



# SCOTDANCE CANADA CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES



**2024** Kamloops  
British Columbia

Featuring the

**48<sup>th</sup> Annual Canadian Championship**

**ScotDance Canada Open Championship**

**ScotDance Canada Scottish National Dance Premiership**

Kamloops, British Columbia, Canada

**July 7 - 11, 2024**

[www.sdccs.ca](http://www.sdccs.ca)

## OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM AND SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Sanctioned by and conducted under the rules of the Royal Scottish Official Board of Highland Dancing  
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## Schedule of Events

### Saturday, July 6, 2024

**Evening Events** Dancer & Professional Registration

### Sunday, July 7, 2024

**Morning/Afternoon** Dancer & Professional Registration

**12:00 PM** CHOREOGRAPHY

Large Group Choreography

**Evening Events** OPENING CEREMONIES

PIN EXCHANGE

YOUNG PROFESSIONALS SESSION

### Monday, July 8, 2024

**Morning Events** PREMIER SPECIAL EVENT

Adeline Duncan Seann Triubhas Challenge – Preliminaries (4&2)

PREMIER NATIONAL

Restricted Premier

Highland Laddie (4)

Scottish Lilt (4)

Earl of Errol (4)

Sailors' Hornpipe (4)

ScotDance Canada Scottish National Dance

Premiership – 2024 Premiership Steps

Highland Laddie (4)

Scottish Lilt (4)

Earl of Errol (4)

Sailors' Hornpipe (4 or 5) \*see rule #26

**Afternoon Events** PRE-PREMIER NATIONAL

Primary

16 Pas de Basques

Pas de Basques & High Cuts

Highland Fling (4)

Sword Dance (2&1)

Beginner/Novice/Intermediate

Seann Triubhas (3&1)

Scottish Lilt (4)

Flora MacDonald's Fancy (4)

**Evening Events** CPD SESSION

### Tuesday, July 9, 2024

**Morning Events** 2024 CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

7 & Under 10 Years

10 & Under 12 Years

12 & Under 14 Years

14 & Under 16 Years

Morning callbacks will be announced.

**Afternoon Events** 2024 CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

16 & Under 18 Years

18 & Under 21 Years

21 Years & Over

The Loree Martin Vellner Memorial Highland Dancing Scholarship presentation, the James L. McKenzie Scholarship presentation, and performance of A Tribute to JL McKenzie by the recipients will follow the afternoon dancing events.

**Evening Events**

SDCCS Celebration

### Wednesday, July 10, 2024

**Morning Events**

PRE-PREMIER HIGHLAND

Primary

16 Pas de Basques

Pas de Basques & High Cuts

Highland Fling (4)

Sword Dance (2&1)

Beginner/Novice/Intermediate

Highland Fling (4)

Sword Dance (2&1)

Strathspey & Highland Reel (2&2)

PRE-PREMIER SPECIAL EVENT

Beginner/Novice

Special Fling (4)

Intermediate

Special Sailors' Hornpipe (4)

**Afternoon Events**

PREMIER SPECIAL EVENTS

Adeline Duncan Seann Triubhas Challenge – Finals (4&2)

Broadsword Challenge (3&1)

CHOREOGRAPHY

Small Group Choreography

### Thursday, July 11, 2024

**Morning Events**

PREMIER

Pre-Championship

Highland Fling (4)

Sword Dance (2&1)

Seann Triubhas (3&1)

Reel of Tulloch (8)

ScotDance Canada Open Championship

7 & Under 12 Years

Highland Fling (4)

Sword Dance (2&1)

Seann Triubhas (3&1)

Reel of Tulloch (8)

**Afternoon Events**

PREMIER

ScotDance Canada Open Championship

12 Years & Over

Highland Fling (6)

Sword Dance (3&1)

Seann Triubhas (4&2)

Reel of Tulloch (8)

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## Entry Information

### Entry Acceptance Dates

<b>Individual Entries:</b>	Online entries open at 13:00 hrs (1:00 pm) EDT on March 15, 2024.
<b>Choreography Entries:</b>	Online entries open at 13:00 hrs (1:00 pm) EDT on March 29, 2024. <i>Limited Choreography entries accepted. See Choreography Rules.</i>

### ENTRY DEADLINE DATES

<b>Individual Entries:</b>	Late fee (\$35.00) applies after 23:59 hrs (11:59 pm) EDT on June 2, 2024. Online entries close at 23:59 hrs (11:59 pm) EDT on June 9, 2024.
<b>Choreography Entries:</b>	Late fee (\$35.00) applies after 23:59 hrs (11:59 pm) EDT on June 2, 2024. Online entries close at 23:59 hrs (11:59 pm) EDT on June 9, 2024.

**NO ENTRIES will be accepted after June 9, 2024.**

Name(s) may not appear in the program for entries received after June 2, 2024.

**ONLINE DANCING ENTRIES VISIT: [www.scotdance.ca/sdccc/entry-form](http://www.scotdance.ca/sdccc/entry-form)**

**\*Follow the instructions on the website carefully\***

- Entries will only be accepted via online registration; mail-in or email entries will not be accepted.
- Credit Card (Visa/MasterCard) payment only.
- Entries submitted must have a valid email address for confirmation.
- Requests for refunds will not be considered.
- Change of dancer's status/category must be emailed to the Competition Registrar at [sdccc2024reg@gmail.com](mailto:sdccc2024reg@gmail.com) immediately upon changing status.
- Any event additions must be completed via the online registration prior to June 9, 2024.
- Choreography entries will be limited to 50 Small Groups and 25 Large Groups. At the discretion of the Organizing Committee, additional entries may be accepted. See Choreography rules for waitlist procedures.

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### Cancellation

ScotDance Canada, ScotDance British Columbia and SDCCS 2024 (the "Organizers") reserve the right to cancel the "Event", or any part thereof, at any time if the Organizers deem such cancellation to be necessary due to events beyond their control or should it become necessary to cancel the Event at the Organizers' sole discretion (the "Cancellation"). The Organizers shall not be responsible to any purchaser and/or attendees for any direct or indirect financial loss caused as a result of the Cancellation including, but not limited to, airfare, hotel deposits, entry fees, and tickets. The purchaser and/or attendees agree to indemnify and save harmless the Organizers from all claims arising from the Cancellation.

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## Rules and Regulations

### GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. All abusive behaviour, both online and in person, will not be tolerated.
2. All dancing events will be governed by the rules and regulations of the Royal Scottish Official Board of Highland Dancing (RSOBHD) and ScotDance Canada.
3. Dancers will compete in reverse order of entry, except for the Canadian Championships.
4. The decision of the judges is final.
5. Age is as of 12:01 AM July 7, 2024, except for the Canadian Championships.
6. Age for the Canadian Championships is to be taken as of 12:01 AM July 1, 2024.
7. Any complaint made by an individual against the organization or adjudication of an event must be made in writing, giving the complainant's full name and address, and shall be lodged with the organizers, if possible, on the day of the event and no later than 48 hours after the event. Such a complaint must be accompanied by a deposit of \$35. The deposit shall be returned should the complaint be upheld. If within seven days of lodging such a complaint the complainant has received no satisfaction from the organizer, then the complainant may refer the matter to the Honorary Secretary of the RSOBHD.
8. Dancers must remain in **full costume** to receive awards and be present in the group photo.
9. Dancers will retain the same status over the 5-day event.
10. Dancers will be required to fill in for Reels as necessary and must dance the entire dance.
11. All Status/Category Changes must be emailed to [sdccs2024reg@gmail.com](mailto:sdccs2024reg@gmail.com) immediately upon changing status. Any changes received after June 2, 2024 may not be reflected in the program.
12. All Event Additions must be completed via the online registration prior to June 9, 2024. Any additions received after June 2, 2024 may not be reflected in the program.
13. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to combine or divide age groups at their discretion.
14. Dancers reporting late for their dance may not be allowed to dance out of draw/numerical sequence.
15. Registration for all dancers and all events begins on Saturday, July 6, 2024. Dancers' numbers, schedules, pre-ordered social event tickets and souvenirs will be available at this time. For the remainder of the week, registration will be held for a limited time each morning.
16. Dancers must present a valid RSOBHD dance registration card at the time of registration.

### RESTRICTED PREMIER RULES

17. A Restricted Premier dancer is defined as one who has not won an overall trophy in a Premier or Restricted Premier class for over two (2) years preceding the date of the Restricted Premier event the dancer is entering (From July 7, 2022 to July 6, 2024 inclusive). Provincial Representatives in the Canadian Championship may be eligible if this rule applies.
18. ScotDance Canada defines an OVERALL TROPHY win for Restricted Premier purposes as, "the dancer with the highest total number of points having competed in more than one (1) individual dance in a Premier competition age group that has six (6) or more competitors, thus the name High Aggregate Trophy." Winners of special dances such as a Special Hornpipe, Special Jig, or Choreography event DO NOT qualify as an overall trophy win. A Championship, a Premiership, and a Pre-Championship are all considered to be a Premier event.

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19. Premier dancers who meet the requirements for the Restricted Premier class must choose either Restricted Premier Nationals **or** the ScotDance Canada National Dance Premiership event on July 8, 2024, **but not both** (i.e. dancers may not compete in the Premiership and Restricted Premier Nationals on the same day).

### PRE-CHAMPIONSHIP RULES

20. Pre-Championship is open to Premier dancers who have never won a Championship or Pre-Championship event. Provincial Representatives in the Canadian Championship may be eligible if this rule applies.
21. Premier and Restricted Premier dancers competing in the **Under 12 years sections** must choose to enter the Pre-Championship **or** the ScotDance Canada Open Championship on July 11, 2024; **not both**.
22. Premier and Restricted Premier dancers competing in the **12 years & Over sections** may choose to enter the Pre-Championship **and/or** the ScotDance Canada Open Championship on July 11, 2024.

### GENERAL CHAMPIONSHIP AND PREMIERSHIP RULES

23. These events have been sanctioned, and will be governed, by the rules and regulations of the Royal Scottish Official Board of Highland Dancing (RSOBHD).
24. The 2024 Championship Steps must be danced for the Canadian Championship and ScotDance Canada Open Championship.
25. The 2024 Scottish National Dance Premiership Steps must be danced for the ScotDance Canada Scottish National Dance Premiership.
26. Premiership Sailors' Hornpipe will be four (4) steps for 7 & Under 12 Years dancers, and five (5) steps for 12 Years and Over dancers.
27. Premier dancers must choose either Restricted Premier Nationals **or** the ScotDance Canada National Dance Premiership event on July 8, 2024, **but not both**.

### CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP RULES

28. There will be a draw for order of dance for the Canadian Championship. This draw will take place after entries close and will be supervised by a representative of ScotDance Canada.
29. Provincial Representatives must be entered by their respective ScotDance Provincial Affiliate or Provincial Championship Organizer.
30. Substitution of a Provincial Representative is allowed up to 5:00 PM PST Monday, July 8, 2024 (the day prior to the Canadian Championships). If available, both dancers would be able to participate in the Parade of Champions. All issues with regards to this substitution are the responsibility of the Provincial Affiliate. The following process must be followed for the substitution to be allowed:
- A Letter must be sent from the Provincial Affiliate to ScotDance Canada and SDCCS 2024 advising both organizations of the substitution. This **must** come from the Provincial Affiliate. No arrangements should be made without receiving permission from ScotDance Canada first. The reason for substituting a representative must be outlined in the letter to ScotDance Canada and SDCCS 2024.
  - All substitution details are the sole responsibility of the Provincial Affiliate. This includes but is not limited to such things as banquet tickets. ScotDance Canada and SDCCS 2024 are not responsible for providing or accommodating any requests with regards to provincial representative substitutions.
  - The substitution in no way can interrupt or delay the proceedings of the Canadian Championships.

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## PREMIER SPECIAL EVENT RULES – ADELINE DUNCAN SEANN TRIUBHAS CHALLENGE

31. Open to all Premier and Restricted Premier dancers.
32. Preliminary Round – Dancers will be split into age categories according to entries received to dance a 4&2 Seann Triubhas. The top six dancers from each category will receive a prize, certificate, and advance to the final round.
33. Final Round – The dancers to qualify from the Preliminary Round will be split into 4 age categories and dance a 4&2 Seann Triubhas.
34. Prize money (CAD) will be given to the top 6 finalists in each of the 4 age categories.

1<sup>st</sup> Place - \$350 plus a Special Award

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - \$250 plus a Special Award

3<sup>rd</sup> Place - \$150 plus a Special Award

4<sup>th</sup> Place - \$100 plus a Special Award

5<sup>th</sup> Place - \$75 plus a Special Award

6<sup>th</sup> Place - \$50 plus a Special Award

## PREMIER SPECIAL EVENT RULES – BROADSWORD CHALLENGE

35. Open to all Premier and Restricted Premier Dancers.
36. All Dancers will enter as an individual.
37. Classes will be split into 4 age categories.
38. Four-Person teams will be drawn once entries have closed.
39. Teams (by age category) will be posted in the Souvenir Program and on the results wall in the Kamloops Kia Lounge.
40. In the event of insufficient dancers for the final set of Broadswords in each class, fill-ins will be used from dancers who have entered **first** within each age category. Dancers who enter first may have more than one opportunity to compete for prizes.
41. Set steps will be required. Steps and video are posted on [www.sdccs.ca](http://www.sdccs.ca).

## PRE-PREMIER SPECIAL EVENT RULES

42. Open to all Beginner, Novice, and Intermediate dancers.
43. Steps as per RSOBHD textbooks. No set steps.
44. Beginner and Novice will dance a four (4) step Highland Fling.
45. Intermediate will dance a four (4) step Sailors' Hornpipe.
46. Age groups and number of Special Awards will be based on entries.

## CHOREOGRAPHY RULES

47. Open to all dancers (Pre-Premier, Restricted Premier and Premier).
48. Rules as per the RSOBHD.
49. Online Entry Acceptance Date – March 29, 2024. No entries will be accepted prior to this date. Entries will be accepted online until June 9, 2024, or earlier if the maximum number of registrations are received.
50. The Choreography entry form must be completed by the teacher.
51. Each Choreography entry must be submitted online on a separate entry form and list the names of ALL professionals (teachers/studios) involved.
52. Judges who have students participating in team/joint choreographies must abide by the three (3) month teaching/judging rules as stipulated in the RSOBHD Constitution and Rules Book.

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53. Dancer demographic information is not required at the time of registration.
54. The Google Form with Dancers' full names, dates of birth, ages and RSOBHD dancer card numbers must be submitted within one (1) week of registration. For example, if a teacher submits the entry on April 1, then the Google Form must be submitted by April 8.
  - a. Small Group Google Form: <https://forms.gle/rSBuuCy367u5sVDq8>
  - b. Large Group Google Form: <https://forms.gle/R1Lan57ZopX1FBXj6>
55. Failure to send complete dancer information within one week of registration will result in cancellation of entry with notice.
56. Small Group is 3-7 dancers with a maximum of 2 minutes including entrances and exits.
57. Large Group is 8 or more dancers with a maximum of 2.5 minutes including entrances and exits.
58. Teams may use props during their performance, either static or non-static, provided that they do not require set-up or take-down, but live animals are not permitted.
59. Maximum of 50 Small Groups (split into a maximum of four (4) age categories if numbers warrant) and 25 Large Groups (split into a maximum of two (2) age categories if numbers warrant). Average age per group will determine age categories.
60. If more than 50 Small Group or 25 Large Group entries are received, a waitlist will be established. Email [sdccs2024choreo@gmail.com](mailto:sdccs2024choreo@gmail.com) with your request to be added to the waitlist. If, after entering, circumstances prevent your group from participating, please email [sdccs2024choreo@gmail.com](mailto:sdccs2024choreo@gmail.com) as soon as possible to allow a group from the waitlist to compete. Additional entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Organizing Committee.
61. All music must be submitted electronically by June 9, 2024 to [sdccs2024choreo@gmail.com](mailto:sdccs2024choreo@gmail.com). Bring a backup copy on a memory stick to the event. No verbal communication with the sound technician will be permitted during the actual competition.
62. Individual dancers may enter a maximum of one (1) Small Group and one (1) Large Group Choreography.
63. Only those with proper accreditation will be allowed access behind the stage.
64. Stage dimensions and additional information will be published on [www.sdccs.ca](http://www.sdccs.ca).

### IRENE BAIRD BEST OVERSEAS DANCER TROPHY RULES

65. The Irene Baird Best Overseas Dancer Trophy is awarded to the Premier dancer who permanently resides outside of North America who accumulates the most points overall in the ScotDance Canada Championship Series events, excluding the Choreography and Special Events. Should a dancer enter two competitions on the same day, e.g. the Pre-Championship and the ScotDance Canada Open Championship, only the results from the dancer's most successful competition will be used in calculation towards the Best Overseas Dancer Trophy.

### ALEX AND MAY MARTIN TROPHY RULES

66. Introduced in 1995, the Alex and May Martin Trophy is awarded annually to the Premier dancer who permanently resides in North America and accumulates the most points overall in the ScotDance Canada Championship Series events, excluding the Canadian Championship, Choreography and Special Events. Should a dancer enter two competitions on the same day, e.g. the Pre-Championship and the ScotDance Canada Open Championship, only the results from the dancer's most successful competition will be used in calculation towards the Alex and May Martin Trophy.



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## ADELINE DUNCAN DANCER OF THE DAY RULES

67. The Adeline Duncan Dancer of the Day award will be awarded to the dancer (or dancers in the event of a tie) with the highest dance points as determined from a total dance points obtained from the four Championship dances within the Canadian Championship in each age category (7 age groups).

## GENERAL AUDIENCE SEATING AREA RULES

68. Limit of 1 small bag per person. No large dance bags or garment bags will be permitted in the general seating area.
69. 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 in violation of this policy will be asked to leave the area until properly dressed and will have their names forwarded to the Risk Management Committee of SDC where further action may be taken.
70. Placing bags or clothing on seats will not be permitted.
71. No dance mats or boards permitted outside of the designated warm-up area. No warming up in the seating area.
72. No parents behind the stage area. Only professionals and volunteers with proper accreditation will be permitted access.
73. Videotaping of your dancer will be permitted in designated areas only and must not interfere with official event photography or videography.



# SCOTDANCE CANADA CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES 2024 KAMLOOPS

## OFFICIAL INDIVIDUAL ENTRY FORM

Register online at [www.sdccs.ca](http://www.sdccs.ca)

**Online entries open:** Entries open at 13:00 hrs (1:00 pm) EDT on March 15, 2024.

*Please note: Due to the high volume of entries received within the first few hours on opening registration day, we ask for your patience and cooperation during this time. Should you have any questions/concerns, these should be directed to [sdccs2024reg@gmail.com](mailto:sdccs2024reg@gmail.com) and NOT be posted on social media.*

**Late fee:** \$35.00 fee applies after 23:59 hrs (11:59 pm) EDT on June 2, 2024.

**Online entries close:** Entries close at 23:59 hrs (11:59 pm) EDT on June 9, 2024.

**You will be asked to provide the following information when registering:**

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|--------------------|---|
| 1. Dancer's Name   | 8. Phone Number   |
| 2. Address         | 9. Tartan Worn  |
| 3. City            | 10. Teacher/Studio Name   |
| 4. Province/State  | 11. Age (As of July 7, 2024)  |
| 5. Country         | 12. Date of Birth   |
| 6. Postal/Zip Code | 13. Dancer RSOBHD Registration Card #   |
| 7. Email Address   | 14. Category: Primary/Beginner/Novice/Intermediate/Restricted Premier/Premier |

### FEES FOR INDIVIDUAL DANCING EVENTS:

July 8, 2024	Premier Special Event – Adeline Duncan Challenge	\$22.00
	Restricted Premier National Events	\$50.00
	Scotdance Canada Scottish National Dance Premiership	\$65.00
	Pre-Premier National Events	\$37.00
July 10, 2024	Pre-Premier Highland Events	\$37.00
	Pre-Premier Special Event (Special Fling & Special Hornpipe)	\$17.00
	Premier Special Event – Broadsword Challenge	\$22.00
July 11, 2024	Pre-Championship	\$50.00
	ScotDance Canada Open Championship	\$65.00

**LATE ENTRY FEE (if received June 3 to 9, 2024)** \$35.00

# SCOTDANCE CANADA CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES 2024 KAMLOOPS

## OFFICIAL CHOREOGRAPHY ENTRY FORM

Register online at [www.sdccs.ca](http://www.sdccs.ca).

This entry to be completed by the teacher.

<b>Online entries open:</b>	Entries open at 13:00 hrs (1:00 pm) EDT on March 29, 2024.
<b>Late fee:</b>	\$35.00 fee applies after 23:59 hrs (11:59 pm) EDT on June 2, 2024.
<b>Online entries close:</b>	Entries close at 23:59 hrs (11:59 pm) EDT on June 9, 2024.

Choreography entries will be limited to 50 Small Groups and 25 Large Groups. At the discretion of the Organizing Committee additional entries may be accepted. See Choreography Rules for entry and waitlist procedures.

You will be asked to provide the following information when registering:

1. School Name
2. ALL Instructor(s) Name(s)
3. Title of Dance (as to appear in the Souvenir Program)
4. Address
5. City
6. Province/State
7. Country
8. Postal/Zip Code
9. Email Address
10. Phone Number

You will be required to submit the following information via Google Form within one (1) week of registration:

1. Dancers' full names
2. Dancers' dates of birth
3. Dancers' ages
4. Dancers' RSOBHD dancer card numbers

*For example, if an entry is submitted on April 1, then all required information for all dancers must be submitted no later than April 8. Failure to submit completed dancer information within one week of registrations will result in cancellation of entry.*

Small Group Google Form: <https://forms.gle/rSBuuCy367u5sVDq8>

Large Group Google Form: <https://forms.gle/R1Lan57ZopX1FBXj6>

### FEES FOR CHOREOGRAPHY EVENTS:

July 7, 2024	Large Group (8 or more dancers)	\$150.00
July 10, 2024	Small Group (3-7 dancers)	\$75.00

LATE ENTRY FEE (if received June 3 to 9, 2024) \$35.00

# SCOTDANCE CANADA CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES 2024 KAMLOOPS

## ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY

**You will be required to agree with the following waiver to complete all dancer and choreography registrations:**

ScotDance BC, SDCCS 2024 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, ScotDance BC and SDCCS 2024 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/other contagions. Further, attending the Event 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/other contagions, despite all preventative measures put in place.

*By signing this document,*

**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 SDCCS 2024.

**I am aware that** participating in the SDCCS 2024 (the "Event") involves the potential for risks, dangers and hazards, including but not limited to:

- (a) COVID-19/other contagions; and,
- (b) injury to myself / my child as a result of the physical nature of dance competition/workshop and performance; and
- (c) 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.

**I declare that** neither I (or my child, if participant is a minor/ or the person I am the legal guardian of) nor anyone in my household, have experienced in the last 48 hours prior to the date of SDCCS 2024, COVID-19/other contagions symptoms (as identified by public health authorities).

**I declare that** neither I (or my child, if participant is a minor/or the person I am the legal guardian of) have tested positive for COVID-19/other contagions, and have not yet been cleared to discontinue isolation in accordance with applicable criteria communicated by public health officials (awaiting results); have been in close contact with a person who, to my knowledge, had symptoms of COVID-19/other contagions or has tested positive for COVID-19/other contagions, and have not yet been cleared to discontinue isolation in accordance with applicable criteria communicated by public health officials; or am 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 under timelines set out by public health authorities (except for essential school or work activities).

**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 COVID-19/other contagions symptoms after submitting this declaration,** I (or my child, if guardian of) will not attend any of SDCCS 2024 programs or services until no longer required to self-isolate or for 48 hours after symptoms resolve or as directed by public health authorities.

**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 ScotDance BC and SDCCS 2024 as it pertains the COVID-19/other contagions 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 filling out and signing this waiver and agreeing to the terms and conditions set out in it, I am giving up my legal rights to sue ScotDance BC, SDCCS 2024 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/other contagions.

*This document will remain in effect until ScotDance BC and SDCCS 2024, as per the direction of the National, Provincial and local Public Health and other governmental authorities, determines that the aforesaid acknowledgments pertaining to COVID-19/other contagions in this declaration are no longer required.*

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.

This document is in addition to and does not replace all other ScotDance BC and SDCCS 2024 waivers.

**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.**

*Signature required if in person, otherwise acknowledge by email or via online entry form.*