

The Waipu Caledonian Society Inc.

Comunn Na H-alba Waipu

Solo Piping Programme

Established 1871

Tir nam Beann's nam Gleann's nam Gaisgeach - The country of the mountains, the glens and the heroes

Nemo Me Impune Lacessit - No one injures me with impunity



Where Legends are made

Sunday January 1st 2023

Caledonian Park Waipu Northland NZ

Commencing 9.00am

(Wet weather venue, Waipu Primary School)

Adjudicators:

Willie Rowe, Palmerston North – Helen McGregor Memorial Medley

Stuart Finlayson, Northland – Open Premier Board - Piobaireachd

Iain Hines, Wellington – Open Premier Board - Piobaireachd

Brian Switalla, Auckland – Open Premier Board - Light music

Richard Hawke, Christchurch – Open Premier Board - Light music

Graeme Bilsland, Palmerston North – B Grade

Iain Robertson, Palmerston North – B Grade

Merv Appleton, Auckland – C, D and Novice Board

The 150th Waipu Games Piping Programme

Sunday 1st Jan 2023

GRADE	No	EVENT	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	Fee
Open	0	Solo Medley: Helen McGregor Memorial Trophy, To be played on Saturday evening 31 st Dec At 7 p.m. in the Celtic Barn (Not under P&D Rules)	\$300	\$200	\$100	\$50	\$30
Open		Hector McDonald Trophy - Most Points in Open-Grade					
Open	1	2/4 March - Angus McDonald Trophy	\$200	\$150	\$100	\$50	\$20
Open	2	Strathspey & Reel - Northland Centre Championship - Cock O' the North Trophy	\$200	\$150	\$100	\$50	\$20
Open	3	Piobaireachd – North Island Championship - Centennial Shield	\$300	\$200	\$100	\$50	\$30
Open	4	March Strathspey & Reel - Finlayson Trophy	\$200	\$150	\$100	\$50	\$20
Open	5	Hornpipe & Jig – North Island Championship - Fraser Trophy	\$200	\$150	\$100	\$50	\$20
Under 21		Moon Family Trophy - Most Points Under 21 Years					
U 21	6	2/4 March – New Zealand Championship. Qualifying event for the William Boyle Memorial Scholarship	\$150	\$100	\$40	\$20	\$15
U 21	7	Strathspey & Reel	\$100	\$80	\$40	\$20	\$10
U 21	8	Piobaireachd - Qualifying event for the William Boyle Memorial Scholarship.	\$150	\$100	\$40	\$20	\$15
U 21	9	Hornpipe & Jig	\$100	\$80	\$40	\$20	\$10
B Grade		McLennan Memorial Trophy - Most Points in B Grade					
B Grade	10	2/4 March - W. I. McGregor Cup	\$100	\$80	\$40	\$20	\$10
B Grade	11	Strathspey & Reel - Northland Centre Championship	\$100	\$80	\$40	\$20	\$10
B Grade	12	Piobaireachd	\$150	\$100	\$40	\$20	\$15
B Grade	13	March Strathspey & Reel	\$100	\$80	\$40	\$20	\$10
B Grade	14	Hornpipe & Jig - Northland Centre Championship	\$100	\$80	\$40	\$20	\$10
Veterans	15	Veteran Pipers (minimum age 55)	\$50	\$30			\$5
C Grade		Fleming Shield - most points in C Grade					
C Grade	16	2/4 March - Rev McFarlane Cup	\$50	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5
C Grade	17	Piobaireachd - Submit one whole tune	\$60	\$40	\$15	\$10	\$6
C Grade	18	Strathspey & Reel - Northland Centre Championship	\$50	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5
C Grade	19	Hornpipe & Jig - Northland Centre Championship	\$50	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5
D Grade		Donnelly Trophy – Most points in D Grade					
D Grade	20	2/4 March - Iris McLeod Cup	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5	\$4
D Grade	21	Piobaireachd - Ground plus 1 variation	\$30	\$20	\$10	\$5	\$4
D Grade	22	Strathspey & Reel - Northland Centre Championship	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5	\$4
Novice							
Novice	23	Piobaireachd - Ground only	\$25	\$15	\$10	\$5	\$4
Novice	24	Novice March consisting of 2 parts of a March - of any time signature	\$20	\$15	\$10	\$5	\$3
Novice	25	Novice Slow Air of at least 2 parts	\$20	\$15	\$10	\$5	\$3
Practice Chanter	26	Practice Chanter - open to all Learners	\$15	\$10			\$2
		Steve Arblaster Memorial Trophy - Most Points in any grade for a competitor residing in Northland					

Conditions of Entry

This Competition shall be conducted under the rules of the Piping & Dancing Assn of NZ except for No's 0, 15 & 26. Every competitor shall produce a membership certificate for the current year when asked to do so and if unable to do so may be required to apply for membership forthwith.

P&D Rules relating to Pipers Dress will be adhered to. In the event of a tie for a trophy aggregate marks will be used.

- **Rule 37 regarding tuning will be enforced.** Competitors risk disqualification if they are not ready to play when called upon.
- No New Zealand, North Island or Centre Championship shall be awarded unless there are not fewer than 5 competitors in the event and the Judge certifies the winning performance is of standard to merit the award of the Championship.

Competitors MUST report to Board Stewards at least 5 minutes prior to each event, otherwise their right to compete may be forfeited. Tuning time at the board will be at the judge's discretion.

All events: 3 entries - 1st Prize only awarded.

5 entries - 1st & 2nd Prizes awarded.

7 entries - 1st, 2nd & 3rd Prizes awarded.

15 or more entries - A 4th Prize will be awarded

NOTE: Any competitor who is a previous winner of D Grade events is advised to enter other grades

Note: No Animals are allowed into the Caledonian Park.

This is a Health Dept, requirement and will be enforced by our Security Staff

Entries close on the 31st of October 2022. Late Entries will be accepted until Dec 1st 2022 with \$20.00 fee and competitors name will not be printed in the Programme.

If there are factors outside our control, we reserve the right to alter this program.

GENERAL PIPING NOTES

- Event 0 Music: Own choice of any tunes lasting no less than 6 minutes and no more than 8 minutes
- All Premier & Open Grade events require three tunes of each time signature to be submitted to the Board Steward on the day of competition.
- B Grade competitors must submit 2 x tunes each event. Judges nominate which tune to play.
- Under 21 events require 2 x tunes in each event to be submitted to Board Steward prior to event.
- Novice Event is for competitors who have not won a Novice competition before.
- Pipers may enter in their own grade and one above.
- Event 15. Music: Own choice. Minimum playing time of 3 minutes - maximum 5 minutes.
- Winning Pipers MUST wear correct Highland dress for Trophy presentation.
- All major trophies will be presented on the main stage at the end of the day.
- Points are allocated according to NZ P&D association. 5 for first, 3 for second & 1 for third.

All Trophies are to be returned fully polished and with your name engraved on it. Trophies can be returned either to the Chief Piping Steward's office on January 1st 2023 or couriered to the Waipu Caledonian Society by the 31st of October if you are not attending the 2023 Waipu Highland Games.

The 150th Waipu Highland Games Jan 1st 2023

The U21 Piobaireachd event will be held in conjunction with the B Grade Piobaireachd. **Prize Money will be awarded in both classes and U21 Competitors can pay & compete for both events in this competition.** The second event for WBM scholarship competitors will be the U21 2/4 March. **The first four place-getters in these TWO events will qualify for WBM Scholarship placing.**

Please note; All competition stops at 12:00pm for Pipers to assemble for the lunch time Parade And Official Opening Ceremony, all Pipers and Drummers are expected to participate

Entry forms for all Piping events are available from Piping Steward