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**MCGOUGH ACADEMY FEIS
OCTOBER 29TH**

East High School
450 Ellis Ln, West Chester, PA 19380
Start Time: 8:00 AM
Entry Deadline: October 9, 2022

FEIS UPDATES AT WWW.MCGOUGHACADEMY.COM; ENTRIES BY FEISWEB ONLY; STAGE SCHEDULE WILL BE POSTED ON SCHOOL WEBSITE

**FEIS IS REGISTERED, SANCTIONED AND WILL BE GOVERNED BY THE RULES OF AN COIMISIUN (WWW.CLRG.IE)
THE IDTANA MID-ATLANTIC REGION (WWW.MID-ATLANTICREGION.COM)**

The McGough Academy Feis Committee, McGough Academy, McGough Academy Foundation, West Chester Area School District or any other organization affiliated with the afore mentioned will not be held responsible for personal injury, property or damage.
Destruction of Feis property or rental property will be punishable by law.

Feis reserves the right to combine competitions as necessary with 5 or fewer dancers.

Upon signing up for the event, you are agreeing to follow the Covid-19 protocols set forth by the local government and McGough Feis Committee. Only in situations where the Lancaster County, PA officials enforce great restrictions, ie. 5-day or more quarantine prior to domestic travel into the state of PA, will refunds be considered. This system is in place to prevent people from abusing the system by making last minute decisions to attend or not, taking up valuable spaces and depriving others from attending. We would therefore employ you to think carefully about accepting these conditions before entering as we aim to be as fair to everyone as possible wishing to sign up for the event.

All rules and regulations are listed on the web site of the
IDTANA Mid-Atlantic Region.

By submitting an entry form, Parent or Legal Guardian agrees to abide by the rules of the CLRG & IDTANA MAR Region.

NO REFUNDS

Marks are included in competition fees; Feis reserves the right to combine competition as necessary especially with five or fewer dancers.

Please send any feis questions to MCGOUGHFEIS22@GMAIL.COM
ALL ENTRIES MUST BE MADE AT WWW.FEISWEB.COM ; PAYPAL ENTRY ONLY

EVENT FEE \$30.00 MUST BE INCLUDED WITH PAYMENT ENTRIES

ALL SOLO COMPETITIONS	\$20.00	IRISH ART COMPETITION	\$10.00
PRELIMINARY CHAMPIONSHIP & US SERIES RISING STARS	\$50.00	OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP & US SERIES	\$60.00
LATE ENTRY FEE (RECEIVED POST OCTOBER 9TH DEADLINE)	\$30.00	FEE FOR CHANGES TO ENTRY INFO	\$20.00
MAX FAMILY FEE	\$200.00 + \$30.00 EVENT FEE + \$5.00 FEISWEB FEE + US SERIES ENTRIES + LATE FEES	FEISWEB FEE	\$6.00

ADJUDICATORS

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TABULATION & ENTRIES : FEISWEB

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This is a private event and therefore McGough Academy reserves the right to deny admission to any person.

US SERIES RISING STAR CHAMPIONSHIP

Open to Boys/Girls Advanced Beginner, Novice and Prizewinner Dancers - 2 Rounds!
 48 Bars of Reel or 40 Bars of Slip Jig
 48 Bars of Jig or 40 Bars of Hornpipe

This is your chance to practice your Major Solo Championship Dance Routine for the Oireachtas - Limited to Grades Dancers!
 Each age group for the US series Special will need at least 15 or age groups will be combined up.

AGE	Under 11	Under 14	14+	
COMPETITION #	1001	1002	1003	

US SERIES BELT CHAMPIONSHIP IN LOVING MEMORY OF DOLORES BRENNAN

Open to Boys/Girls Preliminary and Open Championship Dancers - 3 Rounds!
 48 Bars of Reel or 40 Bars of Slip Jig
 48 Bars of Jig or 40 Bars of Hornpipe

Choice of Traditional Set (U8/U9) ; or Choice of Contemporary Set (U10+)
 50% recall set (full set dance)

US Series Belt Championship - In Loving Memory of Dolores Brennan - Limited to Championship Dancers!
 Winner Scholarship Prize = \$300

Each age group for the US series Special will need at least 15 or age groups will be combined up.

AGE	Under 12	Under 14	Under 16	16+
COMPETITION #	2001	2002	2003	2004

PRELIMINARY CHAMPIONSHIP (BOYS & GIRLS)

Girls & Boys

All age groups 14 and under will dance 3 at a time if the stage is 32'X24' or larger.
Older age groups will dance 2 dancers at a time.
Choice of Reel (48 Bars) or Slip Jig (40 Bars) and Jig (48 bars) or Hornpipe (40 Bars)

Video recording is NOT permitted

Preliminary dancers who win three (3) 1st places in a calendar year, must move to Open Championships the following calendar year. When a third 1st place win is achieved over several calendar years, the dancer must move to Open Championships the following weekend.

AGE	UNDER 8	UNDER 9	UNDER 10	UNDER 11	UNDER 12	UNDER 13	UNDER 14	UNDER 15	UNDER 16	Under 17	17 and Over	Adult
COMPETITION #	400	401	402	403	404	405	406	407	408	409	410	411

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

All age groups 14 and under will dance 3 dancers at a time if the stage is 32'X24' or larger.
Older age groups will dance 2 dancers at a time.

Under 8 and under 9 age group MUST dance a Traditional Set Piece

Choice of Reel (48 bars) or Slip Jig (40 bars) or Hornpipe (40 bars) and Set Piece of Own Choice Video recording is NOT permitted

AGE	UNDER 8	UNDER 9	UNDER 10	UNDER 11	UNDER 12	UNDER 13	UNDER 14	UNDER 15	UNDER 16	Under 17	18 and Over	
GIRLS COMPETITION #	500	501	502	503	504	505	506	507	508	509	510	
BOYS COMPETITION #	511	512	513	514	515	516	517	518	519	520	521	
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CHAMPIONSHIP TRADITIONAL & CONTEMPORARY SET COMPETITION (BOYS AND GIRLS)

Open to dancers in Novice, Prizewinner, Preliminary and Open Championship. Under 8 & Under 9 dances a traditional set 2 Dancers at a time

Contemporary Set for Under 11, 13, 15, 17 and 17 +

AGE	UNDER 9	UNDER 11	UNDER 13	Under 15	Under 17	17+
COMPETITION #	600	601	602	603	604	605

TRADITIONAL SET COMPETITION (BOYS AND GIRLS)

Open to Advanced Beginner, Novice and Prizewinner Dancers.

Specify your choice of traditional set when entering the form from the following:

Saint Patrick's Day, Blackbird, Job of Journeywork, Garden of Daises, Jockey to the Fair or King of the Fairies

2 Dancers at a time

AGE	UNDER 9	UNDER 11	Under 13	Under 15	15+	Adult
COMPETITION #	700	701	702	703	704	705

SPECIAL NEEDS COMPETITION

- 1 STEP OF ANY DANCE -

ANY DANCE - BOYS AND GIRLS	ALL AGES	800

IRISH ART

Entry must depict an Irish theme or scene. Your competitor number must be clearly marked and visible.

ALL AGES	950

Release, Waive, Hold Harmless Agreement

I acknowledge that this activity involves exertion and carries with it the potential for injury. I hereby agree to waive the right to take legal action or join in any actions against The McGough Academy, Meagan McGough and/or any affiliates and associates for injuries incurred during practice and/or performance in any location. I hereby agree to indemnify, protect and save harmless the parties above or any of them from all judgments, cost and expenses whatsoever arising on account of any action, claim or demand by the minor child of mine, or any child for which I am acting in guardianship or supervisory capacity. It is understood and agreed that the participant is physically fit and prepared for participation in the activities which will be undertaken, and the participant has not been advised by any doctor or other medical person that participation in these activities should be avoided and/or limited. Participation in any competition or performance is at the sole discretion and decision of the parent. I hereby give permission to the school and the parties to use my name and/or my child's name, photographic likeness in all forms and media for advertising, trade and any other lawful purpose without any remuneration.

FIRST FEIS

Girls & Boys
 Open to any competitor who has not competed before.
 1 step of light jig or reel.
 Video recording is permitted
 No solo costumes are allowed. Skirts, trousers, blouses, shirts, or school costumes ONLY

REEL - Tempo 122

900

LIGHT JIG - Tempo 115

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BEGINNER (BOYS & GIRLS)

Girls & Boys
 2 Steps, 3 at a time
 **2 dancers at a time
 Video recording is permitted
 A Beginner is a competitor who has not taken Irish Dancing lessons from a registered teacher prior to September 1st of the previous year. Dancer must move into Advanced Beginner the following year.
 No solo costumes are allowed. Skirts, trousers, blouses, shirts, or school costumes ONLY

	Under 6	Under 7	Under 8	Under 9	Under 10	Under 11	Under 12	12 & Over	Adult
REEL - Tempo 122 **	1	5	9	13	17	21	25	29	33
SLIP JIG - Tempo 122	2	6	10	14	18	22	26	30	34
Single (Hop) Jig - 124	4	7	11	15	19	23	27	31	35
LIGHT JIG - Tempo 115	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36

ADVANCED BEGINNER (BOYS & GIRLS)

Girls & Boys
 2 steps, 3 at a time
 **2 dancers at a time
 Video recording is permitted
 An Advanced Beginner is a dancer who has taken lessons from a registered teacher for more than 1 year. An Advanced Beginner who wins 1st, 2nd, or 3rd place will advance to the Novice category in that particular dance the next year. No solo costumes are allowed. Skirts, trousers, blouses, shirts, or school costumes ONLY

	Under 6	Under 7	Under 8	Under 9	Under 10	Under 11	Under 12	12 & Over	Adult
REEL - Tempo 122 **	100	107	113	119	125	131	137	143	149
SLIP JIG - Tempo 122	101	108	114	120	126	132	138	144	150
LIGHT JIG - Tempo 115	102	109	115	121	127	133	139	145	151
Single (Hop) Jig - 124	103	110	116	122	128	134	140	146	152
HEAVY JIG - Tempo 92	104	111	117	123	129	135	141	147	153
HORNPIPE - Tempo 138	105	112	118	124	130	136	142	148	154

NOVICE (BOYS & GIRLS)

Girls & Boys
 2 steps, 3 at a time
 **2 dancers at a time
 Video recording is NOT permitted
 A Novice is a dancer who has previously won a 1st, 2nd, or 3rd in Advanced Beginner. A Novice who wins a 1st place will advance to the Prizewinner category in that particular dance the next year.

	Under 7	Under 8	Under 9	Under 10	Under 11	Under 12	Under 13	13 & Over	Adult
REEL - Tempo 113 **	200	205	210	215	220	225	230	235	240
SLIP JIG - Tempo 113	201	206	211	216	221	226	231	236	241
LIGHT JIG - Tempo 115	202	207	212	217	222	227	232	237	242
HEAVY JIG - Tempo 73 or 92	203	208	213	218	223	228	233	238	243
HORNPIPE - Tempo 113 or 138	204	209	214	219	224	229	234	239	244

PRIZEWINNER (BOYS & GIRLS)

Girls & Boys
 2 steps, 3 at a time
 **2 dancers at a time
 Video recording is NOT permitted
 A Prizewinner is a dancer who has previously won a 1st in Novice in a particular dance.

	UNDER 8	UNDER 9	UNDER 10	UNDER 11	UNDER 12	UNDER 13	Under 14	14 & Over	Adult
REEL - Tempo 113 **	300	304	308	312	316	320	324	328	332
SLIP JIG - Tempo 113	301	305	309	313	317	321	325	329	333
HEAVY JIG - Tempo 73 or 92	302	306	310	314	318	322	326	330	334
HORNPIPE - Tempo 113 or 138	303	307	311	315	319	323	327	331	335