

## McMinnville Scottish Festival

October 7–8, 2023

Yamhill County Fairgrounds

2070 NE Lafayette Ave

McMinnville, OR 97128



### Solo Bagpipe and Drum Competition

The competition is unsanctioned, but will follow the rules and music requirements of the British Columbia Pipers' Association ([bcpipers.org/resources/rules](http://bcpipers.org/resources/rules)).

#### Competition Information

- Solo competitions will take place on Saturday October 7, 2023
- Entry deadline is September 16, 2023. No field entries will be permitted.
- Entry cost is \$8 per event
- Medals will be awarded for the top three places in each event
- Aggregate prizes will be awarded for grades with more than five people registered. Players must play in all events in their grade to be eligible for the aggregate.
- Contact the organizer with questions or concerns at [jnwahlgren@gmail.com](mailto:jnwahlgren@gmail.com)

#### Competition Rules

- Competitors must wear appropriate highland dress. Highland dress is encouraged for competitors in Beginner grades, but is not required.
- Order of Play will be posted before the event. Competitors will follow the posted Order of Play, and may be disqualified at the discretion of the steward if not ready when called.
- Drummers must provide their own accompaniment (only metronome required for snare practice pad events)
- All judges' decisions are final

## Piping Events

## Drumming Events

<p><b>Beginner (practice chanter)</b>            102 Slow air (minimum 2 parts, played with repeats)            103 2/4 march (4 parts, 2-parted tunes permitted)            104 6/8 march (4 parts, 2-parted tunes permitted)</p>	<p><b>Beginner (practice pad, no accompaniment)</b>            202 2/4 march massed bands cadence            203 6/8 march massed bands cadence            204 4/4 march massed bands cadence</p>
<p><b>Grade 5</b>            111 2/4 march (minimum 4 parts)            112 Slow air (minimum 2 parts, played with repeats)            113 6/8 march (minimum 4 parts)</p>	<p><b>Grade 4 snare (piper accompaniment required)</b>            221 2/4 march (4 parts only)            222 6/8 march (4 parts only)</p>
<p><b>Grade 4</b>            121 2/4 march (minimum 4 parts)            122 Piobaireachd (ground + next variation)            124 6/8 march (minimum 4 parts)</p>	<p><b>Grade 3 snare (piper accompaniment required)</b>            231 2/4 march (minimum 4 parts)            232 6/8 march (minimum 4 parts)</p>
<p><b>Grade 3</b>            131 2/4 march (minimum 4 parts)            132 Strathspey and reel (each tune minimum 4 parts)            133 Piobaireachd</p>	<p><b>Grade 2 snare (piper accompaniment required)</b>            241 March, strathspey, and reel            (each tune minimum 4 parts)            242 Hornpipe and jig (each tune minimum 4 parts)</p>
<p><b>Grade 2</b>            141 March, strathspey, and reel            (each tune minimum 4 parts, submit 2 marches)            142 Piobaireachd (submit 2)            145 6/8 march</p>	<p><b>Grade 1 snare (piper accompaniment required)</b>            251 March, strathspey, and reel            (each tune minimum 4 parts)            252 Hornpipe and jig (each tune minimum 4 parts)</p>
<p><b>Grade 1</b>            151 March, strathspey, and reel            (each tune minimum 4 parts, submit 2 of each)            152 Piobaireachd (submit 3)            154 Jig (minimum 4 parts, submit 2, play one tune twice through)</p>	<p><b>Tenor Beginner (practice pad, metronome accompaniment)</b>            (75 bpm metronome accompaniment only)            301 2/4 march (4 parts of BCPA Massed Band Cadence. 75 bpm metronome accompaniment only)            302 6/8 march (4 parts of BCPA Massed Band Cadence. 80 bpm metronome accompaniment only)</p>
	<p><b>Tenor Novice (piper and snare accompaniment required)</b>            (Playing and flourishing required)            341 2/4 march (minimum 4 parts)            342 6/8 march (minimum 4 parts)</p>
	<p><b>Tenor Intermediate (piper and snare accompaniment required)</b>            (Playing and flourishing required)            351 March, strathspey, and reel (each tune minimum 4 parts)            353 6/8 march (minimum 4 parts)</p>