## SUNSHINE COAST DANCE SOCIETY 2017 SCHOLARSHIP Auditions – Sun. JUNE 25, 2017

The SCDS will be holding Auditions and hosting the annual 2017 Dance Scholarship Awards from **11am to 2pm on Sunday June 25, 2017** 

The auditions will immediately follow a 45-60 minute warm-up class facilitated by renowned dance artist Sylvain Brochu. Applicants must attend both.

The event will be held at the Coast Academy of Dance, 5645 Wharf Ave., Sechelt Please plan to arrive by 10:50AM to sign in.

This year the Sunshine Coast Dance Society is pleased to advise that three awards will be available including:

\$1000 - Lois Smith Scholarship for Excellence in Ballet (in memory of Lois Smith) Classical or contemporary ballet may apply. Please, no point shoes.

\$1000 - Baris Foundation Scholarship for Excellence in Modern Dance (jazz, lyrical, tap, or hip-hop)

\$500 - Sunshine Coast Dance Society Award for Original Choreography

Students, and dancers of any age may apply for the awards.

## To be eligible for the scholarship applicants must:

- Be an advanced dancer 13 years of age or older.
- Have a minimum of 3 years dance training or experience.

## Participants are required to:

- Fill out and email the attached application by June 19, 2017.
- Attend the warm-up class held at 11AM on Sunday June 25. Auditions will be adjudicated from Noon to 2PM by three guest adjudicators.
- Be prepared to perform a dance solo (3 min. max.) that best exhibits your movement for each award entry.

Email the completed application form and letter of recommendation (if applicable) no later than Monday June 19, 2017. Call Yvette at 604 885-2476 if you have questions.

The successful applicants will be informed of the results by July 1, 2017.

Please email your application to: info@sunshinecoastdance.com



## **Scholarship Application Form**

Name:
Address:
Telephone:
Date of Birth:
Email:
Which scholarship award (s) are you applying for:
Lois Smith Scholarship for Excellence in Ballet (classical or contemporary)
Baris Foundation Award of Excellence in Modern Dance (jazz, lyrical, tap, or hip hop)
Sunshine Coast Dance Society Award for Original Choreography

Provide a brief summary of your dance experience:

Please provide the names of Dance Schools/Programs you have attended or completed:

If you have taken any exams in dance, please list the highest grades and marks:

Have you already applied to attend a summer/fall dance school or special program? If so, please provide the names and dates of each program:

How do you intend to use the money from the award or scholarship, should you win?

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST AND APPLICATION.

Please Note: The SCDS reserves the right to decline the offering of a scholarship or award if insufficient applications are received, or to change the breakdown of award proceeds. Applicants will be judged on a combination of skill, intent for the use of proceeds, and apparent level of need.