



# ***B.C. HIGHLAND NEWSLETTER***

The official newsletter of the British Columbia Highland Dancing Association.

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Shannon Watt

## **Reminder**

Entries for the March Open Competition must be postmarked by Jan 31<sup>st</sup>. 2005 for all categories including Pre-Premier.

Get your entries in NOW!

Visit our web site for entry forms.  
[www.agspider.com/bchighlanddance](http://www.agspider.com/bchighlanddance)

## **Volunteer Needed**

We need a volunteer with a Van or Covered Pick-up truck to transport the raffle barbecue to and from the next competition.

If you can help us out please contact Glenna @ 604-224-5479

## **UPCOMING COMPETITION**

### **Closed Competitions**

**Sunday Jan. 30<sup>th</sup>. 2005**

Douglas College  
700 Royal Ave.,  
New Westminster

**Sunday April 17<sup>th</sup>. 2005**

Douglas College  
700 Royal Ave.,  
New Westminster

### **Open Competition**

**SATURDAY MARCH 5<sup>th</sup>. 2005 &**

**SUNDAY MARCH 6<sup>th</sup>. 2005**

MAGEE SECONDARY SCHOOL

6360 Maple St  
VANCOUVER, B.C.

### **B.C. Closed Championship**

Hosted by BCHDA

**Saturday May 14<sup>th</sup>. 2005**

[separate entry to follow]

Douglas College  
700 Royal Ave.,  
New Westminster

## **Way To Go!**

"The Kathleen Carlsen Dancers have made a donation of \$500.00 to the South-east Asia Tsunami Relief Fund from money raised through their performances. They would like other studios to consider doing likewise to help the unfortunate children who have been left without homes and/or parents"

*We would like to send our next newsletter and other dance info. to you via e-mail, please send a note to [bchdanews@telus.net](mailto:bchdanews@telus.net) and I will make sure your address is on our e-mail list.*

# R A F F L E

BCHDA has applied for and received a license to hold a ticket raffle to raise funds. The raffle will start at our January 30th competition with the draw to take place at Douglas College on April 17th at 12:00 PM, the last closed competition of the year. The prizes are as follows:

- 1<sup>st</sup>. Prize \$1000.00 WestJet gift certificate
- 2<sup>nd</sup>. Vermont Castings Propane Barbecue – approx. value \$800.00  
Donated by Lorraine Menzies
- 3<sup>rd</sup> \$250 gift certificate for **Donald-Gordon's Tartantown Ltd.**  
4-555 Clark Rd., Coquitlam. 604-936-8548  
Donated by Heather Jolley
- 4<sup>th</sup> 3 day low season week-end tent-trailer rental, approx. value \$150.00  
from **Coast Mountain R.V. & Trailer Rentals**  
8113 10<sup>th</sup> Ave. Burnaby. 604-524-4778  
Donated by Don and Sharlene Peitsch-Tyerman
- 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Tim Hortons Bunn coffee makers, approx. value \$100.00 ea.  
from **TIM HORTONS**  
607 Dunsmuir St., Vancouver. 604-609-0817  
Donated by Sharon Sullivan

BCHDA would like to thank the executive members who graciously came forward with their donations to make this raffle a success. We would also like to show our appreciation to **ROYAL PRINTERS & STATIONERS LTD.** 520 Twelfth Street, New Westminster, 604-525-5441 for their donations of the raffle tickets. Please support these companies as they have supported you.

Tickets will be sold for \$2.00 each. We would like to encourage all British Columbia dancers to take at least one book of 20 tickets to sell when they pick up their number at the next competition January 30<sup>th</sup>. As an incentive to sell all our tickets there will be 3 prizes of \$100, \$75, and \$50 for the three **BCHDA dancers** who sell the most tickets (in case of a tie the money will be split). We would like to ask a dance parent from each dance studio to volunteer to collect the money and monitor the books of tickets, or return your money and ticket stubs to Dave Moralek at the March open competition on March 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>, or phone to arrange for return to Dave at 604-272-6566.

In advance, the executive would like to thank all the members for their support of this fund-raising venture.

**Dance Teachers don't forget to sign in at the door  
for your free entry into the next Competition.**

**BUY AND SELL**  
**FOR SALE**

Bruce Clan kilt "Tailored by McEwens of Perth, Scotland".

26" waist, 36" hip, 21 1/2" length. \$90.00.

Angelo Luzio ghillies size Adult 9 1/2B. Worn once. Excellent condition. \$45.00.

Please contact: Gail Mackay, E-mail [robert\\_mackay@telus.net](mailto:robert_mackay@telus.net)

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Kilt - Dress Stewart (full kilt, made in Scotland) Size 12 (26" waist, length 19") \$100.00

Red jig dress (2 piece) with apron. Brand new, Size 10-12? \$75 (paid \$100)

Navy hornpipe costume. Size 10-12. \$50.00

Hornpipe costume. Size 12-14. \$50.00

Please contact: Carole Holbek Phone 604-987-3992

E-mail [cholbek@uniserve.com](mailto:cholbek@uniserve.com)

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Jig Shoes Size one, red with green laces. Excellent condition. \$75

Size 4 James Senior red with red laces. Excellent condition. \$100

Please contact: Kathleen Hearty Phone 604-581-8851

E-mail [kehearty@telus.net](mailto:kehearty@telus.net)

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2 Highland Vests: Wine Sutherland, Size 10 & 12, \$80. each excellent condition

Wool Socks: Sutherland Tartan, Size 7 Shoe size, \$25.00

Red Jig Jumper and white blouse and apron, Size 12/14, \$45

Please contact: Cheryl MacLeod Phone: 604-536-9411

E-mail: [cheryljmac@show.ca](mailto:cheryljmac@show.ca)

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Beautiful Kilt outfit (socks, vest and kilt) in the Burgundy colors

sized to fit a slim 10 year old. Asking \$400.00

Blue and White Kilt, Vest, and Socks Size 10 \$550.00 O.B.O.

Jig costume Ladies Size 5 asking \$100.00

Please contact: Kathleen Carlsen Phone 604-788-3816

E-mail: [MissKCarlsen@netscape.net](mailto:MissKCarlsen@netscape.net)

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Blue kilt (24" waist) w/shirt, vest (blue, 17" back neck to point), and socks not suitable for Premier dancers \$200.00

Jig dress w/built-in blouse, waist is adjustable - size 10/12? \$55.00

White Sailors Hornpipe outfit size 10/12 \$70.00

Please contact: Janet Smillie Phone 604-898-9272 E-mail [sonata@shaw.ca](mailto:sonata@shaw.ca)

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Dress Blue Cunningham Kiltie, blouse, vest and hand knit hose Size 10-12

(purchased new, 2 years old) \$225.00

Blue and white national costume: skirt, slip, vest and plaid Size 10-12 \$150.00

Please contact: Andrea Harstone E-mail [aharstone@shaw.ca](mailto:aharstone@shaw.ca)

For Sale Continued

Various boys costumes available. Please make an offer.

3 Pairs khaki jig pants- S,M,L, 1 red vest and scarf, 2 pairs green socks, 3 tuxedo shirts S,M,L  
2 long sleeve shirts size 14 and 16, 1 green jig tailcoat size 6, 2 green longniddry tartan trews,  
1 hornpipe suit age 14?, 6 shillelagh, 3 black bowties S,M,L., 2 Balmorals green blue,  
1 pair blue McRae dance socks, and last but not least FREE 'holy' practice slippers.

**Please Note** Bonnie Prince Charlie jacket (age 15/16) available in Spring.

Please contact: Shirley Collins Phone: 604-325-9535

Email: [bobcollins@telus.net](mailto:bobcollins@telus.net)

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Blouse (size 10) \$20.00, National vest - dark green (size 10) \$50.00

In excellent condition, hardly worn!

Please contact: Suzanne Barois Phone 604 263-6026

E-mail: [ssbarois@yahoo.com](mailto:ssbarois@yahoo.com)

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### *Can't sell your costumes here?*

*Then try the clothing rack at the January competition. Please clearly and securely tag your items with your name phone number and asking price. Don't forget BCHDA will be deducting 10% of your selling price for providing you with this service so please price accordingly.*

### WANTED

Hornpipe outfit to fit 5'9" tall, possibly women's size 10

Please contact: Janet Smillie Phone 604-898-9272 E-mail [sonata@shaw.ca](mailto:sonata@shaw.ca)

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If you have any items for BUY AND SELL or anything that would be of interest to our members, and would like them in our next newsletter please let me know.

Phone Dave Moralek at 604-272-6566 or e-mail me at [bchdanews@telus.net](mailto:bchdanews@telus.net)

### HELP

#### Attending the January Competition or any in the future?

Please Please do not bring \$50 or \$100 dollar bills! Please bring small denominations. We do not have change for those big bills! Also remember to bring your checkbook so you can shop at the clothing sale. Visa, Master Card and debit are not available. Thank you for helping us out on this matter.

Don't forget to check out our website

[www.agspider.com/bchighlanddance](http://www.agspider.com/bchighlanddance)

### BCHDA MEMBERSHIP BOUNDARIES

There has been some questions regarding MEMBERSHIP to BCHDA, and our "Closed Boundaries". The following is a description of the area and an explanation of who may or may not apply for membership which was brought up at a past general meeting.

"The boundaries for BCHDA Closed Competitions are the Greater Vancouver Regional District and the Fraser Valley District east to Hope and South to the U.S./Canadian border. A resolution was passed on 13 October 2004 to retain the closed boundaries, but also to permit dancers who "reside outside these boundaries where there is no Local Association, to apply for membership to B.C. Highland." Membership for those outside the boundaries will be at the discretion of the BCHDA Executive; who feel dancers should support their Local Association wherever possible".



Caught on film at the Coquitlam Highland games last June.  
Do you remember how beautiful that day was?