



FOREVER HIGHLAND HAPPY HALLOWEEN COMPETITION And Workshop

October 29th and 30th, 2022

St. Mark's United Church – Saint John, NB

50 Dexter Drive, Saint John, E2M 4M4

Registration Number: C-NB-CO22-1022, C-NB-CO22-1011

Judge: Lisa Breck Ontario

Doors open at 7:45am

Registration at 8:30 a.m

Competition starts at 9 a.m.

PRIMARY

Fling (4)
Sword (2&1)
16 PB
PB & HC

BEGINNER and NOVICE

Fling (4)
Sword (2&1)
S.T. (3&1)

**Special Event for Beginner and Novice-*“Trick or Treat Trophy Fling”. Dancers must register for this event separately. Price of this event is \$10. Dancers who place top six will receive a prize. This event does not count towards high aggregate trophy.

Registration at 12:00p.m

Competition begins at 12:30p.m

INTERMEDIATE

Fling (4)
Sword (2&1)
S.T. (3&1)
Barracks Johnnie (4)

PREMIER

Fling (4)
Sword (2&1)
S.T. (3&1)
Village Maid (4)

**Special Event for Premier-* “Boo” Bonnets (Blue Bonnets). This is a 4 step Blue Bonnets open to all Premier dancers. Dancers must register for this event separately. Price of this event is \$10. Dancers who place top six will receive a prize. This event does not count towards high aggregate trophy.

*** Premier Choreography Solo Challenge in memory of Wendy Gray-** This is a Celtic based choreography event for Premier dancers. Premier dancers are welcome to dance in this solo choreography challenge. Premier solo choreographies will be judged separately. The dancer who receives the highest mark will be the winner of the Wendy Gray Memorial trophy. **Choreographies are to be 2minutes 30 seconds maximum per dancer. Music must be given upon arrival via USB.**

Medals will be awarded in all classes. Aggregate trophies will be awarded in all classes except Primary.

New Brunswick Premier Dancer of the Day-This award is in memory of Caroline Lorette who showed her love of dance through every movement, step, and dance, and her presence on stage. It will be awarded to the New Brunswick Premier dancer who accumulates the most points at the competition. This does not include the Trick or Treat Trophy Fling, Boo Bonnets, or the Choreography Challenge.

Demonstration Event

- This is a FREE event.
- Dances are: 16 Pas de Basques, Pas de Basques and High Cuts
- Open to any non-competitive dancer 10 and under.
- No costume requirements; however, dancers are encouraged to wear tartan
- Dancers will not be judged.
- Demonstration participants will not receive awards.
- Demonstration participants must fill out the electronic registration form

Admission: Adults: \$3, Children UNDER 10 get in free

Programs: \$2.00

Entries must be completed by October 19th, 2022.

Please click the following link to complete the entry form:

Please send an e-transfer to fndsregistration@hotmail.com and make the password “highland”.

*Entries are limited to the first 110. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the committee with a late fee of \$10.00 per entry added to the total entry which can be paid day of competition. This can only be done by contacting Kaitlyn at the above email as the link to the JotForm will be closed. **No refunds to be given.***

TO VERIFY ENTRY: Please contact Kaitlyn Munn via email at kaitlyn.munn@hotmail.com. **Entries will not be accepted via Email.**

JUDGING: Dancers will be judged according to the Rules and Regulations of the R. S.O.B.H.D. Judge’s decision is final. No access to the judge’s sheets. In the event of a protest, a \$25.00 fee must accompany a written complaint and be submitted by midnight on the date of the competition.

PRIZES: Medals and trophies will be awarded in all categories except Primary. Age groups will be based on the number of entries. Gift bags will be awarded to all primary dancers.

Category changes may be emailed to **Kaitlyn Munn @ kaitlyn.munn@hotmail.com**. Dancer numbers are to be picked up at the registration table upon verification of ScotDance card. Entries will not be accepted without a valid 2022 ScotDance card. Awards will be withheld without a current RSOBHD dancer registration card and a penalty of \$5.00 charged. Dancers must be in full costume, including ghillies, to receive their awards. The **Forever Highland Dance School** will not be responsible for any injuries, accidents or lost articles to competitors or spectators.

Competition Rules

1. Competitors are to hold and present a current RSOBHD registration card or award to be withheld until proof of registration.
2. All events will be run according to the rules and regulations of the RSOBHD.
3. Deadline for status changes is October 22ND, 2022. Please email kaitlyn.munn@hotmail.com
4. Decision of the judge will be final. No persons other than members of the competition committee shall communicate with the judge.
5. Dancers must be in full dress including slippers to receive awards.
6. Numbers to be picked up at the registration table and late entries may not appear in the program.
7. Dancers must report promptly to line up area when called or risk disqualification.
8. Absolutely no parents, teachers or coaching in the line-up area.
9. Any complaint made by an individual against the organization or adjudication of an event must be made in writing giving the complainants full name and address and shall be lodged with the organizer if possible on the day of the event and certainly not later than 48 hours after the event. Such complaint must be accompanied by a deposit, the amount to be set by the Board. The deposit shall be returned should the complaint be upheld. If within seven days of lodging such complaint the complainant has received no satisfaction from the organizer, then the complainant may refer the matter to the Honorary Secretary of the Board.
10. First to enter last to dance.

WORKSHOP:

The workshop location will be announced.

Pre-Premier (2 hours)-\$30

Premier (3 hours)-\$40

The workshop for Pre-Premier dancers will focus on technique of movements, steps, and dances. The Premier workshop will focus on 2023 Championship steps including proper technique of steps and movements (there will be a break at the judge's discretion).

**The Premier workshop will take place from 9am to 12pm.
The Pre-Premier workshop will take place from 12:30pm-2pm.**

Please wear proper dance class attire including shoes, knee socks, hair up and out of the face, fitted top, and stretchy shorts or bodysuit. Also, bring a notepad, water bottle, and quick snack (Premier dancers).

I am aware that participating in the Forever Highland Happy Halloween Competition and Workshop 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.

In consideration of my / my child's participation in the Event and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is acknowledged, I hereby WAIVE ANY AND ALL CLAIMS against ScotDance Canada, its directors, agents, employees, executive members, volunteers and organizers of the Event (the "Releasees"), which I now have, or hereafter may have against the Releasees. In particular, but without limiting the foregoing, I agree to release the Releasees from ANY AND ALL LIABILITY for any loss, damage, injury, or expense I / my child may incur as a result of my / my child's participation in or attendance at the Event. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees from ANY LOSS, DAMAGE, INJURY OR EXPENSE, including legal costs, that the Releasees may incur due to my / my child's participation in or attendance at the Event, whether caused by the negligence of the Releasees or otherwise, and whether caused to my child or otherwise. I understand that the Releasees will photograph and otherwise record the Event, its participants and attendees. I consent to and authorize such recording. I further consent to and authorize the Releasees to publish my/my child's image, likeness and information in any medium, including but not limited to photographs, videos, DVDs, and web-casts. I understand that this publication will take place in the public domain, including in printed materials, public announcements, and on the internet.

I specifically consent to the public release of the following information: 1. Name; 2. City, Province, Country of Residence; 3. Tartan; 4. Age; 5. Results.

I acknowledge that by signing and submitting this entry, electronically or otherwise, that I have read this agreement carefully and fully understand it, and agree to all of the above terms and conditions.

Assumption of Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/Covid-19

This waiver & declaration must be completed prior to or upon visiting the Forever Highland Happy Halloween Competition and Workshop on October 29th and 30th, 2022 at St. Mark's United Church in Saint John, NB, and before participating in any activity.

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19 has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is known to spread mainly by contact from person to person. Consequently, local, provincial and federal governmental authorities recommend various measures and prohibit a variety of behaviors, in order to reduce the spread of the virus.

Forever Highland Happy Halloween Competition and Workshop and ScotDance Canada and its members commit themselves to comply with the requirements and recommendations of National, Provincial and local Public health and other governmental authorities, and to put in place and adopt all necessary measures to that effect. However, Forever Highland Happy Halloween Competition and Workshop and ScotDance Canada cannot guarantee that you (or your child, if participant is a minor/ or the person you are the legal guardian of) will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, attending the activities could increase your (or your child, if participant is a minor/ or the person you are the legal guardian of) risk of contracting COVID-19, despite all preventative measures put in place.

By registering for this competition, I acknowledge 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 in the Forever Highland Happy Halloween Competition and Workshop/ScotDance Canada's activities. Being exposed or infected by COVID-19 may particularly lead to injuries, diseases or other illnesses.

I declare that I (or my child, if participant is a minor/ or the person I am the legal guardian of) am participating voluntarily in the Forever Highland Happy Halloween Competition and Workshop Competition/ScotDance Canada's activities.

I declare that if I (or my child, if participant is a minor/ or the person I am the legal guardian of) or anyone in my household, experiences cold or flu-like symptoms (including fever, cough, sore throat, respiratory illness, difficulty breathing) in the 48 hours prior to the date of the Forever Highland Happy Halloween Competition and Workshop/ScotDance Canada will attend the event, neither I (nor my child, if participant is a minor/ or the person I am the legal guardian of) will attend the event.

I declare that neither I (nor my child, if participant is a minor/or the person I am the legal guardian of) have:

- tested positive for COVID-19 and not yet been cleared to discontinue isolation in accordance with applicable criteria communicated by public health officials (awaiting results);
- been in close contact with a person who, to my knowledge, had symptoms of COVID-19 or has tested positive for COVID-19, and have not yet been cleared to discontinue isolation in accordance with applicable criteria communicated by public health officials;

- currently subject to a quarantine or self-isolation order for any reason, including travel.

I (or my child, if participant is a minor/or the person I am the legal guardian of) declare that I have not been required to self-isolate except for essential school or work activities in the last 10 days.

If I (or my child, if participant is a minor/ or the person I am the legal guardian of) experience, or if anyone in my household experiences any cold or flu-like symptoms after submitting this declaration, I (or my child, if participant is a minor/ or the person I am the legal guardian of) will not attend any of the Forever Highland Happy Halloween Competition and Workshop/ScotDance Canada's activities, programs or services until no longer required to self-isolate or for 48 hours after symptoms resolve whichever is longer.

I (or my child, if participant is a minor/ or the person I am the legal guardian of) agree to the requirements and recommendations of National, Provincial and local Public health and other governmental authorities and to those special safety regulations put in place by Forever Highland Happy Halloween Competition and Workshop. Competition/ScotDance Canada as it pertains the Covid-19 Coronavirus and to adopt all necessary measures to those effects.

I (or my child, if participant is a minor/ or the person I am the legal guardian of) agree that, by registering for this competition, I am giving up my legal rights to sue the Forever Highland Happy Halloween Competition and Workshop /ScotDance Canada and its officers and directors, in the event that I (or my child, if participant is a minor/ or the person I am the legal guardian of), contracts COVID-19 coronavirus.

This document will remain in effect until the Forever Highland Happy Halloween Competition and Workshop /ScotDance Canada, as per the direction of the National, Provincial and local Public health and other governmental authorities, determines that the acknowledgments in this declaration are no longer required. This document is in addition to and does not replace all other Forever Highland Happy Halloween Competition and Workshop Competition/ScotDance Canada waivers.

BY REGISTERING FOR THIS COMPETITION, I HAVE ACKNOWLEDGED THIS DOCUMENT FREELY AND WITH FULL KNOWLEDGE. *

You will be asked to acknowledge the above via online registration form.*