**Fleadh Cheoil an Chláir 2023: 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-12 (A)** | **12-15 (B)** | **15-18 (C )** | **Snr. (D)** |
| Name : \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Address – Non members only\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | Instrument \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(For accompaniment an miscellaneous specify competition and instrument played eg Accompaniment – harp Miscellaneous – Tenor banjoCompetition No: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(ie 1A(Fiddle U12) 2B (Accordion U15) etc)  |
| Contact No. Parent/guardian for Junior competitor\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Contact No. Senior competitor: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | **Date of Birth\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** | Fee€\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(See below) |

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| **For Comhaltas Members only)**Comhaltas Branch:------------------------------- Membership number (for members only):----------------- |

**Age Groups**

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| **A:U-12:** a person whose 12th or earlier birthday occurs on any date in the year of FleadhannaCeoil competitions.**B:12-15**: a person whose 13th, 14th or 15th birthday occurs on any date in the year of FleadhannaCeoil competitions.**C: 15-18:** a person whose 16th, 17th or 18th birthday occurs on any date in the year of FleadhannaCeoil competitions.**D: O-18**: a person whose 19th or greater birthday occurs on any date in the year of FleadhannaCeoil competitions. |

**Members Entries through Branch Secretary only**.Entries shall be submitted to the CCÉ Branch Secretary **Closing date for all entries April 14th, 2023**

**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 14th, 2023**

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

**(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

*N.B. Everybody (including competitors) must buy an admission wristband -€5 Adults, €3 Under18’s.*

*Wristbands will be available at Fleadh Office and at Venues.*

**Only one entry on each form.**

***Late entries not accepted.***

The full 2023 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 2023 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, ifrequested by the County / Regional / Provincial / C.E.C. Rúnaí. ***Failure to do so will entail automaticdisqualification.***

**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 2023 Fleadh Rules

Age B - **ONE tune** from **each** of **TWO Classes** listed in 2023 Fleadh Rules

Age C - **ONE** tune from **each** of **THREE Classes** listed in 2023 Fleadh Rules

Age D - **ONE tune** from **each** of **FOUR Classes** listed in 2023 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. FoinnMhalla, Fidil – Fiddle Slow Airs

19. FoinnMhalla, PíbUilleann – Uilleann Pipes Slow Airs

20. FoinnMhalla, FeadógMhór – Flute Slow Airs

21. FoinnMhalla, Feadóg – Whistle Slow Airs

22. FoinnMhalla, 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 AgeGroups 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 plays the air through, only once.

31. Amhranaiochtar an Sean Nos (Ladies)

32. Amhranaiochtar 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. Rincear an Sean Nos

50. Storytelling

51. Scealaiocht