**Fleadh Cheoil an Chláir 2020: Foirm Iontrála: Entry Form.**

 **Solo Competition**

In all solo competitions, a competitor must compete **in own age group** only:

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| **Age Group** Please tick | **U-9** | **U-12 (A)** | **12-15 (B)** | **15-18 (C )** | **Snr. (D)** |
| Name : | Instrument \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Competition No: (ie 1A 2B etc) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| Address:  |
| Comhaltas Branch & membership number for members only: Branch \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |
| **Phone Number:**Parent/guardian for Junior competitor\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Senior competitor number \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | **Date of Birth** | Fee | Membership number |

**Age Groups**

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| **Under 9;** An under 9 competitor is a person whose 9th or earlier birthday occurs in the year of Fleadhanna Ceoil competitions. See Under 9 competitions listed hereunder.**A:U-12:** a person whose 12th or earlier birthday occurs on any date in the year of Fleadhanna Ceoil competitions.**B: 12-15**: a person whose 13th, 14th or 15th birthday occurs on any date in the year of Fleadhanna Ceoil competitions.**C: 15-18:** a person whose 16th, 17th or 18th birthday occurs on any date in the year of Fleadhanna Ceoil competitions.**D: O-18**: a person whose 19th or greater birthday occurs on any date in the year of Fleadhanna Ceoil competitions. |

**Members Entries through Branch Secretary only**. Entries shall be submitted to the CCÉ Branch Secretary not later than **six weeks** prior to the first day of the Fleadh competitions. **Closing date for all entries April 24th**

**Non Member Entries** (**Payment by cheque made out to Fleadh Cheoil an Chlair ONLY**) should be submitted with appropriate fee to Co. Board Secretary (Anne Hayes, Main Street, Lissycasey, Ennis, Co Clare) **Closing date for all entries April 24th**

**Entry fees: Cheques made payable to Branch (if entry is through branch )**

**Cheques made payable to FLEADH CHEOIL AN CHLAIR (NON Members)**

**(NO postal orders accepted)**

**Members;** U-12, 12-15, 15-18 **€5 per entry**. **Seniors €10**  per person per competition.

**Non-members** :U-12, 12-15, 15-18 **€12 per entry**. **Seniors €20** per person per competition

**All U9 competitors** **: €3** per individual per entry, Members and Non- Members

**Under 9 competitions will be held for the following**: Fiddle, Button Acc, Flute, Whistle, Harp, Piano, Mandolin, Concertina, Banjo, Comhrá Gaeilge, English Singing, Amhranaiocht & Sean Nós dancing . Only one tune required. Competitors in 9 competitions do not qualify for Fleadh Cheoil na Mumhan with the exception of Comhrá Gaeilge. Competitors who opt to compete at Under 9 may NOT compete at Under 12 in same category.

*N.B. Everybody (including competitors) must buy an admission wristband each day -€5 Adults, €3 Under18’s. Wristbands will beavailable at Fleadh Office and at Venues.*

**Only one entry on each form.**

The full 2020 Fleadh Rules are available on the County Board website clarecomhaltas.com

**Solo Competition General Guidelines**

**Please note that the following are guidelines only- the full 2020 Fleadh Rules are available on the County Board website www.clarecomhaltas.com**

In the event of a dispute, a **certificate of age** must be produced **within 7 days** of the competition, if requested by the County / Regional / Provincial / C.E.C. Rúnaí. ***Failure to do so will entail automatic disqualification.***

**Competitions Requirements.**

**Solo Music Competitions**shall be held in **Age groups A, B, C, D in the following categories;:**

01. Fidil – Fiddle

02. BoscaCeoil – Button Accordion

03. FeadógMhór – Flute

04. Feadóg – Whistle

05. CairdínPianó – Piano Accordion

06. Consairtín – Concertina

07. PíbUilleann – Uilleann Pipes

08. Cruit – Irish Harp

09. OrgánBéil – Mouth Organ

10. Bainseó – Banjo

11. Maindilín – Mandolin

12. Pianó – Piano

13. Mileoidean – Melodeon

14. RoghaGléas – Miscellaneous

15. Tionlacan – Accompaniment

16. Bodhrán

17. DrumaíCéilí – Céilí Drums

**Required: -** (for above)

Age A -**ONE tune** from **each** of **TWO Classes** listed in 2020 Fleadh Rules

Age B - **ONE tune** from **each** of **TWO Classes** listed in 2020 Fleadh Rules

Age C - **ONE** tune from **each** of **THREE Classes** listed in 2020 Fleadh Rules

Age D - **ONE tune** from **each** of **FOUR Classes** listed in 2020 Fleadh Rules, **but must include a Slow Air** in

the case of ***Fiddle, Whistle, Concert Flute*** and ***Uilleann Pipes***.

**Slow Air Competitions**shall be held in Age groups A, B, C, Din the following:

18. Foinn Mhalla, Fidil – Fiddle Slow Airs

19. Foinn Mhalla, PíbUilleann – Uilleann Pipes Slow Airs

20. Foinn Mhalla, FeadógMhór – Flute Slow Airs

21. Foinn Mhalla, Feadóg – Whistle Slow Airs

22. Foinn Mhalla, Cruit – Harp Slow Airs

**Each Competitor shall submit a list of airs to adjudicator & play as follows:**

Each Competitor shall submit a list of airs to the adjudicator and play as outlined in Age Groups A-D

Age Group A: 1 air from list of 2 (adjudicator’s choice)

Age Group B: 2 airs from a list of 4 (adjudicator selects the first, competitor the second)

Age Group C: 2 airs from list of 6 (adjudicator selects the first, competitor the second)

Age Group D: 2 airs from list of 8 (adjudicator selects both airs)

Only slow airs in the traditional idiom will be accepted.

No penalty shall be levied on a competitor in the Slow Airs Competition, if he/she playsthe air through, only once.

31. Amhranaiocht ar an Sean Nos (Ladies)

32. Amhranaiocht ar an Sean Nos (Men)

33. English Singing (Ladies)

34. English Singing (Men)

35. Whistling

36. Lilting

37. Newly Composed song as Gaeilge

38. Newly Composed song English

39. Newly Composed tune

48. Rince ar an Sean Nos

50. Storytelling

51. Scealaiocht

52F. Traditional Singing (English) with Self-Accompaniment on the Harp U18

52D. Traditional Singing (English) with Self-Accompaniment on the Harp Over 18

53F. Amhránaíocht Traidisiúnta le Féin-Tionlacan ar an gCruit U18

53D Amhránaíocht Traidisiúnta le Féin-Tionlacan ar an gCruit Over 18