

**2009 PIOBAIREACHD SOCIETY GOLD MEDAL (CANADA) CONTEST  
ENTRY FORM**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code (Zip) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone [\_\_\_\_\_] \_\_\_\_\_ Fax [\_\_\_\_\_] \_\_\_\_\_

Email (please print clearly) \_\_\_\_\_

Please enter me in the following event: (check appropriate box)

1. Open Piobaireachd for the Piobaireachd Society Gold Medal [\_\_\_\_\_]

2. Gold Medallist for the Piobaireachd Society Bar to the Gold Medal [\_\_\_\_\_]

**NOTE:**

Appearance Charge: There will be a \$50.00 appearance deposit required, payable to Glengarry Highland Games. This is a cheque that must accompany all entries. The cheque will be returned to all competitors who attend at their scheduled time to compete.

Please list (print) your tunes below, sign where indicated and include your "Appearance Charge" cheque with your entry. All entries received unsigned and/or without the "Appearance Charge" will be returned as incomplete.

**REMINDER:**

Please ensure that this form is completed and mailed in ample time to be received by the organizers no later than June 30, 2009.

I hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, waive any and all rights I may have for damages, loss or injury against the Organizers, their agents, or representatives, at the above contests.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**2009 PIOBAIREACHD SOCIETY GOLD MEDAL (CANADA) CONTEST  
LIST OF TUNES**

**CEOL MOR**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

## 2009 PIOBAIREACHD SOCIETY GOLD MEDAL (CANADA) CONTESTS

**CONTEST DATE:** Friday, July 31, 2009

**CONTEST VENUE:** Anglican Church, Main St., Maxville, ON

### A. ANTICIPATED SCHEDULE:

8:00AM	Open Piobaireachd for the Piobaireachd Society Gold Medal
12:00PM to 1:20PM	Lunch break
4:00PM	Anticipated time for INFORMAL announcement of prize winners for Gold Medal contest
4:15PM	Gold Medallist for the Piobaireachd Society Bar to the Gold Medal
6:00PM	Anticipated time for the OFFICIAL presentation of all prizes/awards

Please note times may be adjusted according to the number of participants.

**B. PRIZES** Prizes will be awarded for each contest, as follows:

Gold Medal	1. \$500.00
	2. \$400.00
	3. \$300.00
	4. \$200.00
	5. \$100.00

Gold Medallist	1. \$700.00
	2. \$500.00
	3. \$300.00

**C. ABSOLUTE CLOSING DATE** for all entries is June 30, 2009.

Note: All entries must be received by mail with deposit cheques enclosed (cheque payable to Glengarry Highland Games).

**D. MAIL ENTRIES TO:** Piobaireachd Society Gold Medal (Canada) Contest  
c/o PO Box 198  
Winchester, Ontario  
K0C 2K0  
Attention: John C. Yourt

**E. ORDER OF PLAY:** Competitors will be advised of tunes and order of play by July 15, 2009.

\* Please note that the 2009 Gold Medal contest will be limited to the first **twenty (20)** competitors whose entries are received by June 30<sup>th</sup>.

\*\* In the event that only three players enter the Gold Medallist contest, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place prizes only will be awarded.

\*\*\* Please note that there will be no MSR contests included in this year's Gold Medal contests. The Glengarry Highland Games will be sponsoring an MSR contest Saturday, August 1<sup>st</sup>.

For more information, please refer to the website: [www.glengarryhighlandgames.com](http://www.glengarryhighlandgames.com)

### **GOLD MEDAL - REQUIRED TUNES**

Lament for MacDonald's Tutor	PS 3, K
Lament for the Dead	PS 11
The MacRaes' March	PS 10
Nameless: 'Hiharin dro o dro'	PS 4, K
Beloved Scotland	PS 6, K
The Earl of Seaforth's Salute	PS 5, K
The Battle of Auldearn No 2	PS 2, K
Lament for the Viscount of Dundee	PS 1, K
The Mackays' Banner	PS 7, K
Mackintosh's Lament	PS 8, K
Tulloch Ard	PS 6, K
The Piper's Warning to his Master	PS 12, K
The Gathering of Clan Chattan	PS 2, K
A Flame of Wrath for Patrick Caogach	PS 5, K
The Desperate Battle	PS 7, K
Lament for Captain MacDougall	PS 6, K

Competitors will submit four tunes from the above list, one of which they will be required to play.

### **GOLD MEDALLIST - REQUIRED TUNES**

The Earl of Ross's March	PS 10
Lament for Donald Ban MacCrimmon	PS 2, K
The MacDonalds' Salute* Revised Score 2009	PS 11
Lament for the Duke of Hamilton	PS 3, K
Rory MacLoudes' Lament	PS 11, K
Lament for the Children	PS 3, K
The Battle of Waternish	PS 2, K
Lament for the Harp Tree	PS 12, K
MacLeod of MacLeod's Lament	PS 15, K
John Garve MacLeod of Raasay's Lament	PS 5, K
Lament for the Earl of Antrim	PS 3, K
Mrs MacLeod of Talisker's Salute	PS 11, K
MacLeod of Colbeck's Lament	PS 10
Lament for Patrick Og MacCrimmon	PS 3, K
Lament for MacDonald's Tutor	PS 3, K
Lament for the Dead	PS 11
The MacRaes' March	PS 10
Nameless: 'Hiharin dro o dro'	PS 4, K
Beloved Scotland	PS 6, K
The Earl of Seaforth's Salute	PS 5, K
The Battle of Auldearn No 2	PS 2, K
Lament for the Viscount of Dundee	PS 1, K

\* The version of this tune in PS 11 is considered to be deficient and a revised version will be published in the next re-print of the book.

Competitors will submit four tunes from the above list, one of which they will be required to play.

PS = Piobaireachd Society Collection

K = Kilberry Book of Ceol Mor

**Set tunes requiring a crunluath a mach variation:** Further to the announcement of the Set Tunes for 2009, the piobaireachd judges have decided that a crunluath a mach variation shall be mandatory in the following tunes set for 2009:

**Gold Medal Competition**

Lament for Macdonald's Tutor  
Lament for the Dead  
The Battle of Auldearn No 2  
The Mackays' Banner  
The Gathering of Clan Chattan  
The Desperate Battle

**Gold Medallist Competition**

No specific instructions are given, but judges will expect competitors to play a crunluath a mach variation in tunes where it is customary to do so.

Competitors are not restricted to the settings or styles in the books mentioned previously, and may play any other setting or style, provided that the judges may take into consideration the authenticity and merits of the setting or style submitted.

Competitors are advised to give advance notice to the judges should they intend to play settings or styles different from sources stated previously.

Altogether different tunes known by the same or similar names will not be accepted as alternatives.

This announcement is made by the Piobaireachd Society to ensure earliest publication. It is without prejudice to any arrangements made by either the Argyllshire Gathering or the Northern Meeting.

For the Music Committee  
Alan Forbes, Honorary Secretary  
24 Garscube Terrace, Edinburgh, EH12 6BN

***This list is taken from the Piobaireachd Society Set Tunes for 2009 and is intended to be identical. Any discrepancy between this list and the Piobaireachd Society's is unintentional and as such, competitors should check the Piobaireachd Society's list to ensure that their selections are completely accurate.***

**Piobaireachd Society Website:**

**[http://www.piobaireachd.co.uk/index.php?option=com\\_content&task=view&id=93&Itemid=108](http://www.piobaireachd.co.uk/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=93&Itemid=108)**

## **PIOBAIREACHD SOCIETY GOLD MEDAL (CANADA) RULES**

### **Open Piobaireachd for the Piobaireachd Society Gold Medal**

#### **Eligibility:**

The contest is open to any competitor who has been classified as an Open player and who has never been awarded the Piobaireachd Society Gold Medal in previous contests at any of Ottawa, Cambridge or Maxville, or the Highland Society of London Gold Medal at Inverness or Oban.

#### **Requirements:**

Competitors will submit FOUR (4) tunes from the list of Gold Medal – Required Tunes (any 4 of the 16 tunes listed) as attached, ONE (1) of which they will be asked to play.

### **Gold Medallist for the Piobaireachd Society Bar to the Gold Medal**

#### **Eligibility:**

Confined to competitors who have previously been awarded the Piobaireachd Society Gold Medal at any of Ottawa, Cambridge or Maxville, or the Highland Society of London Gold Medal at Inverness or Oban.

#### **Requirements:**

Competitors will submit FOUR (4) tunes from the list of Gold Medallist – Required Tunes (any 4 of the 22 tunes listed) as attached, ONE (1) of which they will be asked to play. Note: Settings specified by the list are mandatory and may be obtained from the Hon. Secretary of the Music Committee, 24 Garscube Terrace, Edinburgh, EH12 6BN.

### **General information about the two Piobaireachd contests:**

1. The Piobaireachd Society Gold Medal CANNOT be won!
2. The winner of the Piobaireachd Contest will be declared and, in order that no one may gain the medal by default, the Piobaireachd Society Judge will decide if the performance merits the awarding of the medal.
3. Competitors are not restricted to the settings found in the Piobaireachd Society's Collection or the Kilberry Book or Ceol Mor (except as specified in the note previously). The Judge may, however, take into consideration the merits, authenticity and authority for such settings. Competitors are advised to give ADVANCE notice should they intend to include any settings not contained in either Staff or Editorial Notes in the Piobaireachd Society's Collections. Altogether different tunes, known by the same or similar names, will not be accepted as alternate settings.