

# **PROGRAMME**

## **HIGHLAND NATIONAL DANCING**

**17<sup>th</sup> August**

***Scottish Hall – Esk Street***

***Adjudicator – Nicole McKay-Vercoe  
(MNZAHND)***

The Southland Competitions Society Inc



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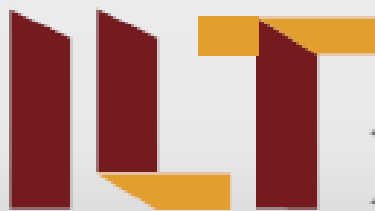
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## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

The Southland Competition Society welcomes you all to another successful festival, we hope you all enjoy yourselves and achieve to your best potential.

The Society offers a platform for all performers to develop and enhance their skills in their chosen art.

This year we are offering competition for competitors in six different arts, where competitors have the opportunity to meet with their peers and gain the satisfaction which comes from competing and meeting others from all over the South Island.

Our festival is only possible with the generous support from our local community. We would like to extend our thanks to:

- Southern Trust
- Community Trust South
- Invercargill Licensing Trust
- ILT Foundation

for their continuing support. To the many sponsors of prizes and advertising, we also thank you. Without your continuing support the festival would not be possible.

I would like to extend my thanks to all our Conveners and Committee members who work tirelessly to bring the 2019 festival to you.

Coral Sycamore  
President

## Executive Officers 2019

<b>President:</b>	Coral Sycamore
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It would be appreciated if you have changed your Address, Email, or Telephone No. during the year, that you notify us as soon as possible so that we can update our mailing lists.

Email to:

[admin@southlandcomps.org.nz](mailto:admin@southlandcomps.org.nz)

or

Post to:

**PO Box 1393  
Invercargill 9840**

**VIDEOING WILL BE PERMITTED - (UNDER STRICT SUPERVISION)**  
Anyone wishing to video must request permission at the office of the venue.  
A form must be completed and signed.  
Anyone videoing without permission will have their tape CONFISCATED.

Recording of OPEN classes is **NOT** permitted for Irish Dancing

The Southland Competitions Society complies with APRA regulations  
and forward fees on behalf of all competitors

## ADMISSION CHARGES

### **Irish Dancing:**

Viewers will need to pay at the door

*Competitors free*

There will be no Door Admission Charges for Tap Dancing or Highland Dancing  
as these charges are included in the Entry Fees.

Any donations towards venue hire from non- competitors would be appreciated.

#### **ACCOMPANISTS:**

Southland Competitions Society Inc does not provide an Official Accompanist for the Competitions. Each entrant is free to use an accompanist of their own choice and all arrangements **including rehearsal & performance payments** must be made between the entrant and the accompanist. An Accompanist will not sight-read items. The music must be clear for the accompanist to read and, if it is sheet music that has been put in plastic covers, the covers must be non-reflective.

#### **COPYRIGHT COMPLIANCE**

In order to comply with NZ copyright law, Competitors must bring the “original” of their music. For the purposes of this Competition an “Original” includes a copy that was purchased online. Please check if your pieces are old versions that have been re-released, as the newer version may fall under copyright law again.

#### **NATIONAL YOUNG PERFORMER NOMINATIONS 2019**

Nominations will be held during our August Competitions in 2019 ahead of the October 2019 NYPA competition held in Palmerston North for **Highland Dancing & Troupe/Group** in Tap Dancing & Highland & National Dancing.

#### **NATIONAL YOUNG PERFORMER NOMINATIONS 2019 FOR 2020**

Nominations will be held during our September Competitions, 13 months ahead of the **October 2020 NYPA** Competition for **TROUPE/GROUP, BALLET DANCE, VOCAL, & PIANOFORTE.**

**PLEASE NOTIFY THE SOCIETY IF NOT APPEARING**



# Regent on Broadway Theatre Palmerston North October 18 - 20 2019

Modern Dance  
Highland Dancing  
Instrumental  
Speech & Drama  
Troupe/Group

Performing Arts Competitions Association of New Zealand Inc  
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The poster is a composite image. On the left is a photograph of four young performers on a stage: a girl in a red plaid dress, a girl in a dark dress playing a violin, a boy in a kilt and jacket, and a girl in a plaid shirt performing a modern dance move. On the right is a blue graphic area. At the top is the event logo, followed by "POWERED BY PALMERSTON NORTH CITY". The dates "18-20 October 2019" and location "Palmerston North" are prominently displayed. Below this, the categories "Troupe", "Highland", "Instrumental", "Speech &amp; Drama", and "Modern" are listed. At the bottom are silhouettes of performers and a vertical column of five icons representing different performance styles.



## Scottish Hall - HIGHLAND & NATIONAL DANCING

### HIGHLAND & NATIONAL DANCING SECTION

*Convener: Heidi Boniface*

*Adjudicator: Mrs Nicole McKay-Vercoe (MNZAHND)*

**Venue: Scottish Hall, Esk Street, Invercargill**

**Start Time: 8.30am, Saturday 17th August 2019**

#### *Adjudicator Profile: Mrs Nicole McKay-Vercoe*



Tena Koutou, I am Mrs Nicole McKay Vercoe from Dunedin. I am thrilled to be coming to Invercargill for the 2019 Southland Competitions Society Performing Arts. Southland has always been a favourite dancing location for me as when I was a child coming to dance meant I got to spend a weekend with my cousins who were locals! I was born and raised in Oamaru where I started highland dancing at the age of 5. I was taught by three highly influential ladies, Mrs Jamison, Ms Gillies and lastly Mrs Mavor; whom I completed my diploma in 2010 with. Following a three year journey around the United Kingdom I returned to Dunedin to begin training as an anatomist, and returned to dancing with Mrs Seque to complete my senior medal test examinations. I am now an active member of the Ghillie Callum Club, Otago Centre Piping and

Dancing committee and assist in North Otago when I can. Outside of dancing, I have a wonderful husband and two girls aged 4 and 1; with a new baby due in January. My career as has diverted after graduating from anatomy into medicine, where I am now training as a doctor. I would like to wish all competitors the very best for a successful weekend of dancing and look forward to watching some enjoyable performances.

### TROPHIES & PRIZES

St Andrews Scottish Society of Southland  
Ceilidh Society of Southland  
Waikiwi Highland P & D Society  
Mary McHugh Trophy  
Anita King Trophy  
Jean Macnicol Trophy  
Heather Scott School of Dance Trophy  
Gore P & D Society  
Bruce Clark Trophy  
Susan Gill School of Dance Trophy  
Winton New World Trophy  
Diamond Jewellers Trophy  
Tuatapere H P & D Society Trophy  
Sandra Kyle Trophy  
Southland Teachers & Judges  
Association Trophy  
Tuatapere H P & D Society Trophy  
Kerryn & Angela McLean Trophy  
Beverley Lockett Trophy  
McLiskey Family Trophy  
John McEwan Challenge Cup  
Clan Lindsay Tray  
Clan Lindsay Tray

Most Points Open \$25 \$10 \$5  
Most Points Under 18  
Most Points Under 16  
Most Points Under 14  
Most Points Under 12  
Most Points Under 10  
Most Points Under 8  
Most Points Under 7  
Double Sword Under 12  
Double Sword 12 & Over  
Highland Reel Team Under 14  
Highland Reel Team 14 & Over  
Waltz Clog 10 & Under 14  
Waltz Clog 14 & Over  
  
Melbourne Clog/Medal Test Any Age  
Skipping Rope Dance Under 10  
Skipping Rope Dance 10 & Under 14  
Skipping Rope Dance 14 & Over  
Skipping Rope Dance Duo Any Age  
Best Dressed in Kilt Local Competitor  
Most Promising Unplaced Dancer Under 10  
Most Promising Unplaced Dancer 10 & Under 14

**Competitors – Highland & National Dancing**

1	Laura Boniface	2	Zara Glover	3	Alex Glover
4	Bethany Smith	5	Caitlin Checketts	6	Chloe Young
7	Ellie Pyle	8	Emily Howley	9	Eveline Levett
10	Georgia Watson	11	Rylee Watson	12	Greer Hazley
13	Hana Brandon	14	Hannah Sangster	15	Jordis Belesky
16	Xanthe Belesky	17	Tess McLeod	18	Tiffany Blackwood

**PDANZ RULES:**

1. All Highland & National dances to be run under the Rules of Piping and Dancing Association of New Zealand Inc. Miscellaneous dances to be run under Society's own rules.
2. Bonnets to be worn in accordance with the rules and regulations of PDANZ.
3. In the event of a tie for most points, Rule 13 will apply. Aggregate points may be used.
4. Merit Classes and Miscellaneous classes do not qualify for Most Points.
5. Junior competitors may dance in own age group and one above only.
6. In the case of insufficient entries for Reels – dances in brackets will apply.
7. Numbers worn by competitors must be in clear view of Adjudicator.
8. Most Points Under 16 and Under 18 will be awarded to the competitors in the Open age group, who fall into that age range on the day of the competition.
9. Number of placings will be determined by entries in each event, 3 entries = 1<sup>st</sup>, 5 entries = 2<sup>nd</sup>, 7 entries = 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10 entries = 4<sup>th</sup>



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QUICK REFERENCE TIMETABLE

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> August 2019 - Repertory House – commencing 8.30am

1	Class 833	Sailors Hornpipe	Under 14
2	Class 825	Sailors Hornpipe	Under 10
3	Class 834	Sailors Hornpipe	Open
4	Class 822	Irish Jig	Under 8
5	Class 842	Sailors Hornpipe	Under 13 - <u>Merit</u>
6	Class 836	Irish Jig D.T.	Open
7	Class 824	Irish Jig	Under 10
8	Class 843	Irish Hornpipe	Under 15 - <u>Merit</u>
9	Class 818	Irish Jig	Under 7
10	Class 829	Irish Jig	Under 12
11	Class 839	Irish Jig S.T.	Open
12	Class 830	Irish Jig	Under 14
13	Class 844	Irish Hornpipe	15 & Over - <u>Merit</u>
14	Class 819	Highland Fling	Under 7
15	Class 823	Highland Fling	Under 10
16	Class 832	Seann Truibhas	Under 14
17	Class 820	Highland Fling	Under 8
18	Class 838	Highland Fling	Open
19	Class 828	Highland Fling	Under 12
20	Class 840	Highland Fling	Under 9 – <u>Merit</u>
21	Class 831	Sword Dance	Under 14
22	Class 821	Sword Dance	Under 8
23	Class 826	Sword Dance	Under 12
24	Class 835	Seann Truibhas	Open
25	Class 827	Highland Reel	Under 12
26	Class 846	Double Sword	12 & Over
27	Class 846	Double Sword	Under 12
28	Class 841	Sword Dance	Under 11 – <u>Merit</u>
29	Class 837	Sword Dance	Open
30	Class 852	Melbourne Clog or Medal test	Any age
31	Class 851	Waltz Clog	14 & Over
32	Class 850	Waltz Clog	10 & under 14
33	Class 849	Waltz Clog	Under 10
34	Class 855	Skipping Rope Dance	14 & over
35	Class 854	Skipping Rope Dance	10 & under 14



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**Event 1: Class 833**

**Saturday 8.30a.m.**

**Sailors Hornpipe Under 14 years**

3	Alex Glover	10	Georgia Watson	2	Zara Glover
15	Jordis Belesky				
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 2: Class 825**

**Sailors Hornpipe Under 10 years**

4	Bethany Smith	6	Chloe Young	11	Rylee Watson
7	Ellie Pyle	13	Hana Brandon		
1st	_____	2nd	_____		
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 3: Class 834**

**Sailors Hornpipe Open**

1	Laura Boniface	14	Hannah Sangster	16	Xanthe Belesky
9	Eveline Levett	17	Tess McLeod	18	Tiffany Blackwood
1st	_____	2nd	_____		
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 4: Class 822**

**Irish Jig Under 8 years**

5	Caitlin Checketts	8	Emily Howley	12	Greer Hazley
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 5: Class 842**

**Sailors Hornpipe Under 13 years Merit**

*Merit Award*

2	Zara Glover	3	Alex Glover	6	Chloe Young
13	Hana Brandon	10	Georgia Watson		
1st	_____	2nd	_____		
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

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Event 6: Class 836

Irish Jig D.T. Open

14	Hannah Sangster	18	Tiffany Blackwood	9	Eveline Levett
16	Xanthe Belesky	3	Laura Boniface		
1 <sup>st</sup>	_____	2 <sup>nd</sup>	_____		
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

Event 7: Class 824

Irish Jig Under 10 years

5	Caitlin Checketts	4	Bethany Smith	7	Ellie Pyle
11	Rylee Watson	6	Chloe Young	12	Greer Hazley
13	Hana Brandon				
1 <sup>st</sup>	_____	2 <sup>nd</sup>	_____	3 <sup>rd</sup>	_____
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

Event 8: Class 843

Irish Hornpipe Under 15 years

*Merit Award*

17	Tess McLeod	15	Jordis Belesky	3	Laura Boniface
2	Zara Glover				
1 <sup>st</sup>	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

Event 9: Class 818

Irish Jig Under 7 years

8	Emily Howley				
1 <sup>st</sup>	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

Event 10: Class 829

Irish Jig Under 12 years

7	Ellie Pyle	6	Chloe Young	3	Alex Glover
10	Georgia Watson	11	Rylee Watson	13	Hana Brandon
1 <sup>st</sup>	_____	2 <sup>nd</sup>	_____		
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

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Event 11: Class 839

Irish Jig S.T. Open

16	Xanthe Belesky	15	Jordis Belesky	14	Hannah Sangster
18	Tiffany Blackwood	9	Eveline Levett	1	Laura Boniface
17	Tess McLeod				
1st	_____	2nd	_____	3rd	_____
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

Event 12: Class 830

Irish Jig Under 14 years

10	Georgia Watson	2	Zara Glover	3	Alex Glover
14	Jordis Belesky				
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

Event 13: Class 844

Irish Hornpipe 15 years & over

*Merit Award*

9	Eveline Levett	14	Hannah Sangster	18	Tiffany Blackwood
16	Xanthe Belesky				
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

Event 14: Class 819

Highland Fling Under 7 years

8	Emily Howley				
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

Event 15: Class 823

Highland Fling Under 10 years

5	Caitlin Checketts	4	Bethany Smith	6	Chloe Young
7	Ellie Pyle	11	Rylee Watson	12	Greer Hazley
13	Hana Brandon				
1st	_____	2nd	_____		
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

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**Event 16: Class 832**

**Seann Truibhas Under 14 years**

2	Zara Glover	13	Tess McLeod	3	Alex Glover
10	Georgia Watson	15	Jordis Belesky		
1st	_____	2nd	_____		
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 17: Class 820**

**Highland Fling Under 8 years**

12	Greer Hazley	8	Emily Howley	5	Caitlin Checketts
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 18: Class 837**

**Highland Fling Open**

1	Laura Boniface	9	Eveline Levett	14	Hannah Sangster
18	Tiffany Blackwood	17	Tess McLeod	16	Xanthe Belesky
1st	_____	2nd	_____		
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 19: Class 828**

**Highland Fling Under 12 years**

10	Georgia Watson	6	Chloe Young	7	Ellie Pyle
3	Alex Glover	13	Hana Brandon	11	Rylee Watson
1st	_____	2nd	_____	3rd	_____
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 20: Class 840**

**Highland Fling Under 9 years**

*Merit Award*

12	Greer Hazley	5	Caitlin Checketts	13	Hana Brandon
4	Bethany Smith				
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

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Event 21: Class 831

Sword Dance Under 14 years

2	Zara Glover	10	Georgia Watson	3	Alex Glover
15	Jordis Belesky				
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

Event 22: Class 821

Sword Dance Under 8 years

12	Greer Hazley	8	Emily Howley	5	Caitlin Checketts
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

\*\*\*\*Presentation for Events 5, 8, 13 & 20\*\*\*\*

Event 23: Class 826

Sword Dance Under 12 years

2	Alex Glover	6	Chloe Young	11	Rylee Watson
7	Ellie Pyle	10	Georgia Watson	13	Hana Brandon
1st	_____	2nd	_____		
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

Event 24: Class 835

Seann Truibhas Open

3	Laura Boniface	9	Eveline Levett	18	Tiffany Blackwood
14	Hannah Sangster	17	Tess McLeod	16	Xanthe Belesky
1st	_____	2nd	_____		
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

Event 25: Class 827

Highland Reel Under 12 years

2	Alex Glover	6	Chloe Young	7	Ellie Pyle
10	Georgia Watson	13	Hana Brandon		
1st	_____	2nd	_____		
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____



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**Event 26: Class 846**

**Double Sword 12 years & over**

*Susan Gill School of Dance Trophy*

1	Laura Boniface & partner	16	Xanthe Belesky & partner	15	Jordis Belesky & partner
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 27: Class 846**

**Double Sword Under 12 years**

*Bruce Clark Trophy*

4	Bethany Smith & partner	2	Alex Glover & Rylee Watson	6	Chloe Young & partner
13	Hana Brandon & partner				
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 28: Class 841**

**Sword Dance Under 11 years**

*Merit Award*

4	Bethany Smith	6	Chloe Young	7	Ellie Pyle
11	Rylee Watson	2	Alex Glover	13	Hana Brandon
1st	_____	2nd	_____		
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 29: Class 837**

**Sword Dance Open**

18	Tiffany Blackwood	17	Tess McLeod	1	Laura Boniface
9	Eveline Levett	16	Xanthe Belesky		
1st	_____	2nd	_____		
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 30: Class 852**

**Melbourne Clog or Medal Test, any age**

*Southland Teachers & Judges Assn Trophy*

4	Bethany Smith				
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

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**Event 31: Class 851**

**Waltz Clog 14 years & over**

*Sandra Kyle Trophy*

16	Xanthe Belesky	3	Laura Boniface	17	Tess McLeod
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 32: Class 850**

**Waltz Clog 10-14 years**

*Tuatapere HP&D Society Trophy*

15	Jordis Belesky	2	Zara Glover		
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 33: Class 849**

**Waltz Clog Under 10 years**

*Ismay, Nigel & Elwyn Wilson Trophy*

7	Ellie Pyle	4	Bethany Smith		
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 34: Class 855**

**Skipping Rope Dance 14 years & over**

*Beverley Lockett Trophy*

16	Xanthe Belesky	3	Laura Boniface		
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**Event 35: Class 854**

**Skipping Rope Dance 10-14 years**

*Kerryn & Angela McLean Trophy*

10	Georgia Watson	15	Jordis Belesky	2	Zara Glover
1st	_____				
VHC	_____	HC	_____	C	_____

**\*\*\*\*Presentation for Events 26, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 & 35 \*\*\*\***



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