

# THE INISHFREE SCHOOL OF IRISH DANCE

27<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL FEIS

**SUNDAY,  
FEBRUARY 24, 2019 8:45AM**

*LIMITED TO THE FIRST 1000 ENTRIES RECEIVED*

**ALFRED G. BERNER MIDDLE SCHOOL**

50 Carman Mill Road,  
Massapequa, N.Y. 11758

*Sean Reagan, ADCRG*

*Colleen Quigley-Carey, TCRG*

*Kellyanne Farrell, TCRG*

*Caitlin Kelly, TCRG*

*Feis Committee Chair: Julie Egan*



**DIRECTIONS FROM NEW YORK:** Take LIE to exit 44S- Route 135, Seaford. Take Route 135 to Southern State Pkwy East. Southern State Pkwy East to Exit 32S- Route 110 Amityville. Take Route 110 south (approx. 2mi.) to the first light after you go under the railroad trestle, Oak St., make a right. Go straight for 3 traffic lights make left onto Carman Mill Road. Parking is available on both sides of the school. **DIRECTIONS FROM EASTERN LONG ISLAND:** Take Southern State Pkwy to exit 32S- Route 110, Amityville, and then follow directions above. Check our website for information on hotels and lodging.

## **2019 NAFC Championships and Music Scholarships**

**Gerry Campbell Perpetual Senior Belt** Winners – Orla Godley, Mullane Godley Academy & Mackenzie Mahler, Blakey Clagary School

**Robert Gabor Junior Belt** Winner – Maya Coyne, Butler Fearon O'Connor School

**George Sweetnam Minor Belt** Winner – Ashton Baumann, Lavin-Cassidy School

was held jointly on January 19, 2019 at the Crown Plaza Resort & Hotel Northeast in Sacramento, CA.

15 and over NAFC James Brennan Music Scholarship will be held at the Peach State Feis on May 4, 2019.

Under 15 NAFC Edward Callaghan Music Scholarship will be held at the Golden Horseshoe Feis on June 15, 2019.

**FEIS IS REGISTERED, SANCTIONED AND WILL BE GOVERNED BY THE RULES OF AN COIMISIUN ([www.clrg.ie](http://www.clrg.ie))**

**THE MID-ATLANTIC REGION ([www.mid-atlantlicregion.com](http://www.mid-atlantlicregion.com)) and the**

**NORTH AMERICAN FEIS COMMISSION (<http://www.northamericanfeiscommission.org>)**

**Jim Graven, President ([president@northamericanfeiscommission.org](mailto:president@northamericanfeiscommission.org))**

## **ADJUDICATORS:**

Joan T. Cass (NY), Michael Donnellan (IRE), Erin Kennedy (CT), Bill Maple (VA), Marnie Maple (VA), Joan McNiff Cass (NY), Michael Meehan (IRE), John O'Keefe (CT), Karyn Oster (NY), Kerry Kelly Oster (NY), Helaine Sander (NY), Linda Sanfilippo (NY), Theresa Shaffer-Wilinson (PA), Carlene Stillson (ME), Allison Weber-Erickson (OH)

## **MUSICIANS:**

Annamarie Acosta-Williams (NY), Danny Burke (NY), Krista Charles (NY), Karen Conway (NJ), Kevin Forde (NJ), Billy Furlong (NY), Catriona Furlong (NY), Patricia Moriarty Morrissey (NJ), Niall Mulligan (NY), Ryan Ward (NY), Patricia Furlong (NY) – Music Adjudicator

**SUBMIT all entries online at [www.Feisweb.com](http://www.Feisweb.com)**

*(Details and fees on page 3)*

**SCHEDULE INFO: [www.InishfreeNY.com](http://www.InishfreeNY.com) Entry Secretary Email: [inishfreeschoolfeis@gmail.com](mailto:inishfreeschoolfeis@gmail.com)**

The Feis Committee, Inishfree School of Irish Dance, or Alfred G. Berner Middle School 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.

**PLEASE NOTE: Solo costumes are not permitted in Tiny Tots, Beginner and Advanced Beginner categories. Class costumes, or skirts and blouses only. All Grade level dancers will dance the Reel two at a time.**

**TINY TOTS** – Competitors may not dance in any other competitions. **1 step, 1 at a time. Reel tempo – 122, Jig tempo – 115**

GIRLS/BOYS	REEL	LIGHT JIG
Under 7	801	802

**BEGINNER** – A beginner is a competitor who has not taken Irish dancing lessons from a registered teacher prior to September 1st of previous year. Dancer must move into Advanced Beginner the following year. **2 steps, 3 at a time (except reel). Reel, SJ tempo -122**

GIRLS/BOYS	REEL	LIGHT JIG	SLIP JIG
Under 5	1	2	3
Under 6	4	5	6
Under 7	7	8	9
Under 8	10	11	12
Under 9	13	14	15
Under 10	16	17	18
Under 11	19	20	21
Under 12	22	23	24
12 & over	25	26	27

**ADVANCED BEGINNER** – An Advanced beginner who wins 1st, 2nd, or 3<sup>rd</sup> place will advance to the Novice category in that particular dance the following year. **2 steps 3 at a time (except reel). Reel, SJ tempo -122, Hard shoe Jig tempo - 92, Hornpipe tempo – 138.**

GIRLS/BOYS	REEL	LIGHT JIG	SLIP JIG	TREBLE JIG	HORNPIPE
Under 6	101	102	103	104	105
Under 7	106	107	108	109	110
Under 8	111	112	113	114	115
Under 9	116	117	118	119	120
Under 10	121	122	123	124	125
Under 11	126	127	128	129	130
Under 12	131	132	133	134	135
12 & over	136	137	138	139	140

**NOVICE** – A Novice is a dancer who has previously won a 1st in Advanced Beginner. A Novice who wins a 1st place will advance to the Prizewinner category in that particular dance the next year. **2 steps, Age groups U13 & over will dance 2 at a time. Reel, SJ tempo - 113, Hard shoe Jig tempo – 92 or 73, Hornpipe tempo – 138 or 113.**

GIRLS/BOYS	REEL	LIGHT JIG	SLIP JIG	TREBLE JIG	HORNPIPE
Under 7	201	202	203	204	205
Under 8	206	207	208	209	210
Under 9	211	212	213	214	215
Under 10	216	217	218	219	220
Under 11	221	222	223	224	225
Under 12	226	227	228	229	230
Under 13	231	232	233	234	235
13 & over	236	237	238	239	240

**PRIZEWINNER** – A competitor who does not qualify as a Beginner, Advanced Beginner, or as a Novice. **2 steps, Age groups U13 & over will dance 2 at a time. Reel, SJ tempo -113, Hard shoe Jig tempo – 92 or 73, Hornpipe tempo – 138 or 113.**

GIRLS/BOYS	REEL	LIGHT JIG	SLIP JIG	TREBLE JIG	HORNPIPE
Under 8	301	302	303	304	305
Under 9	306	307	308	309	310
Under 10	311	312	313	314	315
Under 11	316	317	318	319	320
Under 12	321	322	323	324	325
Under 13	326	327	328	329	330
Under 14	331	332	333	334	335
14 & over	336	337	338	339	340

**SPECIAL NEEDS COMPETITION - #385** – Open to all ages.

**\*Irish Soda Bread Competition \*** - **SB** - Judging to take place at 1:00 PM ~ **\* Perpetual Plaque in Memory of Chef Gerard Molloy \***

**TRADITIONAL SET** - Open to all competitors except Open Championships. (Dancing 3 at a time)

U9	U11	U13	U15	15 & Over
715	716	717	718	719

Preliminary and Open Championships will begin at 8:45AM on FIVE separate stages. Competitions may be moved when other stages become available. Check website for schedule information by 2/21/19. No changes to step combinations will be accepted without a \$10 per change fee.

**PRELIMINARY CHAMPIONSHIP** – ALL AGE GROUPS UNDER 14 WILL DANCE 3 AT A TIME. ALL AGE GROUPS OVER 14 WILL DANCE 2 AT A TIME. CHOICE OF REEL (48 BARS) OR SLIP JIG (40 BARS), AND JIG (48 BARS) OR HORNPIPE (40 BARS). Hard shoe first.

GIRLS/BOYS		Perpetual Cups in Memory of:	GIRLS/BOYS		Perpetual Cups in Memory of:
Under 8	401	Julia Feeney	Under 13	406	John F. Prince
U8 Second Chance	401SC		U13 Second chance	406SC	
Under 9	402	Douglas F. Humphrey	Under 14	407	Dennis & Rose Lynch
U9 Second Chance	402SC		U14 Second Chance	407SC	
Under 10	403	Martin Francis Kelly	Under 15	408	Agnes Mahoney & daughter Mary
U10 Second Chance	403SC		U15 Second Chance	408SC	
Under 11	404	Margaret Pike, TCRG, ADCRG	Under 16	409	Patrick Connolly
U11 Second Chance	404SC		U16 Second Chance	409SC	
Under 12	405	William Heiser	16 & Over	410	Inishfree Teachers
U12 Second Chance	405SC		16 & O Second Chance	410SC	

**OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP** – ALL AGE GROUPS UNDER 14 WILL DANCE 3 AT A TIME. ALL AGE GROUPS OVER 14 WILL DANCE 2 AT A TIME. CHOICE OF REEL (48 BARS) OR SLIP JIG (40 BARS), AND JIG (48 BARS) OR HORNPIPE (40 BARS) AND A SET PIECE OF OWN CHOICE. Under 9 will do a traditional set. Hard shoe first.

GIRLS		Perpetual Cups in Memory of:	BOYS		Perpetual Cups in Memory of:
Under 9	501	Anthony Fasano, Jr.	Under 9	551	
Under 10	502	William L. Fallon WTC 9-11-01			
Under 11	503	Patrick Frawley	Under 11	552	Mary & Timothy Jennings
Under 12	504	Dennis Hunter & John & Helen Prince			
Under 13	505	Sheila A. Quigley	Under 13	553	Mary Irene McNerney
Under 14	506	Mary Flynn & John McGowan			
Under 15	507	Julia Farrell and Julia Carr	Under 15	554	Daly, O'Connor & Reagan Family
Under 16	508	John G. McGowan			
Under 17	509	Margaret Fitzgerald & John McDonnell Weismiller	Under 17	555	Patrick B. Danaher
Under 18	510	Daniel Smith & Nancy & Ralph Budde			
Under 21	511	William & Margaret Hermus	17& Over	556	John J. Kelly & Frank Marcellino
21 & Over	512	Robert J. Hermansen & Sonja K. Hanson			

**Treble Reel Competition for Charity – Rose Danaher Education Fund**

Open to Preliminary and Open Dancers. Entry Fee \$10.00

Boys & Girls Combined	Treble Reel
Under 12	701
12 & Over	702

In memory of Patrick Danaher who recently succumbed to Leukemia. Beloved Father of baby Rose and loving Husband of TCRG Meghan Allen-Danaher of Inishfree Massachusetts.

**MUSIC COMPETITION**

Play one choice of air/traditional tune. Entry Fee: \$10.00ea. (11:30 – 2:30 pm)

Comb.	Fiddle	Accordion	Tin Whistle	Misc.	Duets	Trios	Group
Beginner U12	601	602	603	604	605	606	607
Beginner Over 12	608	609	610	611	612	613	614
Advanced U12	615	616	617	618	619	620	621
Advanced Over 12	622	623	624	625	626	627	628

By submitting an entry form, parent or legal guardian agrees to abide by rules governing the feis as listed on the Mid-Atlantic Region web site ([www.mid-atlanticregion.com](http://www.mid-atlanticregion.com)) AND the rules of the NAFC as listed on the NAFC website ([www.northamericanfeiscommission.org](http://www.northamericanfeiscommission.org))

**CLOSING DATE:** Friday, Feb. 15, 2019. All entries after 2/15/19 must include a \$10.00 late fee per family.

No telephone entries and no entries on the day of the Feis. No entries accepted after 2/21/19 or whenever 1000 entries are reached.

Entry Fees: **Solos/Music** - \$10.00 per competition, marks included.

**Traditional Set** - \$10.00

**Treble Reel** - \$10.00 (proceeds donated to charity)

**Preliminary** - \$30.00

**Preliminary Second Chance** - \$25.00

**Open Champions** - \$35.00 per competitor, Championship *change fee* - \$10.00

**Facility Fee** - \$20.00 per family, **FeisWeb Fee** - \$2.00

**ENTRY FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE AND NON-TRANSFERABLE.** The maximum fee per family is \$110.00 (does not include facility fee, late fee, Second Chance or change fee). Competitors Cards will be available to print on **FeisWeb** a couple of days prior to the Feis. Competitors are highly encouraged to print their number on card stock prior to attending. For those who cannot, competitor cards may be picked up at the venue.