

The Nina Burke Championship & Grades Feis 2017

Cláráithe Leis An Coimisiún Le Rincí Gaelacha

**Saturday & Sunday
20th & 21st May 2017**

The Pillo Hotel, Ashbourne, Co. Meath

Adjudicators: Maria Stanley, ADCRG UK
Brendan O'Brien, SDCRG Dublin
Doreen O'Connor, ADCRG Mayo
Lori Hall, ADCRG Dublin (Championships only)

Musicians: Paul O'Donnell Antrim
Anthony Davis Antrim

Fees: Grade Solo: €4
Grade Trophy Dance: €5
Championship (4 results, 3 solo, overall & marks): €25
Championship & Preliminary (5 results, 3 solo, 2 overall and marks) €30
Team Dances (per dancer): €3
Admission (per adult): €5.00

Entry Desk opens at 7.45am

ALL GRADES OPEN TO ALL REGIONS WORLDWIDE

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Feis Registrar Comhairle Laighan

Welcome to the Nina Burke Championship & Grade Feis 2017

On behalf of the Nina Burke School of Irish Dancing, we look forward to welcoming you to our 1st Open Championship feis and 4th Grades feis. We are delighted to be back again in the Pillo Hotel (formerly the Marriott hotel) Ashbourne, which is situated within easy access of the M50 and Dublin Airport. If you require any assistance or help regarding travel, please do not hesitate to contact us. Some key points about our feis are as follows:

- Championship Stage in main hall
 - Open Championships & Preliminary Championship will be adjudicated by 3 judges
 - Preliminary Championships are incorporated in the Open Championship for ages U10 to U15.
 - Perpetual Cup for winners of each Open Championship
 - Sashes/Pennants will be awarded to the top 5 dancers in each Preliminary & Open Championship
 - If there are 5 or more boys in a championship a separate result will be given
 - If 20 dancers or more in an Open Championship, there will be a recall
 - There will be a separate non recall set dance competition in Hall B for non-recalled dancers in each age group
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- Grade competitions are open to all regions
 - In all grade reel and grade trophy competitions, the top 5 place prize winners will receive a trophy
 - Medals will be awarded to all competitors in all reel & trophy competitions
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- Entries will be taken on the day of the feis from 7.45am
 - Vendors will be in attendance over the weekend including Oriel Dance Supplies and Halmor Dance Products
 - Tabulated results will be included in Championship & Preliminary Entry Fee
 - Commentary of the event, results and awards will be on the Nina Burke School of Irish Dancing Facebook Page
 - Raffle will be held on the day in aid of Children's Autism Charity – Shine Ireland

We would appreciate if you could email all Championship and Preliminary Entries in advance to ninaburkeschool@gmail.com by Friday 12th May 2017

We look forward to a great weekend of dancing.

Nina Burke, Claire Keane and Jacqueline Donnellan
on Behalf of the Nina Burke School of Irish Dancing

Open & Preliminary Championships: Saturday 20th May 2017

Hall A			Hall B
Time	Competition	Dances	
8.30am	Championship 10 to 11	Heavy Jig/Hornpipe, Reel/Slip Jig, Set	
	Championship 11 to 12	Heavy Jig/Hornpipe, Reel/Slip Jig, Set	Non Recall Set Dance 10 to 11 & 11 to 12
11.30am	Championship Under 7	Reel, Light Jig, Single Jig	Under 7 Trad Set Solo Competition
	Championship 7 to 8	Reel, Jig, Traditional Set	
1pm	Championship 8 to 9	Reel, Heavy Jig, Traditional Set	
	Championship 9 to 10	Reel, Heavy Jig/Hornpipe, Set	Non Recall Set Dance 9 to 10
	Under 11/Under 13	Ceili Championship	
2.30pm	Championship 12 to 13	Heavy Jig/Hornpipe, Reel/Slip Jig, Set	
	Championship 13 to 14	Heavy Jig/Hornpipe, Reel/Slip Jig, Set	Non Recall Set Dance 12 to 13 & 13 to 14
5pm	Championship 14 to 15	Heavy Jig/Hornpipe, Reel/Slip Jig, Set	
	Championship 15 to 16	Heavy Jig/Hornpipe, Reel/Slip Jig, Set	Non Recall Set Dance 14 to 15 & 15 to 16
	Under 16/Over 16	Ceili Championship	
6.30pm	Championship 16 to 18	Heavy Jig/Hornpipe, Reel/Slip Jig, Set	
	Championship Over 18	Heavy Jig/Hornpipe, Reel/Slip Jig, Set	Non recall Set Dance 16 to 18 & O'18

- **Please note that all above times are approximate.**
- **We would ask that all competitors are ready to perform 30 mins prior to the above stated start time.**
- **Championships Age groups scheduled for same time slot will alternate each round.**

Grades Program: Sunday 21st May 2017

8.30am		Stage A		Stage B		Stage C
Reel (Cor) Tx5	Bun Under 6		Reel (Cor) Tx5	Bun 7-8		Reel (Cor) Tx5 Bun Under 5
Reel (Cor) Tx5	Bun Under 7		Light Jig (P. Eadtrom)	Bun 7-8		Reel (Cor) Tx5 Bun 8-9
Light Jig (Port Eadtrom)	Bun Under 6		Slip Jig (P. Luascadh)	Bun 7-8		Light Jig (P. Eadtrom) Bun 8-9
Light Jig (Port Eadtrom)	Bun Under 7		Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5	Bun 7-8		Slip Jig (P. Luascadh) Bun 8-9
Slip Jig (Port Luascadh)	Under 6					Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5 Bun 8-9
Slip Jig (Port Luascadh)	Under 7					
Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5	Under 6					
Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5	Bun Under 7					
Results						
11am		Stage A		Stage B		Stage C
Reel (Cor) Tx5	Tús Under 7		Reel (Cor) Tx5	Tús 7-8		Reel (Cor) Tx5 Tús 8-9
Light Jig (Port Eadtrom)	Tús Under 7		Light Jig (Port Eadtrom)	Tús 7-8		Light Jig (Port Eadtrom) Tús 8-9
Slip Jig (Port Luascadh)	Tús Under 7		Slip Jig (Port Luascadh)	Tús 7-8		Slip Jig (Port Luascadh) Tús 8-9
Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5	Tús Under 7		Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5	Tús 7-8		Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5 Tús 8-9
Heavy Jig (Port Trom) Tx5	Tús Under 7		Heavy Jig (Port Trom) Tx5	Tús 7-8		Heavy Jig (Port Trom) Tx5 Tús 8-9
Results						
12.30 pm		Stage A		Stage B		Stage C
Reel (Cor) Tx5	Mean Under 7		Reel (Cor) Tx5	Mean 7-9		Reel (Cor) Tx5 Mean 13-15 & O15
Single Jig (Port Singil)	Mean Under 7		Single Jig (Port Singil)	Mean 7-9		Single Jig (Port Singil) Mean 13-15 & O15
Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5	Mean Under 7		Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5	Mean 7-9		Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5 Mean 13-15 & O15
Heavy Jig (Port Trom)	Mean Under 7		Heavy Jig (Port Trom)	Mean 7-9		Heavy Jig (Port Trom) Mean 13-15 & O15
Trad Set (Rince Trad) Tx5	Mean Under 7		Trad Set (Rince Trad) Tx5	Mean 7-9		Trad Set (Rince Trad) Tx5 Mean 13-15 & O15
Results (Followed by lunch)						

3.30pm	Stage A		Stage B		Stage C
Reel (Cor) Tx5	Bun 9-10		Reel (Cor) Tx5	Bun 10-12	Reel (Cor) Tx5
Light Jig (Port Eadtrom)	Bun 9-10		Light Jig (P. Eadtrom)	Bun 10-12	Light Jig (P. Eadtrom)
Slip Jig (Port Luascadh)	Bun 9-10		Slip Jig (P. Luascadh)	Bun 10-12	Slip Jig (P. Luascadh)
Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5	Bun 9-10		Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5	Bun 10-12	Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5
Heavy Jig (Port Trom) T x 5	Bun 9-10		Heavy Jig (Port Trom) T x 5	Bun 10-12	Heavy Jig (Port Trom) T x 5
2 Hand (Cor Beirte)	Bun U'10		2 Hand (Cor Beirte)	Bun 10-12	2 Hand (Cor Beirte)
3 Hand (Cor Triur)	Bun U'10		3 Hand (Cor Triur)	Bun 10-12	3 Hand (Cor Triur)
Results					
5pm	Stage A		Stage B		Stage C
Reel (Cor) Tx5	Tús 9-10		Reel (Cor) Tx5	Tús 10-12	Reel (Cor) Tx5
Light Jig (Port Eadtrom)	Tús 9-10		Light Jig (Port Eadtrom)	Tús 10-12	Light Jig (Port Eadtrom)
Slip Jig (Port Luascadh)	Tús 9-10		Slip Jig (Port Luascadh)	Tús 10-12	Slip Jig (Port Luascadh)
Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5	Tús 9-10		Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5	Tús 10-12	Trophy Light Dance (Rince Eadtrom) Tx5
Heavy Dance (Rince Trom) Tx5	Tús 9-10		Heavy Dance (Rince Trom) Tx5	Tús 10-12	Heavy Dance (Rince Trom) Tx5
Results					
6pm	Stage A		Stage B		Stage C
Reel (Cor) Tx5	Mean 9-11		Reel (Cor) Tx5	Mean 11-13	
Slip Jig (Port Luasca)	Mean 9-11		Slip Jig (Port Luasca)	Mean 11-13	
Heavy Jig (Port Trom)	Mean 9-11		Heavy Jig (Port Trom)	Mean 11-13	
Hornpipe (Cornphiopa)	Mean 9-11		Hornpipe (Cornphiopa)	Mean 11-13	
Trad Set (Rince Trad) Tx5	Mean 9-11		Trad Set (Rince Trad) Tx5	Mean 11-13	
Results					

RIALACHA NA FEIS:

- 1. Age as from 1st January 2017.**
- 2. Entries only accepted from Teachers registered with An Coimisiun le Rincí Gaelacha**
- 3. Adjudicator's decision is final. Objections must be lodged in writing within 1 hour of the announcement of the results, accompanied with a fee of €20.00.**
- 4. Bun and Tús Grad Competitions are open to all regions worldwide**
- 5. Children competing in all ages in Bun and Tús Grad Competitions may only wear: Class Costumes, Skirt and Blouse or appropriate civilian clothing. No low cut or off the shoulder tops or short tight skirts are permitted. No solo costumes are permitted in these grades**
- 6. Bungrad dancers are confined to dancers who have never won 1st place for that particular dance or had been re-graded in that particular dance in any age group or grade. Basic steps only can be performed**
- 7. Túsgrad dances are confined to dancers who have never won 1st place or had been regraded for that particular dance in any age in Túsgrad or higher grade**
- 8. Meangrad dances are confined to Dancers who have never won 1st place for that particular dance in meangrad or higher in that age group or higher age group.**
- 9. No Block, en pointe, stationary or moving will be allowed for all ages up to and including under 12.**
- 10. Dances permitted in the Light Dance competition are: Reel, Light Jig, Slip Jig, Single Jig**
- 11. Dances permitted in the Heavy Dance Competition are Heavy Jig or Hornpipe**
- 12. Traditional Set Dances :- St. Patrick's Day, The Blackbird, Job of Journeywork, Garden of Daisies, King of the Fairies, Jockey to the Fair & 3 Sea Captains.**
- 13. Make-Up and False Tan are not permitted in Bun and Tús Grad up to and including under 12 competitors. Make-up, including false eyelashes, is not permitted for dancers, in either solo or team competitions, up to and including the Under 10 age group.**
- 14. Any form of unauthorized photography which has the capability to capture a dancer's image whilst in motion, using electronic or manual means e.g. mobile phone, standard camera, video camcorder, cine recorder, commercial film, with or without flash enhancement is strictly prohibited**
- 15. In all Bungrad and Tusgrad competitions the number of dancers re-graded to the next level will be determined by the competitors in each competition as follows:**

1-20 Competitors	1st Place Regraded
21-40 Competitors	1st and 2nd Place Regraded
41 and Over Competitors	1st, 2nd and 3rd Place Regraded
- 16. An Coimisiun Rules will apply if disputes arise that are not covered by the above rules**

Approved by:

Orla Nic Conuladh

Comhairle Laighean, Reg: An Coimisiun Le Rinci Gaelacha