



2026 PPBSO Band Master Entry Form

This form must be used by the Band Representatives to enter PPBSO sanctioned events

Date:			
Pipe Band Information			
Band Name		Home Society	
<input type="text"/>			
Street Address	City	Postal/Zip Code	Province/State
<input type="text"/>			
Band Tartan	Band's Home City	Band Rep Email Address	
<input type="text"/>			
Pipe Major	Lead Drummer	Band Manager	
<input type="text"/>			

RULES GOVERNING PIPE BAND COMPETITIONS

<https://www.pipebandsontario.org/ppbso-documents/ppbso-competition-rule-book-2026>

Special Notes

- Bands are required to begin their performance at the start line.
- Full payment must accompany each entry.
- Events may be withdrawn at the discretion of the PPBSO Board of Directors.
- **A \$25 service fee will be charged on all NSF cheque/credit card payments.**
- Bands entries must be received at least **3 weeks** prior to the contest date except for **Maxville, entries must be received no later than June 20, 2026**
- Hamilton Highland Gathering limited to 10 bands.
- Embro Highland Games limited to 12 bands.
- Kincardine Scottish Festival limited to 25 bands (priority given to Grade 1 & 2 bands).

Grade	Tune Requirements	Minimum # of Players
One	2 Sets (2/4 march, strathspey and reel) 2 Medleys – 5 to 8 minutes	8 Pipers, 3 Snare, 1 Bass & 2 Tenor
Two	2 Sets (2/4 march, strathspey and reel) 1 Medley – 4 to 7 minutes	6 Pipers, 2 Snare, 1 Bass
Three	1 Set (2/4 march, strathspey and reel) 1 Medley – 3 to 6 minutes	5 Pipers, 2 Snare, 1 Bass
Four	1 Medley – 3 to 5 minutes 1 Mini-MSR - 4 parts each time signature, comprised of two or four parted tunes. Tunes must not be repeated.	5 Pipers, 2 Snare, 1 Bass
Five	1 March Medley in Quick time – 2:45 to 4:30 minutes	5 Pipers, 2 Snare, 1 Bass
Juvenile	1 March Medley in Quick time – 2:45 to 4:30 minutes	5 Pipers, 2 Snare, 1 Bass

Date	Contest	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5	Juvenile
June 6, 2026	Hamilton			Medley	Mini-MSR	March Medley	
June 13, 2026	Georgetown	Medley	MSR	MSR	Medley	March Medley	March Medley
June 20, 2026	Northumberland	MSR	Medley	Medley	Mini-MSR	March Medley	March Medley
June 27, 2026	Kingsville			MSR	Medley	March Medley	
July 1, 2026	Embro		MSR	Medley	Mini-MSR	March Medley	March Medley
July 4, 2026	Kincardine	Medley	Medley	MSR	Medley	March Medley	
July 18, 2026	Cambridge	MSR	MSR	Medley	Mini-MSR	March Medley	
August 1, 2026	Maxville	Both	Both	Both	Medley	March Medley	March Medley
August 8, 2026	Fergus	Medley	Medley	MSR	Mini-MSR	March Medley	
August 22, 2026	Almonte			Medley	Medley	March Medley	

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Hamilton Highland Gathering	June 6 th						
Georgetown	June 13 th						
Northumberland	June 20 th						
Kingsville	June 27 th						
Embro	July 1 st						
Kincardine	July 4 th						
Cambridge	July 18 th						
Maxville	August 1 st						
Fergus	August 8 th						
Almonte	August 22 nd						

PPBSO Bands _____ events @ \$56.50 each = _____	Non-PPBSO Bands _____ events @ \$67.00 each = _____
Visa/MasterCard # _____	Expiration Date: _____ 3 digit Code: _____

Tune Names – Medley #1	# of Parts	Time Signature	Tune Names – Medley #2	# of Parts	Time Signature

Tune Names – MSR #1	# of Parts	Time Signature	Tune Names – MSR #2	# of Parts	Time Signature

For Band contests requiring submission of more than one Set or Medley, there shall be no duplication of tunes between the Sets or the Medleys. Bands playing Medleys of time duration other than that listed above are subject to disqualification.

<i>Authorized Band Representative (print)</i>	<i>Signature</i>	<i>Date</i>
<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>	<input style="width: 100%;" type="text"/>