

# Tartan Press

Newsletter of The Manitoba Highland Dancers Association

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## Our Very Own Dorothy



Colleen Furlan also known as Colleen McGregor is vying to win the role of "Dorothy" in Andrew Lloyd Webber's production of the "Wizard of Oz" opening in Toronto this December. She is currently in the Top 8 on CBC's Over the Rainbow which is a weekly competition where votes will keep her on the show until she wins the coveted role. You can help Colleen avoid the bottom two Dorothy's who have a sing off on the Monday night results show and the winner is chosen by Andrew Lloyd Webber to continue on her journey "down the yellow brick road" by voting following each Sunday show.

### Watch Over the Rainbow Sundays & Mondays at 8 PM!

Here's how you can vote for Colleen:

**By phone:** 1-888-889-5989 during the live show & until midnight!

**Online:** [www.cbc.ca/overtherainbow](http://www.cbc.ca/overtherainbow) > follow the links to 'Vote'

Download the Dorothy App: for Android and iPhones

Complete the Daily Challenges online and on the app to earn more votes!

Let's help Colleen get to the Emerald City by keeping her out of the bottom two!

*Editor's Note: At time of printing Colleen was in the top 7. Way to go Colleen!*

## Farewell from the Tartan Press Editor

After eight years of enjoying acting as editor of the MHDA Tartan Press, it is time to move on. It has been my pleasure to volunteer for the Manitoba Highland Dance Association in this capacity.

I am delighted to announce that a new editor has been found. Corinne Giesbrecht has graciously stepped up to the plate. Please send submissions for the next Tartan Press in November to her at [corinne.giesbrecht@gmail.com](mailto:corinne.giesbrecht@gmail.com).

I want to give a big thank you to all of you who have contributed articles, information, photos and results in past editions of the Tartan Press. Without your submissions, the Tartan Press is not possible. Thanks also to Kathy Ramesar for faithful delivery of the Press to each MHDA competition.

Best wishes for future success to all of our MHDA dancers!

Laureen Wreggitt,  
Editor



## Selkirk Settler Parade



Submitted by Janet McCombe

It was nice to see highland dancers and their family members attending and participating in the Selkirk Settler's parade held on Sunday, Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup>. The group was welcomed with a greeting from Lord Selkirk himself once they'd reached the Forks, along with dancing, announcing and piping by MHDA members.



## Megan Ross in Africa

Submitted by Donna Cram

What do highland dancers do when they retire? Well, for some, like Megan Ross, a former dancer of mine, she is in South Africa/Swaziland/Mozambique right now doing some International Student Volunteer work and adventure touring for four weeks. She's third from the left in the picture below (and a little to the right), she's clearly teaching them a thing or two about dancing!!

Thanks so much for sharing, Jane (Megan's mom!).



## Medal Tests

*Editor's note: This article was printed in the October 2010 edition of the Tartan Press. With medal tests once again on the horizon, it seemed timely to run it again. Thanks Gaelyn!*

*Parent and Dancer's Primer on*

### **MEDAL TESTS and THEORY EXAMS**

*By Gaelyn McGregor, Principal, McGregor Studio of Dance*

Offered at least once per year, Medal Tests and Theory Exams are a non-competitive evaluation of an individual student's achievements and standards in highland dance. Medal Tests and Theory Exams are not compulsory, but highly recommended. A dancer's teacher\* may suggest a dancer take Medal Tests and Theory Exams as another avenue of dance to explore. There are several reasons why a dancer might be interested in doing this. One is to learn more challenging steps as the levels get higher. Medal Tests also allow dancers to participate in a non-competitive atmosphere. Finally, if a dancer wants to become a professional in the world of highland dance, this is the only route to achieve that status.

Medal Tests are different from medals awarded at dance competitions. Receiving an award from a Medal Test means that the dancer has mastered the specific levels and steps of dances in the SDTA syllabus, while receiving a medal in a competition (another worthy achievement) means that the dancer danced more successfully than another competitor according to the adjudicator on that day.

The first level of Medal Tests is called Tiny Tot Exams and then, over the years dancers evolve through various different levels: for example, Pre-bronze, Bronze, Silver, Gold all the way through to Scottish Award 5 in Highland and National, and Scottish Award 2 in Jig and Hornpipe dances. There are also Theory Exams beginning with Primary through amateur grades to Grade 5. A series of Choreography exams are also offered. Professional exams are available beginning with the Associate Level through to Fellowship. Each level is designed to introduce and challenge the dancer to improve their standard and quality of dance. Dancers who are successful in passing their level receive certificates and medals/plaques for their hard work and effort from Scotland. Dancers who participate by taking all exams (Highland, National, Jig, Hornpipe and Theory) benefit by improving their dance skills in all areas to become a well-rounded dancer.

A highly qualified examiner from the SDTA who has been invited by the SDTA's Executive Council to become an examiner is the assessor of the dancers' Medal Tests. A SDTA examiner is usually a teacher, adjudicator and highly respected professional in the Highland Dance community.

Medal Tests are offered following the Winnipeg Scottish Festival Competition and Championship in mid-February, but they may also be offered in November. The SDTA does not have a minimum age in which a dancer may begin medal tests; however, the dancer's teacher will determine whether the dancer is ready and may invite your dancer into this opportunity. If you have any questions about Medal Tests or

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are interested in your dancer pursuing this avenue of dance accreditation, ask your dancer's teacher for more information. Extra classes are sometimes involved in order to prepare, especially with regard to Theory Exams.

Dancers who love highland dance may be interested in becoming a teacher themselves one day. Medal Tests and Theory Exams are critical in order for a dancer to pursue this dream. It is not compulsory, but some teachers recommend that teacher candidates complete all the amateur tests before taking the first level of professional exam called Associate Level. Once a candidate has successfully passed the Associate Level, it is suggested that an Associate Professional Teacher teaches for a minimum of two years under the "wing" of their teacher to learn good teaching techniques. Following this, the Associate Professional Teacher can take their Members Professional Exam. Years later, after collecting valuable teaching experience, the Fellowship Exam can be taken. It is suggested that before a professional embark on the Fellowship Exam, that the Associate and Members Levels of National Exams also be taken.

This writer encourages all her students to participate in Medal Tests and Theory Exams, as well as encouraging them to later become professionals. There is no greater honor than your student becoming a contemporary!

\*The teacher must be a current professional member of the Scottish Dance Teacher's Alliance (SDTA) in order to offer medal tests to their dancers.



## Championship Series Scholarship Award



*Thank you letter from  
Veronica Domke:*

Hello,  
I am very excited to be the recipient of the 2004 Scotdance Canada Championship Series Scholarship Award.

Highland dance has always been a big part of my life and it is an honour to receive recognition from a sport that means so much to me. I look forward to continuing my love of dance.

Thank-you,  
Veronica Domke



## Thank You

*Thank you letter from Alexandra Finnbogason:*

Thank you to the MHDA for the 2004 SDCCS pre-premier award I won in May. I went to Edmonton in July with my family so I could dance in the big competition there and swim at the water park. I had so much fun and I was happy that some of my dancing friends were there too. I made some new dancing friends and I hope to go to more of these competitions. I am sending you a picture of me and my friends Kellen, Kennedy, Gillian and Abby.

Alexandra Finnbogason



## For Sale



**Macleod tartan kilt.** I have had it a long time but it is in very good shape. It would be about a size 10- 12. Offers accepted.

Contact:  
Dorothy Knowles,  
373 Campbell Street  
Winnipeg 204 – 895-3804

# Out of Town Results

## Donna Cram Dancers

### Results from ScotDance Canada Championship Series – Edmonton, AB – July 12 – 15, 2012 Premier Highland

**Julia Domke** – Premier 16 years

Fling – 6<sup>th</sup>  
ST – 4<sup>th</sup>

**Erika Ramesar** – Premier 17 years

Fling – 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Reel – 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Stacie Nixon** – Premier 20 years & under 22

Reel – 6<sup>th</sup>

#### Restricted Premier Highland

**Jessie Edmonds** – 23 years & over

Fling – 3<sup>rd</sup>  
ST – 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Reel – 3<sup>rd</sup>

#### Canadian Interprovincial Championship

**Jennifer Watt** – 14 & 15 Year Championship – Sword - judges placing

**Julia Domke** – 16 & 17 Year Championship – Fling - judges placing

**Erika Ramesar** – 16 & 17 year Championship – Reel - judges placing

#### Restricted Premier Nationals

**Jessie Edmonds** – 23 years & over:

Lilt – 5<sup>th</sup>  
Village Maid – 4<sup>th</sup>

**Terryn Shiells** - 19 and under 23 years:

Blue Bonnets – 5<sup>th</sup>  
Premier Nationals

**Kelsey Wog** – 13 years

Village Maid – 5<sup>th</sup>

**Jennifer Watt** – 15 years

Lilt – 5<sup>th</sup>

**Julia Domke** – 16 years

Blue Bonnets – 4<sup>th</sup>

**Erika Ramesar** – 17 years

Blue Bonnets – 6<sup>th</sup>

**Stacie Nixon** – 20 & under 22 years

Lilt – 6<sup>th</sup>  
Blue Bonnets – 5<sup>th</sup>

#### Restricted Premier – Jig and Hornpipe

**Terryn Shiells** – 19 & under 23 years

Jig – 4<sup>th</sup>

**Jessie Edmonds** – 23 years & over

Jig – 4<sup>th</sup>

#### Premier – Jig and Hornpipe

**Jennifer Watt** – 15 years

Hornpipe – 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Julia Domke** – 16 years

Jig – 4<sup>th</sup>  
Hornpipe – 2<sup>nd</sup>

#### Pre-championships

**Jennifer Watt** – 15 years

Fling – 5<sup>th</sup>  
Sword – 2<sup>nd</sup>

ST – 3<sup>rd</sup>

Reel – 1<sup>st</sup>

**Terryn Shiells** – 19 years & over

Sword – 4<sup>th</sup>

#### ScotDance Canada Open Championship

**Kelsey Wog** – 13 years

ST – 6<sup>th</sup>

**Julia Domke** – 16 years

Fling – 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Sword – 2<sup>nd</sup>  
ST – 6<sup>th</sup>  
Reel – 3<sup>rd</sup>

3<sup>rd</sup> Runner up to 16 year Open Champion

**Erika Ramesar** – 17 years

Fling – 4<sup>th</sup>  
Sword – 5<sup>th</sup>  
Reel – 2<sup>nd</sup>

3<sup>rd</sup> Runner up to 17 year Open Champion

**Stacie Nixon** – 21 years & over

Fling – 5<sup>th</sup>  
ST – 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Reel – 2<sup>nd</sup>

3<sup>rd</sup> Runner up to 21 & over Open Champion

#### Scotland Results – August 2012 –

The dancers who travelled and danced in Scotland throughout August, also had an “amazing” experience at Cowal dancing in the World Championships. They toured Scotland, seeing the many sights, and had a surprise opportunity to attend an Olympic ladies soccer game!

<b>Jennifer Watt</b>	
Dundonald Highland Games Sat, Aug 4	14 + 15 Year Premiers: 1 – Fl 1-Sw 1-ST 1-Reel 1-Jig 1-Horn Trophy High Trophy Nat
Musselborough	14/15 years Pre-champ/Nationals: 1-Fling, 1-ST, 1-Reel Pre-champ trophy winner. 1-Flora, 1-Lilt, 1-Jig, 1-Horn National trophy winner.
World Pipe Band championship	15 + under: 4-Johnny
Kilmarnock Highland Games	13 + Under 16 1-FL 1-Sw 1-ST 1-Reel 1-Johnny 1-Laddie  Trophy winner  Best Overseas Dancer award
Glenisla highland games	15 + U years: 1-FL, 2-SW, 1-ST, 1-Reel, 1-Horn 15 & under trophy winner
Rannock Highland Games	15 + U: 1-FL, 1-ST, 1-Johnny, 2-Jig Premier Under 16 Trophy winner
Commonwealth Championship	14/15 years : Judges placings: Sword
Oban (Argyllshire Gathering)	15 + U: 1-FL 1-SW 1-ST



## Kathy Ramesar School of Highland Dance

Minnesota Scottish Fair - May 19, 2012

**Kellen Molloy:** Novice 3rd Fling, 4th Seann Triubhas, 2nd Lilt, 2nd Flora

Thunder Bay Competition - May 26, 2012

**Kellen Molloy:** medal placings

Duluth Competition - June 23, 2012

**Kellen Molloy:** Intermediate 2nd Hornpipe, 2nd Barracks Johnny, 2nd Sword

**Kennedy Molloy:** Novice 5th Fling, 5th Sword, 5th Seann Triubhas

ScotDance Canada Championship Series 2012, Edmonton

**Abigail Mitchell-Lawson:** Novice Highland: 6th Fling, 2nd Seann Triubhas, 4th Strathspey & Highland Reel

**Alexandra Finnbogason:** Intermediate Highland: 4th Fling, 4th Seann Triubhas

**Gillian Mitchell-Lawson:** Intermediate Highland: 3rd Seann Triubhas; Intermediate National: 6th Hornpipe

**Kellen Molloy:** Intermediate Highland: 3rd Sword

A special congratulation to **Kayla Schnell** who was nominated for the SDTA Scholarship Competition in October 2012 based on her very first theory exam in February! While unfortunately unable to attend due to injury, it is a wonderful accomplishment!

Well done dancers!



## Take the Journey Manitoba Dancers Shine at the Canadian Championships Series in Edmonton July 11- 15th

Submitted by Zan Sinclair

*\*Editor's note: Dancer results may be duplicated in this section if they were included earlier in a submission from the dancer's particular dance school.*

Congratulations to all our dancers who travelled to Edmonton to compete at one of the largest competitions in the world! The classes were large and the competition was world class so well done to everyone who danced. The following is a list of results for Manitoba dancers, starting with some highlights. A big apology to anyone who may have been missed; please send any information you have that was not included. Once more, we wish to extend a big well done to all our dancers.

### Highlights:

#### Laura UnRuh

4<sup>th</sup> Runner Up in the 7 & Under 10 years

Canadian Inter-Provincial Championship Class

Aggregate Winner National Events Restricted Premier 8 & Under 10 years  
Aggregate Winner Jig & Hornpipe Events Restricted Premier 8 & Under 10 years

5<sup>th</sup> Runner Up Open Championships Premier 7 & Under 10 years

#### Christina Thomson

Finalist in the Gail Danysk Sword Challenge

Premier 13 & Under 16 years a class of over 100 dancers!

#### Kelsey Watchman

Aggregate Winner Restricted Premier 19 & Under 23 Years Highland Events

Aggregate Winner Pre-Championship Premier 19 years & Over  
3<sup>rd</sup> Runner Open Open Championship 19 years

	1-Reel 15 + Under Trophy winner
Birmam	14/15 Yrs: 1-FL 2-ST 4-Reel 2-Jig 1-Horn 15 + Under Trophy winner

<b>Erika Ramesar</b>	
Dundonald Highland Games Sat, Aug 4	16 + 17 Premier: 3- FL, 3-Sw, 1-ST, 1-Reel
World Pipe Band championship	16/17 years Championship: 4-SW
Kilmarnock Highland Games	Adult 16 & over: 2-FL, 1-Sw, 3-ST, 1-Reel, 1-Johnny, 1-Laddie, Trophy winner Made finals of best dressed
Glenisla highland games	Adult 16 + over: 1-FL, 1-Sw, 1-ST, 1-Reel, 2 Hornpipe Trophy winner, Trophy for Best Reel
Rannock Highland Games	Adult 16 + over: 1-FL, 1-ST, 1-Johnny 3-Jig Premier Adult Trophy winner
Commonwealth Championship	16 & 17 year championship 6-FL, 6-SW, Judges placing: Reel
Oban (Argyllshire Gathering)	Adult 16+over 1-FL, 1-SW, 1-ST, 1-Reel Trophy winner + Best overseas dancer (200 pounds!)
Birmam	Adult 16+O: 1-FL 3-ST 2-Reel 3-Jig 1-Horn

### Calgary Highland Games - Sept 1, 2012

**Jessie Edmonds** - 21 and over Restricted Premier –

4th in Blue Bonnets

3rd in Village Maid

1st in Lilt

1st in Jig

Trophy Winner & winner of \$1000 Calgary United Scottish Games Association Academic Scholarship for post secondary students participating in Games, based on two 500 word essays submitted by applicants.

### Canmore Highland Games - Sept 2, 2012

**Jessie Edmonds** - 16 and over Premier

4th in Blue Bonnets

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### Courtney Tottle

Aggregate Winner Pre-Championship 13 Years

### Julia Domke

3<sup>rd</sup> Runner Up Open Championship 16 Years

### Erika Ramesar

3<sup>rd</sup> Runner Up Open Championship 17 Years

### Alia Cappellani

4<sup>th</sup> Runner Up Open Championship 17 Years

### Colleen McGregor

2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up Open Championship 19 years

### Sean Raymond

2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up Open Championship 21 years

### Stacie Nixon

3<sup>rd</sup> Runner Up Open Championship 21 years

### Lexie Cypurda

Aggregate Winner (Tied) Jig & Hornpipe Events

### Jerzy Rigaux

Trophy Fling Winner national Event Day Beginner 9 years

Aggregate Winner (tied) National Events Beginner 9 Years



Meaghan Fennel and Fiona Sinclair in  
Edmonton

The following dancers also earned medals at this prestigious competition:

#### Day to Day Results:

##### Thursday Highland Events:

*Primary 4 & Under 6 years*

**Cambree Rigaux** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Fling

*Beginner 9 Years*

**Jerzy Rigaux** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Fling, 3<sup>rd</sup> place Seann Truibhas, 1<sup>st</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Novice 6 & Under 9 Years*

**Abigail Mitchell-Lawson** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Fling, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Seann Truibhas, & 4<sup>th</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Intermediate 8 & Under 10 years*

**Alexandra Finnbogason** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Fling & Seann Truibhas

**Gillian Mitchell-Lawson** – 3<sup>rd</sup> place Seann Truibhas

**Madelaine Baigrie** – 3<sup>rd</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Intermediate 10 & Under 12 years*

**Rowan Balchen** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas

*Intermediate 12 & Under 14 years*

**Kellen Molloy** – 3<sup>rd</sup> place Sword

*Premier 10 years*

**Camryn Watson** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas

*Premier 13 years*

**Courtney Tottle** – 7<sup>th</sup> place Fling

*Premier 16 years*

**Julia Domke** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Fling and 4<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas

*Premier 17 years*

**Erika Ramesar** – 3<sup>rd</sup> place Fling & Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

**Alia Cappellani** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas

*Premier 18 & Under 20 years*

**Lauren McCombe** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Premier 20 & Under 22 years*

**Stacie Nixon** – 8<sup>th</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Restricted Premier 8 & Under 10 years*

**Laura UnRuh** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

**Jordan Kennedy** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Fling

*Restricted Premier 10 years*

**Jean Thomson** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Fling

**Lexie Cypurda** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Fling, 4<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas

*Restricted Premier 12 years*

**Meaghan Fennell** – 3<sup>rd</sup> place Fling

**Emily Kate McIntosh** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Fling

**Gillian Foster** – 7<sup>th</sup> place Fling, 5<sup>th</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Restricted Premier 13 years*

**Amanda Bunting** – 7<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas

*Restricted Premier 17 & Under 19 years*

**Caitlin Spellman** 2<sup>nd</sup> place Fling, 7<sup>th</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Restricted Premier 20 & Under 23 years*

**Kelsey Watchman** – 1<sup>st</sup> place Fling & Seann Truibhas, 6<sup>th</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Restricted Premier 23 years & Over*

**Jessie Edmonds** – 3<sup>rd</sup> place Fling, Seann Truibhas, & Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

#### Friday Canadian Inter-Provincial Championships

*Premier 7 years & Under 10*

**Laura UnRuh** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Fling, 6<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas & 5<sup>th</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Premier 10 & Under 12 years*

**Claire Meier** – 6<sup>th</sup> place (tie) Fling

*Premier 14 & Under 16 years*

**Christina Thomson** – 5<sup>th</sup> place (tie) Seann Truibhas

#### Saturday National Event Day including Jig & Hornpipe Events

*Primary 4 & Under 6 years*

**Cambree Rigaux** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Pas de Basques, 3<sup>rd</sup> place Fling

*Beginner 9 years*

**Jerzy Rigaux** – 1<sup>st</sup> place Trophy Fling & Scottish Lilt

*Novice 11 & Under 13 years*

**McKenna Angus** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Trophy Fling

*Intermediate 8 & Under 10 years*

**Madelaine Baigrie** – 7<sup>th</sup> place Highland Laddie, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Sailor's Hornpipe

**Gillian Mitchell-Lawson** - 6<sup>th</sup> place Sailor's Hornpipe

*Restricted Premier 8 & Under 10 years*

**Laura UnRuh** - 1<sup>st</sup> place Scottish Lilt, Blue Bonnets & Village Maid, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Irish Jig, 1<sup>st</sup> place Sailor's Hornpipe

**Alyssa Warga** – 3<sup>rd</sup> place Village Maid, 4<sup>th</sup> place Irish Jig

*Restricted Premier 10 years*

**Lexie Cypurda** – 4<sup>th</sup> Place Village Maid, 6<sup>th</sup> place Blue Bonnets, 1<sup>st</sup> place Irish Jig, 4<sup>th</sup> place Hornpipe

**Emma Callbeck** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Blue Bonnets, 6<sup>th</sup> place Irish Jig & Sailor's Hornpipe

**Jean Thomson** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Irish Jig, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Sailor's Hornpipe

*Restricted Premier 12 years*

**Katherine Burley** – 2<sup>nd</sup> place Scottish Lilt

**Meaghan Fennell** – 3<sup>rd</sup> place Scottish Lilt, 7<sup>th</sup> place Sailor's Hornpipe

**Gillian Foster** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Blue Bonnets & Sailor's Hornpipe

**Taryn Watson** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Scottish Lilt

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*Restricted Premier 13 years*

**Amanda Bunting** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Blue Bonnets, 6<sup>th</sup> place Scottish Lilt

*Restricted Premier 15 years*

**Fiona Sinclair** – 3<sup>rd</sup> place Blue Bonnets

*Restricted Premier 17 & Under 19 years*

**Caitlin Spellman** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Irish Jig & Sailor's Hornpipe

*Restricted Premier 20 & Under 23 years*

**Kelsey Watchman** – 1<sup>st</sup> place Village Maid, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Blue Bonnets, 1<sup>st</sup> place Irish Jig

**Terry Shiells** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Blue Bonnets, 4<sup>th</sup> place Irish Jig

**Laurie Tyndall** – 2<sup>nd</sup> place Irish Jig

*Restricted Premier 23 years & Over*

**Jessie Edmonds** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Village Maid, 5<sup>th</sup> place Scottish Lilt, 4<sup>th</sup> place Irish Jig

*Premier 10 years*

**Camryn Watson** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Sailor's Hornpipe

*Premier 12 years*

**Allison UnRuh** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Village Maid

*Premier 13 years*

**Kelsey Wog** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Village Maid

*Premier 14 years*

**Rachel UnRuh** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Blue Bonnets & Sailor's Hornpipe

*Premier 15 years*

**Christina Thomson** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Blue Bonnets, 7<sup>th</sup> place Scottish Lilt

**Jennifer Watt** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Scottish Lilt

*Premier 16 years*

**Julia Domke** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Blue Bonnets

*Premier 17 years*

**Erika Ramesar** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Blue Bonnets

**Alia Cappellani** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Village Maid, 5<sup>th</sup> place Irish Jig

*Premier 20 & Under 22 year*

**Stacie Nixon** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Blue Bonnets, 6<sup>th</sup> place Scottish Lilt

### Sunday Pre- Championships

*Premier 8 & Under 10 Years*

**Jorden Kennedy** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas

*Premier 10 years*

**Jean Thomson** – 3<sup>rd</sup> place Fling, 1<sup>st</sup> place Sword

**Camryn Watson** – 3<sup>rd</sup> place Sword, 4<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Premier 12 years*

**Taryn Watson** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Fling

**Katherine Burley** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas

**Kirsten Benidickson** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Premier 13 years*

**Courtenay Tottle** – 2<sup>nd</sup> place Fling & Sword, 1<sup>st</sup> place Seann Truibhas, 3<sup>rd</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Premier 15 years*

**Jennifer Watt** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Fling, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Sword, 3<sup>rd</sup> place Seann Truibhas, 1<sup>st</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Premier 17 & Under 19 years*

**Caitlin Spellman** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Sword

*Premier 19 years & Over*

**Kesley Watchman** – 1<sup>st</sup> place Sword, Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Fling & Seann Truibhas

**Terry Shiells** - 4<sup>th</sup> place Sword

### Sunday Open Championships

*Premier 7 & Under 10 years*

**Laura UnRuh** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas, 6<sup>th</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Premier 10 years*

**Camryn Watson** – 6<sup>th</sup> place (tied) Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Premier 13 years*

**Kelsey Wog** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas

*Premier 15 years*

**Christina Thomson** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas

*Premier 16 years*

**Julia Domke** – 3<sup>rd</sup> place Fling, Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Sword, 4<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas

*Premier 17 years*

**Erika Ramesar** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Fling, 5<sup>th</sup> place Sword & 2<sup>nd</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

**Alia Cappellani** – 6<sup>th</sup> place Fling & Sword, 4<sup>th</sup> place Seann Truibhas, 5<sup>th</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Premier 18 years*

**Lauren McCombe** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Sword

*Premier 19 years*

**Colleen McGregor** – 2<sup>nd</sup> place Fling & Seann Truibhas, 3<sup>rd</sup> place Sword, 4<sup>th</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

**Kelsey Watchman** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Fling, Sword & Seann Truibhas  
2<sup>nd</sup> place Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch

*Premier 21 years*

**Sean Raymond** – 4<sup>th</sup> place Fling, Seann Truibhas & Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch, 2<sup>nd</sup> place sword

**Stacie Nixon** – 5<sup>th</sup> place Fling, 2<sup>nd</sup> place Seann Truibhas, Strathspey & 1/2 Tulloch



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