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# COMPETITION RESULTS

**11th NOVEMBER  
2017**

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# Ceud taining (a hundred thanks)

The 7th annual Hororata Highland Games has again seen our rural community stage a superb event enjoyed by 11,000 people. All competitions were well subscribed this year with 12 Pipe Bands, 106 Highland Dancers (officially the biggest one-day competition in New Zealand), 58 solo pipers and drummers, 18 wool spinners, 140 tuggers, 68 Junior Warriors, 6 shooters and 20 heavy athletes competing. Each of these competitions is an event in themselves, surround that with the Have A Go activities, entertainment and stalls this is one complex event!

The Hororata Domain is a wonderful venue which we are so proud and fortunate to have in our community. This year, prior to the event we spent considerable time and resource developing and investing in the Hororata Domain to improve entry and exits for cars and the general flow of people around the venue. Thanks to the hard work of a dedicated crew the venue looked stunning. All these changes had a positive impact not only on the Games and Domain but will benefit the community in general.

As always the biggest thanks must be reserved for the huge army of volunteers and supporters who join Clan Hororata each year to make this event happen. The Games

Organising Committee must be congratulated for once again leading the Clan. Your passion, energy and dedication is infectious and flows through everyone who joins our team for this event. The team leaders, who run their areas so efficiently year after year, thank you. To all the stall holders, entertainers, Clans and demonstration groups, thank you. You bring colour, vibrancy and more than a little Scottish flavour to the Games. To the competitors, judges and officials, without you, we would not have a Highland Games so thank you for continuing to be part of our event.

To our partners, thank you for believing in our community, sharing in our passion and supporting us in achieving our dreams.



As Chair, I am enthusiastic about this event and proud to see it evolving into the Scottish Festival we had envisioned it becoming. I'm sure you'll agree that we all eagerly await November 10 2018.

*Richard Lang*

**Richard Lang**, Chair, Hororata Community Trust.

## **The Hororata Highland Games is made possible thanks to:**

**Our Chieftain** - Hon Amy Adams MP

**Hororata Community Trust Trustee's**

Ainsley Walter, Dee Innes, Mark Stewart, Richard Lang, Olive Webb

**Hororata Highland Games Committee**

Clare Fraser, Elwyn Martin, Graeme Reynolds, Janine Kirby, Jenny Mackenzie, John Ballagh, Julia Gallen, Karen Meares, Mike Davies, Steph Kimber, Tish Ballagh, Cindy Driscoll

**Clan Hororata Team Leaders** Ann Smith, Barbara Bryant, Belinda Meares, Bruce Nell, Charlotte and Vince Rietveld, Cushla Piesse, Colleen Cole, Di Woodward, Henry McElrea, Holly Kimber, Mary Abbott, Marty Gameson and the Hororata Primary School staff, Nicky Muir, Prue & Allan Thorne, Rod Miller, Richard Deuchrass, Stevie Young

To the over 200 'Clan Hororata' who responded to the call to be a part of the Hororata Highland Games helping with set up, on the day and pack down, each one of you is an ambassador for the event thank you for your support and professionalism.

**The Fabulous M/C's** - Phil McGoldrick, Tom McElrea

**Design and Marketing** - John de Vries

**All the performers, demonstration teams, judges, officials, competitors and stall holders**

**"This year's Chieftain Hon Amy Adams, MP for Selwyn, said that it was a huge honour for her to perform the role of Chieftain at the 2017 Games. "It was a fabulous day with both the competitors and the crowd showing great spirit, and everyone enjoying the unique mix of highland tradition and kiwi flair that the Hororata Highland Games is known for."**



**Amy Adams**,  
2017 Chieftain.



## 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 following organisations for accepting the invitation:

- Glentunnel School
- Glenroy Hall
- Darfield Plunket Toy Library
- Hororata Parish
- Hororata Primary School
- Hororata Scouts
- Hororata Miniature Rifle Club
- Hororata Reserve
- Lake Coleridge Billiards Club
- Lake Coleridge Tourism Group
- Malvern Lions
- Society for Creative Anachronism
- Scottish Heritage Council
- Windwhistle School

## Community Fund

The Hororata Community Trust allocated a \$4000.00 community fund to be distributed through the Games. The recipient's this year are:

- Glenroy Hall Committee
- Lake Coleridge Billiards Club
- Hororata Primary School
- Windwhistle School/Playcentre





# Results 2017



**SOUTHFUELS TUG O' WAR MIXED**

Grown

**SOUTHFUELS TUG O' WAR MENS**

Hampton Bossman Tuggers

**KILTLED MILE**

Oliver Grove (1st Overall & Youth!)

**HIGHLAND SPIN**

Gallus Wifies O' Malvern

**HARRAWAYS JUNIOR WARRIORS**

Hororata Chiefs

**Hororata Small Bore Champion Team**

Culverden Waiau

**Hororata Small Bore Championship 1st**

Lindsay Barnes

**Hororata Small Bore Championship 2nd**

Sarah Black

**Hororata Small Bore Championship 3rd**

Nigel Farrell



## Highland Dancing

**Adjudicators 2017:** Mrs Shiobhan Smith, Dunedin, Miss Kendall Reid, Auckland, Mr Leighton Terry, Auckland

**Highland Dancing Most Points Champion:** Lucy Moore

### South Island Championships

#### Irish Hornpipe under 16 years

1st Lucy Moore, 2nd Brooke Kingsbury, 3rd Charlotte Sloper, 4th Abby Smith,

#### Irish Jig (Single Time) Open

1st Courtenay Henshaw, 2nd Britney Moore, 3rd Taylor-Maree Allen, 4th Ariana Watkins,



### Centre Championships

#### Sailors Hornpipe under 10 years

1st Ruby Tanner, 2nd Lucy Mavor, 3rd Chloe Graham, 4th Clara Tanner, 5th Georgiana Inglis

#### Highland Fling under 12 years

1st Olivia Mavor, 2nd Lucy Marshall, 3rd Chloe Graham, 4th Ruby Tanner, 5th Ella Wilson

#### Irish Jig under 13 years

1st Olivia Mavor, 2nd Millie Christie, 3rd Annabelle Irwin, 4th Ella Wilson, 5th Estelle Buchanan

#### Sword Dance under 14 years

1st Abby Smith, 2nd Ella Wilson, 3rd Olivia Mavor, 4th Mhairi McLarin, 5th Pete Greenslade

#### Highland Reel under 16 years

1st Lucy Moore, 2nd Abby Smith, 3rd Danielle Joy 4th Charlotte Sloper

#### Reel O'Tulloch Open

1st Courtenay Henshaw, 2nd Eirinn McLean, 3rd Britney Moore 4th Eveline Levett



### MOST POINTS IN CLASS

6 yrs & under: .....  
Under 8 yrs: .....  
8 & under 10 yrs: .....  
10 & under 12 yrs: .....  
12 & under 14 yrs: .....  
Under 16 yrs: .....  
Open: .....

Georgia Tomasi  
Clara Tanner  
Chloe Graham  
Olivia Mavor  
Abby Smith  
Lucy Moore  
Britney Moore





### **Novice Piping** Judge : Ian Ferguson

#### **Place**

<b>Name</b>	
1st	Brooke Thomas
2nd	Zac Haywood
3rd	Poppy Donald

### **Novice Side Drumming** Judge : Adam Alexander

#### **Place**

<b>Name</b>	
1st	Kaitlyn Braithwaite
2nd	Lachlan Watson
3rd	Connor Higgs

### **D Grade Piping** Judge : Iain Blakley

#### **Place**

<b>Name</b>	
1st	Kleff Tan
2nd	Oskar Trafford
3rd	Cameron Sinclair

### **D Grade Side Drumming** Judge : Wayne Hobbs

#### **Place**

<b>Name</b>	
1st	Maxwell Robertson
2nd	Connor Higgs
3rd	Kaitlyn Braithwaite

### **C Grade Piping** Judge : Phil Mair

#### **Place**

<b>Name</b>	
1st	George Gray
2nd	Kleff Tan
3rd	Oskar Trafford

### **C Grade Side Drumming** Judge : Wayne Hobbs

#### **Place**

<b>Name</b>	
1st	George Hill

### **B Grade Piping** Judge : Grant Shearer

#### **Place**

<b>Name</b>	
1st	Callum Cameron
2nd	Jono Findlay
3rd	Ruben McDonnell

### **B Grade Side Drumming** Judge : Adam Alexander

#### **Place**

<b>Name</b>	
1st	Rebekah Weir
2nd	George Hill

### **A Grade Piping** Judge : Nat Russell

#### **Place**

<b>Name</b>	
1st	Liam Kernaghan
2nd	Callum Cameron



### **Intermediate Bass** Judge : Ian Steel

#### **Place**

<b>Name</b>	
1st	Shannon Fraser

### **Novice Tenor** Judge : Ian Steel

#### **Place**

<b>Name</b>	
1st	Emma Malins

### **Intermediate Tenor** Judge : Ian Steel

#### **Place**

<b>Name</b>	
1st	Kate Booker
2nd	Ayla Marshall

### **Hororata 2017 Open Tenor** Judge : Ian Steel

#### **Place**

<b>Name</b>	
1st	Ayla Marshall

## **Pipe Bands**

<b>Juvenile</b>	- South Canterbury
<b>Grade 4</b>	- St Andrews College B
<b>Grade 2</b>	- St Andrews College A
<b>Grade 1</b>	- Canterbury Caledonian Society's HPB

## **CHAMPION BAND OF THE DAY**

### **Canterbury Caledonian Society's HPB**

#### **Pipe Band Judges**

Adam Alexander, Grant Shearer, Grant Shearer, Iain Blakely, Ian Ferguson, Nat Russell, Phil Mair, Rosie Hobbs, Wayne Hobbs

#### **Champion Band of the Day Judges**

David Burrows, Grant Carroll, Ian Steel







**Head Judge Patrick Hellier**

<i><b>Place</b></i>	<i><b>Name</b></i>
<b>1st</b> .....	Julie Stechmann
<b>2nd</b> .....	Audrey Thomson
<b>3rd</b> .....	Irene Foley

<b>Place</b>	<b>Name</b>
<b>1st</b> .....	David Jackaways
<b>2nd</b> .....	Brian Reeves
<b>3rd</b> .....	Connor O'Briens

**OCEANIA HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION** ..... Jono McFarlane (NZ)  
**2nd** ..... Craig Manson (NZ)  
**3rd** ..... Scott Martin (AUS)

# NEXT YEAR'S EVENT

**10th NOV.**  
**2018**  
HORORATA DOMAIN, HORORATA



**Thank you to the 700 people who took the time to give us feedback and help us make the event even better.**

**Here is what you had to say:**



**Through funds raised at the Hororata Highland Games in 2016, the Hororata Community Trust invested \$20,000.00 back into the community. The rest has been invested awaiting a decision around our community's cornerstone project.**

In February 2017, after public consultation, community groups united to discuss ideas for Hororata's public spaces and facilities. This group includes representatives from all key Domain and Hall users including the Hororata Reserve Committee, Citizen's Committee, Tennis Club, Scouts, Rifle Club, Playcentre and Hororata Community Trust.

Called 'Go Hororata' the group's mission is to work collaboratively to develop a concept plan for public facilities needed in Hororata now, and into the future.

In June 2017 Go Hororata commissioned a feasibility study into the development of a new community centre. This study was funded by the Hororata Community Trust and has been presented to the Selwyn District Council for a new facility to be included in the 10-year plan.

Watch this space! Thanks to the Hororata Highland Games big things are possible for our community.



A huge 'thank you' to our dedicated Games partners without whom the event would not be possible.



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