## The Cambridge Feis

Run by the Fox School of Irish Dance and Waikato Celtic Arts Academy

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2017



### Adjudicator

Charmaine May, ADCRG, BG – Sydney, Australia

Venue
Cambridge High School
25 Swayne Road
Leamington, Cambridge

Prices			
Solo Rounds	\$12.00 Per Dance		
Teams \$5.00 Per Dancer per Team			
Family Discount	20% off the 3rd Child, 20% off the 4th Child		
Family Fee - Venue	\$10.00		

Payment Details			
Account Name: Waikato Celtic			
Account Number: 38-9003-0228511-01			

Closing Date	
1st May 2017	

Send Entries to:
Email Address: waikatoceltic@gmail.com

Conditions of Entry		
•	All Dancers must be registered with TIDA of NZ	
•	Entries must be on the official entry form with one payment per school.	
•	Entry fees must be received with official entry form	
•	No refunds will be given	

# Auckland Irish Dancing Association Competition Syllabus 2017

Beginners Section				
Dancers in their first year of competition				
Expected Age Groups	Round One	Round Two	Round Three	
Under 8	Beginner Reel (48 Bars)	Light Jig (48 Bars)	First Hard Shoe Jig (32 bars)	
Under 9	Beginner Reel (48 Bars)	Light Jig (48 Bars)	First Hard Shoe Jig (32 bars)	
Over 9	Beginner Reel (48 Bars)	Light Jig (48 Bars)	First Hard Shoe Jig (32 bars)	

Novice Section						
Danc	Dancers in their second year of competition who have not competed in NZ Championships					
Expected Age Groups	Round One	Round Two	Round Three	Round Four	Round Five	
Under 7	Beginner Reel (48 Bars)	Light Jig (48 Bars)	Beginner Slip Jig (40 bars)	First Hard Shoe Jig (32 bars)	Traditional Set Dance	
Under 8	Beginner Reel (48 Bars)	Light Jig (48 Bars)	Beginner Slip Jig (40 bars)	First Hard Shoe Jig (32 bars)	Traditional Set Dance	
Under 9	Beginner Reel (48 Bars)	Light Jig (48 Bars)	Beginner Slip Jig (40 bars)	First Hard Shoe Jig (32 bars)	Traditional Set Dance	
Over 9	Beginner Reel (48 Bars)	Light Jig (48 Bars)	Beginner Slip Jig (40 bars)	First Hard Shoe Jig/Hornpipe (32 bars)	Traditional Set Dance	

Intermediate Section					
Dancers who have not placed in the top 5 at a NZ National Championship					
Expected Age Groups Round One Round Two Round Three					
Under 9	Hard shoe jig (32 bars) / light jig (48 bars) for Under 8s only *Light jigs will be danced and marked separately	Reel	Choice of Traditional Set Dance		
Under 12	Hard Shoe Jig or Hornpipe	Reel or Slip Jig	Choice of Set Dance		
Over 12	Hard Shoe Jig or Hornpipe	Reel or Slip Jig	Choice of Set Dance		

Open Section						
Dance	Dancers who have placed at a NZ National Championship (or at the discretion of the teacher)					
Expected Age Groups	Round One	Round Two	Round Three			
Under 7	Light jig (48 bars)	Reel	Choice of Traditional Set Dance			
Under 9	Hard shoe jig (32 bars) / light jig (48 bars) for Under 8s only *Light jigs will be danced and marked separately	Reel	Choice of Traditional Set Dance			
Under 11	Hard Shoe Jig or Hornpipe	Reel or Slip Jig	Choice of Set Dance			
Under 13	Hard Shoe Jig or Hornpipe	Reel or Slip Jig	Choice of Set Dance			
Over 13 (Possible split based on numbers)	Hard Shoe Jig or Hornpipe	Reel or Slip Jig	Choice of Set Dance			

Adult Section				
Open to Dancers who started dancing as an Adult				
Round One Round Two Round Three				
Choice of Hard Shoe	Choice of Soft Shoe	Choice of Set Dance		

Team Section						
<b>Expected Age Groups</b>	Expected Age Groups Four Hand Six Hand Eight Hand					
Under 9	Choice of Four Hand Commission	Choice of Six Hand Commission	Choice of Eight Hand Commission			
	Book	Book	Book			
9-13	Humours of Bandon	Choice of Six Hand Commission	Choice of Eight Hand Commission			
	(in line with nationals syllabus) Book		Book			
Over 13	Four Hand Reel	Choice of Six Hand Commission	Choice of Eight Hand Commission			
	(in line with nationals syllabus)	Book	Book			

### **RULES**

- This competition is run under AIDA management rules and its governing bodies TIDA of NZ and An Coimisiun Le Rinci Gaelacha.
- The age of a competitor shall be taken as on 1<sup>st</sup> January.
- All dancers must be registered with TIDA of NZ.
- Dancers are only permitted to dance in ONE solo section. (E.g. a dancer cannot dance in both intermediate and open sections.)
- Dancers can compete in the Beginner and Novice sections for a maximum of one year in each.
- Beginner and novice dancers are only permitted to wear school costumes or skirt/blouse with no make-up or fake tan.
- Dancers competing in the under 10 age groups are not permitted to wear makeup (including false eyelashes) for solos or teams.
- Competitors must obey the instructions of competition officials and back stage stewards.
- Should a dancer lose a heel or a complete shoe, he/she may stand back allowing the other dancer, where applicable, to continue dancing uninhibited. In such case, the dancer concerned will be permitted to re-dance as soon as it is deemed practicable by the back stage stewards.
- AIDA/TIDA of NZ will, as far as is practicable, provide a stage surface suitable for dancing. However,
  AIDA/TIDA of NZ and An Coimisiun Le Rinci Gaelacha cannot accept any liability for injuries sustained
  while on stage. Should a dancer fall on stage, the adjudicator must ring the bell to stop the
  performance of the dancer(s). If able, the dancer affected will be permitted to re-dance.
- If at any stage during a performance an Adjudicator feels that due to the health and safety of a dancer on stage that the performance should be stopped, the Adjudicator must ring the bell.
- Non flash photography and filming are permitted in <u>Beginner and Novice sections only.</u>
   Any form of unauthorized photography which has the capability to capture a dancer's image whilst in motion, using electronic or manual means, e.g. mobile phone, standard camera, video camcorder, cine recorder, commercial film, with or without flash enhancement is expressly forbidden in competition. This is a worldwide ruling and we ask that you respect the time, efforts and money that have been invested into steps.

#### **Awards**

- If there are 5 or less competitors in a section, all dancers will receive individual placings.
- Where there are 6 or more dancers there will be placings to 50% of those that danced on the day.
- In the Intermediate, Open and Adult sections, an overall trophy will be awarded to the Top 3 based on combined raw scores over 3 dances.