

MID YEAR COMPETITION PROGRAMME

Friday 24th of June 2021 and Saturday 25th of June 2022 commencing at 9am
at Blyth Performing Arts Centre, Iona College, Havelock North

Adjudicators: Denise Woodmass (Levin), Linda Gray (Palmerston North)
& Dayna Murrell (Hastings)

NORTH ISLAND CHAMPIONSHIPS

1. Open Double Time Irish Jig - 1st Sash & \$25, 2nd Sash & \$15, 3rd Sash & \$10
2. Under 18 Seann Truibhas - 1st Sash & \$25, 2nd Sash & \$15, 3rd Sash & \$10
3. Under 16 Highland Fling - 1st Sash & \$25, 2nd Sash & \$15, 3rd Sash & \$10

HAWKES BAY CHAMPIONSHIPS

4. Under 11 Highland Fling - 1st Sash & Certificate, 2nd Sash, 3rd Sash
5. Under 13 Seann Truibhas - 1st Sash & Certificate, 2nd Sash, 3rd Sash
6. Under 15 Irish Hornpipe - 1st Sash, Certificate, 2nd Sash, 3rd Sash
(Lara Challenge Cup – Irish Hornpipe)

7. Novice Under 14 Highland Fling
(J & P O'Shannessy Cup)

6 YEARS & UNDER

8. Merit Award Highland Fling **
9. Highland Fling **
10. Sword Dance **
11. Irish Jig **
(Heretaunga Thistle Club Cup)

UNDER 8 YEARS

12. Merit Award Irish Jig
13. Highland Fling **
14. Sword Dance **
15. Irish Jig **
16. Sailors Hornpipe **
(G & J Newdick Cup)

UNDER 10 YEARS

17. Merit Award Sword Dance
18. Highland Fling **
19. Sword Dance **
20. Irish Jig **
21. Sailors Hornpipe **
(Robyn Steenson Cup)

UNDER 12 YEARS

22. Merit Award Highland Reel
23. Highland Fling **
24. Sword Dance **
25. Irish Jig **
26. Sailors Hornpipe **
(Heretaunga Thistle Club Cup)

UNDER 14 YEARS

27. Merit Award Sailors Hornpipe
28. Highland Fling **
29. Sword Dance **
30. Highland Reel
31. Seann Truibhas **
32. Irish Jig **
(F & H Tobin Challenge Cup)

UNDER 16 YEARS

33. Merit Award Reel O Tulloch
34. Highland Fling **
35. Sword Dance **
36. Single Irish Jig **
37. Sailors Hornpipe **
(Gaynor Gifkins Challenge Cup)

OPEN

38. Merit Award Irish Hornpipe
39. Highland Fling **
40. Sword Dance
41. Highland Reel
42. Seann Truibhas **
43. Reel O Tulloch
44. Single Irish Jig **
45. Irish Reel
46. Sailors Hornpipe **
(Heretaunga Thistle Club Committee Cup)

PDANZ
 Centre Hawkes Bay
 Approved
 Date 7/5/22

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RESTRICTED CLASSES for competitors who have not won a most points prize in the last twelve months including classes of this type

UNDER 10 CLASS

47. Highland Fling
48. Sword Dance
49. Irish Jig
(Heretaunga Thistle Club Trophy)

UNDER 14 CLASS

50. Highland Fling
51. Sword Dance
52. Sailors Hornpipe
(Heretaunga Thistle Club Trophy)

PRIZES

Events 7 to 32, 48 to 53: Merit Events – Rosettes 1st, 2nd & 3rd
Other Events – Medals 1st, 2nd & 3rd
Events 33 to 47: Merit Events – 1st \$10, 2nd \$8 & 3rd \$6
Other Events - 1st \$8, 2nd \$6 & 3rd \$4

ADDITIONAL TROPHIES

Doug Astwood Memorial Shield – Most Points over day within age group (Please note only the dances asterisked (**)) will be counted towards the calculation of points for this shield)
Jayden Jane Cup – Junior Competitor Showing Best Department and Interpretation
Brenton Jane Cup – Senior Competitor Showing Best Department and Interpretation

ENTRY FEES

North Island Championship Events 1 to 3: \$7.50 per dance
Hawkes Bay Championship Events 4 to 6: \$5.00 per dance
Age Group Events 7 to 32: Merit Events \$3.50 per dance
Other Events \$3.20 per dance
Age Group Events 33 to 47: Merit Events \$4.50 per dance
Other Events \$3.80 per dance
Restricted Class Events: \$3.20 per dance

Please send entries to: Nicole Brocklehurst
58 Allens Lane, Clive, 4102

Or email to entries to: HeretaungaThistle@gmail.com

Internet banking: Heretaunga Thistle Club Inc
Bank account number 12-3493-0073980-00

Please use Dancer's name in the Reference Code if paying by internet banking.

Closing Date: 14th June 2022

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- * At the Committee's discretion, events may be pre-drawn and the Committee may alter the programme to remove any dance they consider may pose any risk to dancers, attendees or any person at the venues.
- * Conducted under the rules of the Piping & Dancing Association of NZ and in accordance with any guidance issued by the Piping & Dancing Assn of NZ in respect of Covid-19 restrictions. Please refer to the attached PDANZ requirements.
- * Registration cards must be sighted to collect numbers.
- * Competitors enter at their own risk.
- * Any published Order of Events is indicative only and may be changed on the day.
- * Late entries will be accepted on the day at a cost of \$1 extra per dance.
- * A 4th medal will be given if 12 or more entries in any one class and a 5th medal will be given if 15 or more entries in any one class.

You will be asked on the Entry Form whether you permit the Piping and Dancing Association of New Zealand (Association) and/or the Heretaunga Thistle Club Inc the right to use your name, image, photograph, picture or video captured performance in connection with this competition.

If you elect not to grant the Association/Society the right to use your image, it is your responsibility to remove yourself from situations where photos are likely to be taken, such as at presentation time. The Association/Society does not guarantee that your image will not be published as part of a larger group or performance photograph, and by participating in the competition or event you automatically waive your rights in respect of such images.

RESTRICTED NUMBER OF ENTRIES / ALTERATION TO PROGRAMME – IF COVID SETTINGS CHANGE

In the event that New Zealand is subject to conditions which either: (a) Restricts the number of attendees at a venue under the Covid Protection Framework (or any other restrictions imposed by central or local government or the HBDHB), and/or (b) Isolation requirements or travel restrictions impact on the Society's ability to run the competition:

1. The Committee reserves the right to cancel the competition at any time. Where the Committee elects to cancel the competition due to financial reasons / low entry numbers, the Committee will provide at least 72 hours' notice to enable cancellation of accommodation for those competitors travelling from outside of Hawkes Bay. In all other instances, the Committee will provide as much notice as possible in the circumstances, however this may occur right up to the day before the competition.
2. All Reel events will only be run if restrictions permit and if cancelled, entry fees for those events refunded.
3. Where there are limits on attendees at venues or events:
 - * The competition will only run with competitors totalling half:

The lesser number of attendees permitted)	
by either the Covid Protection Framework,)	
PDANZ requirements, central or local)	minus one
government or HBDHB restrictions, or)	
the venue requirements)	

 ("the Maximum Number").
 - * Each competitor will only be permitted one additional person to attend in support.
 - * When a competitor enters, they will be assigned a number of entry. Those entered in North Island Championships will be assigned earlier numbers. Only those competitors with numbers of entry less than the Maximum Number may attend the competition. Assigned number of entry will be advised once entries close.
 - * If a competitor with a number less than the Maximum Number withdraws, the next competitor in the numbers of entry exceeding the Maximum Number will be notified that they may elect to compete.
 - * Those competitors with numbers exceeding the Maximum Number, will not be required to pay their entry fees unless they are advanced up into the list of those competitors who may compete.
 - * The North Island Championships will be cancelled and entry fees for those events refunded, if the total number of entries exceed the Maximum Number.

4. A kitchen may not be available on the day.
The Committee reserves the right to amend these requirements in line with (or to meet) any guidance issued by the government, PDANZ or the venue.

THIS IS WORSE CASE PLANNING ONLY AND WE ARE HOPEFUL WILL NEVER BE REQUIRED. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE EMAIL US OR RING FOR CLARIFICATION.

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The Duke of Gloucester in Taradale

