

2022 LOCH NORMAN HIGHLAND GAMES & CAROLINAS OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP AT RURAL HILL

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All pre-registered Highland Dancing competitors will receive Day of Event tickets. No one will be admitted to games without a ticket.

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APRIL 9th- SATURDAY START AT 8:30am

PRE PREMIER EVENTS

- Section B - Beginners
H.F. (4 steps) S.D. (2 & 1) S.T. (3 & 1)
Section C - Novice
H.F. (4 steps) S.D. (2 & 1) S.T. (3 & 1)
Section D - Intermediate
H.F. (4 steps) S.D. (2 & 1) S.T. (3 & 1) S & Highland Reel

Age groups will be decided based on entries received in Pre Premier Event.

Section E - Primary Class - (under seven years)
Sixteen Pas de Bas, Pas de Bas & Hi cuts (four),
H.F. four steps, S.D. two & one steps

One trophy in Sections B, C, & D. (No trophy in Primary Class) four medals per event.

THE CAROLINAS OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP PREMIER EVENTS

Championship will start immediately after the pre-premier awards.

Section A-
(2022 championship steps must be danced).
Awards

Table with 6 columns: Age Group, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th. Rows for age groups 7-11, 12-13, 14-15, 16-17, 18+.

Code: (applies only to B, C, & D)
H.F. Highland Fling, S.D. Sword Dance, S.T. Sean Triubhas,
S & Highland Reel

PERPETUAL TROPIES THROUGH 6th PLACE.
ALL PERPETUAL TROPHIES MUST BE RETURNED FOUR WEEKS PRIOR TO 2022 CAROLINAS OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP.
Signature is required to receive perpetual trophy.
The organizer has the right to refuse an entry without explanation

APRIL 10th - SUNDAY START AT 9:00am

SUNDAY NATIONALS PRE PREMIER & PREMIER EVENTS

- Section B - Beginners:
S & Highland Reel , Flora (four steps), Lilt (four steps)
Section C - Novice:
S & Highland Reel , Flora (four steps), Lilt (four steps)
Section D - Intermediate:
Hornpipe (five steps),Flora (four steps)
Lilt (four steps)
Section E - Primary Class (under seven years)
Sixteen Pas de Bas, Pas de Bas & Hi cuts (four),
H.F. four steps, S.D. two & one steps

PREMIER EVENTS

Section A -
Hornpipe (five steps) Earl of Erroll (four steps), Scotch Measure (four steps), and Lilt (four steps)

Table with 5 columns: Age Group, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th. Rows for age groups 7-11, 12-13, 14-15, 16-17, 18+.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Individual Choreography not to exceed 2 minutes. Absolutely NO videography during choreography. Dances will be executed in order listed

Entry fee \$25

Individual Choreography \$60 \$50 \$40 \$30 \$20 \$10

SPECIAL AWARDS:

- Sat: Most Promising Beginner
Sun: Most Promising Novice
Sat: Dancer of the Day-Premier-Caithness Glass-awarded on aggregate points
Sun: Most Successful Premier Dancer over Two Days- Marguerite Reid Memorial Trophy-Aggregate Points

**RSOBHD rules will govern all events. Dancers MUST present current 2022 registration card. Dancers must be in appropriate costume to receive awards. A competitor must be ready when called to compete or he / she will be disqualified. Please let the organizer know in advance if you are not going to dance in the Championship. In the event of a protest, a fee of \$25 must accompany the written complaint. This fee will be returned if the protest is upheld.**

**2022 Registration Fees:**

**Primary \_\_\_\$20 per day**

**Pre Premier \_\_\_\$20 per day**

**Carolinas Open Championship \_\_\_\$40 Sat**

**Premier Nationals \_\_\_\$30 Sun**

**Choreography \_\_\_\$25 Individual - Sun**

1. Age applies as of April 9, 2022. Proof of age must be furnished if requested.
2. No Field entries accepted; NO REFUNDS. All fees must be in US currency.
3. All competitors will follow current ScotDanceUSA guidelines for COVID responsible competition. Failure to do so will result in dismissal from the event.
4. All dancers must show 2022 Registration Card or dance will be unable to compete.
5. Any competitor not present when called for an event by the marshal will be disqualified.
6. It is the dancer's responsibility to abide by the Three-Month Rule (may not have taken any classes, Skype lessons, workshops, etc. with the judges for the event).
7. All registered dancers will receive a parking pass and ticket for the games. Please print ticket(s) and parking pass.
8. Please contact Elaine Burgin, Co-Director of Dance, with any questions: 704-315-0776 or [elaine.burgin@gmail.com](mailto:elaine.burgin@gmail.com) (preferred)

**SDUSA RULES FOR COMPETITION ENTRY FORMS 2022**

**If a person is feeling ill, he/she should not attend a SDUSA event. This includes any of the following symptoms within the 48 hours prior to the event: fever or chills, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, new loss of taste or smell.**

- All attendees at SDUSA events must comply with state and local health and safety laws, rules, and regulations for physical distancing and masking.
- Dancers may wear a mask in the marshaling area and on the competition stage. Dancers may remove their mask prior to dancing and place it in a paper bag at the back of the stage. Bags may be provided by the Organizer or the Organizer should advertise that dancers should bring their own bags.
- The Organizer may make the stage available for warm up if state and local guidelines permit and recommendations are followed for masking and physical distancing.
- Please follow state and local guidelines for physical distancing and masking in spectator areas.
- Changing rooms may be made available. Masks and physical distancing should be followed per state and local guidelines
- The combined Assumption of Risk/Day of Competition Waiver must be completed for all adult attendees upon arrival. This waiver requires only one signature and will apply to all family members including the dancer.
- Dancers must bring a valid 2022 RSOBHD Registration card. No paper or electronic copy of the card will be accepted. Pre-Premier cards will be collected at Registration.
- Indoor competitions should use CDs or a piper playing an electronic chanter or small pipes. Outdoor venues may use a live piper.
- State and local guidelines must be followed in the marshaling area.

- Prizewinners may be recognized on stage. Dancers should step forward when their name is called and then collect prizes afterward. Pre-Premier registration cards should also be collected at a separate location after the awards ceremony.
- Ideally air should be circulating and blowing away from people as much as possible.  
Organizers should continue to provide hand sanitizer throughout the venue.

I UNDERSTAND THAT I MUST COMPLETE THE "ASSUMPTION OF RISK WAIVER AND DAY OF COMPETITION CERTIFICATE" IN ORDER TO COMPETE. THIS WILL BE PROVIDED TO ME PRIOR TO THE COMPETITION OR UPON MY ARRIVAL.

RURAL HILL SCOTTISH FESTIVAL AND LOCH NORMAN HIGHLAND GAMES COMPETITION

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**On Line Registration Only. On Line Entry Cut-Off Date is March 25, 2022**

**To Register on Line please visit:**

<https://lnhg2022hd.eventbrite.com>

**\*\*\*\*\*Please print your tickets on line\*\*\*\*\***

Fees for late entry after March 25, 2022: Add \$10 per day or \$20 for two.

ALL ENTRIES This waiver must be signed by a Parent or Guardian if Entrant is not 18 years old, or by Competitor if 18 years or older. If waiver is not signed competitor will not be accepted. For good and valuable consideration including acceptance of this entry, I and / or my heirs or assigns will forever release and hold harmless Historic Rural Hill, Inc. / Rural Hill Scottish Festival and Loch Norman Highland Games, their sponsors, their insurance carriers, Mecklenburg County and / or their representatives from all claims, causes of action, costs, and judgements for claims of any damages or injuries ( up to and including death ) which may be suffered by me ( contestant named below ) arising out of my involvement in the Rural Hill Scottish Festival and Loch Norman Highland Games at Historic Rural Hill in Huntersville, NC.



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**Donation Value**

\_\_\_\_\_ \$10    \_\_\_\_\_ \$20    \_\_\_\_\_ \$30    \_\_\_\_\_ \$40    \_\_\_\_\_ \$50    \_\_\_\_\_ \$75    \_\_\_\_\_ \$100    \_\_\_\_\_ \$ Other

Please use my donation towards expenses for \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Carolinas Open Championship.

\_\_\_\_\_ Saturday Pre Premier

\_\_\_\_\_ Sunday Nationals Pre Premier and Premier

\_\_\_\_\_ Choreography/Special Events

\_\_\_\_\_ as needed per 2022 RHSF Highland Dance Organizer

**Please print name or company as you would like it to be acknowledged.**

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