



AN TOSCAL



51st ANNUAL FEIS – OPEN

MAYFLOWER COMMUNITY CENTRE, Drumshanbo, Co Leitrim

SATURDAY 6th May 2017 (Grades)

SUNDAY 7th May 2017 (Craobh Comórtaisí and Prelim)

Moltoiri Rince:

Sally Flood Aitken ADCRG Scotland

Ciara Lennon ADCRG Dundalk

Patricia Scanlon ADCRG Birmingham

Susie Mc Loughlin ADCRG Australia

Ceoltoiri:

Darren Checkley

Sean Mortello

Door Admission:

€5 per adult

Entry Fees:

Trophy Solo €4 per Dance (Bun, Tus, Mean)

Priomh Comórtaisí €15 (Includes 3 results)

Rince Foirne €3 per person

Craobh Comórtaisí €25 (Includes 3 results)

Craobh Comórtaisí Including Prelim €30 (Includes non-recall set comp)

Trophy awarded to all 1st places in Bun, Tus & Mean Grades and all competitors will receive a prize in all reels in grades and light rounds in championships.

50% of all remaining competitors will be awarded prizes.

Sashes, Pennants and Cups awarded to top 5 dancers in Craobh Comórtaisí and Preliminary

1st Place Sash and Trophy with trophy to 2nd to 5th places in Priomh Comórtaisí.

Syllabus Approved by: NOREEN REDMOND-LOUGHRAN (Feis Registrar an Comhairle Connacht)

(Cláráithe leis an Coimisiún le Rincí Gaelacha)

An Tóstal Feis

Saturday 6th May 2017

GRADES

Time (Approx)	Grade	Stage A	Stage B	Stage C
9am	<i>BUN</i>	Under 6	6 - 7	7 - 8
	<i>Ungraded</i>	Under 5		
11am	<i>TUS</i>	Under 6	6 - 7	7 - 8
12:30pm	<i>MEAN</i>	Under 6	6 - 7	7 - 8
2pm	Eva Mooney Memorial Cup Competition – Reel (Ril) Competition Open to all Regions and Grades			
2:30pm	<i>BUN</i>	8 - 9	9 - 10	10 - 12 Over 12
4pm	<i>TUS</i>	8 - 9	9 - 10	10 - 12 Over 12
5:30pm	<i>MEAN</i>	8 - 9 9 - 10	10 – 11 11 – 12	12 - 14 Over 14

DANCES

Príomh Comortais

BUN	TUS	MEAN
<i>Reel (Ril)</i>	<i>Reel (Ril)</i>	<i>Reel (Ril)</i>
<i>Light Jig (Port Eadtrom)</i>	<i>Light Jig (Port Eadtrom)</i>	<i>Light Jig (Port Eadtrom)</i>
<i>Slip Jig (Port Luascadh)</i>	<i>Slip Jig (Port Luascadh)</i>	<i>Slip Jig (Port Luascadh)</i>
<i>Single Jig (Port Singil)</i>	<i>Single Jig (Port Singil)</i>	<i>Single Jig (Port Singil)</i>
<i>Heavy Jig (Port Trom)</i>	<i>Heavy Jig (Port Trom)</i>	<i>Heavy Jig (Port Trom)</i>
	<i>Hornpipe(Cornphiopa)</i>	<i>Hornpipe(Cornphiopa)</i>
	<i>Trad Set(Rince Leithleach Tradisiúnta)</i>	<i>Trad Set(Rince Leithleach Tradisiúnta)</i>

BUN	TUS	MEAN
<i>Any 2 light dances Already danced in that grade</i>	<i>U6 any 2 light dances U7 and over any light dance & any heavy dance</i>	<i>U6 any 2 light dances U7 and over any light dance & any heavy dance</i>

An Tóstal Feis

Sunday 7th May 2017

Craobh Comórtaisí

Preliminary Championships in every age from 8-9 to 14-15 judged on first 2 rounds of competition

Seperate Non-Recall Set Competition to be held in every age

(Entries will be taken on day from 8am)

All times given are approximate

Times Approx	Age	Dances
9:00 a.m.	9-10 Cailíní	Ríl (Reel or Slip Jig), Port Trom nó Chornphíopa (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe). Áth Glaoch Rince Leithleach (Recall for Set Dance)
	8-10 Buachaillí	Ríl (Reel), Port Trom nó Chornphíopa (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe). Rince Léithleach Trad nó Rince Léithleach (Trad Set or Open Set)
	10-11 Cailíní	Ríl nó Port Luascadh (Reel or Slip Jig), Port Trom nó Chornphíopa (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe). Áth Glaoch Rince Leithleach (Recall for Set Dance)
11:30 a.m.	7-8 Mixed 8-9 Cailíní	Ríl (Reel), Port Trom (Heavy Jig) , Rince Leithleach Tradisiúnta (Traditional Set Dance)
12:30 pm	U6 (Mixed)	Ril, Port Singil agus Port Eadtrom (Reel, Single Jig & Light Jig)
	6-7 (Mixed)	Ril, Port Singil agus Port (Reel, Single Jig & Jig)
	8 Hand – Under 11, Under 16 and Over 16	
1:30pm	11-12 (Girls)	Ríl nó Port Luscadh (Reel or Slip Jig), Port Trom nó Chornphíopa (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe). Ath Glaoch Rince Leithleach (Recall for Set Dance)
	10-12 (Buachaillí/Boys)	Ríl (Reel), Port Trom nó Chornphíopa (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe). Rince Leithleach (Set Dance)
	12-13(Girls)	Ríl nó Port Luascadh (Reel or Slip Jig), Port Trom nó Chornphíopa (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe). Áth Glaoch Rince Leithleach (Recall for Set Dance)
3:30p.m.	12-14 (Buachaillí/Boys)	Ríl (Reel) Port Trom nó Chornphíopa (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe). Rince Léithleach (Set Dance)
	13-14(Girls)	Ríl nó Port Luascadh (Reel or Slip Jig), Port Trom no Chornphíopa (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe). Áth Glaoch Rince Léithleach (Recall for Set Dance)
	14-15(Girls)	Ríl nó Port Luscadh (Reel or Slip Jig), Port Trom no Chornphíopa (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe). Áth Glaoch Rince Léithleach (Recall for Set Dance)
5:00 p.m.	15-16 (Girls)	Ríl nó Port Luscadh (Reel or Slip Jig), Port Trom nó Chornphíopa (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe). Áth Glaoch Rince Léithleach (Recall for Set Dance)
	14-16 (Boys/Buachailli)	Ríl (Reel), Port Trom nó Chornphíopa (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe). Rince Léithleach (Set Dance)
	16-18 Ladies & Ladies O/18	Ríl nó Port Luscadh (Reel or Slip Jig), Port Trom nó Chornphíopa (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe). Áth Glaoch Rince Léithleach (Recall for Set Dance)
	Men O 16	Ríl (Reel), Port Trom nó Chornphíopa (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe). Rince Léithleach (Set Dance)

RIALACHA – RULES

1. Entries will only be accepted from teachers currently registered with An Coimisiún le Rince Gaelacha.
 2. Objections must be lodged in writing from registered teachers only within 1 hour of the announcement of a competition and be accompanied by a fee of €15.
 3. Videoing of competitions is strictly forbidden.
 4. The Feis Committee will not accept responsibility for personal injuries or articles lost at the Feis.
 5. Age to be taken from 1st January 2017.
 6. The use of fake tan, make-up, wigs and solo costumes are strictly forbidden in Bungrád Túsgrád competitions. This is a connacht ruling and we would appreciate anyone travelling from other regions to abide by this rule. Also take note, teachers/parents, of new makeup and costume rulings effective March 2014, where all dancers up to and including Under 10 will not be permitted to wear makeup or fake tan. Children of all ages must be able to lift both arms to shoulder level in all costumes.
 7. Bungrád competitions are confined to competitors who have never won first place for that particular dance in any age group.
Túsgrád competitions are confined to competitors who have never won first place for that particular dance in Tús, Mean or Árd Grád.
Meangrád competitions are confined to competitors who have never won first place for that particular dance in Mean or Árd Grád.
- Preliminary Championships (Effective 01/02/2017)
- ◊ Prelim 8-9 years upwards are confined to competitors who have not been placed in the top 5 in an Open Championship judged by 3 or more adjudicators.
 - ◊ The dancer must not have qualified for the Worlds in 2016 or 2017 (with the exception of the boys who are eligible if they qualified but were not placed in the top 3 at their Regional Oireachtas and who otherwise fulfil the Prelim criteria).
 - ◊ Dancer must have not recalled in the actual Championship at the All-Ireland 2015 or 2016.
 - ◊ Competitors must not have won a Preliminary Championship more than two times in the current year.
 - ◊ If the dancer has not succeeded in placing in the top 5 but has won two Preliminary Championships in the current year, they are eligible to dance preliminary again the following year.8. No block, en pointe work (stationary or moving) is allowed to be performed for all ages up to and including Under 12.
9. **Separate boys and men's competition** will only be held if there are 3 or more competitors.

Reminder:

All cups are perpetual. Please return at your most convenient time.

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Mary Mc Keon – (087) 966 1483; Marian Kane – (071) 96 41434

Please note: Tea, coffee and light snacks will be available in the hall on both days of the feis.

FEISFAYRE SHOP ATTENDING. Also practice space and changing facilities are provided.