## **VOLUNTEERS – DELAWARE FEIS – 2017**

Below is the UPDATED volunteer list for the Delaware Feis BASED ON THE RESPONSE EMAILS I HAVE RECEIVED THUS FAR – THANK YOU®

## **GREEN IS THE PERSON(S) CHAIRING THAT PARTICULAR AREA**

## **YELLOW IS WHERE I NEED VOLUNTEERS**

# TURQUOISE – YOU DID THE JOB LAST YEAR – LMK IF YOU CAN DO IT THIS YEAR – YOU WILL HAVE A ??? NEXT TO YOUR NAME

## TEACHERS please EMAIL YOUR VOLUNTEERS AND THEIR EMAIL ADDRESSES TO ME ASAP AT paulson004@aol.com

Chairpersons: Paul Dolan – ICCD

Nora Smith – ICCD Eileen Paulson – Broesler

Harriet McCann - Entry Chair - Broesler

Main Desk: All AM volunteers at main desk – please arrive at 7:30 AM to distribute

numbers – all late morning volunteers arrive at 10:30

Jennifer Dean – Broesler – MAIN ENTRY PERSON DAY OF FEIS

Jen Sexton – Broesler
Cathleen Newman – Broesler
Janine Perez – Broesler???

**NEED A FEW MORE IN AM AND FOR AFTERNOON** 

## Set - Up Saturday - at St. Mark's - need lots

Anyone and everyone that can help Saturday is welcome. Please come to St. Mark's at 9:30 AM if you are able to assist. Please email me at Paulson004@aol.com if you can help.

Gifts for Adjudicators and Musicians - Nora Smith and Mrs. McHugh

## **Stage Crew** (set-up and breakdown of stages Saturday AM and Sunday at end of feis – NEED HELP TO RETURN WOOD TO STORAGE

Info for stage building volunteers: We build 7 wooden stages and need a lot of volunteers. Saturday morning (8/8):

1) Volunteers are needed to meet at Bafundo Roofing, 415 Rogers Rd, New Castle at 8:00 to load the stages for delivery to St. Marks for assembly. Bob Thatcher's cell phone is 302-383-0362.

2) Volunteers are needed at St Marks for stage building when the wood arrives, if possible please bring gloves and a cordless screw gun. If there are enough volunteers this should be completed by 1:00 pm

Sunday afternoon (8/11):

1) Volunteers are needed to disassemble the stages and return to the warehouse. Stages will start to be broken down as soon as competitions are completed. Please if you are around, please help with this. Many years we are left with just a few guys and a lot of wood to load. They will start as soon as a stage finishes.

Brian Raughley – McAleer – Chairperson (unfortunately Brian tore his ACL BUT he said he will still organize the stage building. Thank you Brian, Chris, and Frank for stepping up to assist with all the building. We still need many more men/women who can carry or build stages and kids that need service hours are welcome and we will have a letter for them.

Brian Flannigan – McAleer – BSF66@COMCAST.NET Chris Slicer - McAleer

Frank Doran – McAleer Mike Gillmeister – Broesler John Thornton – Broesler

## **NEED LOTS MORE**

NEED MANY, MANY VOLUNTEERS FOR SAT AND SUNDAY to set up stages/breakdown/TAKE BACK TO STORAGE— IF AVAILABLE — EMAIL paulson004@aol.com and brian@deadprsidentspub.com

Bsf66@comcast.net

Kitchen Duty - ICCD - All Day - NEED ASSISTANTS

First Aid: (if there is a nurse available – please let me know)

Pat O'Connell – EMT – will be at announcer's table – McHugh - ??? LMK if you are available to be on call Sheila McHugh, TCRG – McHugh

## FOOD FOR ADJUDICATORS, MUSICIANS, AND SNACKS

Teree Brennan- McHugh

Renee Pietropolo – McDade Cara

**NEED 5 DMA VOLUNTEERS ASSIGNED TO ASSIST HERE** 

## Sodas for Feis and Filling of coolers at Stages and for Jim and Alan - coolers

filled with sodas and water on Saturday and brought stage side on Sunday am. Just make sure they are filled during the day. Feis supplies the sodas, water, and coolers.

NEED SOMEONE TO FILL COOLERS SATURDAY - McAleer Volunteer

**NEED SOMEONE TO REFURBISH COOLERS ON SUNDAY** 

## <u>Championship Awards</u> – Downstairs Gym – please be downstairs early am – you would be responsible for announcing and awarding – need two to three people for all day.

You will notify main announcer when you are announcing awards as well as Eileen Paulson on her cell via text (walkie talkie does not work in auditorium). Eileen 302-547-2538. Please give a 15-20" notice on when you are going to announce. Please come early so we can explain everything. All will be set up. Please have winner of perpetual trophy sign TWO COPIES OF CONTRACT. One for them to keep and one for feis. Place feis copy in sleeve and in trophy binder. Make it exciting for the winners<sup>©</sup> And we have sashes for the first time ever in the history of the Delaware Feis in the colors of Irelands Flag for  $1^{st}$ ,  $2^{nd}$  and  $3^{rd}$ .

## Joe Liberta – Broesler – All Day

Dianne Liberta – Broesler – All Day

LMK IF YOU NEED MORE JOE

National Anthems - CD's or if you can sing let us know

## **Transportation of Adjudicators and Musicians**

Veronica and Francis McCrea Mr. and Mrs. McHugh Nora Smith Eileen Paulson

**Grade Marks** – Assisting Alan Shrader –Inputting and posting marks – please report to room

behind cafeteria at scheduled time and ask for Alan -

Kimberly Granahan - Broesler

Lisa Mark – Broesler

Terry White – Broesler – here or grade trophies

Runners for Marks and Grades -Need to pick up marks from stages 1 – 4 all day, stages 5,6, and 7 for figures in am, and then stage 5 for grades after lunch. Jim Montague will collect champ results. Please report to room next to cafeteria at start of collecting grade results for further directions. Each runner will be given an hour time slot. Dancers are perfect to do this. Times start at 8:45 and go to 3:45

I WILL ASSISGN TIMES AFTER STAGE SCHEDULE COMPLETED SO IT DOES NOT INTERFERE WITH YOUR CHILD'S DANCE TIME – EVERYONE WILL BE GIVEN AN HOUR

## Need lots of volunteers — I usually give each child an hour opposite of what they are dancing.

Brianna Cole - Broesler

Dakota Schaler - Broesler

Maddie Reilly - Broesler

Bryan White – Broesler

Anastasia Kudin - Broesler

Moira McCardell - Broesler

Claire McCardell - Broesler

Erin McCardell - Broesler

Lizzie McCardell - Broesler

Greg Granahan - Broesler - or starting kids

Cheyenne Granahan – Broesler - or starting kids

Charlotte Granahan - Broesler - or starting kids

## **Signs and Posters**

## **NEED A NEW VOLUNTEER THIS YEAR AS TRICIA IS AWAY**

## Jim Montague's Assistant - report to room behind main gym

Tory Warren – Broesler – arriving at 9:30 – 10 AM

## **Need another assistant all day**

## **GRADE TROPHIES**

<u>Distribution of Beginner to Prizewinner Trophies – report to room behind cafeteria at scheduled time</u>

Tom and Kendra Hartman – Broesler

**Bridget McCardell - Broesler** 

Amanda Schaler - Broesler

**NEED MORE HELPERS** 

## STAGE HANDS AND ASSISTANTS

Stage 1 – 4 – figures and grades

Stage 5 – figures, FEW champ comps, then grades

Stage 6 - figures, prelim/open

Stage 7 – figures, prelim/open

Alan will provide competitor lists with any specific instructions for all figures and grades. Check off kids as they check in. This will be in a bound notebook at your stage. Please pull the competitor list when comp complete and send with results. Look for Alan's instructions for each comp – slow vs fast speed etc. Everyone has worked a stage. Please keep stages and comps moving. Check in next comp before current comp over. Walkie talkie to Mr. McHugh what comp you are checking in. Start comp immediately once adjudicator finishes tallying previous comp results. Main person in charge of stage is highlighted in green. Questions call Nora or myself. Use walkie talkie to keep stage moving so everything can be announced. Stages 1-4 are only big enough to dance two at a time (THERE IS NO DANCING THREE AT A TIME ON THESE STAGES REGARDLESS OF AGES). Stage 5 and 6 big enough to dance 3 at a time in grades and champs both soft shoe and hard shoe. It's an NAFC rule if anyone asks. Runners will be around to collect your completed marks. If you are on a champ stage, when done bring them to tabulation room in back hallway.

PLEASE REMEMBER, TREBLE JIG AND HORNPIPE IN NOVICE AND PRIZEWINNER HAVE CHOICE OF SLOW OR FAST SPEED. ADVANCED BEGINNER IS FAST FOR BOTH TREBLE JIG AND HORNPIPE.

Please arrive at your stage at 7:45-8:00. Start checking dancers in at that time. Have competition lined up and ready to go at 8:30. Do not wait until judges arrive. Keep competitions moving – we have lots and lots of dancers. Questions – Eileen Paulson's cell 302-547-2538, Nora's cell 302-893-6498.

#### Stage 1

## **NEED MAIN TWO ADULTS FOR STAGE** - need a little experience please

Catherine Liberta – dancer – assisting – Broesler

#### Stage 2

## **DO CAIRDE VOLUNTEERS**

Cheyenne Granahan - dancer assisting starting kids in AM only - Broesler

#### Stage 3

## Maureen Frail - DoCairde - All Day

DoCairde volunteers assisting all day

#### Stage 4

## Kathy Hanley, ADCRG – DoCairde – All Day

DoCairde volunteers assisting all day

#### Stage 5

## JJ Hester, ADCRG – Hester Academy – All Day

**Need another adult volunteer** 

#### Stage 6

## Kathleen Fahey Hosey – McAleer – All day

Katie Hosey - McAleer - All day

#### Stage 7

## Eileen Paulson, TCRG - Broesler - All day

Colleen Betz - Broesler

## **Twitter Updates**

Sharon Caffrey – Broesler – stage updates and help with posting awards and time of awards etc Joe Liberta – Broesler – AWARDS – WHEN THEY WILL HAPPEN AND POSTING OF ALL AWARDS Must keep in contact with announcer as well so he can announce when awards will take place as well as Eileen in the auditorium

### Announcer

Sheila and Pat O'Connell - McHugh - ??????? Mr. McHugh - ????

## **Clean-up**

Again, anyone and everyone that is available at the end of the feis day, please jump in and help to clean up. The more the merrier with this job and the faster we all finish. Please stay and help if you can

Thanks again for all of your assistance and all you do to continue the Delaware Feis. It would never happen without each one of you Eileen 2

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