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# SDAA Festival of Highland Dancing

Proudly presented by the SDAA and Associates.  
Celebrating 57 years of Highland Dancing.



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St Scolastica's College Gymnasium, 2-4 Avenue Road, Glebe, NSW.

On street parking. Please only enter school grounds via Maxwell Road at the rear of the property.

Saturday 28 May 2011

SDAA Championships Closed to NSW & ACT (C8/2011)

SDAA Competition and National Titles (NSW12/2011)

Sunday 29 May 2011

Eastern Australian Championships (C9/2011)

SDAA Premier and Intermediate Competition (NSW13/2011)

Judges

Penelope Curnow (SA), Cathy Rees (Vic), Janene Simpson (Qld).

Closing date - 18 May 2011

10% discount for entries received prior to 18 April 2011. First to enter, last to dance will apply.

\$10 late fee applies for entries received after 18 May 2011.

Entries

SDAA Competition Convenor, PO Box 5033, Turrumurra, 2074.

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# SDAA Championships Closed to NSW & ACT

## SDAA Competition and National Titles

Saturday 28 May 2011

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### SDAA Championships Closed to NSW/ACT

Championships commence at 10am. Age groups will run concurrently.

- 12 years and under
- 13-15 years
- 16 years and over

PRIZES: Individual prize money per dance (as below) and sash for 1st - 6th.  
Perpetual trophy for 1st.

12 & U: 1st - \$18. 2nd - \$14. 3rd - \$11. 4th - \$9. 5th - \$7. 6th - \$5.

13 - 15: 1st - \$22. 2nd - \$16. 3rd - \$12. 4th - \$10. 5th - \$8. 6th - \$6.

16 & O: 1st - \$25. 2nd - \$19. 3rd - \$14. 4th - \$11. 5th - \$9. 6th - \$7.

**NOTE: Only dancers from NSW and ACT may enter the championship in the morning session.  
However, dancers from any location may enter the competition in the afternoon.**

### SDAA Competition and National Titles

Commencing at approximately 1pm.

Primary: PDB (16), PDB & HC (4 times), Fling (4), Sword Dance (2&1).

Beginners: Fling (4), Sword Dance (2&1), Seann Truibhas (3&1),  
Strathspey & Highland Reel (2&2).  
*Title:* Lilt (4), Flora (4).

Novice: Fling (4), Sword Dance (2&1), Seann Truibhas (3&1),  
Strathspey & Highland Reel (2&2).  
*Title:* Lilt (4), Flora (4).

Intermediate: Fling (4), Sword Dance (2&1), Seann Truibhas (3&1),  
Strathspey & Highland Reel (2&2), Barracks Johnnie (4), Hornpipe (4).  
*Title:* Lilt (4), Flora (4), Laddie (4).

Premier: Lilt (4), Flora (4), Hornpipe (4).  
*Title:* Laddie (4), Earl of Errol (4), Blue Bonnets (4).

PRIZES: Primary - Medals.

Beginners & Novice - Medals for sections. Trophies for titles.

Intermediate - Cash and medal prizes for sections. Trophies for titles.

Premier - Cash and medal prizes for sections. Cash for titles and perpetual trophy for 1st.

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# Eastern Australian Championships

## SDAA Premier and Intermediate Competition

Sunday 29 May 2011

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### Eastern Australian Championships

Championships commence at 10am. Age groups will run concurrently.

- 12 years and under
- 13-15 years
- 16-18 years
- 19 years and over

PRIZES: Individual prize money per dance (as below) and sash for 1st - 6th.  
Perpetual trophy for 1st, 2nd, 3rd.

12 & U: 1st - \$20. 2nd - \$15. 3rd - \$11. 4th - \$9. 5th - \$7. 6th - \$5.

13 - 15: 1st - \$24. 2nd - \$18. 3rd - \$13. 4th - \$10. 5th - \$8. 6th - \$6.

16 - 18: 1st - \$28. 2nd - \$23. 3rd - \$17. 4th - \$12. 5th - \$9. 6th - \$7.

19 & O: 1st - \$30. 2nd - \$25. 3rd - \$19. 4th - \$14. 5th - \$10. 6th - \$8.

**NOTE: At this competition, Restricted Premier means dancers who have not placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd in a championship since 1.1.2006. Dancers may enter the Premier sections or the Restricted sections, but not both.**

### SDAA Premier and Intermediate Competition

Commencing at approximately 1pm.

Intermediate: Fling (4), Swords Dance (2&1), Seann Truibhas (3&1),  
Strathspey & Highland Reel (2&2), Laddie (4), Lilt (4), Flora (4), Hornpipe (4).  
*Trophy Dance:* Barracks Johnnie (5).

Premier: Village Maid (4), Scotch Measure (4), Lilt (4), Flora (4), Hornpipe (4).  
*Trophy Dance:* Barracks Johnnie (5).

Restricted: Village Maid (4), Scotch Measure (4), Lilt (4), Flora (4), Hornpipe (4).  
*Trophy Dance:* Barracks Johnnie (5).

PRIZES: Cash and medal prizes for sections. Trophies for Trophy Dance events, including a perpetual trophy for 1st.

## COMPETITION RULES

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1. The SDAA reserve the right to make alterations and additions to the programme.
2. Competitors compete at their own risk.
3. No refund will be given unless a “no dance” is declared or a doctors certificate is produced.
4. Any complaint made by an individual against the organisation or adjudication of an event must be made in writing giving the complainant’s full name and address, and shall be lodged with the organiser if possible on the day of the event and certainly not later than 48 hours after the event. Such a complaint to be accompanied by a set fee as determined by the ABHDI which is refundable if protest is upheld. Current Fee is \$5.00
5. Any competitor who has been taught or advised by the judges during the three months prior to the competition shall not be eligible to compete.
6. Dancers must be in costumes for any official presentation of prizes.
7. Winners of perpetual trophies shall hold the trophy for ten months and will be responsible for the safe custody and return of the same, in good condition, at their own expense.
8. Provided permission has been obtained from the organisers and the judge, video equipment and photography is allowed to film your own child or pupil. There is to be no flash photography while dancers are competing.
9. Dancers must “fill in” if requested by the organiser. If a competitor fails to fill in unless for a medical reason the organiser has the right to enforce Rule 1f), Page 28 D-Judges, SOBHD Rules and Regulations, which reads: “Provide due prominence is given to the fact in the programme or in a brochure by the Organiser, then during the course of a competition the comportment of the competitors may come under the jurisdiction of the judges, not only whilst dancing, but also when entering or leaving the platform and whilst waiting for the dance to start. Any unseemly behaviour on the part of a competitor or any misdemeanour likely to upset the decorum of the proceedings may be penalised by the judges and could lead to disqualification, but a full report of any such misconduct on the part of a competitor must be submitted by the judges to the organiser”.
10. “Any rules pertaining to competition or Championship, released by SOBHD or ABHDI from the time of printing this schedule to the date of the Competition or Championship, will be adhered to.” Any change to rules will be announced prior to the commencement of the Championship or competition.

## SOBHD 2011 CHAMPIONSHIP STEPS

<b><u>7-9 YEARS:</u></b>	HIGHLAND FLING:	1 <sup>st</sup> , 5 <sup>th</sup> Alt, 7 <sup>th</sup> Alt, 8 <sup>th</sup> .
	SWORD DANCE:	Intro: Six count Bow (Rise 7,8), 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> (finish Alt. ending), 8 <sup>th</sup> (Commencing Alt. Method Bar 1).
	SEANN TRIUBHAS:	Intro: Alt. Method, 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 7 <sup>th</sup> , 13 <sup>th</sup> (finish Method 2).
	STRATH & HIGHLAND REEL:	Intro: Basic, Ending: 1 <sup>st</sup> Alt. Method, 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> (finish with 2 Rocks & Round-the-Leg) Highland Reel: Ending: Assemble & Change, 8 <sup>th</sup> , Last.
<b><u>JUNIOR:</u></b>	HIGHLAND FLING:	1 <sup>st</sup> , 5 <sup>th</sup> Alt, 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 6 <sup>th</sup> Alt, 7 <sup>th</sup> Alt, 8 <sup>th</sup> .
	SWORD DANCE:	Intro: Six count Bow (Rise 7,8), 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> (2 <sup>nd</sup> Alt. ending), 8 <sup>th</sup> (Commencing Alt. Method Bar 1).
	SEANN TRIUBHAS:	Intro: Alt. Method, 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 7 <sup>th</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> (2 Shakes 2 Pivots), 12 <sup>th</sup> , 13 <sup>th</sup> (finish Method 2) .
	STRATH & HIGHLAND REEL:	Intro: Basic, Ending: 1 <sup>st</sup> Alt. Method, 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> (finish with 2 Rocks & Round-the-Leg) Highland Reel: Ending: Assemble & Change, 8 <sup>th</sup> , Last.
<b><u>ADULT:</u></b>	HIGHLAND FLING:	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 5 <sup>th</sup> Alt, 7 <sup>th</sup> Alt, 8 <sup>th</sup> .
	SWORD DANCE:	Intro: Six count Bow (Place on 1/2 Point), 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 6 <sup>th</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> (Commencing Alt. Method Bar 1).
	SEANN TRIUBHAS:	Intro: Alt. Method, 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 5 <sup>th</sup> , 6 <sup>th</sup> Alt, 13 <sup>th</sup> , 15 <sup>th</sup> (finish Method 1).
	STRATH & HIGHLAND REEL:	Intro: Basic, Ending: 3 <sup>rd</sup> Alt. Method, 4 <sup>th</sup> (3 Rocks to finish), 6 <sup>th</sup> Highland Reel: Ending: 8 Reel Movements, 8 <sup>th</sup> , Last.

## CHAMPIONSHIP RULES

1. This competition is registered with C8/2011, NSW12/2011, C9/2011, NSW13/2011 and will be conducted under the rules and conditions as set down by SOBHD and as adopted by ABHDI.
2. Teachers, interested parties or any other unauthorised person must not communicate with Judges during the Championships. All enquiries to the official table.
3. A competitor who has taken part in any so called Championship not recognised by the Board or any person who has acted as a judge at such an event, shall be ineligible to compete or judge in any recognised Championship or Competition under SOBHD rules until given permission to do so by the Board. Such permission may be withheld for as long as a Board may decide.
4. According to SOBHD rules, there must be at least six entries in advance of the competition date, and at least six of these must take part on the day for the Championship to go ahead. In the event of less than six competitors dancing in any one championship, section will be danced but the Championship will not be recognised. No certificate, trophy or sash will be presented, but individual prize money will be paid.
5. Competitors do not have to remain in the marshalling area but must return for the correct order of ballot. The onus is on the competitor to return in time for the correct order of ballot. (*ABHDI Technical 5/10/85 P 3 ratified ABHDI 6/10/85 P 8*).
6. Any complaint made by an individual against the organisation or adjudication of an event, must be made in writing giving the complainants full name and address, and shall be lodged with the Organiser, if possible, on the day of the event, certainly not later than 48 hours after the event. Such complaint to be accompanied by a fee as determined by the ABHDI which is refundable if protest upheld.
7. All placegetters in Championships are to be dressed in **KILT** for trophy presentation.
8. Judges' decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.
9. a) With the advent of video equipment there be no restrictions on the usage of video equipment provided permission is obtained from the organisers and judges and it does not interfere with the smooth organisation of the competition/championship or in any way restrict the view of the judge/s.  
b) That judges and organisers should bear in mind that the judge's decision is final and cannot be subjected to a video replay.

# Saturday 28 May 2011

## SDAA Entry Form



**Mail to:**  
SDAA Competition Convenor  
PO Box 5033, Turrumurra, 2074  
**Contact:**  
Fiona Borchers  
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**Cheques should be made payable to the  
Scottish Dancing Association of Australia**

**ENTRIES CLOSE 18.5.2011**

**A \$10 late fee applies and competitors  
details may not appear in the programme.**

**Age of the competitor is to be at the date  
of the competition.**

DANCER NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE/MOBILE: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

REGISTRATION NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

LEVEL: PRIMARY BEGINNERS NOVICE INTERMEDIATE PREMIER

TEACHER: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB & AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

Dance	Section Price	Cost
Closed to NSW/ACT Championship - 12 & U	\$18.00	
Closed to NSW/ACT Championship - 13-15 years	\$22.00	
Closed to NSW/ACT Championship - 16 & O	\$25.00	
Beginners Title (Lilt/Flora)	\$10.00	
Novice Title (Lilt/Flora)	\$10.00	
Intermediate Title (Lilt/Flora/Laddie)	\$15.00	
Premier Title (Laddie/Earl of Errol/Blue Bonnets)	\$15.00	
Pas de Basques	\$4.00	
Pas de Basques & High Cuts	\$4.00	
Fling	\$4.00	
Sword Dance	\$4.00	
Seann Truibhas	\$4.00	
Strathspey & Highland Reel	\$4.00	
Barracks Johnnie	\$4.00	
Hornpipe	\$4.00	
Lilt	\$4.00	
Flora	\$4.00	
Administration fee per day - individual	\$5.00	
Administration fee per day - family	\$10.00	
	<b>Sub-Total</b>	
	<b>Deduct 10% for entries received before 18 April</b>	
	<b>Add \$10 for entries sent after closing date of 18 May</b>	
	<b>Saturday - TOTAL</b>	

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

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EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

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TEACHER: \_\_\_\_\_

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