



MOUNTAIN ROSE FEIS

ROSE IRISH DANCE SCHOOL

Dates:

Saturday the 28th, and Sunday the 29th of September 2024

Venue:

RSG 't Rijks

Burgemeester Stulemeijerlaan 24, 4611 EG Bergen op Zoom, The Netherlands

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Open to all CLRG affiliated Dance schools

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Dear friends,

It is with great pleasure that we invite you to the third edition of the Mountain Rose feis this year. It is organised by the Rose Irish Dance School, and it will be held in one of the oldest cities in the Netherlands: Bergen op Zoom. Antwerp (40 km), Breda (40 km) and Rotterdam (70 km) are not far away. The nearest airports are: Rotterdam - The Hague Airport (78 km), Brussels Airport (83 km), Eindhoven Airport (91 km) and Schiphol (Amsterdam - 131 km).

The story behind the name of Mountain Rose Feis, is that the literal translation of Bergen (op Zoom) means mountains. And of course the Rose couldn't be forgotten in this name, so that is why we chose for the Mountain Rose.

The venue of the feis will be RSG 't Rijks, a high school located not far from the city centre in Bergen op Zoom. The school itself is on the edge of a paid parking zone, to see where you need to pay, and where it's free to park your car, take a look at this map with all the paid parking zones in Bergen op Zoom: <https://goo.gl/maps/NdnBnxHPe4Xh6uNr8>

The school itself offers a large feis hall with a 8 x 5m floor and a big changing room. The feis will be run on one floor.

There will be trophies for all first places and medals for runners up. In traditional set dances, trophy dances and the treble reel the first places will receive a trophy. In premier championships the first three places will receive a trophy. Please note that this year for the first time, the treble reel is a themed competition, and we hope you will enjoy the idea that it is a Barbie-themed competition!

We are looking forward to see you all in Bergen op Zoom at the end of September and good luck to everybody preparing to dance at our feis!

Rose Irish Dance School feis team



FEES

DANCERS	
Solo competitions	€ 6
Ceili competitions + 2-hand & 3-hand competitions per dancer (sign up for only one dancer)	€ 5
Special trophies *	€ 8
Open Championships**	€ 25
Adult Championships**	€ 25
RCCEA Feis Fee per dancer	€ 1

TREBLE REEL	Free
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SPECTATORS:	
Dancers	Free
Admittance fee for spectators for one day	€ 10
Admittance fee for spectators for two days	€ 15

The doors of the venue will be open from approx. 08:00 AM



ONLINE REGISTRATION BY TEACHERS

Registration can be done by teachers using the registration system www.feisme.net (an internet based application to register dancers online).

To be able to register your dancers you will first have to go to www.feisme.net and press the 'sign up' button.

Entries to be received no later than **Sunday the 22nd of September 2024**

Changes and additions to entries can be made on the day.



Syllabus Saturday 28th of September

Competitions start at 9.30 AM

See the latest updates at: www.facebook.com/iersedansschool.nl

* Special Trophy / ** Premier Championship

LEVEL	DANCE	COMP	AGE
Beginners	Reel	1	Under 9
		2	9 - 11
		3	11 - 13
		4	13 - 15
Beginners	Light Jig	5	Under 9
		6	9 - 11
		7	11 - 13
		8	13 - 15
Beginners	Single Jig	9	Under 9
		10	9 - 11
		11	11 - 13
		12	13 - 15
Beginners	Slip Jig	13	Under 9
		14	9 - 11
		15	11 - 13
		16	13 - 15
Beginners	* Light Shoe Trophy	17	Under 9
		18	9 - 11
		19	11 - 13
		20	13 - 15
Beginners	Heavy Jig	21	Under 9
		22	9 - 11
		23	11 - 13
		24	13 - 15
Beginners	Hornpipe	25	Under 9
		26	9 - 11
		27	11 - 13
		28	13 - 15
Beginners	* Heavy Shoe Trophy	29	Under 9
		30	9 - 11
		31	11 - 13
		32	13 - 15
Beginners and Primary	* Traditional Set Dance	33	Under 9
		34	9 - 11
		35	11 - 13
		36	13 - 15
RESULTS			

Primary	Reel	37	Under 11
		38	11 - 13
		39	13 - 15
Primary	Light Jig	40	Under 11
		41	11 - 13
		42	13 - 15
Primary	Single Jig	43	Under 11
		44	11 - 13
		45	13 - 15
Primary	Slip Jig	46	Under 11
		47	11 - 13
		48	13 - 15
Primary	* Light Shoe Trophy	49	Under 11
		50	11 - 13

		51	13 - 15
Primary	Heavy Jig	52	Under 11
		53	11 - 13
		54	13 - 15
		55	Under 11
Primary	Hornpipe	56	11 - 13
		57	13 - 15
		58	Under 11
Primary	* Heavy Shoe Trophy	59	11 - 13
		60	13 - 15
		RESULTS & LUNCH	

COMPETITIONS WILL START APPROX. 14.30 H (AFTER LUNCH)			
Intermediate	Reel	61	Under 11
		62	11 - 13
		63	13 - 15
Intermediate	Light Jig	64	Under 11
		65	11 - 13
		66	13 - 15
Intermediate	Slip Jig	67	Under 11
		68	11 - 13
		69	13 - 15
Intermediate	* Light Shoe Trophy	70	Under 11
		71	11 - 13
		72	13 - 15
Intermediate	Heavy Jig	73	Under 11
		74	11 - 13
		75	13 - 15
Intermediate	Hornpipe	76	Under 11
		77	11 - 13
		78	13 - 15
Intermediate	* Heavy Shoe Trophy	79	Under 11
		80	11 - 13
		81	13 - 15
Intermediate and Open	* Traditional Set Dance	82	Under 11
		83	11 - 13
		84	13 - 15
RESULTS			

All Levels	Two Hand Reel	85	Under 15
	Three Hand Reel	86	Under 15
	Four Hand Céilí	87	Under 15
	Six And Eight Hand Céilí	88	Under 15

Open	** Premier Championship	89	Under 11
		90	11 - 15
	(1) * Heavy round	91	Under 11
		92	11 - 15
	(2) * Light round	93	Under 11
		94	11 - 15
	(3) Modern set	95	Under 11
		96	11 - 15

All levels	Treble reel	97	Under 15
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RESULTS & FINISH OF SATURDAY COMPETITIONS
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Syllabus Sunday 29th September

Competitions start at 09.30 AM

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* Special Trophy / ** Premier Championship

LEVEL	DANCE	COMP	AGE
Beginners	Reel	98	15 - 18
		99	18 - 23
		100	23 - 30
		101	Over 30
Beginners	Light Jig	102	15 - 18
		103	18 - 23
		104	23 - 30
		105	Over 30
Beginners	Single Jig	106	15 - 18
		107	18 - 23
		108	23 - 30
		109	Over 30
Beginners	Slip Jig	110	15 - 18
		111	18 - 23
		112	23 - 30
		113	Over 30
Beginners	* Light Shoe Trophy	114	15 - 18
		115	18 - 23
		116	23 - 30
		117	Over 30
Beginners	Heavy Jig	118	15 - 18
		119	18 - 23
		120	23 - 30
		121	Over 30
Beginners	Hornpipe	122	15 - 18
		123	18 - 23
		124	23 - 30
		125	Over 30
Beginners	* Heavy Shoe Trophy	126	15 - 18
		127	18 - 23
		128	23 - 30
		129	Over 30
Beginners and Primary	* Traditional Set Dance	130	15 - 18
		131	18 - 23
		132	23 - 30
		133	Over 30
RESULTS			

Primary	Reel	134	15 - 18
		135	18 - 23
		136	23 - 30
		137	Over 30
Primary	Light Jig	138	15 - 18
		139	18 - 23
		140	23 - 30
		141	Over 30
Primary	Single Jig	142	15 - 18
		143	18 - 23
		144	23 - 30
		145	Over 30
Primary	Slip Jig	146	15 - 18
		147	18 - 23
		148	23 - 30

		149	Over 30
Primary	* Light Shoe Trophy	150	15 - 18
		151	18 - 23
		152	23 - 30
		153	Over 30
Primary	Heavy Jig	154	15 - 18
		155	18 - 23
		156	23 - 30
		157	Over 30
Primary	Hornpipe	158	15 - 18
		159	18 - 23
		160	23 - 30
		161	Over 30
Primary	* Heavy Shoe Trophy	162	15 - 18
		163	18 - 23
		164	23 - 30
		165	Over 30

RESULTS & LUNCH

COMPETITIONS WILL START APPROX. 14.30 H (AFTER LUNCH)

Intermediate	Reel	166	15 - 18
		167	18 - 23
		168	23 - 30
		169	Over 30
Intermediate	Light Jig	170	15 - 18
		171	18 - 23
		172	23 - 30
		173	Over 30
Intermediate	Slip Jig	174	15 - 18
		175	18 - 23
		176	23 - 30
		177	Over 30
Intermediate	* Light Shoe Trophy	178	15 - 18
		179	18 - 23
		180	23 - 30
		181	Over 30
Intermediate	Heavy Jig	182	15 - 18
		183	18 - 23
		184	23 - 30
		185	Over 30
Intermediate	Hornpipe	186	15 - 18
		187	18 - 23
		188	23 - 30
		189	Over 30
Intermediate	* Heavy Shoe Trophy	190	15 - 18
		191	18 - 23
		192	23 - 30
		193	Over 30
Intermediate and Open	* Traditional Set Dance	194	15 - 18
		195	18 - 23
		196	23 - 30
		197	Over 30

RESULTS

All Levels	Two Hand Reel	198	Over 15
	Three Hand Reel	199	Over 15
	Four Hand Céilí	200	Over 15
	Six And Eight Hand Céilí	201	Over 15

Open	** Premier Championship	202	15 - 18
		203	18 - 23
		204	Over 23
	(1) * Heavy round	205	15 - 18
		206	18 - 23
		207	Over 23
	(2) * Light round	208	15 - 18
		209	18 - 23
		210	Over 23
	(3) Modern set	211	15 - 18
		212	18 - 23
		213	Over 23

Open	** Adult Championship	214	18 - 23
		215	Over 23
	(1) * Heavy round	216	18 - 23
		217	Over 23
	(2) * Light round	218	18 - 23
		219	Over 23
	(3) Choice of Traditional or Modern set	220	18 - 23
		221	Over 23

All levels	Treble reel	222	Over 15
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RESULTS & FINISH OF SUNDAY COMPETITIONS



**Regional Council
of Continental Europe & Asia**

FEIS RULES



The Feis will run in accordance with the Rules of An Coimisiún Le Rincí Gaelacha.
 Entries will only be accepted from persons currently registered with An Coimisiún.

GRADE COMPETITION RULES

- Beginners Grade** competitions are confined to dancers who have never won 1st, 2nd or 3rd prize (please refer to the grid) in any competition for that particular dance.
- In **Beginners Grade** competitions only basic steps may be performed.
- Primary Grade** competitions are confined to dancers who have never won 1st, 2nd or 3rd prize (please refer to the grid) for that particular dance other than in Beginners Grade.
- Intermediate Grade** competitions are open to all dancers who have not previously won 1st or 2nd prize (please refer to the grid) for that particular dance in Intermediate under the same or higher age limits. If a dancer in Continental Europe and Asia wins in Intermediate, they advance to the next level for the rest of the calendar year. Teachers can move dancers back at their own discretion at the start of the next calendar year.

Grade	Number of entries	Number of Dancers to progress
Beginner	5 or less	0
	6 to 10	1 st and 2 nd Place
	+ 11	1 st , 2 nd and 3 rd Place
Primary	5 or less	0
	6 to 10	1 st Place
	11 to 20	1 st and 2 nd Place
	+ 20	1 st , 2 nd and 3 rd Place
Intermediate	5 or less	0
	6 to 10	1 st Place
	+ 11	1 st and 2 nd Place

- For all **Beginner**, **Primary** and **Intermediate** competitions (excluding trophy competitions) the 32 bar method will be applied.
 Two and three hands are danced to 40 bars of music. Ceili and figure dances are subject to the rules applied at Oireachtasi. All **Open Championship** dancers will be required to dance to 48 bars of music in the reel and jig and 40 bars in the slip-jig and hornpipe.

TROPHY & CHAMPIONSHIP RULES

- Traditional Set Dance** competitions, dancers will have a choice out of 7 traditional dance: St. Patrick's Day, Blackbird, Job of Journeywork, Garden of Daisies, King of Fairies, Jockey to the Fair & Three sea Captains. If a dancer win a first place in any traditional set dance competition, that dancer move on the next level in all 7 traditional set dances.
- Traditional Set Dances** may only be performed in the following competitions: Traditional Set dance Competitions and Adult Championships and in the Under 11 Open Championships.
- Beginner, Primary and Intermediate Trophy** competitions, will be a choice of light and heavy dance. Dancers will dance 16 bars down the line in their chosen dance(s).
- Premier Championships** will be judged by one adjudicator, as two solos and then an Overall result. The Competition is for Intermediate/ Open dancers, they will be required to dance 48 bars of music for the Reel or Heavy Jig, 40 bars of music for the Slip Jig or Hornpipe, and a MODERN SET.
- Adult Championships** are open to dancers of Intermediate and above level who have never won a 1st, 2nd or 3rd place in an Open Championship and are not participating in a full Open Championship at the same feis. Dancers are required to dance to 32 bars of music and will dance a choice of soft shoe (Reel or Slip Jig for ladies and Reel for gentlemen), heavy shoe (Heavy Jig or Hornpipe) and a Traditional Set. *Please note these Championships have been created for dancers who started Irish Dancing as ADULTS.*
- Where there are 5 or less dancers in any Championship placement will not affect grading.

MUSIC SPEEDS

DANCE	BEGINNER	PRIMARY	INTERMEDIATE and OPEN
Reel	121/123	116/118	113
Light Jig	116	116	116
Single Jig	124	124	124
Slip Jig	121	118	113

Heavy Jig	89	79	73
Hornpipe	142	130	113

OFFICIAL CLRG RULES

12. The lodgement of an entry will be taken to mean that teachers and pupils understand these rules and undertake to abide by them.
13. **Objections** must be lodged in writing within one hour of the announcement of the result of a competition accompanied by a fee of 40 Euro, which will be refunded if the objection is upheld.
14. The **Adjudicators' decisions** are final.
15. Only Feis officials may approach the adjudicators during competition sessions.
16. **Age** will be taken as on 1st January 2023 (whatever age you turn this year, in 2023, you dance under that age all year long, e.g. if a dancer's date of birth is 29 May 2002, he/she dances under 10 in the year 2012). Evidence of age may be requested, therefore dancers should have a valid ID with them in the event of a query as to their age.
17. Competitors must be in costume and **ready to dance** 30 minutes before their competitions are scheduled.
18. The **dress code** in accordance with An Coimisiún rules will be strictly observed. For the sake of modesty and in the interest of safety to young people, dancers will not be permitted to walk around the Feis scantily dressed.
19. All **Beginners** and **Primary** dancers of all age groups may only wear a class costume, simple dancewear or appropriate attire (skirt and top/blouse, simple dress for girls and ladies, trousers and t-shirt/shirt for boys and gents. Make-up is not permitted for any dancer in the first two grades up to and including the Under 12 age group worldwide.
20. The **Costume Rules** of An Coimisiún, as amended, also apply in Continental Europe and Asia; it can be found in the "Rules" section on www.clrq.ie for reference. Female adult dancers participating in competitions entitled 'adult competition' and/or 'adult grade competition' (both solo and team) are required to wear tights of a denier not less than 70.
21. Team dances (four hands and upward) must be performed as per the Coimisiún handbook "Ar Rinci Ceili"
22. By entering in competitions, dancers (or their legal representatives, in case of minors) consent to their names being stated in the feis results and in the public Internet archives or any other feis entry/results system as may replace it.
23. Provided that dancers are not disturbed by flashlights or the like, photography and video recording by persons other than official feis photographers is allowed during **Beginners** and **Primary** competitions and during **ALL** award ceremonies. During **Intermediate** and **Open** competitions, **ONLY** the official feis photographer is permitted to take photos. Those who do not wish to be photographed should make themselves known to the Feis Organisers.
24. An Coimisiún has ruled that from 1st January each year, no block, en pointe, stationary or moving, be allowed to be performed for all ages up to and including the under 12 age group worldwide. The Under 12 Age Group will be allowed to toe walk from September 1st.
25. Within the limits specified in the Rules of An Coimisiún, the Organisers may at their discretion cancel or combine competitions with insufficient entries.
26. **Order and quiet** must be kept in the hall, particularly while competitors are dancing.
27. The Feis organisers cannot accept any liability for injury or loss or damage to property while on the premises.
28. No **refunds** will be made.

EXTRA MOUNTAIN ROSE FEIS RULES

31. Dancers competing in the **Treble Reel** Competitions will dance 16 bars down the line Creative Freestyle. Therefore use of hands, improvised steps and non-traditional dance wear in accordance with the feis theme are permitted.