



Sunday, September 4, 2022

Centennial Park, Canmore, Alberta
SOBHD COMPETITION# C-AB-CO-22-1017
Email: canmorehighlandgames@telus.net
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Canmore Highland Games Dance Competition Information & Rules

Online Entries Only

ACCEPTANCE & CLOSING DATES

Opens at 1 pm, Wednesday **July 20, 2022** | Closes 11:59 pm, Sunday August 14, 2022
LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED with a \$25 late fee until 11:59 pm, Sunday August 21, 2022

Judges

Jill Young, AB
Gaelyn McGregor, MB
Shauna Bunting, MB

STATUS CHANGES - STRICT RULES APPLY

No status changes will be accepted on Sunday, September 4, 2022. Status changes must be completed by 6 PM, Saturday, September 3, 2022 - email: spence.kim@hotmail.com

TIMES

Park gates open at 7:00 am.
Primary/Beginner: 9 am (Registration 8:15 am)
Novice/Intermediate: 11:30 am (Registration 10:45 am)
Premier: 2:00 pm (Registration: 1:15 pm)

Opening Ceremony Recreational Massed Fling (4-step) at 1:00pm. Please report to the front of the BIG ROCK Festival Tent at 12:45 pm. All dancers in any Highland Dance outfit are encouraged to participate at no charge. Please take part if you can, as this is part of our pageantry of the day, enjoyed very much by the spectators.

ADMISSION

<u>GATE ADMISSION</u>	<u>2022 GATE</u>	<u>ONLINE</u>
ADULTS	\$ 23.00	\$ 15.00
SENIORS / YOUTH	\$ 15.00	\$ 10.00
CHILDREN (6-12)	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00
Family (2 Adults/2Kids)		\$30.00
CEILIDH 6 PM – 11 PM ADULTS - Id	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00
UNDERAGE	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00
Taste Of Highlands	\$ 30.00	\$ 25.00

Note: Advance tickets & bundles available online at www.canmorehighlandgames.ca/tickets;
Special Family pack sale will be on July 1st Canada Day and August Long weekend at 25% off.

Dancers will be asked to show their ScotDance card at the gate to gain free entry.
***ALL FAMILY MEMBERS & GUESTS ACCOMPANYING DANCERS MUST PAY ADMISSION.**

LOCATION

ALL DANCE COMPETITORS MUST ENTER AT THE EAST GATE (5TH STREET)
The Dance Tent is located near the Stan Rogers Stage in the SE corner of Centennial Park.
Please bring your own lawn chairs. Dogs prohibited by local bylaw.

DANCE EVENTS

Primary	Beginners	Novice	Intermediate	Premier/Restricted Premier
PDB	Fling (4)	Fling (4)	Fling (4)	Fling (4)
PDB & HC	Sword (2&1)	Sword (2&1)	Sword (2&1)	Johnnie (4)
Fling (4)	Seann Truibhas (3&1)	Seann Truibhas (3&1)	Seann Truibhas (3&1)	Lilt (4)
Sword (2&1)	Lilt (4)	Lilt (4)	Johnnie (4)	Blue Bonnets (4)
	Flora(4)	Flora (4)	Flora (4)	Village Maid (4)

COMPETITION RULES

- The Competition is governed by the rules & regulations of the Royal Scottish Official Board of Highland Dancing and ScotDance Canada. All dancers must show a current RSOBHD Dancer Registration card to register.
- Registration will be accepted online only. Payment for via PayPal or Credit Card. Late entries (after August 14, 2022) will be accepted until August 21, 2022 at regular fees plus \$25/dancer.
- Entry Fees: Pre-premier & under 16/yrs / dance: \$7; Premier 16 yrs & over: \$8; AHDA/SDCCS Surcharge / dancer: \$2; Online fee: \$3/entry.
- All competitors must present a current RSOBHD card stamped for 2022. A fee of \$5 applies to those without cards and awards will be withheld.
- Age as of September 4, 2022
- The Competition Committee reserves the right to combine, split or delete classes at the close of entries.
- The decision of the Judges will be final. No persons other than the Competition Committee shall communicate with the Judges.
- Protests must be made in writing, signed, and given to the Competition Secretary along with a \$20 fee before the end of the competition. The fee is refundable if the protest is sustained.
- Dancers will dance in reverse order of entry: Last to enter is first to dance. Competitors must be on hand when their event is called, or they forfeit their right to dance in the event.
- Any change in status must be communicated to Kim Spence at spence.kim@hotmail.com by 6 PM (MDT) September 3, 2022. **NO STATUS CHANGES WILL BE ACCEPTED ON THE DAY OF THE COMPETITION.**
- To receive awards, dancers must be properly attired. i.e. complete costume including dance shoes. Competitors must use the change tents provided as changing in public areas including washrooms is prohibited.
- There will be **NO ENTRY FEE REFUNDS** for any reason.
- No trophies will be awarded for Primary dancers.
- No parents will be permitted in the Line-up area except those of Primary dancers.
- Cash Awards for Premier 16 yrs & over: 1st \$60, 2nd \$50, 3rd \$40, 4th \$30, 5th \$20, 6th \$20.**
Restricted Premier 16 yrs & over: 1st \$50, 2nd \$40, 3rd \$30, 4th \$20, 5th \$10, 6th \$10.
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SPECIAL NOTES - RESTRICTED PREMIER RULES

- This competition will offer Premier and Restricted Premier events according to the rules and regulations of the RSOBHD and ScotDance Canada.
- A Restricted Premier dancer is defined as one who has not won an overall trophy in a Premier or Restricted Premier class for four (4) years preceding September 4, 2022.
- ScotDance Canada defines an OVERALL TROPHY win for Restricted Premier purposes as, "the dancer with the highest total number of points having competed in more than one (1) individual dance in a Premier competition age group that has 6 or more competitors, thus the name High Aggregate Trophy." Winners of special dances such as a Special Hornpipe or Special Jig, Best Dressed or Choreography event DO NOT qualify as an overall trophy win. A Championship and Pre-Championship are both considered a Premier event.
- Dancers who meet the requirements for the Restricted Premier class must choose either Restricted Premier or Premier for the competition on September 4, 2022, but not both (i.e. dancers may not compete in Premier and Restricted Premier on the same day).