

**PIPE BAND
CONTEST ELEMENTS
FOR MOSS VALE
SUNDAY, 26th FEBRUARY 2006.**

Grade 4: (a) *Musical Selection* (3-5 Mins)
 (b) *8 or 9 parts of March Time tempo.*

Grade 3: (a) *Musical Selection* (4-6 Mins)
 (b) *March, Strathspey & Reel.*

Grade 2: (a) *Musical Selection* (5-7 Mins)
 (b) *March, Strathspey & Reel* (min.4 parted
 tunes)

Grade 1: (a) *Musical Selection* (5 – 7 mins)
 (b) *March, Strathspey & Reel* (min.4 parted
 tunes)
 2 Sets of tunes to be submitted for March,
 Strathspey & Reel.

**Prizemoney (all events) 1st \$350.00. 2nd
\$200.00 and 3rd \$100.00 (subject to
conditions set out in “Rules and
Conditions” Paper)
Entry Fee \$40.00 per Event.**

All Grades are aggregate competitions consisting of both the 8 or 9 parts of March Tempo or MSR as applicable & Musical Selection events.

Rules and Conditions for Moss Vale Pipe Band Competition 26 February, 2006.

The contest will be conducted in accordance with APBA Inc. Contest Regulation 2004.

Dress Points will not be included in the aggregate.

The winning band in each grade will be determined by the aggregate of the points obtained in each event in the appropriate grade.

There must be one appropriately graded band entered in each grade for that grade to be contested (Rule E.1.05 will be observed).

The organizing committee / promoter reserves the right to reject any entry, curtail, postpone or cancel any event or otherwise deal with the program if they deem it necessary.

Bands may be permitted to enter a higher grade as well as their registered grade in accordance with the APBA Inc. Contest Regulations. However at least one appropriately graded band must have entered for the grade to be contested.

In all events prize money will be paid as follows:

1st prize only if there are only two competing bands in the grade.

1st and 2nd prize only if there are only three competing bands.

All competitors compete at their own risk.

Late entries will not be accepted.

Band representatives must report to the contest supervisor upon arrival at the venue.

Bands are required to participate in the Massed Bands finale or forfeit any prize obtained.

No contest entry fee will be refunded unless the event is cancelled.

ADDITIONAL SOLO RULES AND CONDITIONS:

Competitors to register with the solo marshal 30 minutes prior to their first event.

All competitors to be in recognized highland dress.

Competitors who do not commence to play within 2 minutes of being directed to, may be disqualified.

A maximum of 30 seconds fine tuning will be allowed in front of the judge.

If more than 15 entries in an event, Rule 1.03.03 will be applied.

Entries Close Friday, 27 January, 2006.

Moss Vale Pipe Band & Solo Piping & Drumming

Competition.

27 February, 2005.

Solo Piping.

- Event 1 Elementary Air (2 parted tune)**
- Event 2 Elementary 2/4 March (Min. 2 Parted Tune)**
- Event 3 Sub-Intermediate Strathspey & Reel (Min. 2 Parted Tunes)**
- Event 4 Sub. Intermediate 2/4 March (Min. 2 Parted Tune)**
- Event 5 Intermediate 2/4 March (Min. 4 Parted Tune)**
- Event 6 Intermediate Strathspey & Reel (Min. 4 Parted Tunes)**
- Event 7 Intermediate Hornpipe & Jig (Min. 4 Parted Tunes)**
- Event 8 Open 2/4 March (Min. 4 Parted Tune, Submit 2 tunes to Adjudicator)**
- Event 9 Open Strathspey & Reel (Min. 4 Parted Tunes, submit 2 sets to Adjudicator)**
- Event 10 Open Hornpipe & Jig (Min. 4 Parted Tunes, submit 2 sets to Adjudicator)**
- Event 11 Open Piobaireachd (Submit 2 tunes to Adjudicator)**
- Event 12 Restricted Piobaireachd**
*Restricted to persons who are not graded open pipers.
- Event 13 Urlar *restricted to players not eligible to compete in events 11 or 12.**

Snare Drumming.

- Event 13** Elementary 2/4 March into 6/8 March (Min. 4 Parted Tunes)
- Event 14** Sub. Intermediate 2/4 March (4 Pts) into Strath. & Reel (Min. 2 Parts each)
- Event 15** Intermediate 2/4 March, Strathspey & Reel (Min. 4 Parts Each Tune)
- Event 16** Open 2/4 March, Strathspey & Reel (Min. 4 Parts Each Tune)

Bass and Tenor Drumming.

- Event 17** Elementary Bass (as Event 13)
- Event 18** Sub. Intermediate Bass (as Event 14)
- Event 19** Intermediate Bass (as Event 15)
- Event 20** Open Bass (as Event 16)
- Event 21** Elementary Tenor (as Event 13)
- Event 22** Sub. Intermediate Tenor(as Event 14)
- Event 23** Intermediate Tenor (as Event 15)
- Event 24** Open Tenor (as Event 16)

Entry Fees and Prize Money.

Piping & Drumming Events Elementary and Sub Intermediate Grades \$5.00 per event.

1st \$20.00. 2nd \$10.00. 3rd \$5.00.

Piping & Drumming Events Intermediate Grade \$7.50 per event.

1st \$30.00. 2nd \$20.00. 3rd \$10.00.

Piping & Drumming Events Open Grade \$10.00 Per Event.

1st 50.00. 2nd \$30.00 3rd \$20.00.

Helen (Nell) Parker Champion Open Piper Award.

The Champion Piper must enter and play in events 8, 9, 10 and 11 and achieve highest aggregate points on basis of 5 points for each first place achieved, 3 points for each second place achieved and 1 point for each 3rd place achieved).

The Prize is \$100.00 and Trophy. There will also be a suitable inscription placed on the Perpetual Trophy, which after photographs on the day will be retained by the family for annual competition.

There is no entry fee for this award.

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