

KELSO HIGHLANDER FESTIVAL 2021

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM – Permissible to copy

Dancer #1 _____

FUSTA # _____

Date of Birth _____ Age as of 9/10/21 _____

Dance Class _____ Teacher _____

event # _____

Dancer #2 _____

FUSTA # _____

Date of Birth _____ Age as of 9/10/21 _____

Dance Class _____ Teacher _____

event # _____

Dancer #3 _____

FUSTA # _____

Date of Birth _____ Age as of 9/10/21 _____

Dance Class _____ Teacher _____

event # _____

Sub total event fees \$ _____

(Sub total maximum is \$80 per family excluding choreography & late fees)

CHOREOGRAPHY (\$25.00 entry fee) \$ _____

Late fees (\$20 posted after August 28) \$ _____

Total Fees enclosed \$ _____

Dancer if over 18 or

Guardian _____

Address _____

Phone _____

E-MAIL _____

✂ make checks payable to **Kelso Highlander Festival**

In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I/we hereby waive, and or release myself/ourselves, my/our heirs, executors and administrators, of any and all rights and claims or damages I/we may have against the Kelso Highlander Festival Commission, City of Kelso, Cowlitz County and all sponsors, volunteers, and civil organizations connected with this event, and for any and all injuries, equipment failures or damages, and any other damages. I/we further agree to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the City of Kelso and its officials, employees and agents from any damage, claim or lawsuit for injury, illness, damage, or other loss of any kind to anyone including members of our organization that might arise out of our activities, actions, or omissions of any individuals of our group or business, except injuries or damages proximately caused by the sole negligence of the City. The applicant specifically agrees to waive any immunity under RCW Title 51. The applicant and/or guardian agrees to follow all SDUSA rules for competitions.

Signature of dancer or guardian if under 18

Kelso Highlander Festival *USNW-0306*

Saturday, September 11th, 2021

Judge: Megan Ashworth- Sim Valley, CA

EVENTS(\$2 from each entry goes towards FUSTA NW))

Primary (\$18.00 or \$5 per event)

1. 16 Pas de basques
2. P D B & Hi/Cuts
3. Fling 4
4. Sword 2&1

Beginner (\$35)

5. Fling 4
6. Sword 2&1
7. Seann Triubhas 3&1

Novice (\$35)

8. Fling 4
9. Sword 2&1
10. Seann Triubhas 3&1

Intermediate (\$35)

11. Fling 4
12. Sword 2&1
13. Seann Triubhas 3 & 1
14. Barracks Johnnie 4

Premier (\$45)

15. Fling 4
16. Sword 2&1
17. Seann Triubhas 3&1
18. Barracks Johnnie 4

19. Solo Choreography (\$25)

Celtic themed – 3 Min Max. Solo only in kilt

Mail To:

Kelso Highlander Festival- Highland Dance

P.O. Box 819

Kelso, WA 98626

Entries must include SDUSA's Assumption of the Risk, Waiver & Release of Liability Relating to Covid-19 for child and/or adult

*For any questions, please contact Gail Bacon
971-219-2352 or gail@bacon-family.com*

VISIT OUR WEBSITE

<https://www.kelso.gov/news-events/highlander-festival/festival-forms>

Kelso Dancing Rules and Entry Information

1. Dance competitions will run under the rules of SDUSA & RSOBHD. See attached Covid forms.
2. Start times & Schedule will be available online.
3. Any dancer causing a delay will forfeit his/her entry in event. It is dancer's responsibility to follow platform schedule.
4. First to enter, last to dance.
5. \$2 from each entry goes towards FUSTA NW Region.
6. All groups will receive medals except adult premier class who will receive cash awards. An aggregate trophy will be awarded in each class except Primary.
7. The **Aronson Memorial Perpetual Trophy** will be awarded to the Premier dancer of the day. If any Premier group drops below 6 dancers a dance off of all premier trophy winners will be initiated.
8. Age groups will be split according to entries.
9. Age is determined as of day before competition.
10. All judges' decisions are final. A \$40 protest fee must accompany any formal written protests.
11. **Solo Choreography -Premier Dancers only**
 - ❖ Must dance in kilt to avoid costume changes.
 - ❖ Supply own music-iPhone/CD - 3-min max.
 - * **Must have Celtic theme and use Highland/National movements.**

1. Entries must be **postmarked NO LATER than 8-28-21**. Competitors wishing confirmation of their entry please email gail@bacon-family.com
2. Please call Gail Bacon with late entries. 971-219-2352
3. **All fees must be payable in US funds.**
4. Competitor numbers will be picked up on day of competition. Dancers must show current registration card.

Kelso, Washington sits approximately 2 hours south of Seattle or 45 minutes north of Portland, Oregon.

Directions to Tam O'Shanter Park in Kelso Washington:

From the North: I-5 Southbound take exit 39. Make a left at the light on Allen Street- SEE BOTH

From the South: I-5 Northbound take exit 39 make a right on Allen Street.

BOTH: Take a right on Kelso Drive. Continue past strip mall BEFORE bridge turn left into park entrance. Park in Rear of **Tam O'Shanter Park**. Dancing is at the far end of the park.

ScotDance USA Rules for Competitions

- Dancers must arrive in costume, completed hair, and make-up.
- Changing areas will not be available.
- Each dancer must present a valid 2021 SDUSA Registration card with the new sticker on the back.
- Socially distanced designated spaces will be available for dancers/family member.
- SDUSA requires all dancers at US competitions to wear face masks over their mouth and nose when they are not dancing on the competition stage. All dancers must wear their mask when they enter the competition stage. Dancers may remove their masks and place them in a paper bag placed at the back of the competition stage or opt to compete wearing the mask, whichever is more comfortable for the dancer. Dancers must wear their masks over their mouth and nose when they exit the competition stage.
- Extra masks will be available for those who forget to bring a mask or face covering.
- Hand sanitizer stations will be available throughout the venue.
- A paper bags with handles will be provided upon arrival for holding the dancer's mask.
- SDUSA Registration card must be in a zip lock bag when presenting at registration.
- SDUSA "Day of Competition Certificate" will need to be signed upon arrival.
- Only one dancer may register at a time and must practice social distancing while waiting in line.
- Competition numbers will be issued in a zip lock bag.
- The stage will not be available for warm-up. Dancer warm-up can be in either the designated family space or socially distanced outside the event perimeter.
- Water will not be available; all dancers must provide their own water and snacks.
- Awards will be placed in zip lock bags with the dancer's name and available for pickup at the awards table.
- Trophy winners may be awarded on stage.