

McDonald School Fall Feis

Sunday October 4, 2015



JM McDonald Sports Complex Cortland, NY

Opening Ceremonies at 8:30 AM
Figures to follow immediately after
Entry deadline September 20, 2015
or until Cap of 750 reached

Chairperson: Amy Markwardt TCRG

Entries Online Only: www.feisweb.com

Entry Secretary: Karen Frost

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***Sashes for Prelim and Champion 1st, 2nd, 3rd**

*** Championship and Prelim Round Awards* *Prelim Set Dances***

****Please note: No outside food, beverages or coolers will be allowed.****

Food and beverages will be available for purchase at venue concessions

ENTRIES ON FEISWEB ONLY – NO MAILED IN PAYMENTS

NEW – Day of Feis Entries will be allowed with \$50 day-of-feis entry fee in addition to all other applicable fees

ADJUDICATORS

Ryan Carroll (ONT), Rosemarie Schade (NY), Elicia Greenway-Folmar (MA), Joe Seletski (NY), Irene Horgan (CT), Amy Siegel Loxley (NY)

More to be added

MUSICIANS

Niall O'Leary, Jim Butke, Linda Harter, Bill Keller, Tony Rutherford

SEE WEB SITE

WWW.CNYIRISHDANCE.COM

FOR UPDATES

*FEIS IS REGISTERED, SANCTIONED AND WILL BE GOVERNED BY THE RULES OF AN COIMISIUN (WWW.CLRG.IE)
THE MID-ATLANTIC REGION (WWW.MID-ATLANTICREGION.COM) AND THE
NORTH AMERICAN FEIS COMMISSION, (WWW.NORTHAMERICANFEISCOMMISSION.ORG) PATRICIA WATKINS - PRESIDENT*

The NAFC MINOR CHAMPIONSHIP GEORGE SWEETNAM TROPHY,
NAFC JUNIOR IRISH DANCING CHAMPIONSHIP ROBERT GABOR TROPHY, and
NAFC SENIOR IRISH DANCING CHAMPIONSHIP GERRY CAMPBELL BELT
will be held jointly on February 7, 2015 at the Arizona Grand Resort, Phoenix, AZ
Under 15 NAFC Music Scholarship will be held at the Rockland County Feis, July 19, 2015
15 and Over NAFC Music Scholarship will be held at the St. Louis Irish Arts Feis, February 14, 2015

**THE FEIS COMMITTEE, MCDONALD SCHOOL of IRISH DANCE, or JM MCDONALD SPORTS COMPLEX,
or any other organizations affiliated with same will not be held responsible for personal injury, property loss or damage.
Destruction of FEIS property or rental property will be punishable by law.**

SPECIAL CHILD Boys & Girls	Any dance may be performed
All Ages	106
PRE- BEGINNER Boys & Girls	Open to 3 and 4 year olds who are not Beginners. One step of the Reel will be performed.
Under 5	105

BEGINNER <i>Boys & Girls</i>	A beginner is a competitor who has not taken Irish dancing lessons from a registered teacher <u>prior</u> to September 1st of previous year. <i>Dancer must move into Advanced Beginner the following year.</i> <u>NO SOLO COSTUMES ALLOWED.</u> Skirt and blouse or school costumes ONLY							
		<i>UNDER 6</i>	<i>UNDER 7</i>	<i>UNDER 8</i>	<i>UNDER 9</i>	<i>UNDER 10</i>	<i>UNDER 11</i>	<i>UNDER 12</i>
REEL—tempo 118	1006	1007	1008	1009	1010	1011	1012	1013
SLIP JIG—tempo 118	1106	1107	1108	1109	1110	1111	1112	1113
LIGHT JIG	1206	1207	1208	1209	1210	1211	1212	1213

ADVANCED BEGINNER <i>Boys & Girls</i>	An Advanced Beginner is a dancer who has taken lessons from a registered teacher for <u>more than 1 year</u> . <i>An Advanced Beginner who wins a 1st, 2nd or 3rd place will advance to the Novice category In that particular dance the next year.</i> <u>NO SOLO COSTUMES ALLOWED.</u> Skirt and blouse or school costumes ONLY							
		<i>UNDER 6</i>	<i>UNDER 7</i>	<i>UNDER 8</i>	<i>UNDER 9</i>	<i>UNDER 10</i>	<i>UNDER 11</i>	<i>UNDER 12</i>
REEL—tempo 118	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
SLIP JIG—tempo 118	2106	2107	2108	2109	2110	2111	2112	2113
LIGHT JIG	2206	2207	2208	2209	2210	2211	2212	2213
TREBLE JIG--tempo 92	2306	2307	2308	2309	2310	2311	2312	2313
HORNPIPE--tempo 138	2406	2407	2408	2409	2410	2411	2412	2413

NOVICE <i>Boys & Girls</i>	A Novice is a dancer who has previously won a 1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd in Advanced Beginner. <i>A novice who wins a 1st place will advance to the Prizewinner category in that particular dance the next year.</i>									
		<i>UNDER 7</i>	<i>UNDER 8</i>	<i>UNDER 9</i>	<i>UNDER 10</i>	<i>UNDER 11</i>	<i>UNDER 12</i>	<i>UNDER 13</i>	<i>UNDER 14</i>	<i>UNDER 15</i>
REEL	3007	3008	3009	3010	3011	3012	3013	3014	3015	3016
SLIP JIG	3107	3108	3109	3110	3111	3112	3113	3114	3115	3116
LIGHT JIG	3207	3208	3209	3210	3211	3212	3213	3214	3215	3216
TREBLE JIG--tempo 73 or 92	3307	3308	3309	3310	3311	3312	3313	3314	3315	3316
HORNPIPE—tempo 113 or 138	3407	3408	3409	3410	3411	3412	3413	3414	3415	3416

PRIZEWINNER <i>Boys & Girls</i>	A prizewinner is a dancer who has previously won a 1 st in Novice in a particular dance.									
		<i>UNDER 8</i>	<i>UNDER 9</i>	<i>UNDER 10</i>	<i>UNDER 11</i>	<i>UNDER 12</i>	<i>UNDER 13</i>	<i>UNDER 14</i>	<i>UNDER 15</i>	<i>15 & OVER</i>
REEL	4008	4009	4010	4011	4012	4013	4014	4015	4016	
SLIP JIG	4108	4109	4110	4111	4112	4113	4114	4115	4116	
TREBLE JIG--tempo 73	4308	4309	4310	4311	4312	4313	4314	4315	4316	
HORNPIPE--tempo 113	4408	4409	4410	4411	4412	4413	4414	4415	4416	

TRADITIONAL SET <i>Boys & Girls</i>	<u>OPEN ONLY TO</u> NOVICE & PRIZEWINNERS				
	JOCKEY TO THE FAIR - ST PATRICK'S DAY - JOB OF JOURNEY WORK - KING OF THE FAIRIES THE BLACKBIRD - GARDEN OF DAISIES - 3 SEA CAPTAINS				
	<i>UNDER 9</i>	<i>UNDER 10</i>	<i>UNDER 12</i>	<i>UNDER 14</i>	<i>14 & OVER</i>
COMP. 500	COMP. 501	COMP. 502	COMP. 503	COMP. 504	

PRELIMINARY CHAMPIONSHIP

Choice of 1 Softshoe (Reel or Slip Jig) and 1 Hardshoe (Treble Jig or Hornpipe) Dancers must specify dances when registering on FEISWEB

UNDER 9	609
UNDER 10	610
UNDER 11	611
UNDER 12	612
UNDER 13	613
UNDER 14	614
UNDER 15	615
UNDER 16	616
UNDER 17	617
17 & OVER	618

PRELIMINARY SETPIECE

Must dance a Contemporary Setpiece of your choice
Under 9 age group must dance a Traditional Set

UNDER 9	609SP
UNDER 10	610SP
UNDER 11	611SP
UNDER 12	612SP
UNDER 13	613SP
UNDER 14	614SP
UNDER 15	615SP
UNDER 16	616SP
UNDER 17	617SP
17 & OVER	618SP

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

3 ROUNDS – Choice of 1 Softshoe (Reel or Slip Jig) and 1 Hardshoe (Treble Jig or Hornpipe) AND Setpiece of own choice
Dancers must specify dances when registering on FEISWEB. Under 9 age group must dance Traditional Setpiece.

GIRLS UNDER 9	709	BOYS UNDER 9	708
GIRLS UNDER 11	711	BOYS UNDER 10	710
GIRLS UNDER 13	713	BOYS UNDER 12	712
GIRLS UNDER 15	715	BOYS UNDER 14	714
GIRLS UNDER 17	717	BOYS UNDER 16	716
GIRLS UNDER 19	719	BOYS UNDER 18	718
GIRLS 19 & OVER	720	BOYS 18 & OVER	721

FIGURE DANCES – BOYS AND GIRLS

UNDER 12	801 – 2 HAND DANCE
	802 – 4 HAND DANCE (may dance 4 hand reel or jig)
	803 – 8 HAND CEILI DANCE
UNDER 15	804 – 2 HAND DANCE
	805 – 4 HAND DANCE (may dance 4 hand reel or jig)
	806 – 8 HAND CEILI DANCE
15 & OVER	807 – 2 HAND DANCE
	808 – 4 HAND DANCE (may dance 4 hand reel or jig)
	809 – 8 HAND CEILI DANCE
SIBLING FIGURE	ALL AGES, MUST BE SIBLING OR COUSIN
	820 – 2 HAND
	821 - 3 OR MORE HAND
FIGURE CHOREOGRAPHY	810 – UNDER 12 FIGURE ** must provide own music
	812 – UNDER 15 FIGURE ** must provide own music
	815 – 15 & OVER FIGURE ** must provide own music

CASSIDY MEMORIAL TREBLE REEL

All proceeds to benefit the National Autism Association (NAA)

TREBLE REEL – NON CHAMPION	UNDER 14 900 Cassidy Perpetual Trophy	14 AND OVER 901 Cassidy Trophy
TREBLE REEL – CHAMPIONSHIP	UNDER 14 902 Cassidy Perpetual Trophy	14 AND OVER 903 Cassidy Trophy

The winners of our Perpetual trophies will keep the trophy for one year and must return it to the McDonald School of Irish Dance no later than 6 weeks prior to our feis.

HALLOWEEN COSTUME REEL

PERFORM 2 STEPS OF REEL IN A HALLOWEEN COSTUME

UNDER 10	950	UNDER 14	951	14& Over	952
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CELTIC ART AND BAKING

TRADITIONAL BAKING		CELTIC ART DESIGN	
SODA BREAD	SB-1	UNDER 10	CA-1
SPECIALTY BREAD	SB-2	UNDER 14	CA-2
		14& OVER	CA-3

NO REFUNDS FOR ANY REASON

MARKS ARE INCLUDED IN COMPETITION FEES

The Feis Committee reserves the right to combine competitions with less than 5 dancers

ALL SOLO COMPETITIONS/TREBLE REEL/TRAD SET/FIGURES/ART	\$8.50/dance
SPECIAL CHILD / TRADITIONAL BAKING	NO FEE
PRELIMINARY CHAMPIONSHIP	\$28.00/competitor
OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP----(INCLUDES 3 ROUNDS)	\$32.00/competitor
MAXIMUM FAMILY FEE (NOT INCLUDING \$15.00 FAMILY EVENT FEE)	\$90.00
DANCERS MUST BE REGISTERED ON FEISWEB – NO MAILED ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED – PAYPAL ONLY	
LATE ENTRY FEE \$20 PER DANCER/FAMILY for entries RECEIVED AFTER SEPTEMBER 20 but before SEPTEMBER 27	
<u>CHANGES AFTER September 20 - \$10 per Dancer</u>	

DIRECTIONS TO FEIS: JM McDonald Sports Complex 4292 Fairgrounds Dr. Cortland, NY 13045

From Buffalo/Rochester and West – 90 East (Thruway) towards Syracuse to 81 South. From 81 South take exit #12 Homer and follow directions below.

From Albany and East – 90 West (Thruway) towards Syracuse to 81 South. From 81 South take exit #12 Homer and follow the directions below.

From NYC area – 17 Westbound to Binghamton. Take 81 North to exit #12 Homer and follow the directions below.

Directions from exit #12 Homer – continue straight off exit ramp following signs for 281, getting into the left lane. Follow road until you come to a T in the road. Turn left onto 281. Pass the Cortland Country Club on left and take the 2nd left onto Fisher Ave. Take the next right onto Fairgrounds Drive. The JM McDonald Sports Complex will be on the left. Parking is on your right past the curve in the road.

LOCAL HOTELS:

Hampton Inn 26 River Street, Cortland NY

www.cortland.hamptoninn.com

For Rules and Additional Information, please see the following websites:

North American Feis Commission (Feis Rules). . . <http://www.northamericanfeiscommission.org/index.asp>

An Coimisiún le Rincí Gaelacha (Home Page). . . <http://www.clrg.ie/english/home.php>

IDTANA, Mid-Atlantic (Standard Syllabus & Feis Rules). . . <http://www.mid-atlanticregion.com/>