**THE ROYAL SCOTTISH HIGHLAND GAMES ASSOCIATION**

**COMPETITOR REGISTRATION**

**COMPETING AT HIGHLAND GAMES**

Competing at Highland games is fun and rewarding. Firstly, you need to register with RSHGA as an athlete (see below), then decide which event(s) you want to compete at and contact the handicapper or secretary to check they have availability – contact details are listed on our website and yearbook.

**Athlete Registration – Important Note**

Registration is required prior to participating in athletic competitions at RSHGA member events (incl running, cycling, light field, heavyweight, tug o’ war and hill races).

Only registered competitors are eligible to receive prizes, trophies, league points and personal injury cover. RSHGA is committed to clean sport: it is a condition of registration that athletes agree to comply with anti-doping rules and participate in testing if requested.

**Please complete your registration** on the website *www.rshga.org* and pay via Paypal. Alternatively email the RSHGA Secretary [*secretary@rshga.org*] for a form or print online and post to RSHGA Secretary, 54 Crawford Gardens, St Andrews, KY16 8XQ [Cheques or POs payable to “Royal Scottish Highland Games Association” or “RSHGA”].

Please do not expect to register and pay on the day of competition, do so in advance.

**Fees: Annual RSHGA Registration:**

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| **Registration Type** | **Fee for the calendar year** | **Notes** |
| Adult | £20 (£15 if before 30th April) | Includes PA\* cover |
| Senior (ages 65 and over) | £10 | PA\* cover ends at 80yrs |
| Youth (under 16yrs) | £10 | Includes PA\* cover |
| Tug o’ War | £40 per team | No PA\* cover unless individually reg’d |

**Fees: One-Day Registration (only where competing at a single event in the year):**

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| **Registration Type** | **Fee for the calendar year** | **Notes** |
| Adult | £3 | No PA\* cover, no league points |
| Senior (ages 65 and over) | £1 | No PA\* cover, no league points |
| Youth (under 16yrs) | £1 | No PA\* cover, no league points |
| Tug o’ War | £10 per team | No PA\* cover, no league points |

*\* PA: Personal Accident- RSHGA organise a basic insurance cover free for athletes*

**Yearbook:** Copies available from the Secretary at £6.00 each (incl UK p&p).

**Insurance:** While RSHGA arranges basic personal accident cover, athletes are encouraged to arrange their own public liability insurance to cover the risk of causing injury to others.

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION WITH THE RSHGA

I wish to register as a competitor with the RSHGA for season 2022. I have read, understood and agree to abide by the rules of the RSHGA (including disciplinary procedures) and to comply with anti-doping regulations, including consent to be tested for prohibited substances and notification of medications per UKAD rules.  I agree that RSHGA may share my personal information with its affiliated organisations for the purpose of insurance, licensing or for publishing results of events, leagues and awards, and may use my image in RSHGA publications or for the furtherance of Highland games. This may include (but not be limited to) name, town, sports club, times/distances and age category. RSHGA will not share personal data with other organisations for the purposes of third-party marketing. I will notify RSHGA if I want to opt out of newsletters.

The discipline(s) in which I intend to compete are (please tick):

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| Running Events | Cycling Events | Heavy Events | Light Field Events | Tug o’War |

I accept the above conditions of RSHGA registration:

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| Name: | Email: | I am over 18 Age: . |
|  |  | I am under 18  Date of Birth if under 18 / / . |
| Address: | | Postcode |
| Tel No: | Athletic club  (if Applicable): | RSHGA Reg No  (Renewals): |
| Signature: | For U16 Athletes  Responsible Adult Name: | For U16 Athletes  Responsible Adult Signature: |