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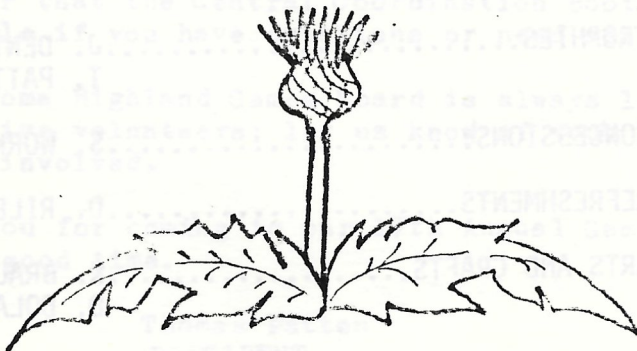
DANCING COMPETITION	- Registration -	8:00 a.m.
	Commences -	9:00 a.m.
PIPING COMPETITION	- Registration -	8:00 a.m.
	Commences -	9:00 a.m.
JR. FIELD EVENTS	- Registration -	9:00 a.m.
	Commences -	10:00 a.m.
SR. FIELD EVENTS	- Registration -	9:00 a.m.
	Commences -	11:00 a.m.
& LADIES'	Commences -	2:00 p.m.
DRUMMING COMPETITION	- Registration -	9:00 a.m.
	Commences -	2:00 p.m.
AWARDS(Novice Dancing)	- Commences -	12:00 Noon
OPENING CEREMONIES	- Commences -	12:30 p.m.
DANCING COMPETITION	- Resumes -	1:00 p.m.
	- Resumes -	2:30 p.m.
BAND MEDLEY	Commences -	1:30 p.m.
QUARTET COMPETITION	-Commences -	3:00p.m.
PROFESSIONAL PIPING	-Commences -	4:00 p.m.
MASSED PIPES & DRUMS	- Commences -	4:30 p.m.
AWARDS	- Commences -	4:45 p.m.
CLOSING CEREMONIES	- Commences -	5:00 p.m.

Junior, Senior, and Ladies' Field Events awards will be presented after each event, on the field.

AWARDS

- DRUMMING - Medal for top 3 places
- PIPING -Tune of choice and Novice Medal for top 3 places
- AMATEUR JR, SR, PROF. - Medals for top 3 places
- QUARTETS - 3 places if 5 or more
 - 1st place - \$50.00
 - 2nd place - \$25.00
 - 3rd place - \$15.00
 - * SEE PIPING RULES
- BAND MEDLEY - 3 places -
 - 1st place - \$100.00
 - 2nd place - \$ 75.00
 - 3rd place - \$ 50.00
 - * SEE PIPING RULES

Master of Ceremonies for today's Games is Ralph Munro, Secretary of State for the State of Washington. We welcome his return and offer our hearty thanks for his assistance.



JUDGES

DANCING.....DIANE RICE

PIPING.....CAMERON WYLIE

DRUMMING.....DAVID MOORE

GAMES COMMITTEES

CENTRAL COORDINATION.....T. PATTEN

PIPING.....B. MICENKO

DRUMMING.....D. DENTON

DANCING.....B. JULIAN

FIELD EVENTS

SENIOR.....T. FINCH

JUNIOR.....J. HIBBS

LADIES

TROPHIES.....J. DENTON
T. PATTEN

CONCESSIONS.....S. WORKMAN

REFRESHMENTS.....D. RILEY

ARTS AND CRAFTS.....K. BRAUDWAY
D. DOLAN

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Welcome to the ancient tradition of Highland games. More than a thousand years ago chiefs were using games to test the capabilities of those showing promise to hold positions of military leadership; those positions required strength and agility. Those first serious competitions have evolved into the festive occasions of today. Traditional feats such as the caber toss, hammer throw, and weight toss remain an exciting part of the games. Dancing events and musical competition are also an integral part of today's games.

We hope that you will enjoy your day here at the Tacoma Sportsman's Club. Much effort has been expended in anticipation of a successful and enjoyable event. We trust that all will run well so that everyone has a good time.

Take time to observe all phases of the games; there is much variety during the day. Enjoy some food from our refreshment booth, and don't forget the ladies' field events, maybe you weren't aware there are such events. "participate" is a key word, along with "relax".

We hope you are reading this message under bright sunny skies, but in any event, get involved and make the best of this annual celebration.

Remember that the Central Coordination Booth is available if you have questions or need assistance.

The Tacoma Highland Games Board is always looking for active volunteers; let us know if you'd like to get involved.

Thank you for coming to our 17th Annual Games; Have a good time.

Thomas Patten
PRESIDENT

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CHIEFTAIN OF THE DAY

WALLY CLARK

We are honored today to have as our Chieftain, Wally Clark; someone who is very familiar to most of you. He has been involved in Northwest pipe bands for thirty years.

Wally is the one right up front, the Drum Major. He marches with military precision; which is not surprising when one knows of his background.

Wally was born in Dumbarton, Scotland, and raised there until he was twelve years old. His parents moved to the north of England. He was active militarily for many years; during seven years of World War II, and ten years of Territorial Army, Britain's equivalent of our Army Reserves; he participated in the King's Own Scottish Borderers. Wally rose to the rank of Captain.

Wally met his wife, Molly, during the War. She was in the Women's Army. They went through the Blitz together, surviving many air raids. They wed in 1941, in Portsmouth, England. They have five children, three sons and two daughters. By the way, two sons are pipers.

Wally and his family came to the United States in 1956. He worked for Lockheed for five years, and then Boeing, from which he eventually retired.

Wally is an Associate Fellow in the Royal Aeronautic Society, a Fellow of the British Interplanetary Society, and a Chartered Engineer.

We welcome this most distinguished gentleman as our Chieftain of the Day; and thank Wally for passing knowledge of pipe band drilling to so many West Coast bands. He has done much to further Scottish traditions in the United States.

DANCING EVENTS

BABY

1. Fling -4
2. Sword -2-1

BEGINNER - 8 & UNDER

3. Fling - 4
4. Sword - 2-1

BEGINNER - 10 & UNDER

5. Fling - 4
6. Sword -2-1

BEGINNER - 14 & UNDER

7. Fling - 4
8. Sword - 2-1

BEGINNER - 15 & OVER

9. Fling - 4
10. Sword - 2-1

NOVICE - 10 & UNDER

11. Fling - 6
12. Sword - 3-1

NOVICE - 12 & UNDER

13. Fling - 6
14. Sword - 3-1

NOVICE - 13 & OVER

15. Fling - 6
16. Sword - 3-1

INTERMEDIATE - 13 & UNDER

17. Fling - 6
18. Seann Triubhas - 4-2

INTERMEDIATE - 14 & OVER

19. Fling - 6
20. Seann Triubhas - 4-2

DANCING EVENTS (continued)

ADVANCED INTERMEDIATE

21. Sword - 3-1
22. Seann Triubhas - 4-2

OPEN 15 & UNDER

23. Sword - 3-1
24. Strathspey &
½ Tulloch - 2-4

OPEN 16 & OVER

25. Sword - 3-1
26. Strathspey &
½ Tulloch - 2-4

NATIONALS

BEGINNER - 10 & UNDER

27. Lilt - 4

BEGINNER - 11 & OVER

28. Lilt - 4

NOVICE

29. Flora - 4

INTERMEDIATE

30. Flora - 4

ADVANCED INTERMEDIATE

31. Johnny - 4

OPEN

32. Blue Bonnets - 6

ALL DANCING ENTRIES ON THE FIELD
WILL BE A DOUBLE FEE

PIPING EVENTS

33. Tune of your choice
for pipers who have
never competed.

NOVICE

34. 2/4 March - 2 or 4 prt.
35. Strath & Reel - 2 or 4 prt.

AMATEUR JUNIOR

36. 2/4 March - 4 prt.
37. Strath & Reel - 4 prt.
38. Slow Air

AMATEUR SENIOR

39. 2/4 March
40. Strath & Reel
41. Piobaireachd

PROFESSIONAL OPEN CLASS

42. March 2/4
43. Jig

QUARTETS

44. Slow Air - 2 prt.
6/8 March - 4 prt.

BAND MEDLEY

45. 5 to 7 minutes - Mini Band
to comprise of a minimum of
6 pipers, 1 tenor, 1 bass
and 2 snares.

PIPING AND DRUMMING REGISTRATION CAN
BE DONE AT EITHER CENTRAL COORDINATION
OR ON THE FIELD.

DRUMMING EVENTS

46. Tune of your choice
for drummers who have
never competed.

NOVICE

47. 2/4 March - 4 prt.

AMATEUR

48. March, Strath
& Reel - 4 prt.

OPEN

49. March, Strath
& Reel - 4 prt.

TENOR

50. Tune of your choice for
drummers who have never
competed.

OPEN

51. March, Strath
& Reel - 4 prt.

DRUM CORPS COMPETITION

52. 3 minutes maximum to
comprise 1 bass, 2
snare, 1 tenor.

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FIELD EVENTS

SENIOR

- 53. Hammer Throw
- 54. Caber Toss
- 55. Weight Toss
- 56. Sheath

LADIES

- 57. Skillet Throw
 - Distance
- 58. Shot Put
 - Distance
- 59. Rolling Pin
 - Accuracy

JUNIOR

- 60. Hammer Throw
- 61. Caber Toss
- 62. Shot Put

FIELD EVENT COMPETITORS
CAN ENTER ON THE FIELD.

SIGN * UP SHEETS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE
CENTRAL COORDINATION BOOTH FOR ANYONE
INTERESTED IN WORKING AT NEXT YEAR'S
GAMES.

DANCING RULES

1. Games are open to dancers from Washington, Oregon and Idaho only.
2. Age of dancers shall be given as of Sat. June 21, 1986.
3. Entry fee must accompany the entry form, or entry will not be accepted.
4. Classification of dancers will be as specified on page 28 of the S.O.B.H.D. rules, Baby, Beginner, Novice, Intermediate, Advanced Intermediate and Open.
5. The Dancing Committee reserves the right and privilege to alter or change the schedule of events and combine classes.
6. Dance steps must be taken from the S.O.B.H.D. textbooks.
7. Dancers will forfeit entry fee if not present when their class starts.
8. Dancers must dance to the Pipers provided and fill in for reels as required.
9. Decision of the Judge shall be final.
10. Dancers must be in costume to receive awards.
11. Pre-open dancers must present registration cards before receiving awards.
12. Any protest must be accompanied by a \$5.00 deposit which is refundable only if the protest is valid.
13. National dance points will be combined with Highland points to figure Aggregate Trophy winners.

DRUMMING RULES

1. A Novice is an individual who has not competed as an Amateur or who has not won two or more Novice events.
2. Each contestant must provide his/her own piper.

PIPING RULES

1. A minimum of 3 competitors are required for a 1st place monetary prize.
2. A minimum of 5 or more competitors are required for 3 places. 1 place only if less than 3 competitors.
3. T.H.G. Board retains the right to cancel competition due to lack of participants.

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