

## RULES FOR SOLO PIPING and DRUMMING COMPETITION

1. **Order of Play:** Competitors will play in the order determined by the Games Sponsor. The first to enter will be the last to play. However, the Games Sponsor has the right to adjust any preassigned times in order to eliminate large gaps in the contest due to scratches or disqualifications.

It is the responsibility of solo piping and drumming competitors to arrive on time, to check in with the appropriate Games Official and to check periodically on the starting time of his or her contest. Competitors not on hand when called will forfeit entry in that event. Every effort will be made to notify individuals of changes in the times. As they occur, changes will be posted in a central location.

2. **Tuning:** Pipers shall be limited to a five minute tuning time for all solo events. Pipers in Grades 3 and above shall be required to march during the march portion of any contest unless physically handicapped and unable to do so.

There must be at least one more competitor than the number of prizes awarded unless the judge thinks the prize is warranted. Results and prizes will be handed out at Massed Bands at the end of

the day.

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4. A complete set of WUSPBA rules will be available at the place of registration the day of competition.

Contest will be organized under the WUSPBA Sanctioning Process.



## The Mother Lode Highland Games

*Your Games Pass and other information will be sent to you approximately 2 weeks prior to the Games weekend. If you are affiliated with a participating band, no pass will be sent to the band for you unless you register in the last week or so after band tickets have been sent out.*

**Amador County Fairgrounds  
Plymouth, CA**

**June 10 & 11, 2017**

## Solo Piping Competition Entry Form

For Piping & Drumming Information:  
Kevin Campbell  
piping@MotherLodeGames.com  
(714) 717-2871



# SOLO PIPING ENTRY FORM

*Please Print Clearly or Type*



Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Age (if younger than 18) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Event Numbers \_\_\_\_\_

WUSPBA Registration Number \_\_\_\_\_ (Required for Competition)

Band Affiliation (if any)  
\_\_\_\_\_

I have read and understand the rules and regulations for competition, and I, hereby for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, waive all rights and claims we may have against the Amador County Fairgrounds, Mother Lode Highland Games, Inc., its games committee, their agents, successors and assignees, for any and all injuries suffered by me or my child at or through these events.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature of Entrant**  
(or Parent if entrant is under 18 years of age)

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

***Please ensure that your information is legible!***

The **\$25.00** entry fee includes all Solo Events and one 2-day Games Pass which is needed to enter the grounds. Checks should be made payable to: The Mother Lode Highland Games.

Send entry form to: Kevin Campbell  
Self-Addressed 9382 Blue Oak Drive  
Stamped Envelope Orangevale, CA 95662

**Entries must be received by May 19, 2017.** Entries postmarked after that date will be **\$30.00**.

**There will be NO field entries**

**Don't forget to return the last sheet with your choice of events.**

**Entries received without checks or not signed will be returned for completion**



## SOLO PIPING EVENTS



**Light Music Competition will be held on Saturday**  
**Piobaireachd Competition will be held on Sunday**

**SATURDAY** Registration begins at 8:30AM;  
**SUNDAY** Registration begins at 8:30AM;

Competition begins at 9:00AM  
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Colin Speed Aggregate Trophy and Scholarship (\$100) will be awarded to the piper with the best overall results. To qualify, the piper must be entered in all three (3) events in their grade and each event in that grade must have a minimum of ten entrants.

<u>Event Number</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Number Of Tunes To Be Submitted</u>
<b>PIPING</b>		
<b>Grade 4</b>		
P41	2/4 March	One Tune
P42	Slow March	One Tune, minimum 32 bars of music
<b>Grade 3</b>		
P31	2/4 March	One Tune
P32	Strathspey & Reel	One Set
<b>Grade 2</b>		
P21	2/4 March, Strathspey & Reel	Submit two(2) Marches, One(1) Strathspey and One(1) Reel Play One(1) of each
P22	Hornpipe and Jig	One Set
<b>Grade 1</b>		
P11	March, Strathspey & Reel	Two of each tune, play 1 of each
P12	Hornpipe and Jig	Two of each tune, play 1 of each
<b>Open</b>		
PP3	March, Strathspey & Reel	Four of each tune, play 1 of each
PP5	Hornpipe and Jig	Three of each tune, play 1 of each

***PIOBAIREACHD limited to the first twenty entries in each event***

<b>Grade 4</b>		
P43	Ground and First Variation	Submit one tune
<b>Grade 3</b>		
P36	Full Piobaireachd	Submit one tune
<b>Grade 2</b>		
P24	Full Piobaireachd	Submit two tunes
<b>Grade 1</b>		
P14	Full Piobaireachd	Submit three tunes
<b>Open</b>		
PP7	Full Piobaireachd	Submit four tunes
\$100 1st Place Prize based upon a minimum of three (3) entrants		

### ***KITCHEN PIPING***

An open piping context of any tune, 10 minute maximum  
 Date and Time to be determined