

3rd Annual Sarasota Highland Feis

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 2018

Adjudicator's – Donal Fegan ADCRG – Newry Branch

Catherine Maher ADCRG – Dublin Branch

Musician – Owen Shaffer – Louisiana, USA

Hosted by - The Irish Dance Academy of Sarasota

Homewood Suites 3470 Fruitville Road, Sarasota, FL 1-941-365-7300

La Quinta Inn and Suites, 5931 Commercial Way, Sarasota, FL 1-941-342-8778

(Mention Highland Games at either hotel)

Please note this event will be running along with the Sarasota Highland Games, held at

Robarts Arena 3000 Ringling Blvd, Sarasota FL 34237

lots of food vendors and lots to do!

We will be in the Downs Building (Barn) on a raised stage, it might get hot so lots of water.

Changing facilities will be made behind the stage for the dancers!

Toilets are located around the corner from the barn!



Please return your entry form and release form by **Friday January 5, 2018**

Reminder to enclose two separate checks for this event.

DANCERS ONLY PAY \$10 Competitor Fee!

Parents and Siblings 12 & Over pay \$12 in advance or \$15 at the door!

Please mail both forms and checks to **Gillian McCormack-Aeppli**

An Comhdhail Na Muinteoiri Le Rinci Gaelacha Teoranta

www.irishdancingorg.com

Sarasota Highland Games and Celtic Festival
Irish Dance Competition/Feis January 27, 2018

Beginner A						
Light Jig (116)	U6	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Reel (123)	U6	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Single Jig (122)	U6	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Slip Jig (122)	U6	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Beginner A Cup Award Light Jig (116)	U6	U8	U10	U12	Over 12	Adult

Beginner B					
Light Jig (116)	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Reel (116)	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Single Jig (120)	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Slip Jig (120)	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Treble Jig (90)	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Hornpipe (140)	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Beginner B Cup Award Single Jig (120)	U8	U10	U12	Over 12	Adult

Beginner C					
Light Jig (116)	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Reel (113)	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Single Jig (118)	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Slip Jig (113)	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Treble Jig (90 or 73)	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
Hornpipe (140 or 113)	U8	U10	U12	Any Age	Adult
St Patrick's Day	U8	U10	U12	Over 12	Adult
Beginner C Cup Award Single Jig (118)	U8	U10	U12	Over 12	Adult

Pre-Open							
Light Jig (116)	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Any Age	Adult
Reel (113)	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Any Age	Adult
Single Jig (118)	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Any Age	Adult
Slip Jig (113)	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Any Age	Adult
Treble Jig (73)	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Any Age	Adult
Hornpipe (113)	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Any Age	Adult
Traditional Set Dancers Choice	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Over 16	Adult
Pre-Open Cup Award Slip Jig (113)	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Over 16	Adult

Open							
Reel (113)	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Any Age	Adult
Slip Jig (113)	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Any Age	
Treble Jig (73)	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Any Age	
Hornpipe (113)	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Any Age	
Traditional Set Dancers Choice	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Over 16	
Non Traditional Set	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Over 16	
Open Cup Award Reel (113)	U8	U10	U12	U14	U16	Over 16	

Teams			
2/3/4/6/8 Hand	Children	Adults	Parent Child

Children's Teams will be divided based on entries!

An Comhdhail	Equivalent
Beginner A	Beginner
Beginner B	Advance Beginner
Beginner C	Novice/Prizewinner
Pre-Open	Preliminary Champion
Open	Open Champion

Championship	Dances
U8	Reel (113) and Treble Jig (73)
U10	Reel (113) and Treble Jig (73)
U12	Reel (113) and Treble Jig (73)
U14	Reel (113) or Slip Jig(113) /Treble Jig (73) or Hornpipe (113)
U16	Reel (113) or Slip Jig(113) /Treble Jig (73) or Hornpipe (113)
U18	Reel (113) or Slip Jig(113) /Treble Jig (73) or Hornpipe (113)
18 & Over	Reel (113) or Slip Jig(113) /Treble Jig (73) or Hornpipe (113)
Adult Under 50	Reel (113), and Light Jig (116) or Single Jig (118)
Adult 50 & Over	Reel (113) and Light Jig (116) or Single Jig (118)

A full schedule will come out 1 week prior to the event.

Sarasota Highland Feis Entry Form 2018

One form per dancer required. Please PRINT all information as neatly as possible. Failure to provide requested information will cause the entry to be rejected.

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age as of 01/01/18: _____

Dance School: _____ Organization: _____

Please circle all dances you are entering:

Solos are \$10 each

Beginner A	Reel	Lt Jig	Single Jig	Slip Jig		
Beginner B	Reel	Lt Jig	Single Jig	Slip Jig	Treble Jig	Hornpipe
Beginner C	Reel	Lt Jig	Single Jig	Slip Jig	Treble Jig	Hornpipe
Pre-Open	Reel	Lt Jig	Single Jig	Slip Jig	Treble Jig	Hornpipe
Open	Reel			Slip Jig	Treble Jig	Hornpipe

Cup Award \$15 (You may enter as many cup awards as you like in your age group/current level or above)

Cup Award Beginner A Beginner B Beginner C Pre-Open Open

Specials \$15 each

Traditional Set _____ Charity Treble Reel

Non Traditional Set _____ Speed _____

Championship \$40 each (Circle one age group)

U8 U10 U12 U14 U16 U18 Over 18 Under 50 Over 50

Teams \$7 each dancer

2 Hand 3 Hand 4 Hand 6 Hand 8 Hand Parent Child

Mail completed entry form and check to: Gillian Aeppli, 1333 N. Tuttle Ave, Sarasota, FL 34237.

Please make checks payable to: **Irish Dance Academy of Sarasota** by Friday January 5, 2018.

Late fee of \$20 per family will be applied if postmarked after 1/6/18

Total _____ Check Number _____

By submitting this entry and attending the Sarasota Highland Feis you agree to release and forever discharge Irish Dance Academy of Sarasota, its heirs, successors, administrators, instructors and assigns, including sponsoring and affiliated organizations for any and all claims, action, causes of action or liability for any and all losses, whether based on allegations of negligence or not, resultant from the your family's participation (as a dancer or a spectator) in its programs and events connected with the activities of Irish Dance Academy of Sarasota.

Parent or Legal Guardian Signature

Date



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Irish Dancing

Competitors Entry Forms & Release Agreement

Please enter me in the event(s) below. In consideration of acceptance of my entry, I hereby agree for myself, heirs, assigns, or executors that I (1) will hold harmless and release the Scottish Heritage Society, Inc., Sarasota Highland Games and Celtic Festival (SHG&CF) and the Sarasota County Agricultural Fair Association, Inc., where the event is held, and their agents, representatives, employees, officials, and directors, and their respective insurance carriers, if I suffer any personal injury (including death) or property damages during my performance in the event(s) during the SHG&CF (2) will personally and/or in conjunction with my personal insurance carrier underwrite any medical or other costs associated to my injury or property damages; and (3) will not file a claim against any of those enumerated in (1) above for such injury or property damages. To my knowledge I am in good health and have no physical condition that would prevent participation.

It is understood that this release agreement applies only to my activities as a participant. When attending other activities during the SHG&CF I will be considered a member of the general public.

I further agree that photographs or slides, which may include me, may be made by or for the SHG&CF and may be used along with my name by the SHG&CF or by others authorized by them without compensation to me.

I have read and understood the foregoing release and sign it voluntarily.

Signature _____ Date _____

Parent or Guradian Signature if under 18 _____ Relationship _____
(PLEASE PRINT)

Competitor's Name _____ Telephone (____) _____

Street Address _____

City/State or Providence _____ Zip _____

E-mail Address _____

All Competitors must pay an entrance fee of \$10.00. This is a mandatory fee for entering the games.

ADVANCE SALE TICKET PURCHASE

_____ entrance fee per competitor \$10.00

_____ pre-sale tickets @ 12.00 each
(Adults and children 12 and over must purchase entrance tickets.)

_____ Pre-sale T-Shirts \$15.00 YS(6-8) ___ YM(8-10) ___ YL(10-12) ___ YXL (14-16) ___ Adult S ___ Adult M ___ Adult L ___

_____ Pre-sale T-Shirts \$20.00 Adult XL _____ Adult XXL _____ Adult XXXL _____

_____ Total Amount of check or cash Check # _____

Make Check payable to the **Scottish Heritage Society of Sarasota**
Tickets will be available at the gate the day of the games @ \$15.00 per ticket.

Tickets are also available on line thru the website:

www.sarasotahighlandgames.com

An Comhdhail Feis Rules

1. Age groups up to and including under 9 are prohibited from wearing solo costumes.
2. Dancers in Level Beginner A/B/C are prohibited from wearing solo costumes.
3. Competitions for age groups up to and including under 11 are not permitted after 6pm.
4. Children up to and including the age of 12 are prohibited from wearing face make-up.
5. All dancers are prohibited from wearing any form of glitter on their face.
6. In Beginner A, B, and C competitions, there must be a minimum of 10 competitors, before the winner progresses to the next grade, at the discretion of the adjudicator.
7. In Pre-Open competitions there must be a minimum of 5 competitors, before the winner progresses to the next grade at the discretion of the adjudicator.
8. Feisanna must include a variety of traditional set dances in each session.
9. Floor measurements are set at a minimum of 16ft by 20ft for local feisanna.
10. In the event of an injury at a feis, an incident report should be made stating how injury happened and the course of action that was taken.
11. Competitors are required to be appropriately attired at all times when attending a feis and the committee has the right to ensure that the rule is adhered to.
12. Any form of unauthorized photography which captures a dancers' image whilst taking part in competition is expressly forbidden. This covers photography by means of mobile phones, tablets, video camera, and cine recorder with or without flash facility.
13. Under the health and safety, competitors are requested not to smoke whilst dressed in their dancing costume.
14. All competitors must wear their number positioned center front, clearly displayed for adjudicators.
15. Scrutineers must be members of An Comhdhail who will be responsible for checking the adjudicators results following each championship.
16. All Feisanna must be run for a Charitable Organisation and cannot be run for personal or class funds.
17. The decision of the adjudicator or adjudicators is final as to quality. An objection on any other grounds may be lodged by a teacher in writing on payment of a fee of 10 Euro's or equivalent. The feis committee may adjudicate on such an objection if they consider themselves competent to do so, and will return the objection to the Executive of An Comhdhail. No objection will be considered unless it is made in writing within 48 hours after the declaration of the result of the competition. Any Teacher who disagrees with the decision of a feis committee may refer the matter to the Executive of An Comhdhail on payment of a fee of 20 Euro's or equivalent.
18. All prizes must be presented at the termination of a feis (with all competitors in full costume).
19. Adult competitions are permissible at Feiseanna provided the following criteria is adhered to :
 - Ladies attire to include a simple dress or skirt and top. No cleavage to be shown and dress / skirt length to be no more than 2inches above the knee.
 - Opague tights to be worn. Minimum 100 denier. Clothes and tights to be dark in color – Black, Navy, Wine or Forrest Green.
 - No wigs, poodle sock, tiara or bling to be worn.
 - Gents attire to include long dark tailored trousers, shirt, tie (optional) or polo shirt.

Please feel free to email Gillian McCormack-Aeppli TCRG at fiddlenfeet@gmail.com

Or call or text Gillian at 941-650-0544

We look forward to seeing you all in Sarasota!