



Loughlin Academy

Presents the

Joseph Loughlin Memorial Feis

26th & 27th September 2009

**Kemnal Technical College
Sevenoaks Way, Sidcup, Kent, DA14 5AA**

(10 MINUTES FROM JUNCTION 3 OFF THE M25)

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CLOSING DATE IS FRIDAY 11th SEPTEMBER 2009

PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE ATTACHED

9th JOSEPH LOUGHLIN MEMORIAL FEIS

Dear Teacher(s),

I would like to take this opportunity to invite your dancing school to the 9th Annual Joseph Loughlin Memorial Feis.

The Open and Preliminary Championships will be judged by a panel of three adjudicators and as always I will be awarding 1st, 2nd & 3rd place trophies for all Grade solo competitions. Medals will be awarded for all Open and Preliminary Championship solo results.

Kemnal Technical College has a large Assembly Hall, Sports Hall and Gymnasium with a separate Canteen area where we will be providing a large selection of hot and cold food, tea, coffee, soft drinks, crisps and sweets. The Venue is a ten minute drive from Junction 3 off the M25.

I would be grateful if you could check my list of 2008 winners and if any of your pupils are mentioned please ensure that they return their cups in time for presentation to this year's winner.

If you require any further details please call my mobile: 07951 478071.

Thanking you in advance for your support and I look forward to receiving your entry by the closing date: Friday 11th September 2009.

Julie Loughlin

CHAMPIONS FROM 2008

Under 6	Mixed	Sophie Taylor-Crotty	Scoil Rince Ard Rialla
Under 7	Mixed	Giovanna Tomaz	McCarthy School
Under 8	Mixed	Aoife Haynes	Murchu-Duiginn School
Under 9	Mixed	Orla Dunne	Lally School
Under 10	Girls	Aoife Griffin	Marion Flanagan School
Under 11	Girls	Shannon Bradley	Doherty School
Under 12	Girls	Daniella Page	Murchu-Duiginn School
Under 13	Girls	Rebecca Reed	Murchu-Duiginn School
Under 14	Girls	Olivia Graydon	Maguire O'Shea Academy
Under 15	Girls	Shannon Santry	Kelley O'Boyle School
Under 16	Girls	Sarah Nutley	Scoil Rince Ceim Oir
Under 17	Girls	Sarah Healey	Trainor School
Under 19	Ladies	Charlotte Wilkes	Murchu-Duiginn School
Senior	Mixed	James Breen	Murchu-Duiginn School
Under 11	Boys	Eamon Kitching	Conway-Lally School
Under 13	Boys	Colm Molloy	Claddagh School
Under 15	Boys	Owen Sherman	Maguire O'Shea Academy
Under 17	Boys	Callum Spencer	Matthews School
Under 10	Prelim	Elise Gibson	Theresa O'Donoghue School
Under 11	Prelim	Shannon Bill	Scoil Rince Ard Ri
Under 12	Prelim	Jodie Upton	Scoil Rince Ard Ri
Under 13	Prelim	Emma Tynan	Theresa O'Donoghue School
Under 14	Prelim	Niamh McGovern	Brooks Academy
Under 15	Prelim	Sophia Parkin	McManigan Academy
Under 17	Prelim	Emma o'Connor	Trainor School
Over 17	Prelim	Sarah Clarke-McDermott	Loughlin Academy

GRADE DANCES								
BEGINNERS ⇓⇓⇓⇓⇓⇓⇓	TROPHY REEL	TROPHY LIGHT JIG	TROPHY SINGLE JIG	TROPHY SLIP JIG	TROPHY HEAVY JIG	TROPHY HORN- PIPE	TROPHY TRAD SET	TROPHY OPEN SET
UNDER 6	✓	✓	✓	✓				
6 & U/7	✓	✓	✓	✓				
7 & U/8	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
8 & U/9	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
9 & U/10	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
10 & U/11	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
11 & U/13	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
PRIMARY ⇓⇓⇓⇓	TROPHY REEL	TROPHY LIGHT JIG	TROPHY SINGLE JIG	TROPHY SLIP JIG	TROPHY HEAVY JIG	TROPHY HORN- PIPE	TROPHY TRAD SET	TROPHY OPEN SET
UNDER 6	✓	✓	✓	✓				
6 & U/7	✓	✓	✓	✓				
7 & U/8	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
8 & U/9	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
9 & U/10	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
10 & U/11	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
11 & U/12	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
12 & U/13	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
13 & U/15	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
OVER 15	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
INTERMEDIATE ⇓⇓⇓⇓⇓⇓⇓⇓	TROPHY REEL	TROPHY LIGHT JIG	TROPHY SINGLE JIG	TROPHY SLIP JIG	TROPHY HEAVY JIG	TROPHY HORN- PIPE	TROPHY TRAD SET	TROPHY OPEN SET
UNDER 6	✓	✓	✓	✓				
6 & U/7	✓	✓	✓	✓				
7 & U/8	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
8 & U/9	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
9 & U/10	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
10 & U/11	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
11 & U/12	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
12 & U/13	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
13 & U/15	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
OVER 15	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
OPEN ⇓⇓⇓	TROPHY REEL	TROPHY LIGHT JIG	TROPHY SINGLE JIG	TROPHY SLIP JIG	TROPHY HEAVY JIG	TROPHY HORN- PIPE	TROPHY TRAD SET	TROPHY OPEN SET
UNDER 6	✓	✓	✓	✓				
6 & U/7	✓	✓	✓	✓				
7 & U/8	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
8 & U/9	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Figure Competitions								
Under 13			13 & Under 16			Over 16		
4 Hand Reel			4 Hand Reel			4 Hand Reel		
Humours of Bandon			Humours of Bandon			Humours of Bandon		
Walls of Limerick			Walls of Limerick			Walls of Limerick		
Fairy Reel			Fairy Reel			Fairy Reel		
Glencar Reel			Glencar Reel			Glencar Reel		
Duke Reel			Duke Reel			Duke Reel		
Progressive Dance			Progressive Dance			Progressive Dance		
Mixed & Unmixed Ceili Championships								
Under 13			13 & Under 16			Over 16		

PREMIER COMPETITIONS

Under 6	Premier	REEL & LIGHT JIG		
6 & Under 7	Premier	REEL & LIGHT JIG		

MIXED CHAMPIONSHIPS**1st Round****2nd Round**

7 & Under 8	Mixed	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	
8 & Under 9	Mixed	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	

GIRLS CHAMPIONSHIPS - Every competitor will dance their set dance**1st Round****2nd Round****3rd Round**

9 & Under 10	GIRLS	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
10 & Under 11	GIRLS	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
11 & Under 12	GIRLS	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
12 & Under 13	GIRLS	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
13 & Under 14	GIRLS	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
14 & Under 15	GIRLS	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
15 & Under 16	GIRLS	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
16 & Under 17	GIRLS	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
17 & Under 19	LADIES	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
OVER 19	LADIES	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance

BOYS CHAMPIONSHIPS - Every competitor will dance their set dance**1st Round****2nd Round****3rd Round**

9 & Under 11	BOYS	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL	Set Dance
11 & Under 13	BOYS	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL	Set Dance
13 & Under 15	BOYS	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL	Set Dance
15 & Under 17	BOYS	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL	Set Dance
OVER 17	MEN	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL	Set Dance

PRELIMINARY CHAMPIONSHIPS - 50% Recall**1st Round****2nd Round****Recall**

9 & Under 10	MIXED	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
10 & Under 11	MIXED	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
11 & Under 12	MIXED	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
12 & Under 13	MIXED	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
13 & Under 14	MIXED	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
14 & Under 15	MIXED	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
15 & Under 17	MIXED	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance
Over 17	MIXED	HEAVY JIG / HORNPIPE	REEL / SLIP JIG	Set Dance

Entry Fees

Solo Grade Competitions (all solos are Trophy Competitions)	£3.50
U/6 & U/7 Premier Competitions	£5.00
U8 & U9 Mixed Championships (must compete in solos)	£7.00
Open & Preliminary Championships (includes 2 Solos)	£16.00
Figure & Ceili competitions (per dancer)	£2.50
Figure & Ceili Championships (per dancer)	£3.50
Family Fee - Family Fee - Family Fee - Family Fee	£45.00

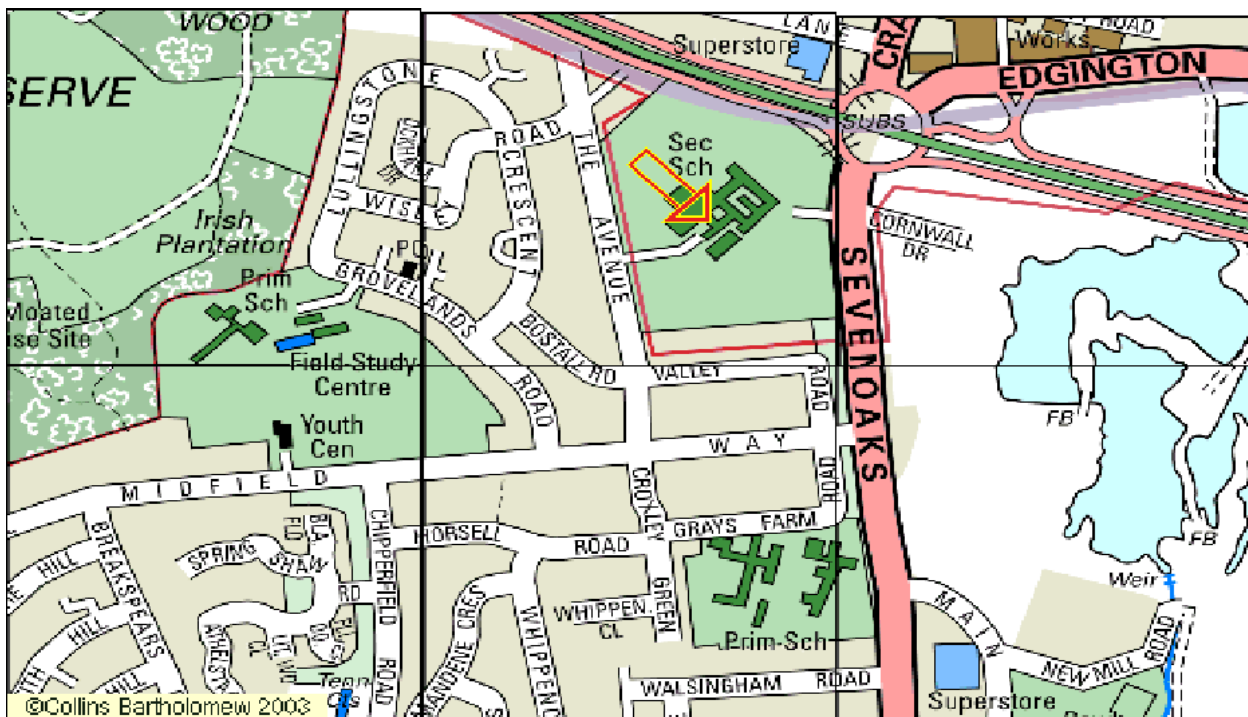
All entries to the Feis Secretary by Friday 11th September 2009

All cheques to be made payable to, "**Loughlin Academy**"

DIRECTIONS

Leave the M25 at junction 3, signposted A20 London (SE & C) Lewisham, then at roundabout take the exit signposted A20 London (SE & C) Lewisham.

Stay on the A20 until you pass a BP garage and MCDonalds on your right. Take the next exit (Crittall's Corner) signposted A224 Orpington & Foot's Cray. At the roundabout take the 1st exit signposted A224 Orpington, St Pauls Cray & St Mary's Cray. Travel along Sevenoaks Way, pass the school and take the first right into Midfield Way. Take the second turning on your right into The Avenue. The entrance to the school is approximately 400 yards along this road.



ACCOMMODATION

Marriott Bexleyheath

Tel: 0870 400 7245

10 minutes from the Feis

B & B rates from £85.00 (per room)

Holiday Express Inn (Dartford Crossing)

Tel: 01322 290333

15 minutes from the Feis

B & B rates from £65.00 (per room)

Hilton Hotel (Dartford Crossing)

Tel: 01322 284444

15 Minutes from the Feis

Room Only from £80.00 (check special internet rates)

BY RAIL

Nearest BR station is SIDCUP. Trains run every 30 minutes from Charring Cross. Mini-cab office close to SIDCUP BR station (5 minutes to the Feis)

BY AIR

Both Stansted and Gatwick Airports are within one hour from the above hotels. A taxi will cost between £50.00 and £60.00 (single journey).

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PROVISIONAL - Timetable for Saturday 26th September 2009

HALL A		HALL B		HALL C				
TIME	Stage 1	TIME	Stage 2	TIME	Stage 3	Stage 4	Stage 5	Stage 6
9.00am	U/11 B & G CHAMP U/12 CHAMP	9.00am	13-15 PRIMARY	9.00am	U/11 BEGINNERS	U/11 PRIMARY	U/11 INTERMEDIATE	
10.00AM	SETS RESULTS	10.30am	13-15 INTERMEDIATE					
11.00AM	U13 B & G CHAMP U/14 CHAMP	11.30AM	11 & U/13 BEGINNERS	11.30AM	U11 PRELIM CHAMP & U 12 PRELIM CHAMP (ALTERNATING) (RESULTS WILL BE GIVEN IN HALL A)			
12:00 AM	SETS RESULTS							
2.00PM	U11 & U12 PRELIM RESULTS							
2.30PM	U/14 PRELIM & U/15 PRELIM (ALTERNATING) SETS & RESULTS			2.30PM	U/12 PRIMARY	U/12 INTERMEDIATE	U/13 PRIMARY	U/13 INTERMEDIATE
4.30PM	U/15 B & G CHAMP & U/16 CHAMP SETS RESULTS			4.30PM	U13 PRELIM CHAMP (RESULTS WILL BE GIVEN IN HALL A)			
6.30PM	U/13 PRELIM RESULT							

PROVISIONAL - Timetable for Sunday 27th September 2009

HALL A		HALL B		HALL C				
TIME	Stage 1	TIME	Stage 2	TIME	Stage 3	Stage 4	Stage 5	Stage 6
9:00 AM	U/17 PRELIM O/17 SENIOR PRELIM	9.00AM	U/7 BEGINNERS	9:00 AM	U/10 BEGINNERS	U/10 PRIMARY	U/10 INTERMEDIATE	
10.00AM	SETS RESULTS	10.00AM	U/7 PRIMARY					
11.00AM	U/17 B & G CHAMPS U10 CHAMP (alternating)	10.30AM	U/7 INTERMEDIATE (alternating with) U/7 OPEN FOLLOWED BY U/7 PREMIER	11.30AM	U9 BEGINNERS	U/9 PRIMARY	U/9 INTERMEDIATE & U/9 OPEN (ALTERNATING)	
12.00PM	SETS RESULTS							
1.30PM	U/10 PRELIM RECALL SETS RESULTS	12.30PM	O/15 PRIMARY (alternating with O/15 INTERMEDIATE	FOLLOWED BY U/9 MIXED CHAMPIONSHIP				
3.00PM	SENIOR M & L CHAMPS (alternating) U/19 G & B CHAMPS	2.30PM	U/6 INT & OPEN (ALTERNATING) U/6 PREMIER	2.30PM	U/8 BEGINNERS	U/8 PRIMARY	U/8 INTERMEDIATE & U/8 OPEN (ALTERNATING)	
4.00PM	SETS RESULTS	3.30PM	U/6 PRIMARY	FOLLOWED BY U/8 MIXED CHAMPIONSHIP				
		4.00PM	U/6 BEGINNERS					

- 1 Ages to be taken from **1st January 2009**.
- 2 The Feis will run in accordance with the Rules of An Coimisiun Le Rinci Gaelacha.
- 3 Lodgement of entries implies that you acknowledge and accept all of the Rules of An Coimisiun Le Rinci Gaelacha and the Southern England Regional Council plus the additional rules listed below, relating to the Feis.
- 4 Entries will only be accepted from Schools registered with An Coimisiun Le Rinci Gaelacha, subject to the discretion of the Feis Secretary.
- 5 "Beginners Rule" Basic steps as defined by the Southern England Regional Council will be adhered to for all Beginner Grade Competitions.
- 6 Beginner and Primary Grade Competitions are OPEN to all Regions.
- 7 A Dancer may only compete in **one grade** for each dance with the exception of dancers who are intermediate and wish to compete in the Open Championship, Preliminary Championship or Premier. Competitors must dance in their own Age Group for Solo Competitions.
- 8 Dancers should have their Competitor Registration Card with them in the event of a query as to their Age Group.
- 9 Where there are five or less entries for a Beginner, Primary or Intermediate competition, results will not affect their grading.
- 10 A Beginner is a dancer who has not gained a 1st, 2nd or 3rd place in a Beginner Grade competition or any medal in a higher grade for that particular dance.
- 11 The Primary Grade is for dancers who have not won a 1st or 2nd place for that particular dance in any Age Group.
- 12 The Intermediate Grade is for dancers who have not won a 1st place for that particular dance in a particular Age Group, or who has won a premier or Championship.
- 13 A Panel of Three Adjudicators will judge all Championships from Under 10 upwards. All Championship cups are perpetual and recipients will be responsible for any loss or damage and for the safe return in adequate time to be presented to subsequent winners.
- 14 All decisions of the Adjudicators are **FINAL**.
- 15 Any Solo, Ceili or Figure competition or Championship may be moved to another hall at the discretion of the Feis Secretary to ensure the safety of the dancers and their families as well as to accommodate delays to timetable.
- 16 The Feis Committee accept no liability for loss or damage to personal property.
- 17 No new entries will be taken on the day.
- 18 No Smoking, eating or drinking in any of the halls, except in designated areas.
- 19 No video, digital recordings or flash photography are allowed whilst competitions are in progress.
- 20 **Any form of unauthorised photography which has the capability to capture a dancer's image whilst in motion, using electronic or manual means, e.g. mobile phone, standard camera, video camcorder, cine recorder, commercial film, with or without flash enhancement, is expressly forbidden in competition.**
Photographs taken at awards ceremonies are permitted, however these must be for your own use and not used for public display purposes, unless permission has been obtained.
- 21 Objections against any breach of the above rules must be made in writing, and signed, to the Feis Secretary and accompanied by a fee of £25.00 (40 Euros), which will be refunded if the objection is upheld.
- 22 Any competitor found to be using artificial carriage aids and subsequently refuses to remove same will be subject to disqualification from that particular competition. Medically prescribed apparatus, proof of which may be required, will be exempt from this ruling
- 23 **Parents are responsible for the conduct of their children**, at all times, whilst attending the Feis.
- 24 All Beginner and Primary dancers may only wear a class costume, simple dancewear or appropriate attire (skirt & top or simple dress for girls and trousers, shorts and t-shirt or shirt for boys) in competitions up to and including the Under 12 Age Group. Make-up will not be permitted for any dancer in the first two grades up to and including the Under 12 age group Worldwide. Failure to comply with this rule may lead to disqualification from the competition.
- 25 With immediate effect, make-up will not be permitted for any dancer in the first two grades up to and including the under 12 age group Worldwide. This rule replaces the entire previous ruling on this matter in relation to make-up and fake-tan.
- 26 An Coimisiun has ruled that from 1st January 2009, that **no block, en pointe**, stationary or moving be allowed to be performed for all ages up to and including the under 12 age group Worldwide. **The Under 12 Age Group will be allowed to Toe Walk from 1st September 2009.**
- 27 If parents have any constructive comments to make about any aspect of Feiseanna, these would be welcomed by the council and should be put in writing. It should be noted that anonymous correspondence cannot be dealt with.
- 28 To compete in a Preliminary Championship a competitor cannot have been placed 1st, 2nd, or 3rd in an Open Championship or Premier during the Feis Years 2006, 2007, 2008 or the present year, and cannot have been placed in a medal position at Oireachtas Rince Na Cruinne 2006, 2007, 2008 & 2009. They also cannot have been placed 1st in a Preliminary Competition during the Feis Years 2006, 2007, 2008 or the present year.
- 29 **Competitors can only dance in either Preliminary or Open Championship, they may not compete in both. Intermediate competitors can dance their grade dances and either the Preliminary or Open Championship.**
- 30 **To compete in the U8 & U9 Championships dancers must enter the solo competitions.**

