made in writing, signed and submitted to the Organiser by the end of the competition day and must be accompanied by a \$35.00 fee, refundable, if sustained.
12. The Organiser reserves the right to combine or split classes.
13. No category changes will be accepted on the day of competition.
14. Competitors must be on hand when their event is called or forfeit entry in that dance.
15. All competitors must remain in costume for award presentations.
16. There will be no costume changes, dancers must arrive at facility prepared to compete.
17. Dancers must be dressed appropriately at all times.
18. Dancers and parents must respect the ScotDance Canada Risk Management Guidelines, local health authority directives, and RSOBHD Code of Ethics.

Information Needed during online entry

Parent name:

Contact: Mobile email

Dancer Information

Dancer DOB

Category Registration No.

Name of Highland dancing teacher: (required in order to anticipate numbers of teachers in the facility and to better estimate how many dancers/parents would be permitted in the facility in keeping with crowd size restrictions)

Contact information:

Address

City, Province

Postal Code

Events: **TIMES SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON ENTRIES**

| Time | Level | Dances |
|------------------|--------------|--|
| 9:00am – 12:00am | Premier | Lilt (4), Flora (4), Scotch Measure (4), Earl of Errol (4) |
| 11:30 – 12:30pm | Primary | 16 PDB, PDB & Highcuts, Fling (4), Sword (2+1) |
| 12:30 – 2:30 | Beginner | Fling (4), Sword (2+1), ST (3+1), Trophy Fling (4) |
| 2:30pm – 4:30pm | Novice | Fling (4), Sword (2+1), ST (3+1), Trophy Fling |
| 2:30pm – 4:30pm | Intermediate | Fling (4), Sword (2+1), ST (3+1), Johnnie (4) |

Printed Programs will not be available Scotdance Canada APP will be used.

November 7, 2021 Workshop - Inquiries: Josephine Acton at josephineacton0910@gmail.com or (306)209-5138 (cell)

- Beginner, Novice and Intermediate – 1 hour. Premier - 1.5 to 2 hours. Classes may be adjusted based on the number of registrations.
- Dancers to wear appropriate practice clothing and bring your own water bottle. Come dressed and ready must wear a mask into the workshop. Under 18 can remove while dance ****Subject to Provincial guidelines**** Parents please drop off and pick up only please don't enter the building the day of the workshop.

Fees:

Entry fee \$7/dance or event (sample)/\$14 if no local membership
SDCCS Fee \$1.00 per dancer
SD Prov.Affiliate Fee \$5.00 per dancer
Online Service Fee \$3.00 per family (non-refundable) – this will assist with credit card fees and venue costs – no charge for admittance

Waivers:

SDC Waiver (provide checkbox for acknowledgement that document has been read and understood)

By submitting an entry, a competitor, or the parent/guardian on behalf of the competitor, makes the following acknowledgment:

I am aware that participating in this RHDA Competition (the "Event") involves the potential for risks, dangers and hazards, including but not limited to:

- a) injury to myself/my child as a result of the physical nature of dance competition and performance; and
- b) the taking and/or release of unauthorized photographs, video and/or other recordings of myself and/or my child, notwithstanding efforts to enforce Event policies;
- c) the highly contagious nature of COVID-19 and I voluntarily assume the risk that I (or my child, if participant is a minor/ or the person I am the legal guardian of) could be exposed or infected by COVID-19 by participating the Event. Being exposed or infected by COVID-19 may particularly lead to injuries, diseases or other illnesses.

PLEASE NOTE: In addition to the Assumption of Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/Covid-19, all attending the competition venue will be required to complete a Covid declaration form before entry to the venue is permitted. More precise details will be provided closer to the time of the competition. See the PDF for the Canatrace app QR code for the event.

SDC Covid-19 Waiver (provide checkbox for acknowledgement that document has been read and understood)