

**The Connick School & Reid Academy Samhain Feis**  
**Saturday, October 19, 2024**  
**Hilton Charlotte University Place, Charlotte NC**

<b>Pre Feis Display</b>	Competition open to all dancers under 8 years of age who are not yet ready for competition at the Beginner level. Minimum of one step, ideal for dancers who are just starting their Irish Dance journey. These dancers may ONLY enter this competition.
<b>Reel or Light Jig</b>	001PF

<b>Beginner</b>	A Beginner is a competitor who has not taken Irish dancing lessons from a registered teacher prior to Sept 1st of the previous year. Dancer must move into Advanced Beginner the following year. Please check out our First feis competition under the specials category designed for those who are competing for the first time. <b>No solo costumes allowed. Skirt/blouse or school costume only.</b>																																								
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<b>Prizewinner</b>	A Prizewinner dancer has previously won a 1st in Novice in a particular dance.					
	<b>U7</b>	<b>U9</b>	<b>U11</b>	<b>U13</b>	<b>U15</b>	<b>15 &amp; Over</b>
Reel	307R	309R	311R	313R	315R	316R
Slip Jig	307S	309S	311S	313S	315S	316S
Treble Jig	307T	309T	311T	313T	315T	316T
Hornpipe	307H	309H	311H	313H	315H	316H

<b>Traditional Set</b>						
	<b>U9</b>	<b>U10</b>	<b>U11</b>	<b>U13</b>	<b>U15</b>	<b>15 &amp; Over</b>
Novice	209TS	210TS	211TS	213TS	215TS	216TS
Prizewinner	309TS	310TS	311TS	313TS	315TS	316TS
<b>Prelim/Open Champions Only</b>	<b>U13</b>		<b>13 &amp; Over</b>			
	553TS		554TS			

<b>Special Costume Treble Reels</b>	<b>Beg/Adv Beg</b>		<b>Novice/Prizewinner</b>	
Saturday Only	All Ages	381TR	All Ages	380TR
	Beginners/Adv Beg competitors may dance a softshoe reel			
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<b>Preliminary Championships</b>	Hard shoe first. Reel 48 bars; Slip Jig 40 bars; Treble Jig 48 bars; Hornpipe 40 bars						
	<b>U9</b>	<b>U10</b>	<b>U12</b>	<b>U14</b>	<b>U16</b>	<b>U18</b>	<b>18 &amp; Over</b>
	409	410	412	414	416	418	419

<b>Prizewinner and Preliminary Champions Set Dance</b>						
	<b>U10</b>	<b>U12</b>	<b>U14</b>	<b>U16</b>	<b>U18</b>	<b>18 &amp; Over</b>
	410S	412S	414S	416S	418S	419S

<b>Open Championships</b>	Hard Shoe first. Reel 48 bars; Slip Jig 40 bars; Treble Jig 48 bars; Hornpipe 40 bars; Set dance of choice. If there are three (3) or more boys in an age group, they will be split into their own competition.						
	<b>U9</b>	<b>U10</b>	<b>U12</b>	<b>U14</b>	<b>U16</b>	<b>U18</b>	<b>18 &amp; Over</b>
	509	510	512	514	516	518	519

<b>Specials - one step down the line - Preliminary and Open Champions only</b>				
		<b>U13</b>	<b>13 &amp; Over</b>	
Reel		553R	554R	
Slip Jig		553S	554S	
Treble Jig		553T	554T	
Hornpipe		553H	554H	

<b>Special First Feis</b>	Competition open to all dancers who are stepping onto the competition stage for the first time. Minimum of one step, but may compete up to two. These dancers may also enter the beginner competition.
<b>Reel or Light Jig</b>	002FF

<b>Adult Competitions</b>	A dancer over the age of 18 who has not danced in the above described competitions for a period of five years. Dancers in the Adult categories cannot enter any competition other than Adult competitions. A dancer who wishes to return to any category other than Adult must remain out of Adult competitions until retired from dancing for five consecutive years.					
	<b>Championship (3 rounds)</b>	801				
	<b>Traditional Set-non champion</b>	802				
		<b>Reel</b>	<b>Light Jig</b>	<b>Slip Jig</b>	<b>Treble Jig</b>	<b>Hornpipe</b>
	<b>Beginner</b>	806R	810L	814S	818T	822H
	<b>Advanced Beginner</b>	807R	811L	815S	819T	823H
	<b>Novice</b>	808R	812L	816S	820T	824H
	<b>Prizewinner</b>	809R	813L	817S	821T	825H
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Advanced Adult</b> dancer is defined as any dancer over the age of 18 who has previously placed in the top three of youth Preliminary competition with 5 or more competitors.</li></ul>	Championship competition.					
	<b>Advanced Adult</b>	826				

<b>Figure Dancing</b>	<b>U8</b>	<b>U10</b>	<b>U12</b>	<b>U15</b>	<b>U18</b>	<b>18&amp;O</b>	<b>Adult</b>	<b>Parent/Child</b>
<b>2 Hand</b>	602	612	622	632	642	652	672	682
<b>3 Hand</b>	603	613	623	633	643	653	673	
<b>4 Hand</b>	604	614	624	634	644	654	674	
<b>6 Hand</b>	606	616	626	636	646	656	676	
<b>8 Hand</b>	608	618	628	638	648	658	678	

<b>Irish Baking Competition - Saturday</b>
Entries in by 11am on Saturday. Judging at noon. Entries become property of the Connick-Reid Academy.
Product entered as Irish soda bread that contain a yeast product will be disqualified.
Comp Number 720