


Piping and Dancing Assn of NZ Inc.  
Marlborough/Nelson Centre

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NZ Young Piper of the Year 2021

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Centre	Marlborough/Nelson
Competition	NZ Young Piper of the Year 2021
Approved	
Date Issued	4 August 2021



## *Solo Piping* **SCHEDULE**

*Saturday* 2nd OCTOBER 2021

Commencing 8:30 am  
Nelson Marlborough Institute of Technology (G & T Blocks)  
322 Hardy Street, Nelson 7011 (Entrance from Nile Street)

**ENTRIES CLOSE** 27th August 2021

(Entry fee must be paid at the time of entry)

**ENTER ONLINE** [www.piping-dancing.org.nz/competition-events/competition-schedules/](http://www.piping-dancing.org.nz/competition-events/competition-schedules/)

**EMAIL ENQUIRIES** [nzyoungpiper@gmail.com](mailto:nzyoungpiper@gmail.com)

(Conducted under the rules of the Piping and Dancing Assn of NZ inc.)

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2021

Welcome to the 4th edition of the NZ Young Piper of the Year!

Be crowned NZ Young Piper of the Year for 2021 and receive \$1,000 CASH FOR 1ST PLACE.

This exciting one day event will consist of two core sections: a standard style competition during the day for all ages and graded events including a full list of Novice, D, C, and B Grade Piobaireachd and light music followed by a concert style event in the evening for those entered in the Under 21 MSR & Hornpipe Jig events.

The "NZ Young Piper of the Year" award itself will be judged across the Piobaireachd (submit 2) during the day, then in the evening a MSR (Submit 2). Directly following the performance of their MSR, competitors will play their Hornpipe & Jig (submit 2), in an effort to create an entertaining concert format which will be live streamed and heavily attended.

Please note most points for the "NZ Young Piper of the Year" award and the \$1,000 prize will be taken from the Piobaireachd & MSR events only (Events 14 & 15).

This year we are proud to be hosting the 2021 NZ Championship Under 21 Strathspey & Reel. This award will be presented to the winner of event 17.

William Boyle Foundation Scholarship:

The NZ Young Piper of the Year competition is included as the 4th of 5 competitions around NZ which are granted qualifying events for the William Boyle Foundation Award. The scholarship is a cash prize in addition to return airfares to Scotland awarded to the Under 21 piper gaining the most points from Under 21 Events allocated at: Waipu, Hastings (cancelled due to Covid), Dunedin (cancelled due to Covid), Christchurch and NELSON. The 2 allocated events for NZ Young Piper of the Year 2021 which will give you qualifying points should you place are events 14 & 15.

Saturday 2nd October 2021

Commencing 8:30am

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Adjudicators are:

Mr Liam Kernaghan	Wellington
Mr Alasdair MacKenzie	Invercargill
Mr Davey Welsh	Wellington
Mr Stuart Easton	Palmerston North
Mrs Marion Horsburgh	Wellington

Entries Close: 27 August 2021

Entry fees must be paid at the time of entry

Late entries will incur a 50% fee.

## NZ Young Piper of the Year 2021



### Contact Details

2. First Name \*

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3. Surname \*

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4. Town/City \*

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5. Contact Mobile Number \*

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6. Date of Birth (for Under 21 Events)

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*Example: January 7, 2019*

#### **P&D Assn of NZ Inc - Membership and Registration No.**

Competitors are required to be a current financial member of the P&D Assn of NZ Inc. Follow this link for online registration <http://www.piping-dancing.org.nz/membership/online-membership-form/>

7. Registration Number \*

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#### **Grade**

8. Piper's Grade \*

*Check all that apply.*

- Novice
- D Grade
- C Grade
- B Grade
- Under 21

#### **Entry**

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*Check all that apply.*

- 1. Novice Practice Chanter (Entry Fee \$8)
- 2. Novice March (Entry Fee \$8)
- 3. D Grade Piobaireachd (Entry Fee \$8)
- 4. D Grade 2/4 March (Entry Fee \$8)
- 5. D Grade Strathspey & Reel (Entry Fee \$8)
- 6. C Grade Piobaireachd (Entry Fee \$10)
- 7. C Grade 2/4 March (Entry Fee \$10)
- 8. C Grade Strathspey & Reel (Entry Fee \$10)
- 9. C Grade Hornpipe & Jig (Entry Fee \$10)
- 10. B Grade Piobaireachd (Entry Fee \$13)
- 11. B Grade 2/4 March (Entry Fee \$13)
- 12. B Grade Strathspey & Reel (Entry Fee \$13)
- 13. B Grade Hornpipe & Jig (Entry Fee \$13)
- 14. Under 21 Piobaireachd (Entry Fee \$15)
- 15. U21 March Strathspey & Reel (Entry Fee \$15)
- 16. U21 Hornpipe & Jig (Entry Fee \$15)
- 17. 2021 NZ Championship Under 21 Strathspey & Reel (Entry Fee \$15)

10. Entry Fee - Please manually add up your total entry fees from the above events entered. \*

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## Rules and Conditions

### TUNE SUBMISSION

#### Light Music:

- Competitors in events 1, 2, 4 & 5 are to submit ONE tune of minimum 2 parts each of their own choice.
- Competitors in events 7, 8 & 9 are to submit ONE tune of minimum 4 parts each of their own choice.
- Competitors in events 11, 12, 13, 15, 16 & 17 are to submit TWO tunes of each time signature with a minimum of 4 parts each of their own choice.

#### Piobaireachd:

- Competitors in event 3 are to submit ONE tune of their choice comprising of a Ground & 1st Variation SINGLING only.
- Competitors in event 6 are to submit ONE FULL piobaireachd of their own choice
- Competitors in event 10 & 14 are to submit TWO tunes of their own choice

1. Conducted under the By-laws of the Piping & Dancing Association of NZ Inc.
2. Competitors enter and compete at their own risk
3. All entries must be accompanied by correct entry fees.
4. All competitors must produce evidence of current P&D Registration, either printed or electronic on request or forfeit the right to compete
5. All competitors for events under specified ages shall state the date of their birth when entering. No competitor shall be eligible to compete in any event unless they are under the specified age on the first day of the competition. In the event of a protest being lodged competitor concerned shall produce a birth certificate to the Society after reasonable notice as per By-Law 18.
6. In accordance with By-law 40: No competitor who has at any time won a first placing in any event which they have competed as an individual shall thereafter be eligible to compete as a novice.
7. With the exception of Event 17

Prizes awarded as follows: 3 entries = 1 prize awarded, 5 entries = 2 prizes awarded, 7 entries = 3 prizes awarded, 15 entries = 4 prizes awarded.

All Championship events: minimum of 5 entries are required.

For Event 17 prizes will be as stated in the schedule.

8. In accordance with By-Law 13.1 Where a prize is awarded for most points over a number of events points shall be computed on the basis of five for each first placing, three for each second and one for each third. In the event of a tie for any placing the above points shall be shared in the same manner as applies to prize money. If the total points of two or more competitors shall be equal, the competitor who has gained the highest placing in the Piobaireachd event shall be awarded the most points prize.

9. All Competitors must be suitably attired in Highland Dress when competing as per By-Law 19.1.

Prize Winners must be in competition dress to receive awards at Prize Giving in accordance with By-Law 19.2

10. All Competitors will play in order as listed in the programme and should have their pipes tuned in readiness unless special circumstances occur.

All competitors must report to Board Steward prior to each event otherwise their right to compete may be forfeited

11. Competitors will have three (3) minutes for light music and five (5) minutes for Piobaireachd to tune their instrument before commencement of their performance.

12. All competitors in B Grade events and above and competitors in Events 14-17 incl. shall tune their own pipes whilst on the competition platform, without any outside assistance for tuning.

13. By entering this competition all competitors agree to have their photo used for publicity purposes and competitors in events 10, 14, 15 & 16 agree to have their performance recorded or live streamed by the Piping & Dancing Association of NZ, Marlborough/Nelson Centre. If a recording is to be used at a later date for publicity purposes, the piper concerned would be asked for explicit permission.

14. William Boyle Foundation Scholarship: Competitors who gain placings in Events 14 & 15 at the Nelson competition will receive points towards the William Boyle Foundation Scholarship as follows: 5 points for first, 3 points for second and 1 point for third. This Scholarship is awarded (to a competitor who has not previously won) at the prize giving ceremony at Labour weekend 2020 and covers a competitor's best points gained from 3 of 5 events held in Waipu, Hastings (Cancelled due to Covid), Dunedin (Cancelled due to Covid), Christchurch (compulsory) and Nelson. Scholarship includes a cash prize and return airfares to Scotland subject to approval of proposed tuition by the trustees.

# Event SPONSORSHIP

## Donation

Piping competitions rely on the kind donations and sponsorship of the public and businesses alike. If you are in a position to donate please consider donating to help us continue to support solo piping in the Nelson region and nationally. Any amount is greatly appreciated and all donations will be acknowledged in the programme and via social media through our facebook page.

### 11. Donation Amount

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## Tuning Service

NZ Young Piper of the Year would like to help support those travelling without a tutor in C grade & below by supplying a capable piper to tune competitor's pipes before going onto the board, please indicate if you would like this service.

### 12.

*Check all that apply.*

Tuning Service

### 13. Additional Options

*Check all that apply.*



I wish to purchase a hard copy programme - \$10 (collected upon arrival).

### 14. Total Amount Payable (Entries + Extras) \*

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## 15. Payment details: \*

*Check all that apply.*

Internet banking - PDANZ Nelson/Marlborough 030751-0223432-000. Please enter competitor name as a reference.

Account enquiries: [nzyoungpiper@gmail.com](mailto:nzyoungpiper@gmail.com)

Other:  \_\_\_\_\_

Your completed entry will be emailed to you as soon as you submit this online form. A schedule of events will be emailed to you prior to the day of competition. All enquiries should be emailed to Callum Gilchrist at [nzyoungpiper@gmail.com](mailto:nzyoungpiper@gmail.com)

Thank you for your entry to NZ Young Piper of the Year 2021, we look forward to seeing you in Sunny Nelson!



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