

MION-CHOMÓRTASÁÍ R I N C E U L A D H (‘MINI-ULSTERS’)

**TREACEY’S HOTEL
KINGSCOURT ROAD,
CARRICKMACROSS,
CO. MONAGHAN**

SUNDAY 24th NOVEMBER, 2019

ADJUDICATORS:

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Non-Perpetual Trophies awarded to Top 5 in all Trophy Competitions

Sashes Awarded to 1st Place in all Trophy Competitions

Risers Awarded to 1st Place and Upgraded Dancers in all Other Competitions

100% Prizes will be awarded in Trophy Competitions.

ENTRIES : PAY ON DAY

ENTRY TABLE WILL BE OPEN FROM 8AM.

PLEASE USE ENTRY FORM ATTACHED AS THIS WILL SPEED UP ENTRY PROCESS.

ENTRY FEES:	Euro
Teams	€4.00 per person
Solos	€5.00 per person
Trophy Competitions	€7.00 per person

You are asked to read carefully the syllabus and if in doubt to seek clarification, otherwise An Comhairle Uladh will not be responsible for any misunderstandings or misinterpretation.

Teachers should note that Public Liability Insurance at Oireachtas Rince Uladh **DOES NOT** cover competitors when practising or participating in competitions. An Comhairle Uladh can therefore accept no liability for any injury or mishap to a competitor during rehearsals or competitions. Teachers are requested to advise competitors and parents accordingly. The lodgement of an entry will be deemed to be an acceptance by the teacher, parent and competitor of this provision.

All mobile telephones must be switched off in the competition halls.

Teachers are requested to impress upon pupils that changing costumes, dressing and undressing of dancers will not be acceptable in the halls or public areas.

GENERAL RULES	
1	Age as from 1 st January, 2019.
2	All competitions are held under the rules of An Coimisiun Le Rinci Gaelacha. Temporary registered teachers may enter pupils for all competitions.
4	All competitions are confined to dancers resident in the area under the jurisdiction of An Comhairle Uladh. Where a dancer moves into the Ulster region from another province or country, An Comhairle may request proof of residence, by requesting letter from doctor, school principal, employer, etc.
5	Teachers will not be allowed side-stage except when requested for stewarding.
6	Bun Grád competitions are confined to competitors who at the time of entry have never won 1 st place (or who have been upgraded as per rule no.7) in that particular dance in any age group or grade. BASIC STEPS ONLY.
7	Tús Grád competitions are confined to dancers who at the time of entry have never won 1 st place (or who have been upgraded as per rule no.7) for that particular dance in any age group in Tús Grád, Mean Grád or Ard Grád. Dancers may perform either basic steps or their first hard/difficult versions of each dance.
8	In Bun Grád & Tus Grád competitions, one dancer moves up to next grade if less than 30 competitors, two dancers move up to next grade if there between 31 and 50 competitors and three dancers move up to next grade if there are over 50 competitors.

9	In Bun Grád and Tús Grád, make-up will not be permitted up to and including the Under 12 age group. Dancers in all age groups must wear either class costumes or ‘day clothes’.
10	Make-up (including false eyelashes and face-tan) is not be permitted for dancers, in either solo or team competitions, up to and including the Under 10 age group.
11	In order to comply with health and safety measures, all dancers lining up side stage prior to any round of any competition will be required to perform the simple exercise of raising their arms to shoulder level unhindered. If unable to do this by the time of their rotation due to costume stitching or arm attachments, these competitors will not be allowed to perform.
12	Any competitors found to be using artificial carriage aids will be requested to remove same. In the case of refusal, disqualification will follow. In the case of medical apparatus, this will be permitted upon the production of a letter from a medical practitioner or other documentary evidence in support, to prove authenticity and the requirement for the aid to be used or worn.
13	Any competitor found to be wearing their shoes on the “wrong feet” will be treated in the same manner as if using carriage aids, and be subject to disqualification from that particular competition.
14	Teachers will not be allowed side-stage except when stewarding at the request of An Comhairle
15	Objections will only be considered if lodged in writing and accompanied by a fee of €35. Adjudicators’ decisions as to merit will be final.
16	The attention of teachers is drawn to the directives of An Coimisiún regarding regulations for shoes, music speeds, toe walks etc. These regulations will be in force at both Oireachtas Rince Uladh 2019 and The Mini Ulsters 2019.
17	All competitors must dance in their proper category and must dance in the order requested of them.
18	It is not necessary to submit Birth Certificates with entry fees, but if required, they must be produced.
19	Solo dances will be at the following metronomic speeds: Bun Grad: Reel 122-124, Light Jig 116, Single Jig 124, Slip Jig 124 Tus Grad: Reel 116-118, Light Jig 116, Single Jig 124, Slip Jig 120, Heavy Jig 82, Hornpipe 130 Traditional Set Dances: St. Patrick’s Day 94, The Blackbird 144, Job of Journeywork 138, Garden of Daisies 138, King of the Fairies 130, Three Sea Captains 96, Jockey to the Fair 90

<p>20</p>	<p>The number of bars to be danced will be as follows:</p> <p><u>Bun Grad:</u></p> <p>Reels 32 Bars Light Jigs 40 Bars Single Jigs 40 Bars Slip Jigs 32 Bars</p> <p><u>Tus Grad:</u></p> <p>Reels 40 Bars Light Jigs 40 Bars Single Jigs 40 Bars Slip Jigs 32 Bars Heavy Jigs 40 Bars Hornpipes 32 Bars</p> <p><u>Teams</u></p> <p>Two Hands 40 Bars Three Hands 40 Bars</p>
<p>21</p>	<p>Dancers in Two Hands and Three Hands <u>are not</u> confined to only dancers who have competed in either Bun Grad or Tus Grad competitions</p>
<p>22</p>	<p>Dances permitted in Rince Eadtrom are Reel, Light Jig, Single Jig or Slip Jig. Dances permitted in Rince Trom are Heavy Jig, Hornpipe or Traditional Set Dance.</p>
<p>23</p>	<p>Teachers are requested to impress upon pupils that changing costumes, dressing and undressing of dancers will not be acceptable in the halls or public areas. For the sake of modesty and in the interests of safety to young people, dancers will not be permitted to walk around the feis scantily dressed.</p>
<p>24</p>	<p>All competitors must be in full costume including footwear for presentations.</p>
<p>25</p>	<p>Coaching from the floor is strictly prohibited and may result in disqualification of dancer(s).</p>
<p>26</p>	<p>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 phones, ipads, standard cameras, video camcorders, cine recorder, commercial film, with or without flash enhancement, is forbidden during competition.</p>

SOLO COMPETITIONS

Com.	Rince	Grád	Aois
1	Ril	Bun	Faoi 6
2	Port Eadtrom	Bun	Faoi 6
3	Port Singil	Bun	Faoi 6
4	Port Luascach	Bun	Faoi 6
5	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Bun	Faoi 6
6	Ril	Tus	Faoi 6
7	Port Eadtrom	Tus	Faoi 6
8	Port Singil	Tus	Faoi 6
9	Port Luascach	Tus	Faoi 6
10	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Tus	Faoi 6
11	Ril	Bun	6 – 7
12	Port Eadtrom	Bun	6 – 7
13	Port Singil	Bun	6 – 7
14	Port Luascach	Bun	6 – 7
15	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Bun	6 – 7
16	Ril	Tus	6 – 7
17	Port Eadtrom	Tus	6 – 7
18	Port Singil	Tus	6 – 7
19	Port Luascach	Tus	6 – 7
20	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Tus	6 – 7
21	Ril	Bun	7 – 8
22	Port Eadtrom	Bun	7 – 8
23	Port Singil	Bun	7 – 8
24	Port Luascach	Bun	7 – 8
25	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Bun	7 – 8
26	Ril	Tus	7 – 8
27	Port Eadtrom	Tus	7 – 8
28	Port Singil	Tus	7 – 8
29	Port Luascach	Tus	7 – 8
30	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Tus	7 – 8
31	Rince Trom (T)	Tus	Faoi 8
32	Ril	Bun	8 – 9
33	Port Eadtrom	Bun	8 – 9
34	Port Singil	Bun	8 – 9
35	Port Luascach	Bun	8 – 9
36	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Bun	8 – 9
37	Ril	Tus	8 – 9
38	Port Eadtrom	Tus	8 – 9
39	Port Singil	Tus	8 – 9
40	Port Luascach	Tus	8 – 9
41	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Tus	8 – 9
42	Rince Trom (T)	Tus	8 – 9
43	Ril	Bun	9 – 10
44	Port Eadtrom	Bun	9 – 10
45	Port Singil	Bun	9 – 10
46	Port Luascach	Bun	9 – 10
47	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Bun	9 – 10
48	Ril	Tus	9 – 10
49	Port Eadtrom	Tus	9 – 10

50	Port Singil	Tus	9 – 10
51	Port Luascach	Tus	9 – 10
52	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Tus	9 – 10
53	Rince Trom (T)	Tus	9 – 10
54	Ril	Bun	10 – 11
55	Port Eadtrom	Bun	10 – 11
56	Port Singil	Bun	10 – 11
57	Port Luascach	Bun	10 – 11
58	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Bun	10 – 11
59	Ril	Tus	10 – 11
60	Port Eadtrom	Tus	10 – 11
61	Port Singil	Tus	10 – 11
62	Port Luascach	Tus	10 – 11
63	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Tus	10 – 11
64	Rince Trom (T)	Tus	10 – 11
65	Ril	Bun	11 – 12
66	Port Eadtrom	Bun	11 – 12
67	Port Singil	Bun	11 – 12
68	Port Luascach	Bun	11 – 12
69	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Bun	11 – 12
70	Ril	Tus	11 – 12
71	Port Eadtrom	Tus	11 – 12
72	Port Singil	Tus	11 – 12
73	Port Luascach	Tus	11 – 12
74	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Tus	11 – 12
75	Rince Trom (T)	Tus	11 – 12
76	Ril	Bun	12 – 14
77	Port Eadtrom	Bun	12 – 14
78	Port Singil	Bun	12 – 14
79	Port Luascach	Bun	12 – 14
80	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Bun	12 – 14
81	Ril	Tus	12 – 14
82	Port Eadtrom	Tus	12 – 14
83	Port Singil	Tus	12 – 14
84	Port Luascach	Tus	12 – 14
85	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Tus	12 – 14
86	Rince Trom (T)	Tus	12 – 14
87	Ril	Bun	Os Cionn 14
88	Port Eadtrom	Bun	Os Cionn 14
89	Port Singil	Bun	Os Cionn 14
90	Port Luascach	Bun	Os Cionn 14
91	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Bun	Os Cionn 14
92	Ril	Tus	Os Cionn 14
93	Port Eadtrom	Tus	Os Cionn 14
94	Port Singil	Tus	Os Cionn 14
95	Port Luascach	Tus	Os Cionn 14
96	Rince Eadtrom (T)	Tus	Os Cionn 14
97	Rince Trom (T)	Tus	Os Cionn 14

TEAM COMPETITIONS			
Com.	Rince		Aois
98	Cor Beirte (40 Bars)	See rule 20	Faoi 11
99	Cor Triur (40 Bars)	See rule 20	Faoi 11
100	Cor Beirte (40 Bars)	See rule 20	11 – 13
101	Cor Triur (40 Bars)	See rule 20	11 – 13
102	Cor Beirte (40 Bars)	See rule 20	Os Cionn 13
103	Cor Triur (40 Bars)	See rule 20	Os Cionn 13

Timetable

9.00 am	Bun Grad	Under 6, 6 – 7 & 7 – 8
11.00 am	Tus Grad	Under 6, 6 – 7 & 7 – 8
1.30 pm	Teams	Under 11
2.00 pm	Bun Grad	8 – 9, 9 – 10 & 10 – 11
4.00 pm	Tus Grad	8 – 9, 9 – 10 & 10 – 11
5.00 pm	Teams	Under 13 & Over 13
5.30 pm	Bun Grad	11 – 12, 12 – 14 & Over 14
6.30 pm	Tus Grad	11 – 12, 12 – 14 & Over 14