

McTeggart Irish Dancers Colorado present  
The 23rd annual

# Colorado State Championships and Fall Feis

Saturday & Sunday, November 2-3, 2019

First National Bank Exhibition Hall, The Ranch - Larimer County Fairgrounds  
5280 Arena Circle, Loveland CO 80538

Follow us on FB @colofeis for schedules and updates

**Tentative Schedule** - Final Schedule to be published no later than October 28.

Saturday, November 2		Sunday, November 3	
8:30 AM	Doors and Check-in Open	7:30 AM	Doors and Check-in Open
9:00 AM	All Championships U13 and younger	8:00 AM	Blackout Champs & Specials, Pre-Oireachtas Specials
Mid-day	Champ Specials	Mid-day	Beginner and Open Teams
Afternoon	All Championships U14 and older	Afternoon	First Feis through Prizewinner

## Entry Fees - Pay to I.S.D.C.:

Light-Shoe solos	\$20	flat fee		Preliminary Championship	\$50	3 rounds
Hard-Shoe solos	\$15	flat fee		Open Championship	\$50	3 rounds
Figure Dances	\$10	flat fee		Adult Championship	\$50	3 rounds
Silly Sunglasses Charity Special	\$10			Blackout Preliminary Champ	\$35	2 rounds
Double Reel Special	\$10			Blackout Open Special	\$35	2 rounds
Pre-Oireachtas Special	\$35	2 rounds		Late-Entry Fee (after 10/18)	\$25	
Family Maximum*	\$150			Late-Entry Fee (after 10/28)	\$50	
Event Fee (including results)	\$20	per family		FeisWorx Service Fee	\$5	per family

\* Supplementary Preliminary, Blackout Open Special, Pre-Oireachtas, Charity and Double Reel specials are not included in the Family Max. Event Fee, Late Fee, and FeisWorx Service Fee are not included in Family Max.

### Mail entries to:

Colorado Fall Feis  
c/o FeisWorx  
P.O. Box 2046  
Parker, CO 80134-1411

### Entry Deadline:

Entry fees must be postmarked by **October 18, 2019**

### Online Registration:

• Enter online at [www.feisworx.com](http://www.feisworx.com).

Please make checks payable to I.S.D.C.

### Championship Requirements:

<u>Preliminary Championship</u>	<u>Blackout Preliminary Championship</u>
• Reel (48 bars) or Slip Jig (40 bars)	• Reel (48 bars) or Slip Jig (40 bars)
• Double Jig (48 bars) or Hornpipe (40 bars)	• Double Jig (48 bars) or Hornpipe (40 bars)
• Set Dance (Traditional Set required in U9 Preliminary)	
<u>Open Championship</u>	<u>Adult Championship</u>
• Reel (48 bars) or Slip Jig (40 bars)	• Reel (48 bars) or Slip Jig (40 bars)
• Double Jig (48 bars) or Hornpipe (40 bars)	• Double Jig (48 bars) or Hornpipe (40 bars)
• Set Dance (Traditional Set required in U9 Open)	• Traditional Set Dance

## LEVEL ADVANCEMENT AND DEFINITION

- **First Feis** is not per dance, it is the first Feis ever for the dancer. A dancer has only one 'first feis' regardless of how many dances they are doing. Dancers may only enter First Feis once even in case of back-to-back feiseanna.
- In **Beginner 1, Beginner 2 and Novice** the following will apply:
  - 5 - 9 dancers                    1st place will advance to the next grade
  - 10 or more dancers            1st and 2nd places will advance to the next grade
- Dancers may not stay in level at Teacher discretion, with the exception of back-to-back feiseanna.
- **Prizewinner:** Advancement from Prizewinner to Preliminary Championship is at teacher discretion.
- **Preliminary to Open Championship:** Must have 3 overall wins with 5 or more dancers, not at teacher discretion. Upon winning 3rd overall win in Preliminary Championships, a dancer must move immediately to Open, even in the case of back-to-back Feiseanna. This includes 2 round and 3 round Preliminary Championships.
- **Adults:** Dancers who started after the age of 18 or have been out of conventional competitions for 5 years.
- **Beginner Figures:** Open only to dancers entered in beginner for at least one solo dance.
- **Open Figures:** Open to all grades levels.

## DANCING COMPETITION RULES

1. Rules 1-34 adopted by North American Feis Commission, effective 1/1/2019, are included by reference.
2. Competitor's age will be determined as of January 1, 2019.
3. Competitors must be in the hall, prepared to dance, one hour prior to the scheduled beginning of their event. Competitors who fail to report on time to compete will be disqualified from said event pursuant to Rule 3(b) of the NAFC Dancing Competitions Rules.
4. Dancers who appear in competitions for which they are not registered will not be eligible for placement or awards.
5. When awards are announced, competitors must be in costume, including dance shoes, to receive their awards.
6. The McTeggart Irish Stepdancers of Colorado, the Feis Committee and anyone associated with the Committee in presenting the Feis, shall not be held responsible or liable for any personal injury, property loss, or damage incurred before, during, or after the feis, by any participants, or by anyone attending the event. By entering this feis, the entrant and/or the entrant's legal guardian agrees to indemnify and hold harmless this feis, the feis committee, volunteers, vendors, and venue for any liabilities or personal injury as a result of the entrant's participation in this feis.

Registered with An Coimisiún le Rincí Gaelacha  
Seán Fegan, President

Registered with North American Feis Commission  
James Graven, President

**SOLO COMPETITIONS**

<b>First Feis</b>	<b><u>U7</u></b>	<b><u>U9</u></b>	<b><u>U11</u></b>	<b><u>11/O</u></b>				
Reel	3	5	7	8				
Light Jig	17	19	21	22				
<b>Beginner I</b>	<b><u>U7</u></b>	<b><u>U9</u></b>	<b><u>U11</u></b>	<b><u>11/O</u></b>				
Reel	103	105	107	108				
Light Jig	117	119	121	122				
Slip Jig	131	133	135	136				
Single Jig	145	147	149	150				
Double Jig	159	161	163	164				
Hornpipe	173	175	177	178				
St. Patrick's	187	189	191	192				
<b>Beginner II</b>	<b><u>U7</u></b>	<b><u>U9</u></b>	<b><u>U11</u></b>	<b><u>11/O</u></b>				
Reel	203	205	207	208				
Light Jig	217	219	221	222				
Slip Jig	231	233	235	236				
Single Jig	245	247	249	250				
Double Jig	259	261	263	264				
Hornpipe	273	275	277	278				
St. Patrick's	287	289	291	292				
<b>Novice</b>		<b><u>U9</u></b>	<b><u>U11</u></b>		<b><u>U13</u></b>	<b><u>13/O</u></b>		
Reel		305	307		309	310		
Light Jig		319	321		323	324		
Slip Jig		333	335		337	338		
Single Jig		347	349		351	352		
Double Jig		361	363		365	366		
Hornpipe		375	377		379	380		
Traditional Set		389	391		393	394		
<b>Prizewinner</b>		<b><u>U9</u></b>	<b><u>U11</u></b>		<b><u>U13</u></b>		<b><u>U15</u></b>	<b><u>15/O</u></b>
Reel		405	407		409		411	412
Light Jig		419	421		423		425	426
Slip Jig		433	435		437		439	440
Single Jig		447	449		451		453	454
Double Jig		461	463		465		467	468
Hornpipe		475	477		479		481	482
Traditional Set		489	491		493		495	496

## NON-CHAMPIONSHIP SPECIALS

<b>Boys' Silly Sunglasses Charity Special</b>	<u>All Ages</u>
	900
Requirement: One light-shoe Reel step, right and left foot	

<b>Girls' Silly Sunglasses Charity Special</b>	<u>U11</u>	<u>11/O</u>
	916	917
Requirement: One Slip Jig step, right and left foot.		

<b>Pre-Oireachtas Special</b>	<u>U11</u>	<u>11/O</u>
	926	927
Requirements: Reel (48 bars) or Slip Jig (40 bars), Double Jig (48 bars) or Hornpipe (40 bars).		

<b>Double Reel</b>	<u>U11</u>	<u>11/O</u>
	936	937
Requirement: One hard-shoe Reel step, right and left foot		

## CHAMPIONSHIP SPECIALS

<b>Jim Reidhead Memorial Double Reel</b>	<u>U13</u>	<u>13/O</u>
	958	959
Requirement: One heavy-shoe reel step, right and left foot		

<b>Silly Sunglasses Charity Special</b>	<u>U13</u>	<u>13/O</u>
	948	949
Requirement: Any Traditional Set Dance.		

<b>Blackout Open Special (Sunday)</b>	<u>U10</u>	<u>U12</u>	<u>U14</u>	<u>U16</u>	<u>16/O</u>
	965	967	969	971	972

• *Confined to dancers entered in Open Championship. Dancers will wear all-black skirt or pants and top.*

Requirements: Reel (48 bars) or Slip Jig (40 bars), Double Jig (48 bars) or Hornpipe (40 bars).

## FIGURE DANCE COMPETITIONS

<b>Beginner Figure</b>	<u>U8</u>	<u>U10</u>	<u>U12</u>	<u>12/O</u>		
2-Hand Reel	801	803	805	806		
2-Hand Jig	812	814	816	817		
3-Hand Reel	823	825	827	828		

• *Confined to those entered in a Beginner solo dance.*

<b>Open Figure</b>	<u>U8</u>	<u>U10</u>	<u>U12</u>	<u>U15</u>	<u>15/O</u>	<u>All Ages</u>
2-Hand Reel	834	836	838	841	842	
3-Hand Reel	845	847	849	852	853	
4-Hand Dance (book)*	856	858	860	863	864	
6-Hand Dance (book)*		869	871	874	875	
8-Hand Dance (book)*	878	880	882	885	886	
Figure Choreography			893	896	897	
Dance Drama						899

\* *Must be taken from Ár Rincí Céilí.*

## CHAMPIONSHIPS

<b>Preliminary Championship (Saturday)</b>	<b><u>U9</u></b>	<b><u>U11</u></b>	<b><u>U13</u></b>	<b><u>U15</u></b>	<b><u>U17</u></b>	<b><u>17/O</u></b>
	704	706	708	710	712	713
Requirements: Reel (48 bars) or Slip Jig (40 bars), Double Jig (48 bars) or Hornpipe (40 bars), Set Dance (Traditional Set Dance required in U9).						
<b>Open Championship (Saturday)</b>	<b><u>U9</u></b>	<b><u>U11</u></b>	<b><u>U13</u></b>	<b><u>U15</u></b>	<b><u>U17</u></b>	<b><u>17/O</u></b>
	724	726	728	730	732	733
Requirements: Reel (48 bars) or Slip Jig (40 bars), Double Jig (48 bars) or Hornpipe (40 bars), Set Dance (Traditional Set Dance required in U9).						
<b>Blackout Preliminary (Sunday)</b>	<b><u>U9</u></b>	<b><u>U11</u></b>	<b><u>U13</u></b>	<b><u>U15</u></b>	<b><u>U17</u></b>	<b><u>17/O</u></b>
	754	756	758	760	762	763
<i>Dancers will wear all-black skirt or pants and top.</i>						
Requirements: Reel (48 bars) or Slip Jig (40 bars), Double Jig (48 bars) or Hornpipe (40 bars).						

## ADULT COMPETITIONS

	<u>Beginner</u>	<u>Novice</u>	<u>Prizewinner</u>	<u>Championship</u>	<u>Adult Figure</u>	
Reel	602	603	604		2-H Reel	690
Light Jig	616	617	618		2-H Jig	691
Slip Jig	630	631	632		3-H Reel	692
Single Jig	644	645	646		4-Hand (book)*	693
Double Jig		659	660		6-Hand (book)*	694
Hornpipe		673	674		8-Hand (book)*	695
Traditional Set		687	688		* Must be taken from <i>Ár Rincí Céilí</i> .	
Adult Championship (Saturday)				699		
<i>Adults may compete in both Adult Championship and Solo Competitions.</i>						
Requirements: Reel (48 bars) or Slip Jig (40 bars), Double Jig (48 bars) or Hornpipe (40 bars), Traditional Set Dance.						