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6959 Halligan Street,
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FINAL KNOCKOUT

The final knockout will be on April the 3rd, at 8 o'clock at the Scottish Auditorium, in the form of a ceilidh. There will be an admission fee of \$3.00. Tickets are available from any member of the Board. The competitors will be Terry Lee and Rob Menzies.

PIPING RECITALS

On April 15th, at the Scottish Auditorium, at 8 o'clock, there will be a recital featuring Murray Henderson. Tickets are \$3.00 and are available from any member of the Board.

On April 22nd, at the Scottish Auditorium, at 8 o'clock, there will be a recital featuring James McIntosh. Tickets are \$3.00 and are available from any member of the Board.

VANCOUVER LADIES PIPE BAND FESTIVAL RESULTS
February 28th, 1981

Judges: Piping Ken Eller Colin Cameron
Jack Lee
Drumming Katie Forsyth Ron Annan
Jeff Crowter

Chanter Class

1. Graeme Savage
2. Michele Langston
3. John Ginn
4. Jason Robertson
5. Norma MacLeod

Novice March

1. Donald Perkins
2. Robert MacLeod
3. Peter Marshall

Novice Slow Air

1. Robert MacLeod
2. Karyn Wright
3. Shaunna Stephen

Juvenile 2/4 March

1. Tracy Charette
2. Moira Lee
3. Donald Gordon

Juvenile Strath. & Reel

1. Bryan Goldie
2. Scott MacKay Young
3. Debbie Kisbee

Junior March

1. Elizabeth MacKinnon
2. David Hilder
3. Barbara MacKinnon

Junior Strath. & Reel

1. David Hilder
2. Elizabeth MacKinnon
3. Barbara MacKinnon

Senior Amateur M.S. & R.

1. Brenda Lowden
2. Charlene Ogilvie
3. Monica Murphy

Senior Amateur Jig & Hornpipe

1. Moira Waddell
2. Skye Richendrfer
3. Gordon Pollock

Professional M.S. & R.

1. Hal Senyk
2. Rob Menzies
3. Jamie Troy

Professional Jig & Hornpipe

1. Rob Menzies
2. Steve Geddes
3. Hal Senyk

Drumming

Novice Side - March

1. Mary Tannehill Jamison
2. Cameron Bokenfohr
3. Ricky Miharija
Kelly Allen Magnuson

Junior M.S. & R.

1. Steven McPhee
2. Kent Moore

Amateur Tenor Slow Air & Jig

1. Susan Hancock
2. Cindy-Lee Price
3. Ian MacKinnon

Senior Amateur

1. Gordon Gunderson
2. Linda McPherson
3. Alison Lawrence

Professional Side Drum

1. Katie Forsyth
2. Robbie Collins
3. Maureen Murphy

Pipe Band Results

Grade Three *One*

1. City of Victoria
2. Triumph Street
3. Port Moody No. 1

Grade Three

1. Maple Ridge Legion
2. Duncan Legion
3. Richmond Junior

Grade Two

1. Vancouver Ladies Pipe
Band No. 2
2. Port Coquitlam Legion
3. Washington Scottish

SECOND INTERNATIONAL HIGHLAND DANCING, PIPING AND DRUMMING
COMPETITION RESULTS - FEB. 14TH, 1981 - ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

Slow Air

1. Carol Heirigs
2. Chris Fisher
3. Stephen Barrett

Novice Retreat

1. Dennis Patterson
2. Neal Cooper
3. Chris Fisher

Novice March

1. Chris Fisher
2. Kristine Reamer
3. Dennis Patterson

Intermediate March

1. Warren Fraser
2. Brian Hall
3. Ken Mulloy

Intermediate Strath/Reel

1. Carol Heirigs
2. George Moerlein
3. Warren Fraser

Senior March

1. Chuck Burgin
2. Bob White
3. Jocelyn Mackenzie

Senior Strath/Reel

1. Jocelyn Mackenzie
2. Chuck Burgin
3. Bob White

Band Medleys

1. Fairbanks Red Hackle P.B.
2. Anchorage Scottish P.B.
3. Midnight Sun Pipe Band

Open Snare Drum

1. Larry Johnson
2. Ian White
3. Eric Hansen

Quartets

1. White, Fraser, Barrett & Ruth
2. Fairbanks Red Hackle P.B.
Burgin, Heirigs, Johnson & Fisher
Crow Creek Pipes & Drums
3. Alder, Robson, Johnson & Patterson
Fairbanks Red Hackle Pipe Band

Duets

1. Heirigs & Albrecht
Crow Creek Pipes & Drums
2. Burgin & Hall
Crow Creek Pipes & Drums
3. Johnson & Moerlein
Crow Creek Pipes & Drums

Open Jigs

1. Bob White
2. Chuck Burgin
3. Stephen Barrett

Open Piobaireachd

1. George Moerlein
2. Kristine Reamer
3. Bob White

Drumming

Bass Drum

1. Ian White
2. Frank Ursick
3. Jerry Fairley

Novice Tenor Drum

1. Ian White
2. Cherlye Crooks
3. Liz Sipes

The rotating McMac Shoppe Trophy, awarded to the band accumulating the most points in the individual piping and drumming competitions and the band competition was awarded this year to a newly formed Anchorage band, Crow Creek Pipes and Drums.

Judges for these events were: Piping - James MacMillan, Burnaby, B.C.; Drumming - Robert Smith, Surrey, B.C.; and Dancing - Terry Lee, Vancouver, B.C.

A WEE BIT OF SCOTLAND IN FAIRBANKS, ALASKA

Workshops in Piping, Drumming, And Highland Dancing were held in Fairbanks, Alaska from Friday March 6th to Sunday March 8th, 1981; with instructors from the Vancouver area. There were about 50 in attendance. The highlite of the three days was a dinner (with imported haggis) and a ceilidh Saturday night, with entertainment by the instructors: Pipe Major James MacMillan
Mary Munroe (Dancing)
Drum Sgt. Robert Collins.

Also entertaining were the Northern Highlanders (Dancing), Crow Creek Pipes and Drums from Anchorage, and the Fairbanks Red Hackle Pipe Band.

PIPING SCHOOL

Instructors: James McIntosh
Murray Henderson

This school will be held during the Spring Break-- April 12-16th at Burnaby Central School, 4939 Canada Way, Burnaby. For further information contact Donald MacMillan 596-0877.

PORT MOODY PIPE BAND PUB NIGHT

SATURDAY, MARCH 21ST, 1981

LOCATION CHANGED TO:

OPERATING ENGINEERS HALL
(across from the Burnaby Municipal Hall on Canada Way)

MINI-PUB NIGHT

The KISIMUL CASTLE PIPE BAND will hold a MINI-PUB NIGHT on MARCH 28th, at the BROOKSWOOD FIRE HALL (40th Ave. & 200 St.)
LANGLEY

SHUFFLEBOARD DARTS POOL TABLE DANCING

ADMISSION \$10.00 per couple

For further information contact PETER MACNEIL 530-1987

BAGPIPES FOR SALE
HENDERSON, circa 1960

NICKEL SILVER, IM. IVORY MOUNTS (with case)

R.M. Herring PHONE 683-7808

2104-1850 Comox St., Vancouver, B.C. V6G 1R3

49th ANNUAL GATHERING

LOCATION: EAST CONCOURSE CAFETERIA
SIMON FRASER UNIVERSITY, BURNABY, B.C.

FRIDAY APRIL 17th, 9:00 A.M.

- EVENT # 1. Junior Piobaireachd
- 2. Junior March
- 3. Junior Strathspey and Reel
- 4. Novice March
- 5. Novice Strathspey and Reel
- 6. Juvenile March
- 7. Juvenile Strathspey and Reel
- 8. Amateur Piobaireachd
- 9. Amateur March, Strathspey, and Reel
- 10. Amateur Jigs (submit two Jigs)
- 11. Junior Quartettes - Medley 4-6 min.
(not restricted to bands)
- 12. Junior Mini Bands 4-6 min. Medley

SATURDAY APRIL 18th, 9:00 A.M.

- EVENT # 13. PROFESSIONAL PIOBAIREACHD (submit 4 Piob.)
- 14. Professional March, Strath, and Reel
(submit three sets)
- 15. Professional Jigs (submit 3 sets of 2 Jigs)
- 16. Grade 3 Mini Bands 5-7 min. Medley
- 17. Grade 2 Mini Bands 5-7 min. Medley
- 18. Grade 1 Mini Bands 5-7 min. Medley

Entry Fee: Amateur \$1.00 each event, Professional \$2.00 each event, grade 1 Mini Bands \$10.00, Grade 2 Mini Bands \$10.00, Grade 3 Mini Bands \$10.00, Junior Mini Bands \$5.00, no entry fee for Junior Quartettes.

Professional and Senior Amateur Pipers to be notified in the final tuning room, the Judges selection of the sets to be played.

Aggregate winner of Professional Class is to receive a Charter Flight to Scotland and to compete in one Major Competition in Scotland. Competitor must compete in all three events to qualify for the trip to Scotland.

Entries to be in to Mrs Mary MacKinnon, 6959 Halligam St., Burnaby, V5E 1R4, no later than April 4th, 1981.

Please enter me in the following events -

NUMBERS _____
 FOR WHICH I ENCLOSE THE FEE OF \$ _____
 NAME _____
 ADDRESS _____
 PHONE _____
 CLASS _____

(rules on reverse side)

Location will be given in next meeting newsletter

RULES

Individual and Band Competitions

Pipers not ready to play when called are LIABLE TO BE DISQUALIFIED.

Junior Bands will consist of Pipers and Drummers, 18 years of age and under on January 1st, of the current competition year.

Miniature Bands - 6 pipers, 2 sides, 1 bass drummer, and 1 tenor drummer

Bands will be penalized one tenth (1/10) of total points for each player less than the required amount.

Each member must be a bona-fide member of this band for at least 14 days prior to the competition.

A piper or drummer will be allowed to play in one band only.

Any band not ready to play five (5) minutes after completion of the previous band will be deducted five (5) points.

SOLO PIPING

Last to enter will be first to play. Order to play will be posted.

Pipers - please try and keep tuning time to a minimum. This will be much appreciated by both Judges and Audience alike.

PRIZES

Professional Piob.	1st. \$100	2nd. \$75	3rd. \$50
M-S-R	1st. \$75	2nd. \$60	3rd. \$45
Jigs	1st. \$50	2nd. \$35	3rd. \$25
Junior Mini Bands	1st. \$150	2nd. \$100	
Grade 3 Mini Bands	1st. \$175	2nd. \$125	
Grade 2 Mini Bands	1st. \$200	2nd. \$125	
Grade 1 Mini Bands	1st. \$300	2nd. \$150	

Prizes for Aggregate Winners

Novice - Wm. Ross Collection of Music - 5 books

Juvenile - Practice Chanter with Shield

Junior - Kilberry Piobaireachd Collection

Sen. Amateur - Piobaireachd Society Collection - 12 books

Professional - Trip to Scotland

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Bill Earth

24

$$\begin{array}{r} 24 \\ + 12 \\ \hline 36 \end{array}$$

Doc moon

2 x 6 = 12 Earth.

$$12 + 24 =$$

Bike moon

3 x 6 = 18 Earth

$$\begin{array}{r} 24 \\ - 18 \\ \hline 6 \end{array}$$

K. Earth

24

$$\begin{array}{r} 0 \\ \hline 6 \end{array}$$

Knock out competition to be held at the regular monthly meetings
at the Scottish Auditorium, 12th. & Fir, Vancouver, B. C. 8:00 P.M.

<u>Nov. 7/80</u>	<u>FEB 6/81</u>	<u>MAR.6/81</u>	<u>FINAL</u>
P. Aumonier			
J. A. MacLeod	_____		
R. Barrick		_____	
D. Wilson	_____		
<u>Dec. 5/80</u>			_____
J. Troy			
R. Menzies	_____		
B. Gandy			
A. Palmer	_____	_____	
H. Senyk			
J. Stewart	_____		
G. Davidson			
P. McNeil	_____	_____	
<u>Jan. 9/81</u>			_____
T. Lee			
A. MacLeod	_____		
D. Hennigan			
S. Goddes	_____	_____	

The following competitions will be held after the K.O. competitions:-

Nov.7/80 - Grade 2 Trios Compt. also the World Champions - The
VANCOUVER LADIES PIPE BAND will entertain.

Dec.5/80 - An Impromptu Professional Competition

Jan.9/81 - Grade 1 Trio Competition

Feb.6/81 - Impromptu Professional Competition

Mar.6/81 - Grade 3 Trio Competition.

PROMOTIONS FOR 1980 - 1981

NOVICE TO JUVENILE

Eric Mornin
Chris Mein
Roy Alakija
Neil Norcross
Brian Goldie

JUVENILE TO JUNIOR

Elizabeth MacKinnon
Barbara MacKinnon
Colin Thomson
Cameron Alakija
Sandy Miller

JUNIOR TO SENIOR AMATEUR

Darleon Miharija
Patricia Miharija
Andrew Bonar
Charlene Ogilvie
Monica Murphy

MINI GATHERING SCHEDULE
1980 - 1981

***** STARTING TIME 10:00 A.M.

NOVEMBER 8/80

Chanter Class - Choice any Tune
Novice - 2/4 March
Juvenile - Jig
Junior - March, Strath. & Reel
Senior Amateur - Piobaireachd (Submit 2 tunes)
***** 9:30 A.M. *****

JANUARY 10/81

Chanter - Choice of any Tune
Novice - Strath. & Reel
Juvenile - 2/4 March
Junior - Piobaireachd
Senior Amateur - March, Strath. & Reel (submit
2 Sets)

FEBRUARY 7/81

Chanter - Choice of any Tune
Novice - 6/8 March
Juvenile - Piobaireachd (ground only)
Junior = Hornpipe
Senior Amateur - 2 Jigs played without pause

TO ENTER PHONE:-

Donald MacMillan @ 596-0877
or James MacDonald C 941-8057