



May 14, 15, and 16, 2010

FEILE RINCE TUCSON

THE TWENTY-FOURTH ANNUAL FEIS

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Holiday Inn Palo Verde

4550 S. Palo Verde Rd. Tucson, Arizona

Single or Double - **\$81** per night, Suites **\$111**

For reservations contact: Local (520)746-1161

Ask for "Irish Dancing Feis" or "Tucson Feis". Reserve by May 2, 2010

ADJUDICATORS:

Matt Martin New York Maire O'Connell
Neil Reagan Texas TBD

MUSICIANS:

Pat King Canada
Cormac O'Shea Minnesota

REGISTRATION IS AVAILABLE AT WWW.FEISWORX.COM

ENTRY FEES

Soft Shoe \$20 Hard Shoe \$15 Figures \$10
Specials \$10 Championships \$35
Family Maximum \$125 (does not include specials,
music or writing competition)

Riverdance Special \$15/Team Music/Writing /Bread\$5

\$20/family admission fee is added at time of registration; **includes program**

MAIL ENTRIES/PAYMENT TO:

Feile Rince Tucson c/o Feis Worx
P.O. Box 2046
Parker, CO 80134-1411

ENTRY DEADLINE: APRIL 29, 2010 (late fee of \$20/dancer) Add'l Late Fee of \$20 after 05/09/2010

LOCAL CONTACT: Elizabeth López, betsylopez@tucsonfeis.com (520) 760-0335
Catherine Harris englishcathy@tucsonfeis.com (520) 881-5880

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE:

Saturday: All Championships and Championship Specials! Solos and specials up to and including 9 & under, Figures 10 & under; Adult solos, figures and specials; Parent/Child, Family, T-shirt Special, Soda Bread and Music Competition

Sunday: Solos and Specials for all 10 & over; Figures 11 & over, Riverdance Special, T-shirt Special

**T-Shirt Special will benefit the Tucson Community Food Bank and will be held each day.

**Writing Competition! Submit entries to FRT2010writingcontest@hotmail.com by 05/08/2010

**Irish Soda Bread competition will be held on site. Bring your entries to the registration desk by noon on Saturday 05/15/2010

Feile Rince Tucson is registered with and will follow the rules of the NAFC

North American Feis Commission President: Pat Watkins An Coimisiún le Rincí Gaelacha, Dublin, Ireland

North American Feis Commission - Dancing Awards Venue

"The North American Minor Dance Championship"

N.A.F.C. George Sweetnam Memorial Trophy. (Chicago Autumn Feis, Lynwood, Illinois, Nov. 6, 2010)

"The North American Junior Dance Championship"

N.A.F.C. Robert Gabor Perpetual Trophy. (Feile Baile Ros, Windsor, Ontario, August 14, 2010)

"The North American Senior Irish Dance Championship"

N.A.F.C. Gerry Campbell Perpetual Belt. (Feile Samhain, Portland, Oregon, Oct. 30-31, 2010)

FEILE RINCE TUCSON 2010 SYLLABUS

SOLO COMPETITIONS

First Feis	U6	U8	U10	U12	U14	14&O
Reel	008	022	036	50	064	071
Light Jig	009	023	037	51	065	072

Beginner	U6	U8	U10	U12	U14	14&O
Reel	108	122	136	150	164	171
Light Jig	109	123	137	151	165	172
Slip Jig	110	124	138	152	166	173
Single Jig	111	125	139	153	167	174
Treble Jig	112	126	140	154	168	175
Hornpipe	113	127	141	155	169	176
St. Pat's Day*	114	128	142	156	170	177

*Trophy for first place winner only

Beginner 2	U6	U8	U10	U12	U14	14&O
Reel	208	222	236	250	264	271
Light Jig	209	223	237	251	265	272
Slip Jig	210	224	238	252	266	273
Single Jig	211	225	239	253	267	274
Treble Jig	212	226	240	254	268	275
Hornpipe	213	227	241	255	269	276
St. Pat's Day*	214	228	242	256	270	277

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Novice	U8	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	15&O
Reel	322	329	336	343	350	357	364	371	378
Light Jig	323	330	337	344	351	358	365	372	379
Slip Jig	324	331	338	345	352	359	366	373	380
Single Jig	325	332	339	346	353	360	367	374	381
Treble Jig	326	333	340	347	354	361	368	375	382
Hornpipe	327	334	341	348	355	362	369	376	383
Traditional Set*	328	335	342	349	356	363	370	377	384

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Prizewinner	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	15&O
Reel	429	436	443	450	457	464	471	478
Light Jig	430	437	444	451	458	465	472	479
Slip Jig	431	438	445	452	459	466	473	480
Single Jig	432	439	446	453	460	467	474	481
Treble Jig	433	440	447	454	461	468	475	482
Hornpipe	434	441	448	455	462	469	476	483
Traditional Set*	435	442	449	456	463	470	477	484

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CHAMPIONSHIP COMPETITIONS

Preliminary	U9	U10	U11	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	U17	17&O
Championship	700	701	702	703	704	705	706	707	708	709

Open to any dancer who has not placed first, second or third in an Open Championship and has not placed first in two												
Open	U10	U12	U13	U14	U15	U16	U17	U19	19&O			
Championship	750	752	753	754	755	756	757	759	760			
Requirement: Slip Jig or Reel, Treble Jig or Hornpipe and Set Dance. Solo medals will also be awarded for individual												
ADULT COMPETITIONS												
Adult Solos	Beg	Beg 2	Nov	PW		Adult Figure Dances						
Reel	601	611	621	631		2-Hand Reel		651				
Light Jig	602	612	622	632		3-Hand Reel		652				
Slip Jig	603	613	623	633		4-Hand Dance*		653				
Single Jig	604	614	624	634		6-Hand Dance*		654				
Treble Jig	605	615	625	635		8-Hand Dance*		655				
Hornpipe	606	616	626	636		*Must be a Book Dance						
Traditional Set	607	617	627	637								
	Beginner Figures					Open Figures						
	8 & Under	10 & Under	12 & Under	Under 16	16 & Over	10 & Under	12 & Under	Under 16	16 & Over			
2-Hand Reel	801	805	810	815	820	850	855	860	865			
3-Hand Reel	802	806	811	816	821	851	856	861	866			
4-Hand Dance*	803	807	812	817	822	852	857	862	867			
6-Hand Dance*	804	808	813	818	823	853	858	863	868			
8-Hand Dance*	*Must be Book Dance					854	859	864	869			
SPECIAL COMPETITIONS - Competitions 902 - 939 are excluded for Prelim & Open entrants												
Solo Specials	U8	U10	U12	U14	14&O	U16	16&O					
Boys - Beginner 1/Beginner 2		902	910	914	918							
Boys - Novice/Prizewinner		906	911	915	919							
Slip Jig Beginner		922	926	930	934	938						
Slip Jig Nov/PW		923	927	931	935	939						
Treble Reel Prelim			945	947		949	951					
Treble Reel Open			946	948		950	952					
RIVERDANCE SPECIAL: 2-8 DANCERS; 1 MINUTE; OWN CHOREOGRAPHY; OWN COSTUMES; OWN MUSIC ON CD: FEE \$15/TEAM (NOT INCLUDED IN FAMILY MAX)											999	
Premiere Specials												
Hornpipe Special - Prelim & Open Entrants Only						955						
Adult Special - Reel or Slip Jig plus Treble Jig or Hornpipe, Traditional or Slow speed						960						
Parent/Child Special - 2 hand						970						
**Writing Competition						991						
Irish Soda Bread						992						
Family Special - 2 hand or 3 hand or any book dance to include 2 or more dancers from the same family: siblings, cousins, aunts, uncles, parents or grandparents						990						
T-Shirt & Shorts Special (Double Jig) - Community Food Bank Fund Raiser - All levels, all ages; Saturday & Sunday						Class or feis t-shirts only.		980				
						Modest shorts. Wigs optional.		985				
NAFC and the Western US Region Teacher's Association.												

****Will be split by age groups. Submit to FRT2010writingcontest@hotmail.com or Maguire Academy 7036 E. Broadway, Ste# 200 Tucson, Arizona 85710. Minimum 1 pg, Maximum 5 pgs. Must have complete name, email address & school IN the file. Submit by May 8th.**

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FEILE RINCE TUCSON - Music Competition Saturday after solo competitions

Classes of Music

Air	Jig	Reel	Polka	Hornpipe	March	Set Dance	Slide
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Grade	Age Classification - Age as of Jan 1	Requirements
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"a"	Under 12 years	Play one tune from any of the above music
"b"	12 & over through Under 15 years	Play one tune from any of the above music
"c"	15 & over through Under 18 years	Play one tune from two classes of music
"d"	18 & over through adult	Play one tune from two classes of music

Competition Number

Category

1	Fiddle
2	Two Row Button Accordion
3	Concert Flute
4	Tin Whistle
5	Piano Accordion
6	Concertina
7	Uilleann Pipes
8	Harp
9	Mouth Organ
10	Banjo
11	Mandolin
12	Piano
13	One Row Melodeon
14	Bodhran
15	Piob Mhor
16	Misc Instruments
17	Ceili Band Drummer

A competitor may enter a maximum of two competitions (i.e. play two instruments) in our feis.

There is a perpetual "High Point Trophy" which will be awarded to the overall "best" competitor in the music competition. The winner will be chosen from among the competitors under age 18 (grades a, b, c).

For example, if you play the tin whistle and you are thirteen years old, your competition number is 4b, and you must have one tune prepared from one class of music listed above.

The Feile Rince Tucson feis committee is committed to promoting traditional music, and we will make every effort to accomodate all interested musicians. If you have any questions regarding age divisions, musical categories or instruments please email Sharon Goldwasser at azfiddle@mindspring.com