

Saturday, January 29, 2023, 8am Hershey Lodge 325 University Drive, Hershey, PA 17033

Feis Co-Chairs

Kotelnicki School (Justin Kotelnicki TCRG), Hooley School (Crystal Carper ADCRG), Hester Academy (JJ Hester ADCRG), Emerald Isle (Kate O'Brien TCRG), Coyle School (Colleen Kelly ADCRG and Natalie Larson)

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Adjudicators

Brendan Lynch, NJ; Mary Ann Schade Lynch, NJ; Theresa O'Sullivan-Randall, NY;
Deirdre O'Sullivan-Toolin, NY; Julia Bell, PA; Theresa Wilkinson, PA;
JR Walker, FL; Jimmy Friel, NJ; Breda O'Brien, MA

Musicians

Ryan Ward, Patricia Morrissey, Annmarie Acosta, Luke Sooy

Entry Dates

November 20, 2022 Entries open on www.feisweb.com

January 15, 2023 Late Fees & Change Fees Begin

Feis is Registered and will be governed by the Rules of An Coimisiun le Rinci Gaelacha (CLRG) and the IDTANA MidAtlantic Region, Inc (www.MID-ATLANTICREGION.COM). The Chocolatetown Feis Committee, Emerald Isle Academy, Hester Academy of Irish Dance, Hooley Irish Dance, Kotelnicki School of Irish Dance, Natalie Larson, The Hershey Lodge, Hershey Entertainment or any other organizations affiliated with the aforementioned will not be held responsible for personal injury, property loss or damage. Destruction of Feis property or rental property will be punishable by law. Destruction of Feis property or rental property will be punishable by Law. This is a private event and entry can be denied to any particular person.

Limited to first 600 dancers NO REFUNDS FOR ANY REASON

Marks are included in entry fees and will be distributed electronically.

*Grades competitions will be split over 16 dancers.

*Prelim competitions will be split over 30 dancers.

*Feis reserves right to combine competitions as necessary, especially with 5 or fewer dancers.

Solo Grades & Art \$16 per competition

Whiskey & Chocolate Specials \$20

Preliminary Champ \$60

Open Champ \$70

2hands \$30 per team

4hands \$60 per team

8hands \$120 per team

"Relay Race" Team \$60 per team

Family Fee \$30

Feisweb Fee \$6

Late Fee \$25 (when you register after Jan. 14)

Change Fee \$10 (when you change your dance after Jan. 14)

Max Family Entries \$250 (does not include ceili, family fee, late fees,

or change fees)



NEW! TEAM OF CHAMPIONS

Join with classmates in a Team of 3 to each feature your best strengths, "Relay Race" style!

- 1st Dancer Softshoe, 2 Steps (Reel or Slip Jig)
- 2nd Dancer Hardshoe, 2
 Steps (Treble Jig or Hornpipe)
- 3rd Dancer Traditional Set

All 3 dancers will compete under the same number (pass the number down the line), and the number with the most points at the end will be awarded the Team of Champions!

Winning team receives \$150 and this trophy.

1 dancer registers for the team.

Under 12 - 100 TEAM 12 & Over - 101 TEAM





IRISH ART

Please label your artwork with your name, age, telephone number, and competitor number. Judging will take place at lunch.

Under 12 Art 1 12 & O **Art 2**

Boys and girls any age.

1 step, Reel or Light Jig.

No cost for entry.

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2HAND 4HAND 6EILI

*2hands will be 48 bars long

*Choice of 4hand and figure.

*Choice of 8hand and figure

*Team must compete in the age group of the oldest dancer on the team.

*The team captain will register for the team. This person will wear the team number.

*Dancers may compete on two teams in the same competition (for example, a girls and a mixed).

2HAND 4HAND 8HAND
Under 11 - 21 Under 11 - 41 Under 11 - 81
Under 16 - 26 Under 16 - 46 Under 16 - 86
16 & Over - 27 16 & Over - 47 16 & Over - 87
Adult - 29 Adult - 49 Adult - 89



Open to all dancers ages 21 and over. Dancers will perform 16 bars of a hard or soft shoe reel. Dancers will each receive a commemorative feis whiskey glass and the winner will win a bottle of whiskey.

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An Adult dancer is a dancer who began taking Irish
Dance lessons after the age of 18 or an adult who
hasn't taken Irish Dancing lessons in the previous 5
years and has not competed as a "child" in the
previous 5 years. Adult dancers may not be combined
with any other age group. For a further description of
each level, music speeds, etc, please see the
corresponding level description in the following
pages. Adult female dancers must wear black tights in
all competitions.

Adult are also eligiable for the Whiskey Reel and Champion of Chocolatetown specials.

ADULTS	<u>Beginner</u>	<u>Adv. Beg.</u>	<u>Novice</u>	<u>Prizewinner</u>
REEL	199R	299R	399R	499R
LIGHTJIG	199LJ	299LJ	399LJ	
SLIP JIG	199SJ	299SJ	399SJ	499SJ
HOP JIG	199HJ	299HJ		
TREBLE JIG	199TJ	299TJ	399TJ	499TJ
HORNPIPE	199HP	299HP	399HP	499HP

Prelim - 599 (Choice of Reel or SJ, and TJ or HP)

Pre-Beginner

Little Shamrocks & Leprechauns

This is a Pre-Beginner competition for any dancer Under 6 who has learned their first dance moves and is ready to try dancing on a stage. Dress up in your dance outfit and show off your favorite Irish Step dancing moves! 16 bars of a reel, Tempo 122, will be played for 1 dancer at a time. All dancers will receive a participation award on stage.

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Tir Na Nog

This is a Pre-Beginner competition for any dancer Under 8 who has learned their 1st reel step. Competitors may not compete in any other dancing competitions. They will dance 1 reel step, 1 dancer at a time, and all dancers will receive a participation award on stage.

NO SOLO COSTUMES ALLOWED, Skirt and blouse or school costumes ONLY

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Beginner

Can you keep your arms in tighter than this dancing chocolate bar? We can't wait to see!

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. No makeup permitted, except in 12 & Over age group.

An Beginner dancer will perform 2 Steps, 2 at a time.

Video recording at this level IS permitted.

Music speeds are Reel/Slip Jig 122; Light

Jig 115; Hop Jig 124.

BEGINNER	U6	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	12&0
REEL	106R	107R	108R	109R	110R	111R	112R	113R
LIGHTJIG	106LJ	107LJ	108LJ	109LJ	110LJ	111LJ	112LJ	113LJ
SLIPJIG	106SJ	107SJ	108SJ	109SJ	110SJ	111SJ	112SJ	113SJ
HOPJIG	106HJ	107HJ	108HJ	109HJ	110HJ	111HJ	112HJ	113HJ

Advanced Beginner

An Advanced Beginner dancer 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 permitted. Skirt, trousers, blouses, shirts, or school costumes ONLY. An Advanced Beginner dancer will perform 2 Steps, 2 at a time.

Video recording IS permitted. No makeup permitted, except in the 12 & Over age group. Music speeds are Reel/Slip Jig 122; Light Jig 115; Hop Jig 124; Treble Jig 92; Hornpipe 138.



Novice

A Novice dancer has previously won 1st, 2nd, or 3rd in Advanced Beginner.

A Novice dancer who wins a 1st place will advance to prizewinner the following year for that particular dance.

A Novice dancer will perform
2 Steps, 2 at a time.
Video recording is NOT permitted.
No makeup permitted
through Under 10.

Music speeds
are Reel/Slip
Jig 113; Light Jig
115; Treble Jig
73 or 92;
Hornpipe 113
or 138.



Reeses

NOVICE	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	13&O
REEL	308R	309R	310R	311R	312R	313R	314R
LIGHT JIG	308LJ	309LJ	310LJ	311LJ	312LJ	313LJ	314LJ
SLIP JIG	308SJ	309SJ	310SJ	311SJ	312SJ	313SJ	314SJ
TREBLE JIG	308TJ	309TJ	310TJ	311TJ	312TJ	313TJ	314TJ
HORNPIPE	308HP	309HP	310HP	311HP	312HP	313HP	314HP

PRIZEWINNER

A Prizewinner dancer has previously won 1st in Novice in a particular dance.

A Prizewinner dancer will perform 2 Steps, 2 at a time.

Video recording is NOT permitted. No makeup permitted through Under 10.

Music speeds are Reel/Slip Jig 113; Light Jig 115; Treble Jig 73 or 92; Hornpipe



PRIZEWINNER	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	14&O
REEL	408R	409R	410R	411R	412R	413R	414R	415R
SLIP JIG	408SJ	409SJ	410SJ	411SJ	412SJ	413SJ	414SJ	415SJ
TREBLE JIG	408TJ	409TJ	410TJ	411TJ	412TJ	413TJ	414TJ	415TJ
HORNPIPE	408HP	409HP	410HP	411HP	412HP	413HP	414HP	415HP

Preliminary Champion

A dancer who has placed 1st in both light and heavy Prizewinner dances and has never won 1st, 2nd or 3rd in Open Championship. 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. Video recording is NOT permitted.

Must dance either REEL (48 bars) OR SLIPJIG (40 bars) and HORNPIPE (40 bars)
OR JIG (48 bars) please specify on your entry form. NOTE: ORDER FOR
PRELIMINARY AND OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP WILL BE DRAWN FOR YOU.



<u>U8</u>	<u>U9</u>	<u>U10</u>	<u>U11</u>	<u>U12</u>	<u>U13</u>	<u>U14</u>	<u>U15</u>	<u>U16</u>	<u>U17</u>	<u>17&O</u>
508	509	510	511	512	513	514	515	516	517	51 8

Open Champion

Girls and Boys may be combined at feis discretion. Choose REEL (48 bars) OR SLIPJIG (40 bars), and HORNPIPE (40 bars) OR JIG (48 bars) and SET DANCE FROM APPROVED LIST. Under 9 must do a traditional set. Video recording is NOT permitted.

NOTE: ORDER FOR PRELIMINARY AND OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP WILL BE DRAWN FOR YOU. SOFTSHOE FIRST.

