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Vancouver Ladies Pipe Band Annual Festival of Piping, Drumming and Dancing will be held Saturday February 28th at the Simon Fraser University, East Concorse.

# ANNUAL GATHERING

Piping Judges for the 1981 Gathering are:
Jimmie MacIntosh -- Scotland
Murray Henderson -- Scotland

These two very fine judges will be holding a piping school for approximately a week. Anyone interested in attending should contact the Secretary or one of the Board members for further information.

Professional pipers please note that there will be no Piobaireachd list for this year. Pipers will submit four tunes of their own choice.

There will be no Quartette Competition at the Annual Gathering, but there will be Grade One, Two, and Three, and Junior Band Competitions.

Junior Band Competitions.

Neither the Drumming Judge nor the Location are finalized. Details will be forthcoming.

# OBITUARIES

Jimmy McNeil, early 50's Seattle piper passed away in November.

Dave Westie, a former Pipe Major for the Powell River Band, passed away this month after a lengthy illness.

# RESULTS OF THE MINI GATHERING JANUARY 10TH. 1981

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| 4.                   | Goeff Harris                  |    | Andrew Bonar      |
| 5.                   | Shaunna Stephen               |    |                   |

# Juvenile 2/4 march

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|----|-----------------------------|--------------|
| 2: | Jill MacKinnon              | Drew Noot    |
| 3. | Roy Alakija                 | Jim Hardie   |
| 43 | Norman Norcross             | Rorri McBlan |

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The next mini gathering will be held on February the 7th, commencing at 10 a.m.

JUDGES

chanter choice of any tune novice 6/8 march juvenile piobaireachd (ground only) hornpipe senior amateur 2 jigs - played without pause

NEWEST PIPEBAND FORMING IN THE LOWER MAINLAND PIPERS AND DRUMMERS----WE NEED YOUR HELP PHONE BOB FAIRFOULL ---- 536-8516-----WHITE ROCK

#### ANNOUNCEMENT

Members will not receive an individual statement covering membership dues this year. Your 1981 dues should be mailed with the following information as soon as possible to:

R. N. Palmer 4694 W. 7th Ave. Vancouver, B.C. V6R 1X5

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### RESULTS OF THE NOVEMBER 7TH KNOCKOUT

Peter Aumonier vs John MacLeod -- winner Peter Aumonier Rob Barrick vs Dave Wilson -- winner Rob Barrick

#### RESULTS OF THE JANUARY 9TH KNOCKOUT

Jamie Troy vs Rob Menzies -- winner Rob Menzies
Bruce Gandy vs Alison Palmer -- winner Alison Palmer
Graham Davidson vs Peter MacNeil -- winner Peter MacNeil
The Judges were: Jack Lee

Jimmy Hardie (Glasgow)
John MacDonald

The competitors for the February 6th knockout are: Terry Lee vs Allan MacLeod Dave Hennigan vs Steve Geddes

All winners play on February 27th.

Grade One Trios will play on February 6th following the professional knockout.

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