

Celtic Irish Dance Academy

Presents the 4th Annual

CIDA CHAMPIONSHIPS 2020



October 31st and November 1st
DoubleTree by Hilton Anaheim Orange County
100 The City Dr.
Orange, CA 92868
(855)516-1090

Feis Rates

\$105.00

Please call the hotel directly and ask for the "CIDA Feis" to book.

Adjudicators

Dearbhla Fay Kapenas ~ Chicago
Michael Belvitch ~ Chicago
Tony Comerford ~ California

Musicians

Chris McLoughlin ~ New Jersey

Vendors

Cameila Rose
Siopa Brog

Entries: www.feisworx.com ~ Entries Close: Friday, October 16th 2020
Member of the North American Feis Commission – James Graven, President
Member of An Coimisiún le Rincí Gaelacha, Dublin, Ireland

Entries:

Entries are handled by FeisWorx (www.feisworx.com). **Online registration and payments only.** Deadline for online entries is Friday, October 16, 2020. **ENTRY FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.**

Please direct questions to the feis committee at CIDACHampionships@gmail.com

This Feis will have a cap of 75 Non-Championship and 200 Championship Dancers.

There will be NO day of registration available for this feis.

Fees:

Championships

Open Championship ~ Saturday \$50.00 (Soft Shoe and Set; Excluded from Family Max)
Open Championship ~ Sunday \$50.00 (Hard Shoe and Set)

Preliminary Championship \$45.00 (Soft shoe/hard shoe)

Preliminary Champ Set Special \$20.00 (full set dance – Excluded from Family Max)

Grades

Light Shoe \$25.00 (flat fee)
Heavy Shoe \$20.00 (flat fee)

Adults

Adult Championship \$50.00 (Soft Shoe and Set)

Specials

(Other than specified) \$10.00 (per dancer per special – Excluded from Family Max)

Registration Fee \$25.00 (per family – includes online results)

Family Max \$150.00 (excludes Saturday Open Champs, specials, late fees and reg fees)

Late Registration Late Fee \$25.00 (for new registrations after midnight October 15th)

Feis Tees and Hoodies

Feis T-shirt \$25.00 (pre-order only)

COVID-19 Safety Rules and Protocols:

Please see the “COVID-19 Safety Rules and Protocols” link on Feisworx. We will be reminding all participants/registrants regularly over the coming weeks about the requirements. It is important that all dancers and accompanying spectators adhere to the guidelines we and the Hilton Orange County have set forth. We are excited to be able to safely run the CIDA Championships so that our dancers can get back out there on stage. But everyone must do their part to keep it safe and make it work. Most importantly, only one spectator per dancer will be permitted in the ballroom. Please plan accordingly.

Competitions:

GRADES

Beginner 1	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	16&O+
Reels	101	108	115	122	129	136	143	150	157	164	171
Light Jig	102	109	116	123	130	137	144	151	158	165	172
Slip Jig	103	110	117	124	131	138	145	152	159	166	173
Single Jig	104	111	118	125	132	139	146	153	160	167	174
Treble Jig	105	112	119	126	133	140	147	154	161	168	175
Hornpipe	106	113	120	127	134	141	148	155	162	169	176
St. Patrick's Day	107	114	121	128	135	142	149	156	163	170	177

Beginner 2	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	16&O+
Reels	201	208	215	222	229	236	243	250	257	264	271
Light Jig	202	209	216	223	230	237	244	251	258	265	272
Slip Jig	203	210	217	224	231	238	245	252	259	266	273
Single Jig	204	211	218	225	232	239	246	253	260	267	274
Treble Jig	205	212	219	226	233	240	247	254	261	268	275
Hornpipe	206	213	220	227	234	241	248	255	262	269	276
St. Patrick's Day	207	214	221	228	235	242	249	256	263	270	277

Novice	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	16&O
Reels	301	308	315	322	329	336	343	350	357	364	371
Light Jig	302	309	316	323	330	337	344	351	358	365	372
Slip Jig	303	310	317	324	331	338	345	352	359	366	373
Single Jig	304	311	318	325	332	339	346	353	360	367	374
Treble Jig	305	312	319	326	333	340	347	354	361	368	375
Hornpipe	306	313	320	327	334	341	348	355	362	369	376
Traditional Set	307	314	321	328	335	342	349	356	363	370	377

Prizewinner	U7	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	16&O+
Reels	401	408	415	422	429	436	443	450	457	464	471
Light Jig	402	409	416	423	430	437	444	451	458	465	472
Slip Jig	403	410	417	424	431	438	445	452	459	466	473
Single Jig	404	411	418	425	432	439	446	453	460	467	474
Treble Jig	405	412	419	426	433	440	447	454	461	468	475
Hornpipe	406	413	420	427	434	441	448	455	462	469	476
Traditional Set	407	414	421	428	435	442	449	456	463	470	477

In Novice and PW: Dancers may choose traditional or slow speed for Treble Jig or Hornpipe.

ADULTS

Adult Championship Special ~ Open to all Adults. Dancers will dance 2 Rounds (2 steps soft shoe, trad set). Dancers get ready for O! ~ **901**

Adult Treble Reel Special ~ **902**

PRELIMINARY CHAMPIONSHIPS*

Saturday Preliminary Championship – Soft Shoe (2 steps), Hard Shoe (2 steps) .											
U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	U17	U19	U21	21&O
700	701	702	703	704	705	706	707	708	709	710	711

*Preliminary Championship dancers who win their third 1st on Saturday will NOT be permitted to dance in the Open Competition on Sunday, as we will not be making any changes to the competitions at the Feis.

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS*

Saturday – Soft Shoe (2 steps), Full Set										
U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	U17	U19	U21	21&O
712	713	714	715	716	717	718	719	720	721	722

Sunday – Heavy Shoe (2 steps), Full Set										
U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	U17	U19	U21	21&O
723	724	725	726	727	728	729	730	731	732	733

*There are no solo championship competitions. An overall championship result will be announced, and results will be available online for the individual solo competitions following the announcement of the overall result.

**For U9 and younger Prelim and Open Champ age categories, set dance round is traditional set dance only. If combined with u10 or older due to low entry numbers, they may dance a non-traditional set.

CHAMPIONSHIP SPECIALS

Preliminary Champ Set Special ~ Preliminary Champ Dancers ~ 903

Dancers will dance their entire set to get ready for O!

Open Champs Treble Reel Special			
	U13	U16	16&O
	904	905	906

One step down the line

Saturday Eve ~ Girls Champs Countess Kathleen Slip Jig Special ~ ALL CHAMPS All Ages (Dancers only will be allowed in the ballroom for this special)	907

One step down the line

Maureen Hall Champion of Champions Perpetual Trophy Special ~ Sunday ~ 908

A Champion of Champions special will be danced in honor of Maureen Hall of McTeggart Irish Dance and will be held at the end of the Open Championship competitions on Sunday. All 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place Dancers from the Open Championship competitions on Saturday and Sunday will dance 16 bars of Soft Shoe. **There is no fee for this competition.**

Tentative Schedule: Changes may be made depending upon registration numbers.

Saturday Morning

Preliminary Championships – Will run youngest to oldest

Open Championships – Champs will run youngest to oldest

Saturday Afternoon

Open Championships – Continued

Championship Specials

Saturday Evening

Countess Kathleen Slip Jig Special

Sunday Morning

All Non-Championship dances ~ Beginner through Prizewinner

Adult Championships and Treble Jig Special

Preliminary Championship Set Dance Special

Sunday Afternoon

Open Championships – Champs will run youngest to oldest

Maureen Hall Champion of Champions Special

A “Rising Star” award will be given to the dancer who stands out in each age category for the Beginner-Prizewinner Grades Competitions. There is no registration for this award and it will be announced on stage.

Sashes for Top 3 in all Champs and Specials competitions ~ Perpetual Trophies for all Open Championship Solo Competitions ~ Champion of Champions Perpetual Trophy

Awards for the Championships and Specials competitions will be awarded on a separate awards stage throughout the day as results are completed.

From the Feis Committee:

1. The Feis Committee has the option of splitting or combining competitions as necessary.
2. At the discretion of the Feis Committee, stage assignments may change; announcements will be made at the original stage and/or over the public address system. It is the competitor's responsibility to report promptly to the correct stage.
3. Competitors must be at their assigned stage ready to compete when their competitions are ready or announced. A competitor may be eliminated from a competition for reporting late. Competitions will be closed when no more competitors are at the stage ready to compete. No competition shall be re-opened except on the sole direction of the Feis Coordinators.
4. Parents not accompanying competitors under age 18 are strongly encouraged to provide their child(ren)'s chaperones with signed medical authorizations. Parents/Chaperones are solely responsible for their children's/charges' safety.
5. Results will be posted online for the Beginner through Prizewinner competitions. No awards will be given. Overall placements will be called for Championship competitions and the Top 5 will be announced and awarded.

Dancing Competition Rules:

1. All rules of the North American Feis Commission (www.northamericanfeiscommission.org) are included by reference.
2. Competitors should plan to arrive 15 minutes prior to their dance time, DANCE READY. There is no waiting in the ballroom or practice areas outside ballrooms for dancers and spectators to congregate. We will not run a competition prior to the published start time. Updates will be give via social media sites so that participants can prepare.
3. Dancers who appear in competitions in which they are not entered and paid will not be eligible for placement or awards.
4. First Feis competitions are open only to dancers who have never competed at a feis.
5. When awards are announced, competitors must be in costume, including dance shoes, to receive their awards.
6. Neither Celtic Irish Dance Academy nor the Hilton Orange County shall be held responsible or liable for personal injury, property loss and/or damage. By entering this Feis, the entrant and/or the entrant's parent or legal guardian agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the CIDA Championships 2020Feis, The Feis Committee, Feis Volunteers, Vendors, The Hilton Orange County, or Celtic Irish Dance Academy for any liabilities or personal injury as a result of the entrant's participation.
7. NO VIDEOTAPING OR FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY OF DANCE COMPETITIONS PERMITTED

For the The North American Feis Commission's Full Dancing Rules, please refer to the following website:

http://www.northamericanfeiscommission.org/uploads/2016_DANCING_COMPETITION_RULES.pdf