

THE 59th
HAWKE'S BAY EASTER HIGHLAND GAMES
Gold Medal Piobaireachd

PIPING SCHEDULE

(CONDUCTED UNDER THE RULES OF THE PIPING AND DANCING ASSN OF
NEW ZEALAND)

**FRIDAY EVENING 10th, SATURDAY 11th
and SUNDAY 12th April, 2009**

LINDISFARNE COLLEGE (Wet or Fine)
PAKOWHAI ROAD, HASTINGS

COMMENCING 8.30 A.M.

ADJUDICATORS:

"Premier" Board	Mr. John Hanning	Wellington
	Mr. Bain McGregor	Waipu
"A" Grade Board	Mr Graeme Bilsland	Feilding
"B" Grade Board	Mr. Dennis Pierce	Palmerston North
"C" Grade Board	Mr. Bob Irvine	Levin

ENTRIES CLOSE: **7th March 2009** with: The Treasurer
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HAWKE'S BAY EASTER HIGHLAND GAMES

FRIDAY EVENING EVENT

THIS YEAR

THE COMUNN NA PIOBAIREACHD GOLD CLASP EVENT

WILL BE HELD IN THE

DINING HALL - LINDISFARNE COLLEGE, PAKOWHAI ROAD, HASTINGS

FRIDAY 10TH APRIL, 2009 AT 7.30 P.M.

BAR FACILITIES AVAILABLE

Judges - Mr Bain McGregor, Waipu - Mr John Hanning, Wellington

Event 1: GOLD CLASP PIOBAIREACHD

Cash Prizes sponsored by Alastair Munro and
Dye-Chem NZ (1989) Ltd Christchurch

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Entry
COMUNN NA PIOBAIREACHD GOLD CLASP L. MACKINNON CHALLENGE CUP	400.00	280.00	190.00	130.00	10.00

The tunes for the 2009 Clasp Competition will be:

1. The Sisters Lament	PS Bk 4
2. The Big Spree	PS Bk 1
3. Lament for Captain Donald MacKenzie	PS Bk 15
4. *The UnJust Incarceration	PS Bk 2
5. Lament for MacDonald's Tutor	PS Bk 3
6. The MacRae's March	PS Bk 10
7. The Earl of Seaforth's Salute	PS Bk 5
8. Lament for the Viscount of Dundee	PS Bk 1

**beside a tune indicates a crunluath a mach variation is compulsory*

The winner receives the First Prize, the Louis MacKinnon Challenge Cup and a Clasp for the Gold Medal.

The competition is confined to winners of the Society's Gold medal.

Competitors are to submit 4 tunes chosen from the list of 8 Clasp tunes above, one of which they will be required to play.

There must be a minimum of 3 competitors or the event will not be held.

Formal dress preferred.

A Spectator Admission Fee will apply

PIPING EVENTS SATURDAY

Event	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Entry
<u>PREMIER EVENTS BOARD</u>					
2. UNDER 21 PIOBAIREACHD <i>(Qualifying event for William Boyle Memorial Foundation Scholarship)</i>	80.00	40.00	25.00		5.00
3. GOLD MEDAL PIOBAIREACHD COMUNN NA PIOBAIREACHD GOLD MEDAL HIGHLAND SOCIETY OF LONDON TROPHY, IAN CAMERON CHALLENGE CUP	300.00	220.00	150.00	100.00	10.00
<i>The tunes for the 2009 Gold Medal Competition will be:</i>					
1. *The MacKay's Bannere					PS Bk 7
2. Nameless (hiharin dro o dro)					PS Bk 4
3. Glengarry's March					PS Bk 2
4. The Kings Taxes					PS Bk 5
5. *The Pipers Warning to his Master					PS Bk 12
6. Tulloch Ard					PS Bk 6
7. *The Gathering of Clan Chattan					PS Bk 2
8. Lament for Captain MacDougall					PS Bk 6
<i>* beside a tune indicates a crunluath a mach variation is compulsory.</i>					
• The winner receives the First Prize, The Highland Society of London Trophy for one year, and the Comunn na Piobaireachd (New Zealand) Inc Gold Medal. Former winners are not eligible to compete.					
• Competitors are to submit 3 tunes chosen from the list of 8 Gold Medal tunes above, one of which they will be required to play.					
• Entry to the Gold Medal competition is restricted to pipers who have not previously won the Gold Medal event and who are:					
a. Pipers with a P&D Assn 'A' Grade, or					
b. Pipers with a CPA(NZ) 'A' Grade for Piobaireachd, or					
c. Pipers who have been awarded a prize (other than first prize) in a previous Comunn na Piobaireachd Gold Medal competition since 1990, or					
d. Pipers who have previously won the Comunn na Piobaireachd Silver Medal competition.					
No medal will be awarded if the judges are of the opinion that the standard does not warrant the award.					
<u>"A" GRADE BOARD</u>					
4. 6/8 MARCH	120.00	60.00	30.00		6.00
5. GREATER HASTINGS MARCH, STRATHSPEY & REEL CLAN MACKENZIE SHIELD	140.00	70.00	35.00	20.00	7.00
6. NORTH ISLAND CHAMPIONSHIP 2/4 MARCH	120.00	60.00	30.00	20.00	7.00
<u>"B" GRADE BOARD</u>					
(N.B. Two tunes to be submitted for B Grade and Under 21 Events)					
7. 6/8 MARCH	60.00	30.00	15.00		5.00
8. HAWKE'S BAY CHAMPIONSHIP MARCH STRATHSPEY & REEL HIGHLAND GAMES GOLD MEDAL	120.00	50.00	25.00		6.00
9. VETERANS SLOW AIR & 6/8 MARCH MARCH (Those aged 55+ and who are not competing on other boards)	40.00	20.00	10.00		4.00
<u>"C" GRADE BOARD</u>					
10. NOVICE SLOW MARCH HIGHLAND GAMES GOLD MEDAL	25.00	12.50	7.50		2.50
11. "C" GRADE HAWKES BAY CHAMPIONSHIP STRATHSPEY AND REEL HIGHLAND GAMES GOLD MEDAL	30.00	15.00	10.00		3.50
12. "D" GRADE 2/4 MARCH (twice through if two part)	25.00	15.00	10.00		3.00
13. "C" GRADE 6/8 MARCH	30.00	15.00	10.00		3.50

PIPING EVENTS SUNDAY

Event	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Entry
<u>PREMIER EVENTS BOARD</u>					
14. 'D' GRADE PIOBAIREACHD (<i>Ground only</i>)	25.00	15.00	10.00		3.00
15. 'C' GRADE PIOBAIREACHD (<i>Ground and 1st variation</i>)	30.00	15.00	10.00		3.50
16. SILVER MEDAL PIOBAIREACHD COMUNN NA PIOBAIREACHD SILVER MEDAL J A MacGEE TROPHY	200.00	150.00	100.00	50.00	7.00

The tunes for the 2009 Silver Medal Competition will be:

1.	Lament for Alasdair Dearg Macdonell of Glengarry	PS Bk 14
2.	The Little Spree	PS Bk 7
3.	Caber Feidh Gu Brath	MC
4.	The Massacre of Glencoe	PS Bk 6
5.	A Flame of Wrath for Patrick Coagach	PS Bk 5
6.	The Munro's Salute	PS Bk 11

- The winner receives the First Prize and the Comunn na Piobaireachd (New Zealand) Inc Silver Medal.
- Former winners are not eligible to compete.
- Competitors are to submit 3 tunes chosen from the list of 6 Silver Medal tunes above, one of which they will be required to play.

Entry to the Silver Medal competition is restricted to pipers who have not previously won the Silver Medal event

- and who are:
- Pipers with a P&D Assn 'B' Grade or lower, or
 - Pipers with a CPA(NZ) 'B' Grade for Piobaireachd or lower.

No medal will be awarded if the judges are of the opinion that the standard does not warrant the award.

"A" GRADE BOARD

17. 2 x 2/4 MARCHES	120.00	60.00	30.00		6.00
18. OPEN STRATHSPEY & REEL (<i>Premier Event</i>) SUTCLIFFE'S CHALLENGE CUP	140.00	70.00	35.00		6.00
19. NORTH ISLAND CHAMPIONSHIP OPEN JIG & HORNPIPE (<i>Premier event</i>)	140.00	70.00	35.00	20.00	7.00

"B" GRADE BOARD (N.B. Two tunes to be submitted for B Grade and Under 21 Events)

20. 2/4 MARCH	60.00	30.00	15.00		5.00
21. UNDER 21 STRATHSPEY & REEL (<i>Qualifying event for William Boyle Memorial Foundation Scholarship</i>)	80.00	40.00	25.00		6.00
22. HAWKE'S BAY CHAMPIONSHIP JIG & HORNPIPE HIGHLAND GAMES GOLD MEDAL CLAN GUNN SOCIETY CHALLENGE CUP	80.00	40.00	25.00		6.00
23. VETERANS MEDLEY Maximum 4 minutes (<i>Restricted to aged 55+ and who are not competing on other boards</i>)	40.00	20.00	10.00		4.00

"C" GRADE BOARD

24. NOVICE MARCH (2/4, 3/4, 4/4) (<i>minimum two parts, once through tune only</i>) HIGHLAND GAMES GOLD MEDAL	25.00	12.50	7.50		2.50
25. "C" GRADE SLOW MARCH	30.00	15.00	10.00		3.50
26. "D" GRADE HAWKE'S BAY CHAMPIONSHIP STRATHSPEY & REEL (<i>Minimum two part tunes, once through each</i>)	25.00	15.00	10.00		3.00
27. "C" GRADE 2/4 MARCH	30.00	15.00	10.00		3.50

Attention: All competitors are drawn to No. 4 of the General Piping Conditions on back page of this schedule, relating to tuning and playing in order listed in program.

C I JENNINGS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The C.I. Jennings Memorial Scholarship for furthering piping interests to the value of \$120.00 (e.g. piping books, tuition) is awarded to the piper who gains the most points in "B" Grade Piping

WILLIAM BOYLE MEMORIAL FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

The qualifying events at the Hawke's Bay Easter Highland Games are:

EVENT 2 - UNDER 21 PIOBAIREACHD

EVENT 21 - NZ CHAMPIONSHIP UNDER 21 STRATHSPEY & REEL

The first four place-getters will qualify for Scholarship placing.

GENERAL PIPING CONDITIONS

- 1 In "A" Grade events three tunes are to be submitted for each event unless otherwise indicated.
In "B" Grade events two tunes are to be submitted for each event unless otherwise indicated.
In "Under 21" events two tunes are to be submitted for each event unless otherwise indicated.
- 2 Winner of Novice Piping event on Saturday is not eligible to compete in the Novice event on Sunday, but may transfer that entry to a "C" or "D" Grade event.
- 3 Previous winners of "C" Grade at Hawke's Bay Easter Highland Games are not eligible for "D" Grade events.
- 4 **Competitors will play in order as listed in programme and should have their pipes tuned in readiness unless special circumstances occur. Any changes due to these are to arranged with stewards prior to each event.**
Competitors MUST report to Board Stewards prior to EACH EVENT otherwise their right to compete may be forfeited..
- 5 Tuning time **AT THE BOARD** will be at the judge's discretion (**FOUR MINUTES** for Piobaireachd or March, Strathspey & Reel, and **TWO MINUTES** for all other events).
- 6 B Grade pipers will be expected to tune their own pipes.
- 7 All competitors to be suitably attired in Highland dress.
- 8 **ALL COMPETITORS MUST PRODUCE CURRENT REGISTRATION ON REQUEST AND IF UNABLE TO DO SO MUST REGISTER WITH SECRETARY BEFORE BEING ALLOWED TO COMPETE.**
9. **KILT NUMBERS TO BE COLLECTED FROM THE PIPING CONVENOR ON THE SATURDAY.**

TROPHIES

HIGHLAND SOCIETY OF LONDON TROPHY	Gold Medal Piobaireachd
IAN CAMERON CHALLENGE CUP	Gold Medal Piobaireachd
L. MACKINNON CHALLENGE CUP	Gold and Clasp Piobaireachd
MASTER SHOWMEN'S ASSN CHALLENGE CUP	Most Points "A" Grade Piping during Games
RYRIE CHALLENGE CUP	Most Points "A" Grade Piping Saturday
DONALD CAMPBELL CHALLENGE CUP	Most Points "A" Grade Piping Sunday
SUTCLIFFE CHALLENGE CUP	"A" Grade Premier Event Sunday
CLAN MCKENZIE CHALLENGE SHIELD	Greater Hastings March, Strathspey and Reel
JOHN ALLAN MACGEE MEMORIAL TROPHY	Silver Medal Piobaireachd
C I JENNINGS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP (\$120)	Most Points "B" Grade Piping during Games
MICHAEL GORDON CHALLENGE CUP	Most Points "B" Grade Piping during Games
J. WATTIE CANNERIES CHALLENGE CUP	Most Points "B" Grade Piping Saturday
A.M. YOUNG CHALLENGE CUP	Most Points "B" Grade Piping Sunday
CLAN GUNN SOCIETY CHALLENGE CUP	"B" Grade Premier Event Sunday
CLAN McLEOD CHALLENGE CUP	Most Points Veterans Piping Events during Games
AGNEW CHALLENGE CUP	Most Points "C" Grade Piping during Games

Points Trophies are awarded on a 5 - 3 - 1 ratio for the first three places

