

Celtic Irish Dance Academy  
Presents the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual  
**Damhsa Teaghlach Feis**



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Damh-sa Teagh-lach

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1. A dance family 2. House of dance

Celtic Irish Dance Academy  
welcomes you to the 1st Annual Damhsa Teaghlach Feis

**Sunday, October 29, 2023**  
**Hyatt Regency, Los Angeles Airport**

6225 W Century Blvd.

Los Angeles, CA 90045

(424) 702-1234

Feis Rate ~ \$169.00

<https://www.hyatt.com/en-US/group-booking/LAXLAG-H5FC>

Rate available until the block is sold out or September 29<sup>th</sup>, whichever comes first.

Entries on [feisworx.com](https://feisworx.com)  
Entries Close: October 20, 2023

Member of An Coimisiún le Rincí Gaelacha, Dublin, Ireland

## Adjudicators

Mark O'Loughlin ~ Canada  
Cara Casey O'Loughlin ~ Canada  
Louise Barnett ~ Denver  
Ursula Quigley-Moore ~ Ireland  
MaryJo Cange ~ St. Louis  
Laura LeMesurier ~ California

## Musicians

Eric Crone ~ Arizona  
Sean Warren ~ Florida

## Vendors

Camila Rose  
Siopa Brog

### **Entries:**

Entries are handled by FeisWorx ([www.feisworx.com](http://www.feisworx.com)). **Online registration and payments only.** Late fee assessed midnight Oct 8<sup>th</sup> all unpaid entries dropped after midnight Oct 20<sup>th</sup>) **ENTRY FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.**

Please direct questions to the Feis Committee at [CIDACHampionships@gmail.com](mailto:CIDACHampionships@gmail.com)

### **Fees:**

Open Championship	\$60.00 (flat fee – 3 rounds)
Preliminary Championships	\$40.00 (flat fee – 2 rounds)
Adult Championships	\$40.00 (flat fee – 2 rounds - SS/Set)
Light Shoe	\$25.00 (flat fee)
Heavy Shoe	\$20.00 (flat fee)
Figures	\$15.00 (flat fee)
Future Champ Special	\$20.00
Other Specials	\$10.00 (per dancer per special)
Art Special	\$5.00
Registration Fee	\$25.00 (per family – includes online results)
Family Max	\$150.00 (excludes specials, late fees and reg fees)
Add/Change	\$15.00 (per dancer after schedule has been printed)
Registration Late Fee	\$40.00 (for new registrations after midnight October 8, 2023)

## Competitions:

**GRADES** - All grades will dance 32 bars 3 at a time - the Feis Committee reserves the right to change.

<b>Beginner 1</b>	<b>U7</b>	<b>U8</b>	<b>U9</b>	<b>U10</b>	<b>U11</b>	<b>U12</b>	<b>U13</b>	<b>U14</b>	<b>U15</b>	<b>U16</b>	<b>16&amp;O+</b>
<b>Reels</b>	101	108	115	122	129	136	143	150	157	164	171
<b>Light Jig</b>	102	109	116	123	130	137	144	151	158	165	172
<b>Slip Jig</b>	103	110	117	124	131	138	145	152	159	166	173
<b>Single Jig</b>	104	111	118	125	132	139	146	153	160	167	174
<b>Treble Jig</b>	105	112	119	126	133	140	147	154	161	168	175
<b>Hornpipe</b>	106	113	120	127	134	141	148	155	162	169	176
<b>St. Patrick's Day</b>	107	114	121	128	135	142	149	156	163	170	177

<b>Beginner 2</b>	<b>U7</b>	<b>U8</b>	<b>U9</b>	<b>U10</b>	<b>U11</b>	<b>U12</b>	<b>U13</b>	<b>U14</b>	<b>U15</b>	<b>U16</b>	<b>16&amp;O+</b>
<b>Reels</b>	201	208	215	222	229	236	243	250	257	264	271
<b>Light Jig</b>	202	209	216	223	230	237	244	251	258	265	272
<b>Slip Jig</b>	203	210	217	224	231	238	245	252	259	266	273
<b>Single Jig</b>	204	211	218	225	232	239	246	253	260	267	274
<b>Treble Jig</b>	205	212	219	226	233	240	247	254	261	268	275
<b>Hornpipe</b>	206	213	220	227	234	241	248	255	262	269	276
<b>St. Patrick's Day</b>	207	214	221	228	235	242	249	256	263	270	277

<b>Novice</b>	<b>U7</b>	<b>U8</b>	<b>U9</b>	<b>U10</b>	<b>U11</b>	<b>U12</b>	<b>U13</b>	<b>U14</b>	<b>U15</b>	<b>U16</b>	<b>16&amp;O</b>
<b>Reels</b>	301	308	315	322	329	336	343	350	357	364	371
<b>Light Jig</b>	302	309	316	323	330	337	344	351	358	365	372
<b>Slip Jig</b>	303	310	317	324	331	338	345	352	359	366	373
<b>Single Jig</b>	304	311	318	325	332	339	346	353	360	367	374
<b>Treble Jig</b>	305	312	319	326	333	340	347	354	361	368	375
<b>Hornpipe</b>	306	313	320	327	334	341	348	355	362	369	376
<b>Traditional Set</b>	307	314	321	328	335	342	349	356	363	370	377

<b>Prizewinner</b>	<b>U7</b>	<b>U8</b>	<b>U9</b>	<b>U10</b>	<b>U11</b>	<b>U12</b>	<b>U13</b>	<b>U14</b>	<b>U15</b>	<b>U16</b>	<b>16&amp;O+</b>
<b>Reels</b>	401	408	415	422	429	436	443	450	457	464	471
<b>Light Jig</b>	402	409	416	423	430	437	444	451	458	465	472
<b>Slip Jig</b>	403	410	417	424	431	438	445	452	459	466	473
<b>Single Jig</b>	404	411	418	425	432	439	446	453	460	467	474
<b>Treble Jig</b>	405	412	419	426	433	440	447	454	461	468	475
<b>Hornpipe</b>	406	413	420	427	434	441	448	455	462	469	476
<b>Traditional Set</b>	407	414	421	428	435	442	449	456	463	470	477

In Novice and PW: Dancers may choose traditional or slow speed for Treble Jig or Hornpipe.

## **ADULTS**

<b>Competition</b>	Beginner	Novice	Prizewinner
<b>Reel</b>	601	608	615
<b>Light Jig</b>	602	609	616
<b>Slip Jig</b>	603	610	617
<b>Single Jig</b>	604	611	618
<b>Treble Jig</b>	605	612	619
<b>Hornpipe</b>	606	613	620
<b>Traditional Set</b>	<u>607</u>	<u>614</u>	<u>621</u>

**Adult Solo Championship ~ (2rounds ~ SS/Set) ~ 901**

**Adult Reel Special ~ 902**

## **PRELIMINARY CHAMPIONSHIPS**

<b>Preliminary Championship – 2 rounds - Soft Shoe, Hard Shoe (full dances)</b>											
<b>U9</b>	<b>U10</b>	<b>U11</b>	<b>U12</b>	<b>U13</b>	<b>U14</b>	<b>U15</b>	<b>U16</b>	<b>U17</b>	<b>U19</b>	<b>U21</b>	<b>21&amp;O</b>
700	701	702	703	704	705	706	707	708	709	710	711

## **OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS**

<b>Open Championships – 3 rounds (full dances)</b>											
<b>U9</b>	<b>U10</b>	<b>U11</b>	<b>U12</b>	<b>U13</b>	<b>U14</b>	<b>U15</b>	<b>U16</b>	<b>U17</b>	<b>U19</b>	<b>U21</b>	<b>21&amp;O</b>
712	713	714	715	716	717	718	719	720	721	722	723

\*There are no solo championship competitions. An overall championship result will be announced, and results will be available online for the individual solo competitions following the announcement of the overall result.

\*\*For U9 and younger Prelim and Open Champ age categories, set dance round is traditional set dance only. If combined with u10 or older due to low entry numbers, they may dance a non-traditional set.

## **CHAMPIONSHIP SPECIALS**

<b>Competition</b>	<b>U12</b>	<b>U16</b>	<b>16&amp;O</b>
<b>Hornpipe/TrebleJig</b>	903	904	905
<b>Treble Reel Special</b>	906	907	908

## **FUTURE CHAMPS SPECIAL ~2 ROUNDS ~ 909**

### **FIGURES**

**All dancers must be registered for and have paid for the team competition.**

<b>Beginner Teams</b>	<b>U8</b>	<b>U10</b>	<b>U12</b>	<b>12&amp;O</b>
<b>2 Hand</b>	800	802	804	806
<b>3 Hand</b>	801	803	805	807

Each dancer must be registered in at least one beginner solo dance at the feis to be in a beginner figure dance.

<b>Open Teams</b>	<b>U10</b>	<b>U12</b>	<b>U15</b>	<b>15&amp;O</b>	<b>Adults</b>
<b>2 Hand</b>	808	813	818	823	828
<b>3 Hand</b>	809	814	819	824	829
<b>4 Hand</b>	810	815	820	825	830
<b>6 Hand</b>	811	816	821	826	831
<b>8 Hand</b>	812	817	822	827	832

### **MIXED MEDIA ART COMPETITION ~ 915 ~ \$50.00 cash prize for the winner!**

Create a visual piece of mixed media art for a chance to win \$50 CASH! Your piece can be anything that conveys imagery from Irish Dance.

**You must drop off your art to the registration table on SATURDAY to be included in Sunday's competition.**

### **Tentative Schedule:**

#### **Stage ABC**

##### **Morning:**

Figures  
 Grades – Beginner through PW  
 Non-championship specials  
 Future Champ Special  
 Preliminary Championships

##### **Afternoon:**

Preliminary Championships  
 Championship Specials

#### **Stage D**

##### **Morning:**

Adult Figures  
 Adults  
 Adult Specials  
 Open Championships

##### **Afternoon:**

Open Championships  
 Championship Specials

### **From the Feis Committee:**

1. The Feis Committee has the option of splitting or combining competitions as necessary.
2. At the discretion of the Feis Committee, stage assignments may change; announcements will be made at the original stage and/or over the public address system. It is the competitor's responsibility to report promptly to the correct stage.
3. Competitors must be at their assigned stage ready to compete when their competitions are ready or announced. A competitor may be eliminated from a competition for reporting late. Competitions will be closed when no more competitors are at the stage ready to compete. No competition shall be re-opened except on the sole direction of the Feis Coordinators.
4. Parents not accompanying competitors under age 18 are strongly encouraged to provide their child(ren)'s chaperones with signed medical authorizations. Parents/Chaperones are solely responsible for their children's/charges' safety.
5. All medals/trophies must be picked up on the day of the Feis. Only awards omitted in error will be mailed by the Feis Committee. You must have your number to collect your results.

## **Dancing Competition Rules:**

1. Competitors must be in the hall, prepared to dance, one hour prior to the scheduled beginning of their event. The feis is at liberty to run up to one hour ahead of schedule. Every effort will be made to ensure proper notification and announcements of competitions should the schedule be ahead or behind.
2. Dancers who appear in competitions in which they are not entered and paid will not be eligible for placement or awards.
3. First Feis competitions are open only to dancers who have never competed at a feis.
4. When awards are announced, competitors must be in costume, including dance shoes, to receive their awards.
5. Neither Celtic Irish Dance Academy nor the Hyatt Regency LAX shall be held responsible or liable for personal injury, property loss and/or damage. By entering this Feis, the entrant and/or the entrant's parent or legal guardian agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the DAMHSA TEAGHLACH 2023 Feis, The Feis Committee, Feis Volunteers, Vendors, The Hyatt Regency LAX, or Celtic Irish Dance Academy for any liabilities or personal injury as a result of the entrant's participation.
7. NO VIDEOTAPING OR FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY OF DANCE COMPETITIONS PERMITTED

## **Health and Safety Rules and Protocols:**

Participants will be expected to adhere to any and all Health and Safety Rules and Protocols. A link will be provided in the feis information area on feisworx based on any local and/or State guidelines and restrictions. We will be reminding all participants/registrants about the requirements. It is important that all dancers and accompanying spectators adhere to the guidelines we and the Hyatt Regency LAX set forth. Amendments may be made by the Feis committee, if necessary, to ensure a safe event for all. As health regulations and restrictions continue to change, the logistics of this event may need to adhere to guidelines at the state, county, and/or local levels. We appreciate your understanding in this matter.