

# Fresno Highland Gathering & Games

## September 18th, 2010

### Highland Dancing Competition Information

Schedule: Dancing starts at 10:00 AM with the Beginner Fling. All dancers should check in at 9:45 AM to get their number. Primary events and awards will be completed before lunch.

#### Contact Information:

Hannah Tarrats 559/709-1872  
Hannah@FresnoHighlandDance.com

#### Events (All categories cut steps unless noted):

**Primary:** Fling, Sword, 16 Pas de Basques, Pas de Basques & High Cuts,

**Beginner:** Fling, Sword, Seann Truibhas, Lilt, Flora

**Novice:** Fling, Seann Truibhas, Highland Reel (if there are not sufficient entries Sword will be done instead), Lilt, Flora

**Intermediate:** Highland Laddie, Barracks Johnnie, Seann Truibhas, Jig (3&1), Hornpipe

**Premier 15 & Under:** Flora, Earl of Errol, Scotch Measure, Highland Laddie, Barracks Johnnie

**Premier 16 & Over:** Flora, Earl of Errol, Scotch Measure, Highland Laddie, Barracks Johnnie

#### Special Dances:

**Princess Diana Memorial Shield:** Premier 1st place winners dance a 4 Step Seann Truibhas

**Choreography:** Open to Pre-Premier and Premier Individual and Groups. A group consisting of pre-premier and premier dancers will be classified as Premier. Music and steps should be primarily Highland or National dance themed. Props and costumes may be used. Prizes will be awarded to the top 4 places in each category.

**Judge: Andrea Tronnes (to be confirmed)**  
Competition #0608

## Entry Fees/Form

Entries are due by September 8th. Late and field entries will be excepted with a late fee of \$5. Numbers will be distributed on the field. Nothing will be mailed but a list of competitors will be at the entry gates so dancers don't pay admission (sorry parents you must pay admission).

**Primary \$13.00 Pre-Premier \$21.00**  
**Premier \$25.00** (families with 3 or more dancers: \$19 each)  
\$2.00 of each entry goes to FUSTA Western Region. Entry Fees are not refundable.

#### Please Include:

- Check Payable to SSCC (Scottish Society of Central California)
- Entry Form

**If you provide an email address, you will receive notification of your received entry.**

Mail Your Entry To: Fresno Highland Games  
c/o Hannah Tarrats  
1787 E. Pinehurst  
Fresno, CA 93730

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Age on 9/18 \_\_\_\_\_

FUSTA# \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher \_\_\_\_\_

Category \_\_\_\_\_

Individual Choreography:  Yes  No  Maybe

Group Choreography:  Yes  No  Maybe

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

*In consideration of the acceptance of this entry, I hereby for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators, waive and release the Central California Scottish Society, or its Games Committee, their agents, representatives, successors and assignees, for any and all injuries suffered by me or through the above mentioned games.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*signature (parent or guardian if under 18)*  
*Entry void if not signed.*

I would like to volunteer and receive entrance to the games. First come/first serve; limited availability.

## Additional Family Members (at same address)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Age on 9/18 \_\_\_\_\_

FUSTA# \_\_\_\_\_

Category \_\_\_\_\_

Individual Choreography:  Yes  No  Maybe

Group Choreography:  Yes  No  Maybe

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Age on 9/18 \_\_\_\_\_

FUSTA# \_\_\_\_\_

Category \_\_\_\_\_

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## Competition Rules

- SOBHD rules will be followed.
- Last to enter first to dance.
- All dancers should have FUSTA registration card in hand to dance. If no card is present you may dance, but not receive any awards. A \$5 fee will be assessed for sending awards once a card is presented.
- Primary events and awards will be finished before the lunch break.
- In case of a trophy tie there will be a dance off. Dance will be drawn.
- Communication by a dancer or parent of a dancer with the judge or piper is not allowed and is grounds for disqualification.
- All competitors are expected to comply with the Code of Ethics as printed by FUSTA.
- Behavior by any competitor considered unacceptable, whether on or off the platform, that disrupts the competition, competitors, organizers or judge may be grounds for disqualification from the competition as decided by the organizer(s) and/or the judge.
- Any dancer not on hand when their event takes place will forfeit their entry in that event.
- All dances, except those specified as special dances, count towards trophy.
- Awards for Premier 16 & Over Dances—1st place - \$20, 2nd place - \$15, 3rd place - \$10.
- Age groups will be determined after all entries have been received. Organizer reserves the right to split or combine classes the day of the competition.
- Any protest must be handed in writing to the appropriate committee, properly signed, accompanied by a fee of \$10. If protest is sustained, fee will be returned. Protests must be made immediately following posting of results.

**Note:** We plan to complete three dances in the morning session. Except for the Intermediate class (Jig to Hornpipe), dancers should have their costume change during the lunch hour. Premier dancers will start with nationals, in the order listed on the form. **This is subject to change and an approximate itinerary will be provided the day of the games.**

**In addition to Class Aggregate Trophies these Perpetual Trophies will be awarded:**

***Princess Diana Memorial*** - Dance off.

See "Special Dances"

***Most Promising Pre-Premier*** - Judges choice

***Donald Campbell Memorial Shield*** - Highest Aggregate Points, Premier 15 & Under

***Chieftan's Trophy*** - Highest Aggregate Points, Premier 16 & Over

***Lindajeane Grillo Trophy*** - Awarded to the Premier over 30 with the highest aggregate points.

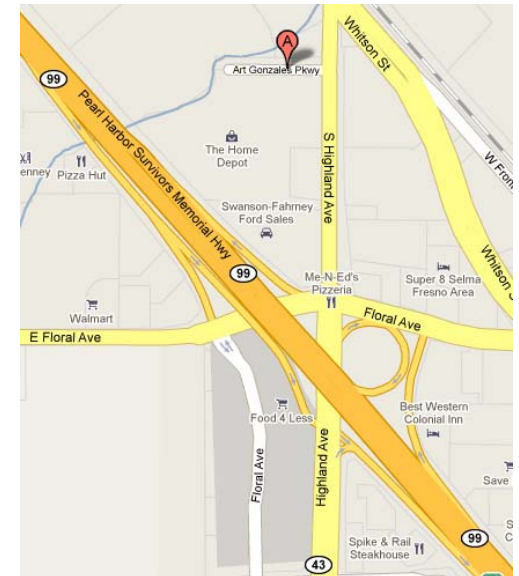
## 33rd Annual Fresno Highland Gathering & Games September 18th, 2010 Pioneer Village, Selma CA

### Admission:

Day of Games: Parking= TBA, Adults: \$12.00,  
Seniors/Military: \$10.00, Kids 6-12: \$5.00

**1880 Art Gonzales Parkway,  
Selma CA 93662.**

From North, exit Freeway 99 at Floral Ave. Head East on Floral, North on Highland Ave and then West on Art Gonzales Parkway.



From South, exit Freeway 99 at Floral Ave.

**Hotel information will be  
updated shortly at:  
[www.FresnoHighlandDance.com](http://www.FresnoHighlandDance.com)**

**For more information contact Hannah at  
[Hannah@FresnoHighlandDance.com](mailto:Hannah@FresnoHighlandDance.com)**