

# HARP COMPETITIONS

## RULES & CONDITIONS

### FIVE (5) CATEGORIES

ENTRY FEE: €10

- 1 See 'General Competition Rules' and 'General Festival Rules' as well as the following.
- 2 Use Entry Form FPC6 to enter Harp and Fiddle Competitions.
- 3 In all competitions musical scores should be provided for the adjudicator. In competition D a copy of words should also be provided with translations where appropriate.

### HARP COMPETITION A

Harp Solo (Apprentice)

Open to competitors who have been playing less than one year on the previous 1st January.

Each competitor to play one traditional piece.

Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places.

### HARP COMPETITION B

Harp Solo (12-15 years)

Each competitor to play two traditional pieces. One of the two pieces must be by a harper composer.

Please state date of birth of entrant on Entry Form.

Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places.

### HARP COMPETITION C

Harp Solo (15-18 years)

Each competitor to play two traditional pieces. One of the two pieces must be by a harper composer

Please state date of birth of entrant on Entry Form.

Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places.

### HARP COMPETITION D

Song with Harp Accompaniment

Each competitor must sing, in a Celtic language, two contrasting songs, which must be in a traditional mode. One may be newly composed.

Player's own arrangement or composition is acceptable.

A copy of words should be provided with translation where appropriate.

1st Prize: €250.00; Prizes for 2nd and 3rd places: Medals.

## HARP COMPETITION E

Solo Harp (Open)

Each competitor to play three traditional pieces as follows:-

i) By a harper composer; ii) Slow air; and iii) Dance tune.

1st Prize: €250; 2nd Prize: €200; and 3rd Prize: €120.