

Celtic Irish Dance Academy
Presents the 4th Annual
Damhsa Teaghlach Feis



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Damh-sa Teagh-lach

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1. A dance family 2. House of dance

Celtic Irish Dance Academy
welcomes you to the 1st Annual Damhsa Teaghlach Feis

Sunday, October 27, 2024
Hyatt Regency, Los Angeles Airport

6225 W Century Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90045

(424) 702-1234

Feis Rate ~ \$179.00

<https://www.hyatt.com/en-US/group-booking/LAXLA/G-CELT>

Rate available until the block is sold out or September 27th, whichever comes first.

Entries on feisworx.com
Entries Close: October 18, 2024

Member of An Coimisiún le Rincí Gaelacha, Dublin, Ireland

Adjudicators

Brian Shinnors ~ Ireland
Alan Murphy ~ Ireland
Gerard Carroll ~ Ireland
Kim Lancaster ~ Toronto
Mariead Stilson ~ Maine
Andy O'Reilly ~ New York

Musicians

Eric Crone ~ Arizona
Sean Warren ~ Florida

Vendors

Siopa Brog
Conway Irish
Camelia Rose

Entries:

Entries are handled by FeisWorx (www.feisworx.com). **Online registration and payments only.** Late fee assessed midnight Oct 6th all unpaid entries dropped after midnight Oct 18th) **ENTRY FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.**

Please direct questions to the Feis Committee at CIDAChampionships@gmail.com

Fees:

Open Championship	\$60.00 (flat fee – 3 rounds)
Preliminary Championships	\$40.00 (flat fee – 2 rounds)
Adult Championships	\$40.00 (flat fee – 2 rounds - SS/Set)
Adult Masters	\$60.00 (flat fee – 3 rounds)
Future Champ Special	\$40.00 (2 rounds/3 steps)
Light Shoe	\$25.00 (flat fee)
Heavy Shoe	\$20.00 (flat fee)
Figures	\$15.00 (flat fee)
Specials	\$15.00 (per dancer per special)
Art Special	\$5.00
Registration Fee	\$25.00 (per family – includes online results)
Family Max	\$150.00 (excludes specials, late fees and reg fees)
Add/Change	\$15.00 (per dancer after schedule has been printed)
Registration Late Fee	\$40.00 (for new registrations after midnight October 6 th)

Competitions:

GRADES - All grades will dance 32 bars 3 at a time - the Feis Committee reserves the right to change.

Beginner 1	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	16&O+
Reels	101	108	115	122	129	136	143	150	157	164	171
Light Jig	102	109	116	123	130	137	144	151	158	165	172
Slip Jig	103	110	117	124	131	138	145	152	159	166	173
Single Jig	104	111	118	125	132	139	146	153	160	167	174
Treble Jig	105	112	119	126	133	140	147	154	161	168	175
Hornpipe	106	113	120	127	134	141	148	155	162	169	176
St. Patrick's Day	107	114	121	128	135	142	149	156	163	170	177

Beginner 2	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	16&O+
Reels	201	208	215	222	229	236	243	250	257	264	271
Light Jig	202	209	216	223	230	237	244	251	258	265	272
Slip Jig	203	210	217	224	231	238	245	252	259	266	273
Single Jig	204	211	218	225	232	239	246	253	260	267	274
Treble Jig	205	212	219	226	233	240	247	254	261	268	275
Hornpipe	206	213	220	227	234	241	248	255	262	269	276
St. Patrick's Day	207	214	221	228	235	242	249	256	263	270	277

Novice	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	16&O
Reels	301	308	315	322	329	336	343	350	357	364	371
Light Jig	302	309	316	323	330	337	344	351	358	365	372
Slip Jig	303	310	317	324	331	338	345	352	359	366	373
Single Jig	304	311	318	325	332	339	346	353	360	367	374
Treble Jig	305	312	319	326	333	340	347	354	361	368	375
Hornpipe	306	313	320	327	334	341	348	355	362	369	376
Traditional Set	307	314	321	328	335	342	349	356	363	370	377

Prizewinner	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	16&O+
Reels	401	408	415	422	429	436	443	450	457	464	471
Light Jig	402	409	416	423	430	437	444	451	458	465	472
Slip Jig	403	410	417	424	431	438	445	452	459	466	473
Single Jig	404	411	418	425	432	439	446	453	460	467	474
Treble Jig	405	412	419	426	433	440	447	454	461	468	475
Hornpipe	406	413	420	427	434	441	448	455	462	469	476
Traditional Set	407	414	421	428	435	442	449	456	463	470	477

In Novice and PW: Dancers may choose traditional or slow speed for Treble Jig or Hornpipe.

ADULTS

Competition	Beginner	Novice	Prizewinner
Reel	601	608	615
Light Jig	602	609	616
Slip Jig	603	610	617
Single Jig	604	611	618
Treble Jig	605	612	619
Hornpipe	606	613	620
Traditional Set	<u>607</u>	<u>614</u>	<u>621</u>

Adult Solo Championship ~ (2 rounds ~ SS/Set) ~ 900

Adult Masters Championship ~ (3 rounds) ~ 901

Adult Reel Special ~ 902

PRELIMINARY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Preliminary Championship – 2 rounds - Soft Shoe, Hard Shoe (full dances)											
U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	U17	U19	U21	21&O
700	701	702	703	704	705	706	707	708	709	710	711

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS

Open Championships – 3 rounds (full dances)											
U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	U17	U19	U21	21&O
712	713	714	715	716	717	718	719	720	721	722	723

*There are no solo championship competitions. An overall championship result will be announced, and results will be available online for the individual solo competitions following the announcement of the overall result.

**For U9 and younger Prelim and Open Champ age categories, set dance round is traditional set dance only. If combined with u10 or older due to low entry numbers, they may dance a non-traditional set.

CHAMPIONSHIP SPECIALS

Competition	U12	U16	16&O
Hornpipe/TrebleJig	903	904	905
Treble Reel Special	906	907	908

FUTURE CHAMPS SPECIAL ~2 ROUNDS ~ 909

FIGURES

All dancers must be registered for and have paid for the team competition.

Beginner Teams	U8	U10	U12	12&O
2 Hand	800	802	804	806
3 Hand	801	803	805	807

Each dancer must be registered in at least one beginner solo dance at the feis to be in a beginner figure dance.

Open Teams	U8	U10	U12	U15	15&O	Adults
2 Hand	-----	813	818	823	828	833
3 Hand	-----	814	819	824	829	834
4 Hand	810	815	820	825	830	835
6 Hand	-----	816	821	826	831	836
8 Hand	812	817	822	827	832	838

MIXED MEDIA ART COMPETITION ~ 910 ~ \$50.00 cash prize for the winner!

In the spirit of Halloween, draw your best pumpkin image to win \$50 CASH! Get creative. Your piece doesn't have to be a picture of a carved pumpkin, it can be anything involving pumpkins... and if it's Irish, all the better!

You must drop off your art to the registration table on SATURDAY to be included in Sunday's competition.

Tentative Schedule:

Stage ABC

Morning:

Figures
Grades – Beginner through PW
Non-championship specials
Future Champ Special
Preliminary Championships

Afternoon:

Preliminary Championships
Championship Specials

Stage D

Morning:

Adult Figures
Adults
Adult Specials
Open Championships

Afternoon:

Open Championships
Championship Specials

From the Feis Committee:

1. The Feis Committee has the option of splitting or combining competitions as necessary.
2. At the discretion of the Feis Committee, stage assignments may change; announcements will be made at the original stage and/or over the public address system. It is the competitor's responsibility to report promptly to the correct stage.
3. Competitors must be at their assigned stage ready to compete when their competitions are ready or announced. A competitor may be eliminated from a competition for reporting late. Competitions will be closed when no more competitors are at the stage ready to compete. No competition shall be re-opened except on the sole direction of the Feis Coordinators.
4. Parents not accompanying competitors under age 18 are strongly encouraged to provide their child(ren)'s chaperones with signed medical authorizations. Parents/Chaperones are solely responsible for their children's/charges' safety.

5. All medals/trophies must be picked up on the day of the Feis. Only awards omitted in error will be mailed by the Feis Committee. You must have your number to collect your results.

Dancing Competition Rules:

1. Competitors must be in the hall, prepared to dance, one hour prior to the scheduled beginning of their event. The Feis is at liberty to run up to one hour ahead of schedule. Every effort will be made to ensure proper notification and announcements of competitions should the schedule be ahead or behind.

2. Dancers who appear in competitions in which they are not entered and paid will not be eligible for placement or awards.

3. First Feis competitions are open only to dancers who have never competed at a Feis.

4. When awards are announced, competitors must be in costume, including dance shoes, to receive their awards.

5. Neither Celtic Irish Dance Academy nor the Hyatt Regency LAX shall be held responsible or liable for personal injury, property loss and/or damage. By entering this Feis, the entrant and/or the entrant's parent or legal guardian agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the DAMHSA TEAGHLACH 2024 Feis, The Feis Committee, Feis Volunteers, Vendors, The Hyatt Regency LAX, or Celtic Irish Dance Academy for any liabilities or personal injury as a result of the entrant's participation.

7. NO VIDEOTAPING OR FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY OF DANCE COMPETITIONS PERMITTED

Health and Safety Rules and Protocols:

Participants will be expected to adhere to any and all Health and Safety Rules and Protocols. A link will be provided in the feis information area on feisworx based on any local and/or State guidelines and restrictions. We will be reminding all participants/registrants about the requirements. It is important that all dancers and accompanying spectators adhere to the guidelines we and the Hyatt Regency LAX set forth. Amendments may be made by the Feis committee, if necessary, to ensure a safe event for all. As health regulations and restrictions continue to change, the logistics of this event may need to adhere to guidelines at the state, county, and/or local levels. We appreciate your understanding in this matter.