# THISTLE HIGHLAND DANCE ASSOCIATION 2<sup>nd</sup> ANNUAL COMPETITION CLOSED TO MARITIME DANCERS ONLY

All details below are subject to change depending on Covid-19.



Saturday, October 2, 2021 REG #C-NS-CO-21-1003 École du Carrefour, 201 Du Portage Avenue, Dartmouth, NS Judges – Carolyn Dunn, SK and Elizabeth McCorkell, NS

Please note: Any dancers who participated in the Royal Nova Scotia International Tattoo this year will not be eligible to compete due to the 3 month "judging/teaching" rule.

This rule was established by the RSOBHD.

Doors open @ 8:00 am Admission \$5.00 (children under 12 free) Programs \$3.00 No canteen services available

8:30 am	Primary	16 Pas de Bas, Pas de Bas & Highcuts, Fling (4), Sword (2&1)
9:00 am	Beginner	Fling (4), Sword (2&1), Seann Triubhas (3&1)
10:30 am	Novice	Fling (4), Sword (2&1), Seann Triubhas (3&1)
11:30 am	Intermediate	Fling (4), Sword (2&1), Seann Triubhas (3&1), Barracks (4)
1:00 pm	Premier 11 & under	Fling (4), Sword (2&1), Seann Triubhas (3&1), Barracks (4)
2:00 pm	Premier 12 & over	Fling (6), Sword (3&1), Seann Triubhas (4&2), Barracks (4)

### ALL DANCERS MUST HAVE A CURRENT (2021) SDC/RSOBHD DANCER CARD

The provincial registrar is in the process of preparing the cards and the competition organizer will be in contact with the provincial registrar to ensure all dancers are registered. For dancers competing in this event, the cards will not be mailed out but rather will be at the competition registration table for pick up. More information regarding the registration of cards will be sent to professionals.

#### ONLINE REGISTRATION OPENS ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11 AT 8PM.

#### Please click on the link below to register:

https://forms.gle/VqXkKH7YyHxFSkfZ7

## Payment of \$30.00 should be made by e-transfer to:

thistlehighlanddance@gmail.com

Security password for e-transfer should be: thistle2021

Registration is not complete until payment is received. There will be no refunds (unless the event is cancelled due to Covid-19). Entries must be received by September 18, 2021.

Confirmation of entry will be made by email.

Any inquiries should be emailed to <a href="mailto:thistlehighlanddance@gmail.com">thistlehighlanddance@gmail.com</a>.

#### **Competition Rules**

- Masks are mandatory.
- Please use the sanitization stations.
- You must stay home if you are have Covid-19 symptoms.
- Judges' decision is final. No access to judges' sheets.
- Dancers will compete in reverse order of entry.
- Dancers must report promptly to the dance area when called or risk missing that dance.
- Age as of October 2, 2021.
- Dancers will pick up their competition numbers at the registration table upon verification of their 2021 R.S.O.B.H.D card.
- Beginner/Novice/Intermediate dancers are eligible to earn a stamp in all dances.
- Classes will be decided based on the number of entries.
- Female, Male and Gender-Neutral change rooms will be available.
- Dancers must comply with the R.S.O.B.H.D Code of Conduct.
- All dancing events will be governed by the rules and regulations of the R.S.O.B.H.D.
- In the event of a protest being lodged, a \$25.00 fee must accompany the written complaint and must be postmarked and forwarded within a period of 7 days. This fee will be returned if the protest is upheld.
- Competitors must be in full dress, including ghillies, to receive awards.
- Medals will be awarded in all categories on the basis of the number of competitors.
- Trophies will be awarded in all classes except Primary.
- No coaching by teachers or parents while dancers are on stage.
- Teachers and parents are not to be in the line-up area unless volunteering there.