

Chatsworth Country Fair Highland Dancing Competition on 5 September 2026

RSOBHD Reg. No. AH7

The competition will operate under the rules of the RSOBHD.

By entering this competition you agree to be bound by the rules of the RSOBHD and competition.

Age groups will be determined according to the entries received by 1 August 2026. Depending on entries, any late entries accepted 2 to 14 August inclusive will be £1 extra per dancer. A dancer may add solo choreography to an existing entry until 14 August 2026.

The age of the competitor is as of the day of the competition, Saturday 5 September 2026.

Medals will be awarded in all categories.

All competitors must show current RSOBHD registration card before being allowed to compete, this will be at registration and the competitor must attend the registration desk when they register on the day.

The organisers accept no responsibility or liability for any loss or injury no matter how it is caused or sustained. The platform will be covered and the competition will be outside.

A	Highland Fling	4 steps
B	Sword Dance	2 & 1 steps
C	Seann Triubhas	3 & 1 steps
D	Trophy Fling	4 steps
E	Scottish Lilt	4 steps
F	Flora Macdonald	4 steps

H	Village Maid	4 steps
I	Highland Laddie	4 steps
J	Barracks Johnnie	4 steps
P	Pas de Basques	16
P/H	Pas de Basques & Highcuts	X 4

Class		Dances	Open choreography
Class 1	Primary	A, B, P, P/H	Not applicable
Class 2	Beginner	A, B, C, D, E, F	Pre-premier open solo choreography
Class 3	Novice	A, B, C, D, E, F	
Class 4	Intermediate	A, B, C, E, F, I, J.	
Class 5	Premier	A, B, C, E, H, I, J	Premier open solo choreography

Additional open solo choreography competition rules

- All dances to be a maximum of 1.5 minutes long.
- Will be two sections, pre-premier and premier solo. Sections may be split according to entries received (for example by age and/or separate for classes other than premier).
- Music, theme and costumes must be Scottish, Celtic or Nautical in style. Music can be instrumental or vocal and must be sent electronically to the organiser by 15 August 2026.
- Dance content should consist primarily of movements from highland, national, hornpipe or jig books.
- Pre-premier dancers will not have their cards stamped in the event of winning and dancers will not be made to move up a category if they are competing against dancers of a higher category.

Entry cost of £3 per individual dance plus £1 per dancer if entry accepted 2 to 14 August inclusive.

Return postage fee £6 including passes and voucher for programme.

Additional programmes £1 paid in advance.

Due to the value of the passes to access Chatsworth Country Fair all numbers and passes will be sent Royal Mail tracked delivery. If you are requesting additional passes please do so at time of entry, although there is no guarantee that we can supply as we receive a limited number.

Please note entries will **only** be accepted by email to Caledonian.club24@gmail.com or by post to Mrs Iona Sapcote, 42 Cherry Drive, Holme upon Spalding Moor, East Riding of Yorkshire YO43 4HT. Email entries are preferred. Caledonian.club24@gmail.com is also the email address for Paypal using the Friends and Family option with dancer's, family or school name as the reference depending on the type of entry. Entry will only be confirmed by email reply once payment and entry form are received.

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Parent / Guardian / Teacher Name : _____

Email address (used for payment) : _____

Dance School: _____

Date payment made: _____

Total amount paid (must include return postage fee*): _____

Cost per dance: £3.00 in advance

Dancer's Name			
Address			
RSOBHD Registration Number			
Date of Birth			
Age on day of competition			
Class			
Dances entered			
Solo choreography			
Number of dances entered			
Entry cost per dancer			

Additional programmes required @ £1 each if ordered in advance (£1.50 on the day): _____

*Return postage fee is £6 – to include tracked delivery, competitor number(s), two entry passes per dancer (plus one for dancer if aged 16 or over) and a voucher to collect a programme on the day. If additional passes are required (for example for a teacher), please ask and we may be able to supply. Alternatively additional entry passes can be bought directly from Chatsworth County Fair website and are necessary for all attending who are aged 16 years and over.

Chatsworth Country Fair requires entry by a pass, apart from for those aged 15 years & under. These passes will be sent out with the competitor number to the address on the entry form. Car parking is free of charge, due to the popularity of the Fair please allow at least thirty minutes to walk from the car park to the dancing platform.

Name and address that competitor number(s) and passes are to be sent to:-

Name: _____

Address: _____