

Claraíthe Leis An Coimisiún Le Ríncí Gaelacha

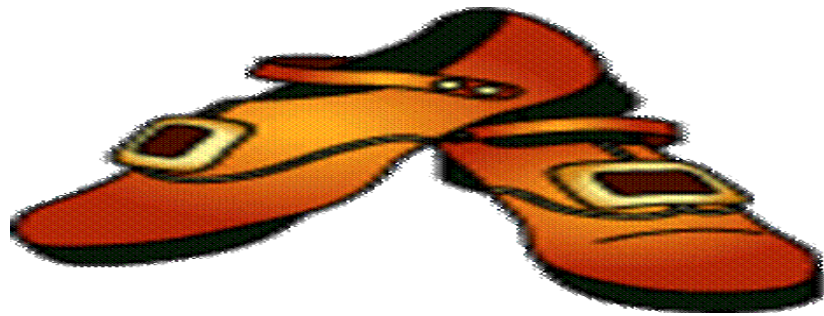
The Dominican Academy

Presents

Feis Na gCeithre Maistir Winter Championships

In the Holyrood Hotel,
Bundoran, Co. Donegal.

On Saturday 26th & Sunday 27th January, 2008.



Adjudicators:

Tanya Dirrane Hobbs A.D.C.R.G. - London

Sharon Taylor A.D.C.R.G. - Scotland

Gerard Stack A.D.C.R.G. - Limerick

Musicians:

Dean Crouch - London

Darren Checkly - Birmingham

Closing date for entries: 10th January, 2008

Syllabus Approved By: _____

Feis Registrar An Comhairle Uladh.

Dear Teachers,

We would like to invite you back to the 2nd Winter Feis Na gCeithre Maistir and would like to take this opportunity to thank all dance schools who have supported us in the past and look forward to seeing you all again this year.

We are pleased to announce that we have a pool of three wonderful adjudicators and two excellent musicians from across the water. Peter Boylan will be providing us with his usual excellent, professional services. He will be doing a full championship results system, which will be in operation throughout the weekend and results will be available for purchase.

By now we have gained quite a reputation for our wonderful and very generous prizes. This year the same level can be expected. Sashes and cups for top five in all our Craobh Comortas (Both Preliminary and Ardgard.)

As the feis falls in the Christmas holiday period, we would appreciate full co-operation from teachers. Closing date is the 10th January.

We look forward to seeing you all in Donegal Soon.

Chris Domican T.C.R.G. & Chantelle Byrne.

Saturday 26th January, 2008

	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Dances All Ages:</u>
<u>8.30am</u>	<u>U/7&U/9 Bun</u>	<u>Cor, Port Luasca, Port Singil, Port</u>
<u>9.30am</u>	<u>U/7&U/9 Tus</u>	
<u>10.30am</u>	<u>U/11, U/13&O/13 Bun</u>	
<u>11.30am</u>	<u>U/11, U/13&O/13 Tus</u>	

** Bun & Tus are all pay on the day.*

(Preliminary) Craobh Comortas

	<u>Stage</u>	<u>Dances</u>
<u>12.30pm</u>	<u>U/6 & U/7</u>	<u>Up To U/7</u> <u>Cor, Port Singil, Port</u>
<u>1.30pm</u>	<u>U/8 & U/9</u>	<u>U/8 To Senior</u> <u>Cor/Port Luasca,</u> <u>Port/Cornphiopa, Recall</u> <u>Rince Leithlach Trad</u>
<u>3pm</u>	<u>U/10 & U/11</u>	
<u>4.30pm</u>	<u>U/12 & U/13</u>	
<u>5.30pm</u>	<u>U/14 & O/14</u>	

The Preliminary Championship will have 3 adjudicators. Dances are eligible provided they are Meangrad level for this year in the persific dances and HAVE NEVER WON a 3 adjudicator championship.

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Sunday 27th January, 2008

Craobh Comortas:

	<u>Stage 1</u>	<u>Dances</u>
<u>8.30am</u>	<u>U/5, U/6, U/7</u>	<u>Cor, Port Singil, Port Eatrom</u>
<u>10am</u>	<u>U/8, U/9</u>	<u>Port, Rince Leithlach Trad & Cor</u>
<u>11.30am</u>	<u>U/10, U/11</u>	<u>Port/Cornphiopa, Cor/Port Luasca Recall Rince Leithlach</u>
<u>2pm</u>	<u>U/12, U/13</u>	<u>Port/Cornphiopa, Cor/Port Luasca Recall Rince Leithlach</u>
<u>4pm</u>	<u>U/14, U/15</u>	<u>Port/Cornphiopa, Cor/Port Luasca Recall Rince Leithlach</u>
<u>6pm</u>	<u>U/16, 16-18, O/18</u>	<u>Port/Cornphiopa, Cor/Port Luasca Recall Rince Leithlach</u>

Fees:

*Bun & Tus €5 per dance

*All Championships €23 euro

Please make euro cheques payable to: Dominican Academy

Please post to: Chantelle Byrne, Main st,

Ballyshannon, Co Donegal.

ENTRIES CLOSE: 10TH JANUARY, 2008.

Nearest Airports:

Knock Airport (96 km): Derry Airport (94 km):

Donegal (Carrickfin) Airport (83km):

Belfast Int. (172km), Belfast City: (189km) & Dublin: (224km)

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RULES

1. Age reckoned from 1st January 2008.
2. Adjudicators decision is final.
3. Entries accepted only from those currently registered with An Coimisiun Le Rinci Gaelacha as Dancing teachers.
4. Objections must be lodged in writing within one hour of the end of the competition and to be accompanied by a fee of €15.
5. Toe blocks or en-points are not permitted for dancers under and including the age of 12 years.
6. **Bungrad and Tusgrad** are confined to competitors who reside in Ulster and the bordering counties of Sligo and Leitrim. Make up is not permitted and dancers may wear either classcostumes or day clothes.
7. **Bungrad**: Confined to competitors who have never won first place in that specified dance in a registred competition. **Basic steps only.**
8. **Tusgrad**: Confined to competitors who have never won first place in Tusgrad or Meangrad for that specified dance in that particular dance. **Basic steps or their first difficult version of each dance only. Heavy Jig must be similar to that of St pats Day.**
9. **Preliminary (Championship)**: Confined to competitors who have never won first place in Meangrad in that particular age group and who have never won a 3 adjudicator championship. This will be adjudicated by a panel of 3 adjudicators.
10. **Craobh Comortas (Championship)** will be adjudicated by a panel of 3 adjudicators and a solo result will be given for each round of the championship.
11. The minimum number of bars of music required are as follow:
Reels and Jigs 40 bars, Slip Jig & Hornpipe 32 bars.
12. The feis committee will not be responsible for injury to persons or damage to property, either inside or outside of the hall.
13. The feis committee reserve the right to use relief adjudicators in order to keep the feis running smoothly.
14. The use of any form of unauthorised photography which has the capability to capture a dancer's image while in motion is strictly forbidden in competition.
15. Teas and refreshments available in the hall.
16. For Accommodation enquires check out www.donegalbay.com for all Hotel, B&B, Self catering and Apartments in the area.
17. Bungrad: Reel 128-130, Light Jig 116, Single Jig 124, Slip Jig 124, Heavy Jig 96.
Tusgrad: Reel 116-118 Light Jig 116, Single Jig 124, Slip Jig 120, Heavy Jig 82.
Meangrad/Ardgrad: Reel 113, Slip Jig 113, Heavy Jig 76, Hornpipe 113.
Trad Sets: St Pats Day 96, Blackbird 14, Job Of Journey 138, Garden Of Daises 138.

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