



# THE CITY OF SAILS CHAMPIONSHIP

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2019 SYLLABUS

# DAY SCHEDULES & OVERVIEW



## SATURDAY AUGUST 3RD

### All Open Level Championship Sections

Three adjudicators, three rounds

Age groups determined from entries, boys & girls combined

\$75 per dancer

Results placed to 50% of each group based on total who dance.

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## SUNDAY AUGUST 4TH

### Beginner, Novice, Intermediate & Adult Premiership Sections

Two adjudicators, three rounds.

Age groups determined from entries, boys & girls combined

\$50 per dancer

### Ceili & Figure Teams

One adjudicator

Under 9, 9 to 13 & Over 13 Teams

2, 3 & 4 Hand Composed and 4, 6 & 8 Hand Commission Book

\$25 per dancer

# 2019 JUDGING AND PHOTOGRAPHY TEAM



**ALI BENNETT, ADCRG**

Sydney, Australia

Ali is judging the Open Championship sections on Saturday.



**NEILL REAGAN, ADCRG**

San Antonio, Texas, USA

Neill is judging the Open Championship sections on Saturday, the Premiership sections on Sunday morning and teams on Sunday afternoon.



**MARY MCELLROY, ADCRG**

Dublin, Ireland

Mary is judging the Open Championship sections on Saturday and the Premiership sections on Sunday morning.



**VINCENT MORTIMER**

Christchurch, New Zealand

Vincent is the official photographer for the Open Championship sections on Saturday.



# COSTS

## Section Entry

Beginner, Novice, Intermediate or Adult Premiership Sections = \$50

Open Championship = \$75

Team Sections = \$25

## For dancers entering more than one section:

Beginner & Novice = \$90

Novice & Intermediate = \$90

Adult A & Adult B = \$90

Intermediate & Adult B = \$90

Teams plus any of the above combinations = \$110

Intermediate & Open = \$120

Intermediate & Open plus teams = \$140

## Venue Entry & Other Costs (Pay at the door)

Dance to the Music = \$5

Adults \$12 per day or \$20 weekend pass

Seniors \$10 per day or \$15 weekend pass

Students over 13 years \$10 per day or \$15 weekend pass

Competing dancers & children under 13 = free entry

Results \$5 per copy, Programs \$10



2017 Event Photo by Vince  
Mortimer

Westhaven Marina.  
Photo by @louismrodgers

# SECTION CONDITIONS

## BEGINNER PREMIERSHIP



The Beginner section is for dancers in their first year of competition.

Dancers may only wear traditional class costumes or long / short-sleeved blouses / polo tops and skirts / tunics that conform to the regular costume length rules. Low-cut tops and short, tight skirts are not permitted.

Makeup, false eyelashes and tanner on the face is not permitted for dancers up to and including the Under 12 age group.

Results placed to 50% of each group based on total who dance.

Age groups will be determined from entries.

Dancers may enter the Novice Premiership section as well.

Two adjudicators, three rounds. Filming permitted.

\$50 per dancer

The Novice section is for dancers in their second or third year of competition. These dancers have not placed in a Novice or Intermediate three judge event in 2018 (or the equivalent section in their region).

Dancers may only wear traditional class costumes or long / short-sleeved blouses / polo tops and skirts / tunics that conform to the regular costume length rules. Low-cut tops and short, tight skirts are not permitted.

Makeup, false eyelashes and tanner on the face is not permitted for dancers up to and including the Under 12 age group.

Results placed to 50% of each group based on total who dance.

Age groups will be determined from entries.

Dancers may enter the Intermediate Premiership section as well.

Two adjudicators, three rounds. Filming permitted.

\$50 per dancer



## NOVICE PREMIERSHIP

# SECTION CONDITIONS

## INTERMEDIATE PREMIERSHIP



The Intermediate section is for dancers who have not placed in an Open section at a three judge event in 2017 or 2018

This section can also be known as 'Preliminary' in some countries.

Results placed to 50% of each group based on total who dance.

Make-up & tanner on the face not permitted for dancers up to and including the Under 10 age group.

Age Groups 9 years & over to be determined from entries.

Dancers may enter the Open Championship section as well.

Two adjudicators, three rounds. Filming prohibited.

\$50 per dancer

The Ceili & Figure team sections are open to all dancers of all levels.

Under 9, 9 to 13 and Over 13 Age Groups:

- 2, 3 & 4 hand Composed sections (80 bars, including the intro)
- 4, 6 & 8 Hand Commission Book sections
- Open Composed Figure sections, Under and Over 13.

TIDA of NZ and CLRG rules and conditions apply.

Results placed to 50% of each group based on total who dance.

One adjudicator. Some filming permitted – will be announced.

\$25 per dancer for any number of entered teams



## CEILI & FIGURE TEAMS

# SECTION CONDITIONS

## ADULT A PREMIERSHIP



The Adult A section is for dancers over the age of 18 who did not take Irish dance classes as a juvenile or are over the age of 35 who did not take Irish dance classes after the age of 10.

These dancers are in their first or second year of adult competition.

Dancers may only wear traditional class costumes or long / short-sleeved blouses / polo tops and skirts / tunics that conform to the regular costume length rules. Make-up is permitted. Ladies are required to wear opaque black tights of a denier not less than 70.

Dancers may also enter the Adult B section. Filming permitted.

\$50 per dancer

The Adult B section is for dancers over the age of 18 who did not take Irish dance classes as a juvenile or are over the age of 18 who have taken more than 5 years off with no Irish dance competition.

Dancers can wear a solo costume and make-up. Ladies are required to wear opaque black tights not less than 70 denier.

Dancers can enter this section for no longer than three years.

Dancers may also enter the Intermediate Premiership section.

Filming prohibited.

\$50 per dancer



## ADULT B PERMIERSHIP

# SECTION SYLLABI

Section	First Round	Second Round	Third Round
Beginner Premiership	Single Reel (124 bpm) 48 bars	Light Jig (116 bpm) 48 bars	Single Jig (124 bpm) 48 bars Or Slip Jig (124 bpm) 48 bars
Novice Premiership	Single Reel (120 bpm) 48 bars Or First Double Reel (116 bpm) 48 bars	Light Jig (116 bpm) 48 bars Or Traditional Hornpipe (144 bpm) 32 bars Or Traditional Heavy Jig (92 bpm) 32 bars	Choice of Traditional Set Dance
7 Years & Under Intermediate & Open	Light Jig (116 bpm) 48 bars	Reel (113 bpm) 48 bars	Choice of Traditional Set Dance
8 Years Intermediate & Open	Light Jig (116 bpm) 48 bars Or Heavy Jig (73 bpm) 32 bars	Reel (113 bpm) 48 bars	Choice of Traditional Set Dance
9 Years & Over Intermediate & Open	Heavy Jig (73 bpm) 48 bars Or Hornpipe (113 bpm) 40 bars	Reel (113 bpm) 48 bars Or Slip Jig (113 bpm) 40 bars	Choice of Open or Traditional Set Dance
Adult A Premiership	Single Reel (116 bpm) 48 bars	Light Jig (116 bpm) 48 bars	Traditional Hornpipe (140 - 144 bpm) 32 bars Or Traditional Heavy Jig (96 bpm) 32 bars
Adult B Premiership	Heavy Jig (73 bpm) 32 bars Or Hornpipe (113 bpm) 32 bars	Reel (113 bpm) 48 bars Or Slip Jig (113 bpm) 40 bars	Choice of Traditional Set Dance



# FISHER AUDITORIUM

Freedman Arts Centre, Epsom Girls Grammar,  
Silver Rd, Newmarket, Auckland 1023, New Zealand

- ✓ Spacious modern foyer for vendors, as well as a place for second-hand costumes and shoes.
- ✓ A great selection of food available from the start of both days until results both evenings.
- ✓ A licensed bar will be open from 3.30pm each day.
- ✓ Alongside the theatre there are two large soundproof practice rooms and spacious changing rooms with an extra room arranged for this year's event.
- ✓ There is accommodation within walking distance in Alpers Ave, Gillies Ave and Manukau Road (Epsom).
- ✓ There are supermarkets, a mall and restaurants within walking distance.
- ✓ A room will be available with beverages and food throughout the event for teachers and officials.



# GENERAL CONDITIONS

THIS CHAMPIONSHIP IS CONDUCTED UNDER THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF AN COIMISIÚNN LE RINCÍ GAELACHA AND THE TRADITIONAL IRISH DANCING ASSOCIATION (TIDA NZ)



1) In order for entries to be accepted, teachers must note that all competitors:

a. are pupils of teachers who at the date of entry are registered with An Coimisiún for the year 2018- 2019. New Zealand dancers must be registered with TIDA NZ.

b. must not, on the date(s) of their competitions(s), be ineligible to compete due to any rule.

c. must have been formally entered and have had their entry fees paid in full in due time in accordance with these rules and the general rules of the organising committee.

2) Entries will be accepted from teachers only via [www.feisentry.com](http://www.feisentry.com)

Entries will be open from 5pm Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June until 5pm NZT Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2019.

Late entries will be accepted up until 5pm NZT Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2019, with a late fee of \$25 NZD per dancer.

3) Confirmation of entries received and monies paid will be issued by Feis Entry and forwarded directly to the teacher and organisers.

4) It is the responsibility of the teacher to ensure that the entry submitted online is correct.

When the confirmation email is received, names and dates of birth must be carefully checked. Spelling etc. as submitted by the teacher will be that which appears in the official program.

5) Incomplete entries will not be accepted.

6) No refunds will be made for any entry money received.



THE AGE OF A COMPETITOR SHALL BE TAKEN AS ON 1ST JANUARY, 2019. WHERE A COMPETITOR'S BIRTH DATE FALLS ON 1ST JANUARY HE/SHE SHALL, FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CHAMPIONSHIP, BE REGARDED AS UNDER THE AGE ATTAINED ON THAT DAY.



# SEE YOU THERE!



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