

Scoil Rince De Danaan

De Danaan School of Irish Dancing

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POLICIES

- Post-dated cheques dated the 1st of every month for the 10 month dance year are due at the time of registration. Payable to Scoil Rince De Danaan. No drop in rates.
- Cancelled or missed classes can be made up at any other scheduled time during the month. One week notice is required. Fees may not be deducted for missed classes.
- A service fee of \$35 will be charged on all returned cheques.
- Students who have outstanding School or Society fees will not participate in class, competitions, performances or receive Society benefits until their fees are up to date.
- Students who have outstanding fees will not be permitted to buy solo costumes.
- All solo costume designs and purchases must be approved by Leslie to ensure that it is appropriate for the level of the dancer.
- Absence from group/performance class may result in missed performance opportunities. For the overall consistency of the group, repeated or untimely absence may result in removal from performance class.
- Students must wear De Danaan shorts/skorts and t-shirts to class. Additional sets will be available for purchase for those who forget to bring them. T-shirts \$25 Shorts \$30 Skorts \$35 (adult dancers exempt)
- Students must wear proper dance shoes at class. Students who forget their shoes may not be able to participate.
- Class viewing is only allowed the last class of the month. Students who wish to bring visitors at any other time must get prior approval from Leslie.
- After the beginner level, students are expected to practice regularly at home (dance and conditioning). Adults may choose the recreational program.
- Any injuries must be reported to Leslie and must be seen by a doctor or physiotherapist before returning to class. Neglecting ongoing strengthening and injury prevention exercises may result in injury and thus limited dance opportunities.
- All Championship dancers are expected to attend all two-day workshops with Stephen McAteer. Novice/prizewinner dancers are expected to attend at least one of each two-day workshop. Workshops for beginners and adults are optional.
- Dates for the 2007/2008 McAteer workshops are: Sept 15/16, Jan 26/27, Mar 1/2, and May 24/25.
- Your signature on this policies form will be taken as authorization for reproducing your/your child's likeness using video and photography for the purpose of promoting Scoil Rince De Danaan and/or Ceili Irish Music and Dance Camp. Newspaper, broadcast, and/or Internet may show these images publicly.
- The De Danaan Irish Cultural Society is a separate organization that supports the Irish cultural goals of Scoil Rince De Danaan and its members.
- All members of the Society should make every attempt to be present at general meetings. Topics regarding opportunities for your child/ren and financial obligations will be discussed. It is important to have your input.
- Members are expected to participate in the Society in whatever capacity is appropriate for them.
- Irish dancing has inherent risk of injury. Leslie Wilson and Scoil Rince De Danaan (De Danaan School of Irish Dancing) take no responsibility for injury, loss or damages.

Án Coimisiún (Irish Dancing Commission) Rules:

- Students enrolled with a registered T.C.R.G. may not attend classes simultaneously with another Irish dancing teacher.
- Any student who transfers to another school must serve a 6 month restyling period and may not compete during this time.
- When outstanding fees are owed to the dance school, transfer students may not be accepted at another school.
- There is no videotaping or flash photography allowed at competitions. No photography is allowed of dancers while in motion at An Coimisiun or N.A.F.C. (North American Feis Commission) events.
- Ethical behaviour is expected at all times at Irish Dancing related events. Breach of ethics can result in suspension from competition.
- Soliciting students from other dance schools is strictly prohibited.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Name (Please Print)