



Saturday May 16, 2026

Queen City Open Championship

Sanctioned by the Royal Scottish Official Board of Highland Dancing
 CSK-CO-26-1010
 Hotel Saskatchewan Regency Ballroom
 2125 Victoria Avenue, Regina SK

Pre-Premier Open Competition & Pre-Premier and Premier Solo Choreography

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ONLINE ENTRY ONLY AT www.eventry.net

Entries will be accepted no earlier than March 17, 2026 at 8:00 a.m. CST and no later than May 6, 2026 at 11:59 p.m. CST

Judges

Cheryl Rosborough, BC
 Gillian Dunn, ON
 Anne Sutherland, ON

Pipers

TBD
 Richard Brown, BC

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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Championship - \$60

Championship Events

Registration 8:00 a.m.
 Dance 8:30 a.m.

- 7 & under 10*
- 10 & under 12
- 12 & under 14
- 14 & under 16
- 16 & under 18
- 18 & over*

*At organizer's discretion pending sufficient entries

The Championship may be split into two separate portions during the morning based on number of competitor entries. If this change is made it will be communicated via email after entries close.

Pre-Premier Open Competition - \$8/dance

Registration 1:30 p.m.
 Dance approximately 2:00 p.m.

Primary 16 PDB PDB & HC Fling (4) Sword (2+1)	Beginner/Novice/Intermediate Fling (4) Sword (2+1) Seann Triubhas (3+1) Lilt (4) Flora (4)
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Pre-Premier & Premier Solo Choreography - \$25

Registration 3:00 p.m.
 Premier Choreography will dance immediately following Pre-Premier Flora. Pre-Premier Choreography will dance immediately following Premier Choreography.

Pre-Premier & Premier Solo Choreography
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Awards for the afternoon dancing (Pre-Premier and Choreography) to follow Solo Choreography (with the exception of primary awards which will be done after the Pre-Premier Seann Triubhas).

General Rules & Regulations

1. In order to compete, dancers must be registered with the RSOBHD or RSOBHD subsidiary body (such as ScotDance Canada). All competitors must present their current RSOBHD registration card at the registration table on the day of competition for every competition. Any dancer unable to show a valid registration card will pay a \$10.00 fee to the organizer and will forfeit all awards until such time as the card is produced. If the card is not produced within 10 days, their name will be passed on to all Organizers who will be advised not to accept entries from the dancer or allow them to compete until such matters are satisfactorily resolved.
2. No one other than designated Competition Committee members shall communicate with the judges.
3. Protests must be in writing, signed and handed to the Competition Chair before the end of the competition with a \$25.00 fee. This fee is refundable if sustained.
4. Entries are accepted online only beginning March 17, 2026 at 8:00 a.m. CST and close May 6, 2026 at 11:59 p.m. CST. Late entries may be accepted at the organizer's discretion accompanied by a \$20.00 late entry fee.
5. All fees are non-refundable.
6. Please direct all inquiries to: shgcfhighlanddance@gmail.com
7. The committee reserves the right to combine or split classes.
8. Dancers will dance in reverse order of receipt of entry (first to enter, last to dance) except in the Championship event where draw position is assigned except for the Strathspey and Half Reel of Tulloch, where dancers will dance in reverse order of receipt of entry.
9. Medals and trophies will be awarded for pre-premier. No trophy will be awarded for Primary.
10. Solo Choreography is open to all dancers Pre-Premier and Premier and must be Scottish or Celtic in appearance and style including costume and music. Groups will be split based on entries but will include a Premier category and a Pre-Premier Category.
11. Solo Choreography music time limit is 1.5 minutes.
12. All Choreography music must be submitted electronically by May 6, 2026 to shgcfhighlanddance@gmail.com. No verbal communication with the sound technician will be permitted during the actual competition.
13. A maximum of 15 Premier and 15 Pre-Premier Solo Choreographies will be accepted.
14. The RSOBHD scoring system be in effect: 137, 91, 71, 53, 37, 23.
15. Awards will be given out to half the number of dancers dancing (rounded up) to a maximum of 6 placings.
16. Any dancer requiring a change in classification must notify the competition committee prior to May 12th, 2026.

17. Classification changes will not be accepted on the day of competition.
18. In accordance with the ScotDance Canada Risk Management Policies, dancers must not change costumes in public view or in public washrooms. Dancers must use the provided secured changing facilities ONLY. Dancers must also abide by the RSOBHD Code of Ethics which state that dancers will dress appropriately and modestly when in public at competitions. Dancers in violation of these policies will be asked to leave the area until properly dressed and will have their names forwarded to the SDC Risk Management Committee and the RSOBHD where further action may be taken.
19. Dancers and parents must respect the ScotDance Canada Risk Management Guidelines, local, Provincial and Federal health authority directives, and the RSOBHD Code of Ethics

Championship

1. Age as of May 16, 2026.
2. Championship events must have a minimum of 6 dancers competing to be eligible for Championship status.
3. All dancers must dance the 2026 Championship Steps set by the RSOBHD.
4. Dancers must fill-in for the Strathspey and Half Reel of Tulloch as required.
5. The order to dance will be set by a randomized draw for all dances except the Strathspey and Half Reel of Tulloch.
6. Prize money will be awarded to Champion, 1st runner up and 2nd runner up in each Championship Class as outlined in the table below.
7. The Competition Committee reserves the right to combine, split or delete/cancel classes according to the entries received.

	7 & under 12	12 & under 16	16 & over
Champion	\$40	\$60	\$80
1 st Runner Up	\$30	\$50	\$70
2 nd Runner Up	\$25	\$40	\$60

This event is being held in compliance with all provincial health and safety orders in effect at the time of the entry being posted, as well as facility requirements for Covid-19.

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.

Covid-19 Guidelines:

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. For all participants attending sanctioned events, generally, there will be 4 guidelines we encourage participants to follow in the absence of any local, provincial, or national government health orders:
 - a. wearing a mask for your own protection and of others
 - b. maintain physical distancing wherever possible
 - c. sanitizing hands often
 - d. staying 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 the facility 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 the *COVID-19 Other Contagions General Assumption of Risk and Waiver of Liability* at the time of registration.