

2022 B.C. CLOSED CHAMPIONSHIPS

Saturday May 28, 2022

C-BC-CO 221016

HOSTED BY B.C. HIGHLAND DANCING ASSOCIATION

Christian Life Assembly

21277 56 Ave, Langley, BC V2Y 1M3

Doors Open 8:00AM

Morning Draw 8:30AM

Afternoon Draw 11:30AM

JUDGES

Kelly Abrahamdt - Alberta

Eleanor Belton - Ontario

Sheryl Joyner - Ontario

Gillian Dunn - Ontario

PIPERS

Andrew Lee - British Columbia

Rob Johnston - British Columbia

Competition Secretary

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ONLINE REGISTRATION

<http://bchda.wildapricot.org/event-4784259>

Opens Sunday May 1st at 8:00 PM PDT

Closes Sunday May 15 at 11:59PM PDT

No late entries

Entry fee: \$55/dancer + \$2 ScotDance fees - NO REFUNDS

Morning Events:

Event A - 7 & Under 10 Years

Event B - 10 & Under 12 Years

Event C - 12 & Under 14 Years

Event D - 14 & Under 16 Years

Afternoon Events:

Event E - 16 & Under 18 Years

Event F - 18 & Under 21 Years

Event G - 21 Years & Over

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. The BC Closed Championships is sanctioned and 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.
2. All dancers must dance the 2022 RSOBHD Championship steps. The 7 Years & Under 10 Years class and the 10 Years & Under 12 Years class will dance cut steps as set out by RSOBHD. If a championship class is cancelled due to insufficient entries, all dancers age 12 and over must dance the 2022 RSOBHD Championship steps - no cut steps.
3. AGE: Age is to be taken as of July 1 for determining the age classification in which dancers would enter the Canadian Championship. Thus, in preliminary championships or competitions used to select provincial representatives, dancers would compete according to their age on July 1 of that year.
4. For eligibility to compete in the Canadian Championship, a dancer must qualify in a Closed Provincial Championship or Selection Competition. The competitor must qualify by residency first, having been a resident for six (6) months immediately prior to the event. Should a competitor not qualify first by the residency requirement, that competitor may enact the birth qualification in the province they were born. Residency will be determined by the residence of the dancer's legal guardian. If a dancer moves to a new province, that dancer retains residency in the previous province for the purpose of determining eligibility first by residency, until 6 months residency takes place in the new province.
RESIDENCY DEFINITION: Dancers moving to another province and remaining in that province for 6 consecutive months immediately prior to that province's selection meet would qualify by residency to compete in that province's selection meet. If a dancer moves back to the province they previously resided in and remain there immediately prior to that province's selection meet, that dancer would qualify by residency to compete in that province's provincial selection meet, provided they previously resided in that province for 6 consecutive months. In the case of multiple moves, whichever province the dancer had previously resided in for 6 consecutive months prior to moving from that province, would be the province where that dancer would qualify by residency to compete in that province's selection meet.
5. The Reel will be danced in order of entry. First to enter is last to dance. Order for remaining dances (Fling, Sword, Seann Truibhas) will be determined by a manual draw by competitors. Dancers arriving late for the draw will dance first in their group.
6. Dancers are required to fill in for the Reel as deemed necessary. Fill-ins will be taken from the first set dancing the Reel. Dancers reporting late for their dance will not be allowed to dance out of draw/numerical sequence.

COVID 19 PROTOCOLS

Our goal is to provide a safe, calm, inclusive and positive environment for all participants. We appreciate unexpected situations could arise on the day that may require action that is meant to protect our dancers, judges, volunteers and other participants.

This event is being held in compliance with any provincial health and safety orders, as well as facility requirements for Covid-19.

1. Public Health requirements will be continuously evaluated, and participants will be informed of any Covid-19 protocols prior to the event through social media and email.
2. In the absence of any Public Health Order mandates, the organizing committee for BC Closed Championships strongly encourage participants to:
 - Wear a mask for your own protection and the protection of others.
Dancers continue to have a choice whether to wear a mask while competing.
 - Maintain physical distancing wherever possible
 - Frequent hand hygiene
 - Stay home if you feel sick
3. Upon registering for this event and immediately prior to the event, you agree to the requirements and recommendations of any National, Provincial and local Public health and other governmental authorities as well as any requirements from *Christian Life Assembly* which may be in effect at the time of the event, as it pertains to the Covid-19 Coronavirus and to adopt all necessary measures to those effects.
4. Participants are required to agree to each of the following at the time of registration:
 - Good Health Declaration
 - Assumption of Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/Covid-19.
 - ScotDance Canada Competition and Workshop Waiver Form