



### 2019 HIGHLAND GAMES ENTRY FORM

**Athlete Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Bio Information:** Clan: \_\_\_\_\_ Tartan: \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite:  Sheaf  Hammer  WOB  WFD  Caber Competing Since: \_\_\_\_\_

Major Awards: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size:  M  L  XL  2XL  3XL  4XL

***OFFICIAL COMPETITOR T-SHIRTS GUARANTEED FOR PRE-REGISTERED ATHLETES ONLY.  
LATE AND FIELD ENTRIES MAY BE PROVIDED A SHIRT ON AN AS-AVAILABLE BASIS.***

**Class:** Field entries accepted based on availability.

Men's A  Men's B  Men's Novice  Men's Light (<200)

Men's Masters (40-49)  Men's Masters (50+)

Women's Open  Women's Masters (40+)

**Entry Fees: Pre-Registration \$30 paid or postmarked April 15th, 2019 No Exceptions  
Late or Field Entry \$35 Paid at the gate**

Please make checks payable to: **Celtic Heritage Alliance**

Check enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Type of Sponsorship: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Program Listing Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail Check and this form to: **Celtic Heritage Alliance**  
PO BOX 963, McMinnville, Oregon 97128

**Note:** The McMinnville Scottish Festival is an event supporting the Celtic Heritage Alliance, a not-for-profit 501 (c) (3) organization; donations may be tax





**Agreement and Waiver:**

1. I agree to be respectful of officials, coaches, and other participants and acknowledge that any participant or parent displaying unsportsmanlike behavior may be removed from the Games, and/or the premises, at the official's discretion. I agree to be bound by the SHA Athletic Rules.
2. I acknowledge and agree that the CHA reserves the right to test any competitor for the use of performance-altering substances.
3. By registering as an athletic competitor, I agree to allow the McMinnville Scottish Festival and CHA to use my name, photograph or likeness in event-related materials, publications, other forms of media. I also allow my contact information to be shared with members of the McMinnville Scottish Festival and CHA, and consent to them contacting me on matters related to the activity for which I have registered.
4. Should I be injured during competition, I consent to allow trained medical professionals to provide basic first aid; and to tape or bandage joints as appropriate for the events in which I will be participating.

I hereby waive, release and hold harmless CHA, its agencies, officials, employees, and volunteers from and against any and all liability arising out of or in connection with my use of facilities, equipment and/or events. I understand that CHA does not provide medical insurance for any person participating in any event or using facilities and equipment, and that unless I have maintained my own medical insurance covering my activities, I will not be covered by medical or other insurance.

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read the content of this Entry Form, and hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators agree to these terms. I waive all rights and claims for damages I may be entitled to against the sponsors of this athletic event, CHA and its representatives, agents, successors and assignees, for any and all injury or damages suffered by me through participation in these events.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Athlete Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of parent or guardian if competitor is under 18

<b>CHA Use Only:</b>	Date Received _____	Fee Paid \$ _____	
Ck# _____	Date Athlete Notified _____	Bio on Web: _____	Checked In: _____ YES _____ NO





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## Highland Games Information and Rules

*PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE COMPLETING YOUR ENTRY FORM*

This is a Scottish Highland Games amateur athletic event hosted by the *Celtic Heritage Alliance* of McMinnville, OR USA ("CHA").

### Schedule

**Date: June 8th, 2019.** Athlete registration begins at 8:15AM; competition starts at 9:00AM. **Date: June 9th, 2019.** Athlete registration begins at 8:15AM; competition starts at 9:00AM. **Location:** Linfield College Campus, 900 SE Baker McMinnville, OR 97128

**Pre-registration ends: April 15th, 2019**

**Athlete Package:** Pre-Registered competitors will receive **two** 2-day passes to the McMinnville Scottish Festival and Highland Games (Saturday-Sunday, June 9<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>, 2019); **one** official Highland Games T-Shirt for mandatory (except for late registrants) wear during competition; **one** lunch for each registered athlete on each day of competition. All registered athletes will be exempt from entry fees to the McMinnville Scottish Festival. **All athletes must check in at Festival Gate** to gain entry prior to proceeding to the athletics field. Shirts will be distributed at the Athlete's Tent at the games field. T-Shirts will only be distributed to those that attend and compete. Late and walk-on registrants must pay their fee with cash or credit at the gate on the day of competition. Late registrants are not guaranteed an official game shirt.

**Events:** Weight over Bar, Light and Heavy Weight for Distance, Light and Heavy Hammer Toss, Caber Toss, Competition Caber Toss (Challenge Caber), Sheaf Toss, Braemar and Open Stone Put. The McMinnville Scottish Festival and the CHA reserve the right to add, change, combine, or eliminate scheduled events.

**Classes:** Classes must have 3 or more preregistered athletes to be completed.

**Scoring:** Hosts will recognize the results as official marks using an aggregate calculation or "decathlon" point system to determine the best of divisional placing, and will publish said results in the NASGA national database.

**Prizes:** Athletes must participate in all events (with the exception of the challenges), unless they become injured, in order to qualify for prizes. Prizes will be awarded to the top three athletes for each class. No refunds will be granted after May 1, 2019.



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## Rules:

1. Competitors will wear the official 2019 McMinnville Scottish Festival Athlete T-Shirt, a Kilt, and “Highland Hose” at all times while on the athletic field.
2. Athletes should refrain from wearing any earrings, jewelry, watches, or other accessories that could cause injury. Any such wear will be at the Athlete’s own risk.
3. Competitors must compete in all events to be eligible for an overall athlete award.
4. Competitors under 18 years of age must have parent/guardian signature on this form and parent/guardian must be present during competition.
5. Athletes must be registered and present on the field before the first event begins. Athletes not present after 2 minutes must obtain permission from the Athletic Director to compete.
6. All events will be governed by the Scottish Heavy Athletics (SHA) Rules. A full copy can be found online at <http://scottishheavyathletics.com/rules.html>.
7. Registered athletes are not permitted to consume alcohol during their participation in the games. If an athlete partakes of alcohol during the competition, he/she will be expelled from the competition, forfeit any refund of fees and will not be considered for scoring or prizes.
8. Athletes are expected to conduct themselves in a sportsman-like manner, including maintaining a friendly and respectful attitude towards the public, staff and other participants. Any athlete who displays poor sportsmanship or engages in inappropriate behavior may, at the Athletic Director’s discretion, be expelled from the Games and forfeit any refund of fees. Depending on severity of behavior, athlete may also be suspended from future McMinnville Scottish Festival events.
9. Decisions of the Judges and Athletic Director are final. The Judge has the ability to disqualify any competitor.