

23rd ANNUAL BOB GABOR CNY FEIS Saturday, April 26, 2014

To register, go to www.feisweb.com/ and click on Central New York Feis
NYS Fairgrounds, Horticulture Building, 581 State Fair Blvd, Syracuse NY (13209)

GPS coordinates for the Fairgrounds are: 43.073857,-76.215708

Anthems at 8:30 am sharp (Venue doors will open at 7:30 am)

Megan Hickey, TCRG, Chairperson / Jennifer Montague, Registrar

**ENTRY DEADLINE ON APRIL 11th (Or when CAP is reached, if earlier)
FOR UPDATED INFO go to www.CNYFeis.com/**

CAPPING AT 1,200 COMPETITORS (Enter early as we have reached cap the past 12 years)

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by RicsPics.Com < Use code CNYFT14 >**

**You should be aware that competitors names and/or placements as well as pictures may
appear on the internet < See last page of syllabus for details >.**

Adjudicators Expected: (TCRGs: Contact Jim Montague to report and avoid judging conflicts . . . Jim@FeisWeb.com)

Sheila Bremer / Kerry Broderick / Sheila Cloherty / Maureen Collins / Fedelmia Davis / Patsy McLoughlin / Kathleen Flaherty /
Isabella Fogarty / Maureen Greene-O'Leary / Maureen Hamilton / Eddie Irwin / Debbie Lynch / Eileen McDonagh / Michael
Meehan / LuAnn O'Rourke / Sean Reagan / Maggie Revis / Maggie Ritnour / Colleen Schroeder / Cathy Spencer

Musicians Expected:

Mark Arrington / Karen Conway / Jimmy Early / Brigit Robine / Kevin Ford / Brian Glynn / Sandy Jones / Chris McLoughlin /
Pattie Morrissey / Tony Rutherford

Current Competitor Listing - Paid Entries Thus Far Per FeisWeb

STAGE SCHEDULE: EXPECTED TO BE POSTED 3-4 DAYS PRIOR TO FEIS

DIRECTIONS TO THE NYS FAIRGROUNDS (GPS coordinates 43.073857,-76.215708)

Note that THE MAPLEWOOD INN is our "Hotel of Choice"

Congratulations To Our NAFC CHAMPIONSHIP WINNERS (WITH SCHOOL) FOR 2014:

Dance Championships Held February 15, 2014 at the Orlando Hilton in Orlando, FL
Senior Belt (17 and Over) / Gerry Campbell Perpetual Belt: Nick Paulson (Broesler)
Junior Cup (Under 17) / Robert Gabor Perpetual Trophy: Owen Leubbers (Broesler)
Minor Trophy (Under 13) / George Sweetnam Memorial Trophy: Erin Karlock (Peter Smith)

NAFC Music Scholarship Competitions: Under 15 to be held 5/25/14 at the Cleveland Feis (Ohio)

NAFC Music Scholarship Competitions: 15 and Over to be held 10/21/14 at the Portland Feis (Oregon)

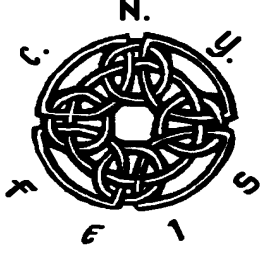
Be aware that our CNY Feis will operate under rules set forth by An Coimisiun, NAFC and IDTANA. In the event of any rule conflicts,
interpretations or options made available, CNY Feis will adhere to rules of our Mid-Atlantic Region which are in effect at that time.
For an up-to-date version, visit: <http://www.mid-atlanticregion.com/> and click on "Standard Syllabus".

CNY Feis Committee is a member of NAFC (Patricia Watkins, President) and An Coimisiun in Dublin, Ireland.

PRE-BEGINNER BOYS & GIRLS Competition Level \$8.00

AGE GROUP	YEAR BORN	IRISH DANCE	For your dancer-to-be who has yet to compete			
All Ages	Any	4800				

BEGINNER BOYS & GIRLS Competition Level \$8.00

AGE GROUP	YEAR BORN	R E E L	SLIP JIG	LIGHT JIG		
Under 6	After 2007	1061	1062	1063		
Under 7	2007	1071	1072	1073		
Under 8	2006	1081	1082	1083		
Under 9	2005	1091	1092	1093		
Under 10	2004	1101	1102	1103		
Under 11	2003	1111	1112	1113		
Under 12	2002	1121	1122	1123		
12 & Over	Before 2001	1191	1192	1193		

ADVANCED BEGINNER BOYS & GIRLS Competition Level \$8.00

AGE GROUP	YEAR BORN	R E E L	SLIP JIG	LIGHT JIG	TREBLE JIG	HORNPIPE
Under 6	After 2007	2061	2062	2063	2064	2065
Under 7	2007	2071	2072	2073	2074	2075
Under 8	2006	2081	2082	2083	2084	2085
Under 9	2005	2091	2092	2093	2094	2095
Under 10	2004	2101	2102	2103	2104	2105
Under 11	2003	2111	2112	2113	2114	2115
Under 12	2002	2121	2122	2123	2124	2125
12 & Over	Before 2001	2191	2192	2193	2194	2196

NOVICE BOYS & GIRLS Competition Level \$8.00

AGE GROUP	YEAR BORN	R E E L	SLIP JIG	LIGHT JIG	TREBLE JIG	HORNPIPE
Under 7	After 2005	3071	3072	3073	3074	3075
Under 8	2006	3081	3082	3083	3084	3085
Under 9	2005	3091	3092	3093	3094	3095
Under 10	2004	3101	3102	3103	3104	3105
Under 11	2003	3111	3112	3113	3114	3115
Under 12	2002	3121	3122	3123	3124	3125
Under 13	2001	3131	3132	3133	3134	3135
Under 14	2000	3141	3142	3143	3144	3145
Under 15	1999	3151	3152	3153	3154	3155
15 & Over	Before 1999	3191	3192	3193	3194	3195

PRIZEWINNER BOYS & GIRLS Competition Level \$8.00

AGE GROUP	YEAR BORN	R E E L	SLIP JIG	TREBLE JIG	HORNPIPE	TRAD SET
Under 7	After 2005	4071	4072	4074	4075	4076
Under 8	2006	4081	4082	4084	4085	4086
Under 9	2005	4091	4092	4094	4095	4096
Under 10	2004	4101	4102	4104	4105	4106
Under 11	2003	4111	4112	4114	4115	4116
Under 12	2002	4121	4122	4124	4125	4126
Under 13	2001	4131	4132	4134	4135	4136
Under 14	2000	4141	4142	4144	4145	4146
Under 15	1999	4151	4152	4154	4155	4156
15 & Over	Before 1999	4191	4192	4194	4195	4196

NOTES FOR ALL GRADE LEVELS . . . IMPORTANT TO READ BEFORE YOU REGISTER

1. Be certain of the **COMPETITION LEVEL** that you are entering . This level is determined by your TCRG. A \$5 **CHANGE FEE** may apply if it becomes necessary to change your events after the deadline. Imposition of these additional change fees will be enforced.
2. You should expect that boys will be competing with girls; however, Committee reserves the right to establish separate competitions for boys. (This will depend on the number of boys entered and our ability to establish such events on Feis Day).
3. Committee will make every effort to **SPLIT** above grade events (if number of entrants exceeds 29 as of deadline date). Conversely, we reserve the right to **COMBINE** grade events (within the same competition level), although not expecting to do so.
4. Expect all levels of **EACH** age bracket to perform on the same stage, except the optional hardshoe events. They will generally progress throughout the day level by level. We will make every effort to have rotating judges on each stage.
5. Entry fees paid include **MARKS** with comments for each event danced in. They will be emailed to you (at the email address from your registration) as soon as possible following the feis. These are free and there will be no additional charges.

MORE PRE-BEGINNER NOTES

All will receive a 1st place souvenir medal. Not allowed to compete in any other dance event.

BEGINNER NOTES

1. All dancers must wear school costume or skirt (slacks if boy) and blouse.
2. Those competitors **BORN AFTER 2002**: Use of make-up not permitted. (Up to and including Under 12 age group)
3. 12&Over bracket may be separated into more events, based on #s entered.
4. Expect **TEMPOS** to be at 118 for Reel and Slip Jig and at 115 for Light Jig.

ADVANCED BEGINNER NOTES

1. All dancers must wear school costume or skirt (slacks if boy) and blouse.
2. Those competitors **BORN AFTER 2002**: Use of make-up not permitted. (Up to and including Under 12 age group)
3. 12&Over bracket may be separated into more events, based on #s entered.
4. Expect **TEMPOS**: Reel (118); Slip Jig (115); Light Jig (115); Treble Jig (92); Hornpipe (138).

NOVICE DANCER NOTES

1. Competitor will designate her/his appropriate **TEMPO** with the Stage Monitor when at the stage: Treble Jig (92 or 73) and Hornpipe (138 or 113).
2. Expect other Novice **TEMPOS** to be at 113 for Reel and Slip Jig and at 115 for the Light Jig.
3. Novice may also enter Traditional Set events but will compete with Prizewinners.

PRIZEWINNER (PW) DANCER NOTES

1. Competitor will designate her/his appropriate **TEMPO** with the Stage Monitor when at the stage: Treble Jig (92 or 73) and Hornpipe (138 or 113).
2. Expect other Prizewinner **TEMPOS** to be at 113 for Reel and Slip Jig.
3. Be aware that, for Set Pieces, you may only compete in **TRADITIONAL** Sets. "Grade" levels may **NOT** perform a Contemporary Set (Choreographed by your TCRG).

2014 CNY Feis Preliminary and Open Championship and Optional Hard Shoe Competitions

Preliminary Championships \$30.00 (2 ROUNDS)		
Competition= HP/TJ choice Then RL/SJ choice		
Evt#	Boys and Girls Together	Year of Birth
508	PC Boys & Girls Under 8	(After 2006)
509	PC Boys & Girls Under 9	(2005)
510	PC Boys & Girls Under 10	(2004)
511	PC Boys & Girls Under 11	(2003)
512	PC Boys & Girls Under 12	(2002)
513	PC Boys & Girls Under 13	(2001)
514	PC Boys & Girls Under 14	(2000)
515	PC Boys & Girls Under 15	(1999)
516	PC Boys & Girls Under 16	(1998)
517	PC Boys & Girls Under 17	(1997)
518	PC Men & Ladies 17 and Over	(Before 1997)

GIRLS Open Championships \$32.00 (3 ROUNDS)		
Competition= HP/TJ choice, then RL/SJ choice, Then Set of your choice		
Evt#	Boys and Girls Together	Year of Birth
609	OC Girls Under 9 (TRADITIONAL Set)	(After 2005)
610	OC Girls Under 10	(2004)
611	OC Girls Under 11	(2003)
612	OC Girls Under 12	(2002)
613	OC Girls Under 13	(2001)
614	OC Girls Under 14	(2000)
615	OC Girls Under 15	(1999)
616	OC Girls Under 16	(1998)
617	OC Girls Under 17	(1997)
618	OC Ladies Under 18	(1996)
619	OC Ladies Under 19	(1995)
620	OC Ladies Under 20	(1994)
621	OC Ladies 20 and Over	(Before 1994)

SET PIECE COMPETITIONS (FOR PC COMPETITORS ONLY)		
Charity Event (ALL Proceeds) Hard Shoe Dance \$8.00 each		
Evt#	Boys and Girls Together Before One Judge	
7008	Set Piece Under 8 (TRADITIONAL SET)	Choose ONE
7009	Set Piece Under 9 (TRADITIONAL SET)	
7010	Set Piece Under 10 (CONTEMPORARY SET)	
7011	Set Piece Under 11 (CONTEMPORARY SET)	
7012	Set Piece Under 12 (CONTEMPORARY SET)	
7013	Set Piece Under 13 (CONTEMPORARY SET)	
7014	Set Piece Under 14 (CONTEMPORARY SET)	
7015	Set Piece Under 15 (CONTEMPORARY SET)	
7016	Set Piece Under 16 (CONTEMPORARY SET)	
7017	Set Piece Under 17 (CONTEMPORARY SET)	
7018	Set Piece 17 & Over (CONTEMPORARY SET)	

BOYS Open Championships \$32.00 (3 ROUNDS)		
Competition= HP/TJ choice, then Reel, Then Set of your choice		
Evt#	Boys and Girls Together	Year of Birth
709	OC Boys Under 9 (TRADITIONAL Set)	(After 2005)
710	OC Boys Under 11	(2004)
713	OC Boys Under 13	(2003/2002)
715	OC Boys Under 15	(2001/2000)
717	OC Boys Under 17	(1999/1998)
719	OC Mens Under 19	(1997/1996)
720	OC Mens 19 and Over	(Before 1996)

Other notes regarding CHAMPIONSHIP Syllabus Offerings, Local Rules and Staging Expectations

1. PRELIMINARY CHAMPIONSHIPS: You should expect that boys will compete TOGETHER with girls, in TWO rounds, and performing in hardshoes first. Reminder, that we also offer a separate Set Piece competition (See above). If entering, competitors under age 9 may NOT enter Under 10 to perform a contemporary set. You may expect this separate event to follow the regular competition (within an event or two following).

2. IMPORTANT for PC & OC dancers: Hard and soft dance choice MUST BE noted when registering. Rotation assignments to be randomly determined in advance. Changes to these dance options after deadline date, IF we are able to grant them, will be subject to change fees.

3. OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS: You should expect that boys will compete SEPARATELY from girls as is our Region's rule. Again this year there will be THREE rounds for our open champions: Hardshoes will be performed first, then the softshoes, expecting to dance two-at-a-time, followed lastly by the sets. We reserve the right to split or combine OC competitions in compliance with Mid-Atlantic Rules.

TREBLE REEL EVENTS \$8.00 each (All On Champion Stages)		
Expect to Dance End-of-Day \$8.00 each		
Evt#	Boys and Girls Together Before One Judge	
7712	Non-Champion Treble Reel Under 12	Choose ONE
7714	Non-Champion Treble Reel Under 14	
7715	Non-Champion Treble Reel 14 and Over	
7812	PC and OC Treble Reel Under 12	
7814	PC and OC Treble Reel Under 14	
7815	PC and OC Treble Reel 14 & Over	

Reminder of Rule Which Became Effective January 1, 2008
Preliminary dancers who win 3 first places in a calendar year, must move to Open Championship the following calendar year. When a third 1st place win is achieved over several calendar years, the dancer must move to Open Championship the following weekend.

Caution. A dancer who has competed even once in Open Championship, in any Region, must continue to compete in Open Championship. He/she may not return to Preliminary for a minimum of two years (See NAFC Rule 17).

MOST USEFUL LINKS	
2014 Bob Gabor CNY Feis (Our Home Page - Please Visit)	... http://CNYFeis.com/
NAFC: North American Feis Commission (Feis Rules)	... http://www.northamericanfeiscommission.org/Dancing_Rules_G081.html
CLRG: An Coimisiun le Rinci Gaelac (Home Page)	... http://www.clrg.ie/
IDTANA, Mid-Atlantic (Standard Syllabus & Feis Rules)	... http://www.mid-atlanticregion.com/
FeisWeb Home Page (Registration, Entrants, Results)	... http://www.FeisWeb.com/

Figure Dancing \$8.00 per Dancer per Dance For All Dancers (Except Adults) . . .	
Under 7 Three Hand Dance	8073
Under 8 Four Hand Dance	8084
Under 9 Three Hand Dance	8093
Under 10 Four Hand Dance	8104
Under 12 Three Hand Dance	8123
Under 12 Four Hand Dance	8124
Under 13 Two Hand Dance	8132
Under 15 Two Hand Dance	8152
Under 15 Three Hand Dance	8153
Under 15 Four Hand Dance	8154
15 & Over Two Hand Dance	8162
15 & Over Three Hand Dance	8163
15 & Over Four Hand Dance	8164

8-Hand Ceili \$8.00 per Dancer per Dance For All Dancers (Except Adults) . . .	
Primary Under 11 Ceili (By the Book)	8811
Minor Under 13 Ceili (By the Book)	8813
Junior Under 16 Ceili (By the Book)	8816
Senior 16 & Over Ceili (By the Book)	8817

Adult Team Dancing \$8.00 per dancer per dance
(You may register on feis day as a Team without penalty . . .
By 11:30 please)

Adult Two Hand Reel	4992
Adult Four Hand Ceili Dance (By the Book)	4994
Adult Six Hand Ceili Dance (By the Book)	4996
Adult Eight Hand Ceili Dance (By the Book)	4998

Adult Solo Dancing \$8.00 per dancer per dance	
Adult Solo Reel	4981
Adult Solo Slip Jig	4982
Adult Solo Light Jig	4983
Adult Solo Treble Jig (Expect Traditional Speeds)	4984
Adult Solo Hornpipe (Expect Traditional Speeds)	4985

Music Competitions \$5.00 each (You may register on feis day without penalty . . . By 11:30 please)	
Singing (Irish Song) Under 14	9514
Singing (Irish Song) Ages 14 through 21	9515
Singing (Irish Song) Adult	9599
Instrument (Reel, Jig, Air) Under 14	9614
Instrument (Reel, Jig, Air) Ages 14 through 21	9615
Instrument (Reel, Jig, Air) Adult	9699

Art Competitions \$5.00 each piece (You may register on feis day without penalty . . . By 11:30 please)	
General Art (Irish Theme) Under 14	9714
General Art (Irish Theme) Ages 14 through 21	9715
General Art (Irish Theme) Adult	9799

Baking Competitions (No Entry Fee) (Register on feis day By 11:30)	
Baked Goods	9801

And Especially For Our Very Special Ones	
Special Child Irish Dance (Free / No Fee)	4900
Special Child Art Work (Free / No Fee)	9700
Pre-Beginner (\$8.00) See Top of Page 2	4800

LINKS	
Bob Gabor CNY Feis (Register For THIS Feis)	. . . http://CNYFeis.com/
North American Feis Commission (Feis Rules)	. . . http://www.northamericanfeiscommission.org/Dancing_Rules_G081.html
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IDTANA, Mid-Atlantic (Standard Syllabus & Feis Rules)	. . . http://www.mid-atlanticregion.com/

FEE SCHEDULE (IN U.S. \$ Only)

	Entry Fee
Grade Solos - PreBeginner thru Prize Winner PER DANCE	\$8.00
Preliminary Championships (2 Rounds)	\$30.00
Open Championships (3 Rounds)	\$32.00
Team Dances (Figures/Ceilis) PER DANCER PER DANCE	\$8.00
Optional Hard Shoe (Treble Reels & Sets) PER DANCE	\$8.00
Art & Music Events (PER EACH ITEM, SONG or TUNE)	\$5.00
Baking - No competition fee (Donation of goods expected)	\$0.00
Special Child Dancing & Art - No Fee	\$0.00
Family Max=\$90 per immediate family, excluding venue fee & penalties	

Late & Change Penalties:

Late Entry Fee PER DANCER (After 4/11/14)	\$10.00
Change Fee PER DANCE (After 4/11/14)	\$5.00

There will be no cash or check refunds of entry fees.

NOTE that, again this year, there is only online registration
AND only fee payment via PayPal.
Only when registered and paid will your dancer's name appear on
our On-line Competitor Listing. *If your name isn't on this
list, then you are NOT properly registered.*

Regarding our privacy policy . . .

1. Entry information shown on the internet prior to the feis will be first initial, last name, school and event number(s) entered (no competitor number is shown).
2. Placement information shown on the internet following the feis may be full name, school, competitor number and winning event number(s).
3. Unidentified photos (not when competing) may be published on the internet following the feis (although dancer may or may not be wearing his/her number)

*We may not accept new entries or allow any changes
AFTER 4/20 (except for non-dance events as noted)*

**AGAIN THIS YEAR There will be NO admission Charge on
feis day for non-competitors. Please pass this word onto all
of your friends and extended family!**

**A \$15 Family/Venue Fee will be charged at the time of dancer's
registration (One \$15 charge per family)**

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PERSONAL CONTACTS

Regarding Syllabus, Rules or Procedures:
Megan Hickey, Chairperson
CNYFeis@gmail.com

Problems With onLine Registration OR PayPal Pymts?
Alan Schrader (Make note of WHERE instructions have failed)
Alan@FeisWeb.Com

Regarding Being A Vendor: Mr. Kerry Stinson
Kerry.L.Stinson@gmail.com
Telephone 315-673-4651 Between 7-9 PM, Please

For ALL emails, be sure to note "CNY Feis" as your
message subject.

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