

GRADE EXAMS ★ ★ ★ EXAMS GIVEN ON FRIDAY ONLY ★ ★ ★

On Friday before the feis

from 12:00 pm to 8:00 pm, the American Pride Feis organizers are offering GRADE EXAMS.

Registration through QuickFeis ONLY

Please bring any past exam certificates with you – as you will not be allowed to take Grades 2-6 exams without proof of previous accomplishments. You should also enter your previous accomplished grade exams during your QuickFeis registration.

NO REFUNDS will be given for failure to bring certificates, or any other reason.

If you have questions, please ask your teacher first.

General Examination Rules:

- a) Only Basic Steps may be danced in the Preliminary grade and Grades 1, 2 & 3.
- b) The number of bars of music to be danced to for all Reels, Single or Hop Jigs Light Jigs, Slip Jigs, Heavy Jigs and Hornpipes is 40.
- c) St. Patrick's Day, Blackbird, Garden of Daisies, Job of Journeywork, King of the Fairies, Three Sea Captains, and Jockey to the Fair must be performed in a traditional style and manner.
- d) The same set dance must not be performed in more than one of the Grades from 9 to 12 inclusive.
- e) A dancer must take all grades in order, beginning with Grade 1 - the Preliminary grade is optional. However, a candidate may only attempt a maximum of 3 consecutive Grades at any one sitting.
- f) Candidates must be able to adequately demonstrate practical and theoretical knowledge of all ceili dances as per "Ár Rincí Céilí"
- g) Dance costumes should not be worn.
- h) All candidates must produce previous reports before proceeding to higher grades. Reports must be presented at examinations.
- i) ~~Grade 11 may only be attempted by candidates at least 16 years of age.~~
- j) ~~Grade 12 may only be attempted by candidates at least 17 years of age.~~
- k) A special application form and certificate/diploma will apply for Grades 11 and 12.
- l) All 12 Grade Examinations must be completed to be eligible to apply for the TCRG Examination effective from January 1st 2018.
- m) ~~Scrúdú-Béil (Oral Irish Exam) for grades 1-4 in Ireland.~~
- n) Dancers taking the exams must be associated with a currently registered CLRG teacher.
- o) Full payment must be made at time of registration

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Grade	Price	REQUIRED Dances
1	\$25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic Reel and • Light Double Jig
2	\$25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic Slip Jig and • Single Jig
3	\$25	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary Reel and • Basic Heavy Jig
4	\$40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Primary Slip Jig and • St Patrick's Day
5	\$40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Reel, • Basic Hornpipe and • the Walls of Limerick
6	\$40	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Slip Jig, • The Blackbird and • the Siege of Ennis
7	\$55	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Heavy Jig, • Garden of Daisies and • the Four Hand Reel
8	\$55	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advanced Hornpipe, • Job of Journeywork and • the Humours of Bandon
9	\$65	Two modern set dances: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • one in 6/8 time and • the other in 2/4 or 4/4 time and • the High Caulead Cap
10	\$65	Two modern set dances: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • one in 6/8 time and • the other in 2/4 or 4/4 time (different from those in Grade 9) and • the Eight Hand Jig

