

*Thirty-Ninth Annual
Feis na Nollag*

**Sunday, February 16, 2020, 8:45 am
Kingsborough Community College
2001 Oriental Blvd, Brooklyn, NY 11235**

Stephen Gallagher
1979
Donny Hunt
1980
Ellen Riordan
1981
Brian Grant
1982
Donny Hunt
1984
Brendan Lynch
1985
Kevin Broesler
1986
John Jennings
1987, 1988
Jean Butler
1989, 1990
Mary Ann Schade
1991
J.R. Vancheri
1992, 1993
Cara Butler
1994, 1995
Danielle Benn
1996
Caitlin Allen
1997



**Noel Spillane
2019**

Kathleen Keady
1998
Timothy Kochka
1999
Joseph Dwyer
2000, 2001, 2003
Shane Kelly
2002
Ashley Smith
2004
Meghan Lucy
2005
Meghan Harper
2006
Owen Smith
2009, 2010, 2011
Katie Holbrook
2012
Conor Reagan
2013
Paige Turilli
2014
Aaron Wolf
2015
Noel Spillane
2016
Caitlin Ward
2017, 2018

JUDGES

*John O'Keefe – CT, Sheila Bremer –MA, Anna O'Sullivan – NY, Theresa O'Sullivan –NY
Sean Flynn –NY, Patricia Murphy – NY, Siobhan Moore –NY, Laureen O'Neill-James – NY, more TBA*

MUSICIANS

*Annemarie Acosta-Williams, Pattie Moriarty-Morrissey, Ryan Ward, Dom Lavin, Kathleen Lavin,
Billy Furlong, More TBA*

NAFC Championships –

*The North American Senior Irish Dance Championship for the Gerry Campbell Senior Belt
The North American Junior Irish Dance Championship for the Robert Gabor Perpetual Trophy
The North American Minor Irish Dance Championship for the George Sweetnam Memorial Trophy
will be held jointly March 1, 2020 at the Grand Geneva Resort & Spa, Lake Geneva, WI*

The NAFC Peter Smith Ceili Championship will be held on Feb 29, 2020 at the Lavin-Cassidy Feis in Lake Geneva, WI

*NAFC Music Scholarship Competition 15 and Over -- Buffalo Feis, Jun 6, 2020
NAFC Music Scholarship Competition Under 15 – East Durham Feis, Aug 22, 2020*

**Member, North American Feis Commission Jim Graven – President
Member, An Coimisiun, Dublin Member, Mid-Atlantic Region, IDTANA**

Beginner – A competitor who is taking dancing lessons for less than 12 months.

A Beginner must move to Advanced Beginner the next year. **2 steps.**

Beginners must wear School Costume or skirt and blouse—No Solo Costumes

Music Speeds: Reel 122, Lt Jig 115, Slip Jig-122, Hop Jig- 124

Girls & Boys	Reel	Light Jig	Slip Jig	Hop Jig
Under 5	1	2	3	4
Under 6	5	6	7	8
Under 7	9	10	11	12
Under 8	13	14	15	16
Under 9	17	18	19	20
Under 10	21	22	23	24
Under 11	25	26	27	28
Under 12	29	30	31	32
12 & Over	33	34	35	36
Adult	37	38	39	40

Dance stages start at 8:45 AM.

Schedule will be available by
Feb 13, 2020 at:
www.donnygoldenschool.com

**NOTE: Solo Schedule will start
with PW competitions**

Advanced Beginner – A competitor who wins 1st, 2nd or 3rd in this grade will advance to Novice in that particular dance. **2 steps.**

Adv . Beginners must wear School Costume or skirt and blouse—No Solo Costumes

Music Speeds: Reel 122, Lt Jig 115, Slip Jig-122, Hop Jig-124, Tr Jig- 92, HP 138

Girls & Boys	Reel	Light Jig	Slip Jig	Hop Jig	Treble Jig	HP
Under 6	101	102	103	104	105	106
Under 7	107	108	109	110	111	112
Under 8	113	114	115	116	117	118
Under 9	119	120	121	122	123	124
Under 10	125	126	127	128	129	130
Under 11	131	132	133	134	135	136
Under 12	137	138	139	140	141	142
Under 13	143	144	145	146	147	148
13 & over	149	150	151	152	153	154
Adult	155	156	157	158	159	160

Novice – A competitor who wins 1st will advance to Prizewinner in that particular dance. **2 steps**

Music Speeds: Reel/ Slip Jig-113, Lt Jig 115, Tr Jig-73 or 92; HP-113 or 138

Girls & Boys	Reel	Light Jig	Slip Jig	Treble Jig	HP
Under 6	201	202	203	204	205
Under 7	206	207	208	209	210
Under 8	211	212	213	214	215
Under 9	216	217	218	219	220
Under 10	221	222	223	224	225
Under 11	226	227	228	229	230
Under 12	231	232	233	234	235
Under 13	236	237	238	239	240
Under 14	241	242	243	244	245
14 & over	246	247	248	249	250
Adult	251	252	253	254	255

Prizewinner – A competitor who wins 1st in a particular dance in Novice will advance to Prizewinner in that particular dance.

2 steps Music Speeds: Reel/ Slip Jig-113, Lt Jig 115, Tr Jig-73 or 92, HP-113 or 138

Girls & Boys	Reel	Slip Jig	Treble Jig	HP
Under 6	301	302	303	304
Under 7	305	306	307	308
Under 8	309	310	311	312
Under 9	313	314	315	316
Under 10	317	318	319	320
Under 11	321	322	323	324
Under 12	325	326	327	328
Under 13	329	330	331	332
Under 14	333	334	335	336
14 & Over	337	338	339	340
Adult	341	342	343	344

Special Needs – Open to competitors of all ages

Girls and Boys	800
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PRELIMINARY CHAMPIONSHIP will start at 8:45 a.m. Hard shoe first.

Please enter the correct competition (A -Reel & Jig, B - Reel & Hornpipe, C - Slip Jig & Hornpipe or D - Slip Jig & Jig)
ALL COMPETITIONS UP TO AND INCLUDING UNDER 14 WILL DANCE 3 AT A TIME.

UNDER 8	400
UNDER 9	401
UNDER 10	402
UNDER 11	403
UNDER 12	404

UNDER 13	405
UNDER 14	406
UNDER 15	407
UNDER 16	408
UNDER 17	409

17 & Over	410
ADULT	411

NOTE: Preliminary dancers, who achieve 3 first-place wins 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.

OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP – will start at 8:45 a.m. Three rounds – hard shoe first.

Under 9 Girls and Boys must dance Traditional Set Piece. Solo awards will be given for soft and hard shoe dances.

Please enter the correct competition (A -Reel & Jig, B - Reel & Hornpipe, C - Slip Jig & Hornpipe or D - Slip Jig & Jig)
ALL COMPETITIONS UP TO AND INCLUDING UNDER 14 WILL DANCE 3 AT A TIME.

GIRLS		PERPETUAL CUPS
UNDER 9	500	Ann Rodgers Memorial Cup
UNDER 10	501	September 11, 2001 - FDNY Memorial Cup
UNDER 11	502	Maureen Glynn Connolly Memorial Cup
UNDER 12	503	Siega Memorial Cup
UNDER 13	504	Peter Tuohy Memorial Cup
UNDER 14	505	Patrick Golden Memorial Cup
UNDER 15	506	William O'Connell Memorial Cup
UNDER 16	507	Stephen Denihan Memorial Cup
UNDER 17	508	Elizabeth Ong Memorial Cup
UNDER 18	509	Joseph Deegan Memorial Cup
UNDER 19	510	Carol Ann Siversen Memorial Cup
19 & OVER	511	Kathryn Harrington Memorial Cup

BOYS		PERPETUAL CUPS
UNDER 9	512	
UNDER 10	513	
UNDER 12	514	John Jennings Jr. Memorial Cup
UNDER 14	515	Jimmy Irwin Memorial Cup
UNDER 16	516	Frank & Rita Talty Memorial Cup
UNDER 18	517	Patrick J Marron Perpetual Cup
18 & OVER	518	

THE PATRICK AND CEILIA GOLDEN PERPETUAL CUP

Competition 519: Dance Off Competition for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners of Competitions 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 516, 517, 518

Competitors must dance a set dance in **contrasting** tempo to original competition.

TRADITIONAL SET

Open to all competitors

TRAD SET	
ALL COMPETITORS	
UNDER 10	810
UNDER 12	811
UNDER 14	812
14 & OVER	813

Soda Bread Competiton – Bread must be brought to entry desk by 11 am the day of the feis. Awards will be given for the top bread in each category. . Entries will be judged on the basis of presentation, texture, and taste. Entry for this event is the donation of the Irish Soda Bread, which will become property of the Feis Committee.

- 701** Soda Bread
- 702** Brown Bread

CONTEMPORARY SET

Open to Novice, Prizewinner, and Prelim Only

Contemporary Set	
Novice, Prizewinner, Prelim Only	
UNDER 10	820
UNDER 12	821
UNDER 14	822
UNDER 16	823
16 & OVER	824

RULES GOVERNING THE FEIS
Adopted by the North American Feis Commission

**FEIS IS REGISTERED, SANCTIONED AND WILL BE GOVERNED BY THE RULES OF AN COIMISIUN (WWW.CLRG.IE)
 THE MID-ATLANTIC REGION (WWW.MID-ATLANTICREGION.COM) AND THE
 NORTH AMERICAN FEIS COMMISSION, (WWW.NORTHAMERICANFEISCOMMISSION.ORG)
 Please see NAFC website for additional rules 1 to 28.**

29. **SUBMIT** all entries online at www.feisweb.com. All entries are mailed and are non-refundable.

Check made payable and mail payment to: **Feis na Nollag**
 PO Box 363
 Huntington, NY 11743

30. **CLOSING DATE** for entries is **February 8, 2020**. All entries postmarked after February 8th, and received by February 11th, will be subject to a \$10 late fee per dancer. **NO ENTRIES OR CHANGES TO ENTRY WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER FEBRUARY 11, 2020.**

31. **ENTRY FEES** – ALL FEES INCLUDE THE COST OF MARKS

SOLOS	Each Competition	\$10.00
TRAD SET		\$10.00
CONTEMPORARY SET	Novice, Prizewinner, Prelim only	\$10.00
PRELIMINARY		\$32.00
OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP		\$37.00
MAXIMUM FAMILY FEE		\$120.00 (Plus Late Fees)
EVENT ENTRANCE FEE (Per Family)	Not included in Maximum Fee	\$15.00
Feis Web Fee		\$ 2.00
LATE FEE (2/8-2/11)	per dancer	\$15.00
CHANGE FEE (2/8 – 2/11)	per change	\$10.00
ENTRY FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE AND NON-TRANSFERABLE. ALL RETURNED CHECKS WILL REQUIRE \$30.00 PROCESSING FEE. PLEASE INCLUDE ENTRANCE FEE WITH ENTRIES.		

32. **ROTATION NUMBERS** for Preliminary and Open Championship will be drawn by computer prior to the day of the feis.

Information or Questions e-mail
FeisNaNollag@gmail.com

Look for schedule information posted on:
www.donnygoldenschool.com

DIRECTIONS TO KINGSBOROUGH COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Belt Pkwy to Exit 8A (Coney Island Ave.). Turn right onto Voorhies Ave. Turn right at second traffic light to Sheepshead Bay Rd. At third traffic light turn right onto Emmons Ave. At second traffic light turn left onto West End Ave. Turn left at the third traffic light onto Oriental Blvd.