

**WAIKATO PIPERS' CLUB (INC)**

*Together with Pub Charity*

**PROUDLY PRESENTS THE THIRD ANNUAL**

**PIPING TRI-SERIES**

**FOR SOLO BAGPIPE PLAYERS**

**THE FINAL COMPETITION IN THE 2010 SERIES  
IS TO BE HELD ON**

**SATURDAY 10TH JULY 2010**

at

**BERKLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, BERKLEY AVE,  
HILLCREST, HAMILTON  
(BERKLEY AVE IS OFF MORRINSVILLE RD WHICH IS SH 26)**

This Piping Tri - SERIES is an annual competition for B, C, D and Novice pipers. There will be four competitions in the 2010 TRI-SERIES.

Waipu Highland Games (1st January 2010), Paeroa Highland Games (13th February 2010), Hastings Highland Games (Easter 2010) and Hamilton TRI-SERIES (10 July 2010).

Attendance at the Hamilton competition is compulsory. Competitors are encouraged to compete at all four competitions, however, the overall TRI-SERIES prizewinners will be determined by adding up each competitor's total points from their three most successful competitions.

The Piping Tri-Series prizes will be presented at an evening recital (venue to be announced) at the completion of the Hamilton competition on 10 July 2010. The winners of the B, C and D grades of the 2010 TRI SERIES will be invited to play at the recital. Recitalists will be Marion Horsburgh, Stuart Easton and Brendon Eade. Tickets for the Recital (including finger food) will be \$20 for Adults and \$10 for Schoolchildren. Book your tickets on the attached entry form.

## TRI-SERIES PRIZES

**B GRADE - SET OF STRATHMORE BAGPIPES**  
**C GRADE - STRATHMORE SOLO CHANTER**  
**D GRADE - STRATHMORE PRACTICE CHANTER**  
**NOVICE – TEN LESSONS AT CNI PIPING**  
**ACADEMY**

## JUDGES

Marion Horsburgh - Wellington  
 Stuart Easton - Palmerston North

## HAMILTON PROGRAMME

GRADE	.NO.	ENTRY FEE	EVENT	
B	B1	\$4.00	Piobaireachd	) Points Prize
				) 1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup>
B	B2	\$4.00	March, Strathspey & Reel	) \$100 \$60 \$40
C	C1	\$3.00	Piobaireachd (Ground & 1 <sup>st</sup> Variation)	
C	C2	\$3.00	Strathspey & Reel	) Points Prize
C	C3	\$3.00	2/4 March	) 1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup>
				) \$50 \$30 \$20
D	D1	\$2.00	Piobaireachd (Ground only)	) Points Prize
D	D2	\$2.00	2/4 March	) 1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup>
D	D3	\$2.00	Strathspey & Reel	) \$30 \$20 \$10
Novice	N1	\$1.00	March - 4 parts any time signature)	Points Prize
Novice	N2	\$1.00	Slow Air	) 1 <sup>st</sup> \$20

#### PIPING RULES

1. All competitors to be members of the Piping and Dancing Assn of NZ (Membership application forms available on the day)
2. To be conducted under the rules of the Piping & Dancing Assn of NZ
3. Competitors must report to board stewards prior to each event otherwise their right to compete may be forfeited
4. Competitors must compete in same order as the draw or as directed by the board steward and should have pipes tuned in readiness
5. Tuning time on the board must be kept to an absolute minimum (not to exceed 3 minutes)
6. All competitors must be suitably attired in Highland Dress when competing and at the prize giving.
7. Competitors to play in one grade only. Small music grade is also the competitor's piobaireachd grade.
8. Entry fees and prize money are noted above
9. Individual competition winners will receive monetary points prizes for each of the four Tri-Series competitions.
10. TRI-SERIES winners will receive their prizes at the completion of the Hamilton competition on 10 July 2010 at an evening recital starting at 7pm (Venue to be announced)
11. The Judges decisions will be final.
12. Previous winners of the B Grade TRI-SERIES are ineligible to compete in the 2010 series
13. PIPING TRI-SERIES competitions will be held on Friday 1 January 2010(Waipu), Saturday 13 February (Paeroa), Easter 2010 (Hastings), and 10 July (Hamilton)
14. Novice for this competition means a piper who has not won a Novice event before 31 December 2009

#### HAMILTON ENTRIES CLOSE:

Sunday 27 June 2010

#### SEND ENTRY TO:

PIPING TRI-SERIES, PO Box 700, Hamilton

#### NEED FURTHER INFORMATION:

Mail - PIPING TRI-SERIES, PO Box 700, Hamilton  
Fax - (07) 829 8680  
Email - r.eade@xtra.co.nz

2010 PIPING TRI-SERIES  
AND EVENING RECITAL  
AT HAMILTON

SATURDAY 10 July 2010

ENTRY FORM

Name .....

Address .....

Telephone (.....).....Fax (.....).....

Email .....

Event No.	Title (e.g. M/S/R/ etc)	Fee
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Please reserve ..... Adult recital tickets @ \$20

Please reserve ..... Child recital tickets @ \$10

Enclosed cheque made out to 'Waikato Pipers Club' for \$.....

Send completed entry form together with entry fee cheque to:  
**2010 PIPING TRI-SERIES,**  
PO BOX 700,  
HAMILTON.  
by 27 June 2010