

# Scotia Highland Dance Association 52<sup>nd</sup> Indoor Competition

USE-0105

Entry Due: March 15, 2017

## Premier Events:

Please **Check box** for **all events** in which you are competing.

**Trophy Hornpipe (4)**

Dancing to start ~11:30 AM (BEFORE Pre-Premier Awards)

**7 & Under 12**

Highland Fling (4)

Sword Dance (2&1)

Seann Triubhas (3&1)

Strathspey & Highland Reel

**12 & Over**

Highland Fling (6)

Sword Dance (2&2)

Seann Triubhas (4&2)

Strathspey & Highland Reel

**Team East Challenge – Highland Laddie (4)**

Danced after Reels and must be Team East Member  
(see Rules for more information)

**(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)**

Name of Dancer \_\_\_\_\_

Full Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Email (required\*) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age as of 3/31/2017 \_\_\_\_\_

FUSTA or ScotDance # \_\_\_\_\_

Premier Trophy Hornpipe Entry Fee \$5

Premier Competition Entry Fee \$20

Team East Challenge (Highland Laddie) \$0 (must be member)

Dancer Workshop Fee \$30

10% Family discount (2 or more dancers) - \$\_\_\_\_

**Reminder:** No SASE needed; Confirmation to be sent via EMAIL.

Total Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please enter me in the events checked above. I hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, waive and release any and all rights and claims I may have for damages against the Celtic Hall, their agents or representatives, and the owner of the property on which the competition and/or workshop are held, for any injuries which may be suffered by me during the 2017 Scotia Highland Dance Association Indoor Competition & Workshop and 2018 USIR Benefit Concert.

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Signature of competitor, or guardian if under 18

## Benefit Concert for the



Saturday Evening, April 1, 2017

Thank you for participating in the 2018 USIR Benefit Concert! Please submit by **March 1<sup>st</sup>** (for coordination).

### OBJECTIVES:

- 1.) To bring dancers, teachers, and families together for an evening of performance (opposed to competition).
- 2.) To raise funds for the 2018 USIR to be hosted by the Eastern Region FUSTA in **Gettysburg, PA.**

### LOGISTICS:

- Each dancer is invited to perform **2 dances**. Choices will be first entered, first served. Choreographies (not to exceed 2 minutes) are welcomed and will be ranked as choice #1. Music should be submitted in CD form during competition registration.
- **All dancers are asked to perform in the finale Mass Fling.** The dance will include movements for dancers who might not know the Fling ☺. Material will be available via a private FaceBook group for teachers to access in order to prepare students.
- A **One Step "Teacher Fling"** will be part of the program (no costumes needed ☺).

### Dance Choices:

- 1.) \_\_\_\_\_
- 2.) \_\_\_\_\_
- 3.) \_\_\_\_\_

Dancer: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

## SHDA Workshop Information

Sunday, April 2, 2017

We are honored to have **Lynne Hamilton** (of Lanark, Scotland) with us to instruct our workshop.

### Tentative WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

8:15 AM Doors Open/Warm-ups on your own

9:00 AM **Pre-Premier\* (\$20/dancer)**  
Highland Movements: Open to dancers with working knowledge of the Highland Fling and Sword Dance.

11:00 AM Lunch/Warm-ups on your own

11:30 AM **Premier\* (\$30/dancer) end @ 2:30PM**  
2017 SOBHD Championship Steps

(\* – Intermediates should check with teacher for appropriate level.

**CPD Credits for Adjudicators:** Up to 5 hours of CPD credits available. All teachers are welcomed. Please RSVP w/ Shana.

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## Workshop

with Saturday Evening

**USIR 2018**

Benefit Concert

April 1 - 2, 2017

**Adjudicator/Instructor:**

Lynne Hamilton  
(Lanark, Scotland)

**Venue**

Celtic Hall  
(Colonie, NY)

Entry Due: March 15, 2017

## Competition Information

Date: Saturday, April 1, 2017

Location: Celtic Hall

Address: 430 New Karner Rd, Colonie, NY, 12205

**Recommended Lodging** (no group rates, just recommendation)

**Hampton Inn Albany - Wolf Road** (Airport)  
10 Ulenski Drive, Albany, New York, USA 12205  
(518) 438-2822

## Tentative Schedule of Saturday Events

### AM Competition

8:30 AM Doors Open/Registration Opens

9:15 AM Pre-Premier Registration Closes

9:30 AM Competition Begins

Beginner and Novice Lilt

Primary 16 PdBs and PdBs & High Cuts

Remaining Dances (Order: Int/Primary/Beg/Nov)

10:45 AM Premier Registration Opens

11:15 AM Premier Trophy Hornpipe Registration Closes

11:30 AM Premier Trophy Hornpipe Competition

*Pre-Premier Awards will immediately follow dancing.*

12:15 PM LUNCH BREAK

### PM Premier Highland Competition

12:30 PM Premier Highland Registration Closes

1:00 PM Competition Begins (HF, SD, ST, Reel)

Premier Team East Challenge (Highland Laddie)

*Premier Awards will immediately follow dancing.*

### Practice for USIR Benefit Concert

To start 20 Minutes following Premier Awards.  
*Please be dressed in practice attire.*

2018 USIR Benefit Concert - TBD

## Confirmation Letter

Competitor confirmation letters will be distributed **VIA E-MAIL**.  
Emails will be sent from [shana\\_w@hotmail.com](mailto:shana_w@hotmail.com) in PDF format.

Letter will include confirmed times, vendors, and concessions.

## Competition Rules

**Entry Fees:** \$1 from each entry will go to E-FUSTA

**Primary:** \$3 per event (e.g. all events = \$12)

**Beginner, Novice, Intermediate:** \$15

**Premier Trophy Hornpipe:** \$5

**Premier (Highland Competition):** \$20

**Spectator Admission:** \$5 at Door (Free for ages 11 & Under)

Competitors, Teachers, Donors and Volunteers are free of charge.

### Mail to:

Shana Weir  
47A Ten Broeck Street  
Albany, NY 12210

Make checks payable to:  
Scotia Highland Dance Association

- Dancing will conform to SOBHD rules.
- The decision of the Adjudicator is final.
- Fees are non-refundable and must be in US currency (Canadian guests should submit money orders).
- Age is computed as of *day before* competition.
- Last to enter will be first to compete.
- Competitors must show 2017 FUSTA/ScotDance registration card at time of registration.
- All age groups will be split according to entries.
- All groups will receive medals and trophies except Primary, who will receive medals only (SOBHD Rule) and senior most Premier Age Group who will receive cash prizes.
- Senior most Premier Highland Age Group cash prizes: 1<sup>st</sup> (\$50), 2<sup>nd</sup> (\$35), 3<sup>rd</sup> (\$20), followed by medals.
- **Separate events that do not count towards the overall Premier Highland age group trophies:**
  - **Premier Trophy Hornpipe (4)**
    - A separate entry fee is required (\$5).
    - Age groups will be determined according to entries received and may not match Highland Event age groups.
  - **Team East Challenge [Highland Laddie (4)]**  
To increase the number of Team East Memberships within E-FUSTA, our competition will hold the first of three Challenges for 2017. Per rules, Premier dancers must be a member of *Team East* to be eligible to compete in this event. Inquire with your teacher for more info.
- **Entries (due by post mark) March 15th must include a valid e-mail address to receive Competitor Confirmation letter.** Distribution will start after entry due date.
- Inquiries can be directed to Shana Weir, via:
  - E-mail: [shana\\_w@hotmail.com](mailto:shana_w@hotmail.com) (\*\*Preferred\*\*)
  - Phone: (518) 427-2453 (Evenings)

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#### PRIMARY (\$3/event)

- 16 Pas de Basques (PdB)
- PdB & High Cuts
- Sword Dance (2&1)
- Highland Fling (4)

#### BEGINNER (\$15)

- Scottish Lilt (4)
- Highland Fling (4)
- Sword Dance (2&1)
- Seann Triubhas (3&1)
- Seann Triubhas (3&1)

#### NOVICE (\$15)

- Scottish Lilt (4)
- Highland Fling (4)
- Sword Dance (2&1)
- Seann Triubhas (3&1)

#### Intermediate (\$15)

- Highland Fling (4)
- Sword Dance (2&1)
- Seann Triubhas (3&1)
- Strathspey & Highland Reel

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- Entry Fee (Primary \$3/event, Beg/Nov/Int \$15) \$\_\_\_\_
- AM Workshop Fee (Pre-Premier - \$20) \$\_\_\_\_
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- 10% Family discount (2 or more dancers) - \$\_\_\_\_

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