



# FEILE RINCE NA REALTAI



*Dear teachers, parents, and dancers*

We would like to welcome you to the second Feile Rince Na Realtai taking place in Movilla High School, Newtownards, on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> November 2021. We are located just 30 minutes from Belfast.

## **Location**

Movilla High School  
Donaghadee Road  
Newtownards  
County Down  
BT23 8EY

## **Entry Details**

Entries will open on the 7<sup>th</sup> October. Each competitor will be required to complete entry online at the following link <https://form.jotform.com/212713852020040> along with online payment. Waiver of Liability Agreement also available to complete online at the following link <https://form.jotform.com/212764362502350> to ease your entry on the day.

Entries will be accepted from parents and teachers on a first come first served basis, capped at 25 dancers per section.

Grade Dances	£4
Trophy Dances	£5
Prelim Priomh Comortas	£20
Spectator Fee	£5
Paypal Fee	£1.50

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## **Notice**

To try and ensure the smooth running on our feis, results will be given after each competition in the results hall. Dancing can then continue in the dancing hall with the next competitions. Meaning, for example: when you have received your Bun Grad results, your Tus Grad Competition will be ready to start.

Results will be presented in the traditional manner with all dancers being called forward to be presented in the results hall, subject to Covid restrictions.

Please follow 'Feile Rince Na Realtai' on Facebook for updates and entry details.

We look forward to welcoming you to County Down

Maeve Rankin ADCRG



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## PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE

	STAGE 1	STAGE 2
9am	8-9 Bun	9-10 Bun
10am	6-7 Bun	7-8 Bun
10:45am	8-9 Tus	9-10 Tus
11:30am	U7 Tus	7-8 Tus
12:15pm	SEN Reel Special U10 010 <b>LUNCH</b>	<b>LUNCH</b>
1pm	8-9 Mean	9-10 Mean
2pm	6-8 Prelim Priomh Comortas	8-10 Prelim Priomh Comortas
3pm	U7 Mean	7-8 Mean
4pm	U5 Ungraded Reel U6 Bun	10-12 Bun O12 Bun
5pm	10-12 Tus	O12 Tus
5:45pm	10-11 Mean	11-12 Mean O12 Mean
6:30pm	10-12 Prelim Priomh Comortas	O12 Prelim Priomh Comortas

*Please Note: The timetable will be finalised when all the entries have been received*

### BUN GRAD DANCES

Reel, Light Jig, Single Jig & Light Trophy (Any listed Bun dance)

### TUS GRAD DANCES

Reel, Light Jig, Single Jig, Slip Jig, Light Trophy (Any listed Tus dance) & Heavy Jig

### MEAN GRAD DANCES

Reel, Slip Jig, Heavy Jig, Light Trophy and Heavy Trophy (Any listed Mean dance)

### PRELIM PRIOMH COMORTAS DANCES

Reel/Slip and Heavy Jig/Hornpipe

*All dancers will be placed in the Reel and Trophy dance competition.*

*All grade dance winners will receive a riser.*

*Top 5 in the trophy dance will receive a trophy and sash.*

*3 results will be awarded in the Prelim competition.*

*Syllabus approved by Feis Registrar Maria McCaul Mohan*



# FEILE RINCE NA REALTAI



## FEIS RULES

1. Adjudicator's decision is final.
2. Age as of January 1st 2021.
3. No refunds.
4. Entries accepted by teachers registered with An Coimisiún le Rincí Gaelacha and parents.
5. Competitions are open to any dancers in any region worldwide.
6. Make-up will not be permitted for any dancer in the first two grades (Bun Grád and Tús Grád or equivalent) up to and including the under 12 age group worldwide
7. Make-up (including false eyelashes and tanner on the face) is not permitted for dancers, in either solo or team competitions, up to and including the Under 10 age group.  
*Clarification:* Both make-up rules refer to the age group of the competition not the actual age of the dancer. For example, 9-year older dancers, competing in a team that is entered Under 12, may wear make-up or at a feis where the youngest Open Championship age group is Under 11, then all dancers in that competition may wear make-up.
8. In Bun Grád and Tús Grád, dancers are only permitted to wear class costumes or day clothes. No solo costumes are permitted.
9. Tús Grád competitions are confined to dancers who have never won 1st place or have been re-graded, in that particular dance in Tús Grád or higher.
10. To be eligible for the Prelim Championship, dancers must never have won an Open Championship judged by 3 or more adjudicators. Never previously won more than 3 preliminary Championships judged by 3 or more adjudicators and not to have qualified for the World Championships in either the current or previous years.
11. Mean Grád competitions are confined to dancers who have never won 1st place in that particular dance in Mean Grád or higher.
12. No block/en point (stationary or moving) will be allowed for all ages up to and including Under 11.
13. Dances permitted in Traditional Set Dance: St. Patrick's Day, Blackbird, Job of Journey Work, Garden of Daisies, King of the Fairies, Three Sea Captains or Jockey to the Fair.
14. Music will be played at the following speeds: Bun Grád: Reel 122-124, Single Jig 124, Light Jig 116. Tús Grád: Reel 116-118, Single Jig 124, Light Jig 116, Slip Jig 120 and Heavy Jig 82. Mean Grád, Prelim & Open: Reel 113, Single Jig 124, Slip Jig 113, Heavy Jig 73 and Hornpipe 113. Traditional Set Dances: Blackbird 144, St. Patrick's Day 94, Job of Journeywork 138, Garden of Daisies 138, King of the Fairies 130, Three Sea Captains 96, Jockey To The Fair 90.
15. Dancers will be re-graded as follows: 5-30 competitors - 1 dancer re-graded, 31-50 competitors - 2 dancers re-graded, 51+ competitors - 3 dancers re-graded. All re-graded dancers will receive a trophy as per first place.
16. Any form of unauthorised photography which has the capability to capture a dancer's image whilst in motion using electronic or manual means e.g mobile phone, standard camera, video camcorder, with or without flash enhancement is strictly prohibited. Photography is permitted during results.
17. Any objections must be lodged in writing within one hour of result, accompanied by fee of £20.00.
18. The feis committee will not accept any responsibility for personal injuries or articles lost at the feis.
19. The feis committee reserves the right to transfer competitions/results to a different stage or to alternate competitions if it becomes necessary in order to help the feis run smoothly. The committee reserves the right to use a relief adjudicator.
20. The feis committee reserve the right to refuse feis entries or entrance into the feis.
21. If you wish your child to be excluded from any photographs that may be uploaded onto social media websites, please ensure that you inform the feis organisers in advance.



# FEILE RINCE NA REALTAI

## SAFETY RULES AND INFORMATION

Feile Rince Na Realtai will run in accordance with NI government guidelines which can be found in full on the NI Direct website at: <https://www.nidirect.gov.uk/campaigns/coronavirus-covid-19>.

Each person in attendance will be **required to sign a waiver** of liability agreement. This can be done online or signed on the day. A copy of the waiver is attached to the syllabus which can be printed and brought with you, to ease the process of entry to the feis.

By entering the feis **you agree to:**

- Sanitise your hands often – several stations will be available in the halls
- Stay at least 2 metres apart from those not in your group
- Wear a face covering if you are not competing
- Comply with all contact tracing procedures
- Arrive at your assigned time and be prepared to dance at your assigned times
- Follow the one-way system which will be clearly marked

Other safety measures in place:

- Online entry and payment eliminate need for cash handling on the day
- Temperature checks at the door on entry
- All surfaces will be sanitised between each group entering the hall by cleaners
- Toilets will be sanitised regularly throughout the day by cleaners
- Strictly only one accompanying adult per dancer – no exceptions
- If there are falls or sickness on stage, only the accompanying adult will be permitted to assist
- Minimal contact in presentation of awards
- Risk assessment required by laws has been carried out and will be on display at the feis

If you have a temperature, sore throat, headache, loss of taste, loss of smell etc **you should NOT attend the feis**. Please note that anyone who refuses to comply with the rules of the feis will be asked to leave, in the interest of the safety of all attendees of the feis.



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## WAIVER OF LIABILITY AGREEMENT

In advance of attending the feis we require you to carefully consider the following agreement as your child's entry will be determined on the signing of the same.

### Acknowledgement of Pandemic

I am aware that the World Health Organisation and other governmental and health authorities have declared Covid-19 a pandemic. I am aware that social distancing is to be practiced and that any increased social contact during this pandemic poses an increased risk of transmissions which could cause injury, illness, or death.

### Confirmation of Health and Non-Travel

I confirm that I (or on behalf of the participant) am in good health and have not travelled internationally in the past 14 days and will inform my teachers, who will inform the feis organisers, should they plan to travel abroad.

### Acknowledgement and Voluntary Assumption of Risk

I am aware that other persons may attend the feis and may have been exposed to the Covid-19 virus. I am aware of the risks, dangers and hazards associated with attending the feis at this time and I (or on behalf of the participant) freely accept and fully assume all such risks, dangers and hazards and the possibility of personal injury, illness or loss resulting there from. I am aware that I (or on behalf of the participant) may require first aid, which may require 'hands-on' care and social distancing may not be possible in this instance.

### Waiver of Claims

I agree to waive any and all claims that I now or in the future may have against the feis organisers, any of their directors, employees, contractors, assigns, and/or successors (the "releasees") and to release the releasees from any and all liability for any injury, illness, or loss may suffer as a result of attendance at the feis due to Covid-19. I agree that the feis organisers have carried out a thorough risk assessment prior to the running of the feis and have put in place all measures to negate any risk of the virus being spread and/or contracted during same.

### Indemnification

I agree to hold harmless and indemnify the releasees from all liability for any injury, illness or loss to from attendance at the feis as the case may be, due to Covid-19. I confirm that I have read and understood this agreement and I am aware that, by signing this agreement, I am waiving certain legal rights which I may have against the releasees.

### I confirm that I am voluntarily signing this agreement (Over age 18 at the time of the feis)

Name of Participant (Dancer): \_\_\_\_\_

Participant Signature (Dancer to sign if over 18): \_\_\_\_\_

Date signed: \_\_\_\_\_

### For participants of Minority age (Under age 18 at the time of the feis)

This is to certify that I, as parent/guardian, with legal responsibility for this participant, have read and explained the provisions in this waiver/release to my child including the risks of presence and participations and his/her personal responsibilities for adhering to the rules and regulations for protection against Covid-19. Furthermore, my child understands and accepts these risks and responsibilities particularly in relation to Covid-19. I for myself, my spouse, and child do consent and agree to his/her release provided above for all the Releasees and myself, my spouse, and child do release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees for any and all liabilities in relation to Covid-19 relating to my minor child's presence or participation in the feis as provided above post Covid-19.

Name of Participant (Dancer): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian signature (Parent/Guardian): \_\_\_\_\_

Date signed: \_\_\_\_\_