



COMPETITION Results 2015

Event held on

7th NOVEMBER 2015



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The Hororata Highland Games goes from strength to strength every year and 2015 was no exception.

With 9000 people through the gates, over 300 competitors dancing, piping and throwing, 102 stall holders selling their wares, 200 volunteers working tirelessly behind the scenes, 350 bottles of Hororata Whisky sold and one awestruck Chieftain who travelled from Scotland for the event, this was the biggest Hororata Highland Games yet.

Five years on the community's passion for the event is just as strong as ever and this passion flows through the whole event, giving it a very special atmosphere like no other. It is amazing to see the entire community pull together and stage an event of international standard, everyone involved should be very proud. We must also recognise the officials who work behind the scenes organising the competitions; many of whom do not live in the district yet give their time to this event.

The Hororata Community Trust and Hororata Highland Games Committee have held true to the vision of building the Hororata Highland Games to be the ultimate Games in the Southern Hemisphere. We must thank our partners and funders who support the event in more ways than one. Their support allows us to continue to elevate this event, support the community and provide a new stage for the Scottish competitions in New Zealand.

We are once again humbled by the feedback we have received following the event; it makes it all worthwhile. Planning has already started for the 2016 event which will be held on Saturday the 5th of November.

Richard Lang

Richard Lang Hororata Community Trust Chairman.

The Hororata Community Trust would like to thank:

Hororata Highland Games Committee

Cindy Driscoll, Julia Gallen, John Ballagh, Graeme Reynolds, Dee Innes, Jenni Carter, Clare Fraser, Steph Kimber, Tish Ballagh, Elwyn Martin, Belinda Meares, Karen Meares.

Team Leaders:

Charlotte Rietveld, Julie Reynolds, Marty Gameson, Nicky Muir, Jenny Mackenzie, Prue & Allan Thorne, Rosa Harper, Di Woodward, Cushla Piesse, Colleen Cole, Rod Miller, Shane & Pam Fuller, Dave Sligh, Mary Abbott, Richard Deuchrass, Mike Davies, Carol Gurney, Ann Smith, Maree Fitzgibbon.

The Fabulous M/C's

Tom McElrea, Mark McGoldrick and Henry McElrea.

Design and Marketing

John de Vries

All the volunteers, judges, officials, competitors and stall holders.



"I was impressed with how well organised the event was and by the number of people who attended which was considerably more than most Highland Games in Scotland. The Hororata Highland Games is most definitely authentic, paying tribute to many Scottish traditions, but I really enjoyed the new elements that have been introduced and the 'Kiwi twist' was very special. I was honoured to be involved in the event and would love to come back."

Chieftain Alex Bruce.



Community Groups

Local community groups and associations are invited to be part of the Hororata Highland Games with their own fundraising activities. We would like to thank the follow organisations for accepting the invitation.

- Hororata Parish
- Hororata School
- Hororata Scouts
- Windwhistle School
- Malvern Lions
- Canterbury Caledonian Society
- Hororata Miniature Rifle Club
- Glentunnel School
- St Andrews College
- Lake Coleridge Tourism Group

Community Fund

This year the Hororata Community Trust allocated a \$4000.00 community fund to be distributed through the Games. The volunteers got to vote how this fund was split between four community groups. The results of this fund are:

- Hororata Swimming Club received \$1049.60
- Hororata School PTA received \$624.00
- Hororata Scouts received \$680.80
- Windwhistle District Community Tanker received \$1645.20



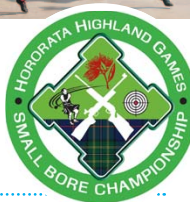
Results 2015



Hororata Highland Games Small Bore Championship

1st Place Individual – three way draw

JOHN WILSON
REGAN DALLEY
BROGAN BALDWIN



1st Place Team

REGAN DALLEY AND BROGAN BALDWIN

HIGHLAND SPIN

GALLUS WIFIES O'MALVERN in 5 hours 18 minutes

SOUTHFUELS TUG O' WAR MIXED

FRANKS BROTHERS SELWYN

SOUTHFUELS TUG O' WAR MENS

WINDWHISTLE TUGGERS

KILTIED MILE

MARTIN SIMPSON

DUNCAN COTTERILL

HIGHLAND CHALLENGE

SYNLAIT MILK TWO



Highland Dancing

This year the Highland Dancers enjoyed performing on the new 70 sqm stage. The feedback from competitors was that the stage is brilliant; one of the best in the country. This was a major project undertaken by volunteers and local businesses prior to the event. Thank you to all who were involved.

ADJUDICATORS: Mesdames Adele Swanson (Gisborne), Tania Robb (Auckland), Heather-Maree Allen (Christchurch)

Competitor by Region



Region	%
Christchurch	64%
Ashburton	13%
Canterbury	4%
North Island	4%
Timaru	4%
Australia	3%
Selwyn	3%
Upper Sth. Island	2%
West Coast	1%

HORORATA HIGHLAND GAMES CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS: Ashleigh Vaughan (Timaru)

SOUTH ISLAND CHAMPIONSHIP:

Reel O'Tulloch under 16 yrs

1st Brooke Smith (Timaru), 2nd Claudia McNulty (Christchurch), 3rd Annabel Watts (Christchurch), 4th Imogen Grayson (Auckland)

CANTERBURY WEST-COAST CENTRE CHAMPIONSHIPS:

Sword Dance under 11 yrs

1st Siara Clarke (Christchurch), 2nd Isabella Inglis (Ashburton), 3rd Brianna Sloper (Ashburton), 4th Bailey Smith (Timaru), 5th Milly Christie (Ashburton).

Highland Fling under 13 yrs

1st Ariana Watkins (Christchurch), 2nd Brooke Kingsbury (Christchurch), 3rd Milly Christie (Ashburton), 4th Evelyn Clarke (Christchurch), 5th Holly Duff (Kaiapoi)

Sailors Hornpipe under 16 yrs

1st Claudia McNulty (Christchurch), 2nd Brooke Smith (Timaru), 3rd Eirinn MacLean (Ashburton)

MOST POINTS IN CLASS

6 yrs & under:	Tamati Graham (Ashburton)
Under 8 yrs:	Chloe Graham (Ashburton)
8 & under 10 yrs:	Ella Wilson (Christchurch)
10 & under 12 yrs:	Abby Smith (Clearwater)
12 & under 14 yrs:	Imogen Grayson (Auckland)
Under 16 yrs:	Brooke Smith (Timaru)
Open:	Ashleigh Vaughan (Timaru)



Solo Piping and Drumming

Novice Piping

Judge : Philip Mair

Place	Name	Points
1st	Oskar Trafford	90
2nd	Daniel Bridgman	88
3rd	Matt Durant	87

D Grade Piping

Judge : George Mason & or Rosie Hobbs

Place	Name	Points
1st	George Gray	75
2nd	Corban Mathewson	74
3rd	Barry Brown	73

C Grade Piping

Judge : Ross Ferguson

Place	Name	Points
1st	Jonathan Findlay	72
2nd	Noah Clarke	71
3rd	George Gray	69

B Grade Piping

Judge : Grant Shearer

Place	Name
1st	Harrison Allen
2nd	Callum Cameron
3rd	Louis Newman

A Grade Piping

Judge : Nat Russell

Place	Name
1st	Graeme Bryce
2nd	Rowan Manson

D Grade Side Drumming

Judge : Wayne Hobbs

Place	Name	Points
1st	Connor Blakely	56
2nd	Juliette Newman	55
3rd	Georgia Eagle	54

C Grade Side Drumming

Judge : Wayne Hobbs

Place	Name	Points
1st	Jack Aimer	65
2nd	Sam Jenkins	64
3rd	Oliver Fitzhardinge	63

B Grade Side Drumming

Judge : Fraser McKenzie

Place	Name
1st	Rebekah Weir
2nd	Oliver Fitzhardinge
3rd	Sam Jenkins

A Grade Side Drumming

Judge : Fraser McKenzie

Place	Name
1st	Brady Swann

Novice Tenor

Judge : Andrew Fitzgerald

Place	Name	Points
1st	Brooke Mathewson	75
2nd	Ayla Marshall	74
3rd	Marcella Bragg	73

Intermediate Tenor

Judge : Kim Robertson

Place	Name	Points
1st	Alex Fraser	85
2nd	Alexandra Wilson	80
3rd	Brooke Mathewson	70

Open Tenor

Judge : Kim Robertson

Place	Name	Points
1st	Alex Fraser	90
2nd	Alexandra Wilson	80

Intermediate Bass

Judge : Andrew Fitzgerald

Place	Name	Points
1st	Alex Fraser	99

Open Bass

Judge : Kim Robertson

Place	Name	Points
1st	Alex Fraser	70

Novice Side Drumming

Judge : Fraser McKenzie

Place	Name
1st	Liam Rassie
2nd	Georgia Eagle
3rd	Shannon Fraser

Pipe Bands

- Juvenile - St Andrews College Combined
- Grade 4 - Scottish Society of NZ
- Grade 2 - St Andrews College A

Hororata Highland Games Pipe Band Champion of Champions: (Handicap Derived Prize)

Scottish Society of NZ



"What a way to finish the championship with Reuben winning on the last event to sew up the title. I have never been involved with a competition in NZ where the title was on the line right up to the final event and what a way he did it. Overall guys another fantastic event which I am proud to be involved with." Pat Hellier

HEAVY EVENTS

Head Judge : Pat Hellier

AMATEUR MEN GARY DUFFY

AMATEUR WOMEN KARLA AEKINS

FARMERS WALK sponsored

by Franks Brothers Selwyn GARY DUFFY

OCEANIA HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

- 1st REUDEN de JONG - NZ
- 2nd JONO MACFARLANE - NZ
- 3rd SCOTT MARTIN - AUS
- 4th MOE WESTMORELAND - AUS
- 5th CLIVE HUTCHEON - AUS
- 6th DANNY DEVINE - NZ

**NEXT
YEAR'S
EVENT**

**5th NOV.
2016**
HORORATA DOMAIN, HORORATA





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