PPBSO Master Entry Form (Band Contests) - 2024

This form should be used by Band Representatives to enter their band into various PPBSO sanctioned events.

Date:



3-digit CCID:

Exp Date:

PIPE BAND / REPRESENTATIVE INFORMATION **Band Name** Home Society: Zip/Postal: State/Prov: Street Address: Phone #: City: PO Box 51063 Milton Central PO Band Tartan: Band's Home City: Band Rep E-Mail Address: Milton, Ontario, L9T 2P2 Phone: 905-878-3000 Pipe Major: Lead Drummer: Band Manager: www.pipebandsontario.org admin@ppbso.org CONTEST INFORMATION **Band Grade Please Read!** 2 3 4 5 Contest Date Bands are required to begin their performance at the start line Georgetown June 8 Please enter all events for all contests on one form Full payment must accompany each entry Northumberland June 15 PPBSO Bands \$56.50 entry. Kingsville June 22 Non PPBSO bands add \$10.50 to each entry (\$67.00) **Embro** July 1 • A \$25.00 service fee will be charged on all NSF cheques and credit card payments that are not Kincardine July 6 approved. Band entries must be received at least 3 weeks prior to the contest date except for Maxville, entries Cambridge July 20 must be received by June 17, 2024. August 3 Maxville Events may be withdrawn at the discretion of the PPBSO Board of Directors. August 10 Kincardine Scottish Festival limited to 25 bands (priority given to Grade 1 and 2 bands). Fergus Embro Highland Games limited to 12 band entries. **Almonte** August 24 • Each pipe band *must* submit a roster of members with entry form. Juvenile bands must include Date of Birth on their roster. PPBSO Bands: Each pipe band must send an adult playing member as a representative to the band meeting on the day of the games. Meeting usually takes place at 11am (subject to change). events @ \$56.50 ea. = Each pipe band must provide someone to coordinate their prompt arrival on the contest field. All Bands are required to move through the final tuning area. Non-PPBSO Bands: The criteria for a band qualifying for travel money varies from contest to contest; please contact the PPBSO for details. events @ \$67.00 ea. = PAYMENT INFORMATION

• For Grade 1 & 2, the choice of set or medley (if applicable) to be played will be determined by draw on the contest field, Maxville is Medley of choice.

Card Number:

Enclose payment with entry form and mail to address above. Please make cheques payable to "Pipers' & Pipe Band Society of Ontario".

• For Grade 1 at Maxville, the set will be drawn at the 11:00 meeting.

Name on Card:

Cash

Visa

Cheque

Mastercard

- The names of tunes comprising all sets and medleys must be submitted with the entry form.
- The duty band will be drawn from all participating Grade 1 and 2 bands in rotation.
- Information on prize money, travel money and travel directions are available upon request from the PPBSO.
- It is the responsibility of the competing band to be aware of all rules & regulations. Information on this form is not necessarily complete. Refer to PPBSO Rule Book or PPBSO website for specific information (https://www.pipebandsontario.org/ppbso-rule-book), including Massed Band tunes. Bands authorize the Pipers' and Pipe Band Society of Ontario to broadcast, make video and audio recordings of competition performances. Such recordings from the North American Championships may be sold to the general public without payment of royalties to bands or individuals. Recordings from other contests may be freely distributed to other competing bands. As a condition of acceptance of this entry band members individually waive and relieve all claims.

Date	Contest	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5
June 8, 2024	GEORGETOWN	MEDLEY	MSR	MSR	MARCH MEDLEY	MARCH MEDLEY
June 15, 2024	NORTHUMBERLAND	MSR	MEDLEY	MEDLEY	MEDLEY	MARCH MEDLEY
June 22, 2024	KINGSVILLE	MEDLEY	MSR	MSR	MARCH MEDLEY	MARCH MEDLEY
July 1, 2024	EMBRO		MEDLEY	MEDLEY	MEDLEY	MARCH MEDLEY
July 6 2024	KINCARDINE	MEDLEY	MSR	MSR	MARCH MEDLEY	MARCH MEDLEY
July 20, 2024	CAMBRIDGE	MSR	MEDLEY	MEDLEY	MEDLEY	MARCH MEDLEY
August 3, 2024	MAXVILLE	вотн	вотн	MSR	MEDLEY	MARCH MEDLEY
August 10, 2024	FERGUS	MEDLEY	MSR	MEDLEY	MEDLEY	MARCH MEDLEY
August 24, 2024	ALMONTE			MSR	MARCH MEDLEY	MARCH MEDLEY

Tune Names - Medley #1	# Parts	Time Sig.	Tune Names - Medley #2		# Parts	Time Sig.
			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			
Tune Names - MSR #1	# Parts	Time Sig.		Tune Names - MSR #2	# Parts	Time Sig.
			than listed below are subject to disqualification.			

TUNE REQUIREMENTS		BAND REQUIREMENTS		
Grade 1	2 Sets (2/4 march, strathspey and reel) 2 medleys - 5 to 8 minutes	8 pipers, 1 bass, 3 snare drummers and 2 tenors		
Grade 2	2 Sets (2/4 march, strathspey and reel) 1 Medley - 4 to 7 minutes	6 pipers, 1 bass, 2 snare drummers. Gr. 2 bands may add a higher grade piper as their Pipe Major only, in addition to the minimum of 6 other pipers, provided he/she is registered as their piping instructor. Gr. 2 bands may add a higher grade drummer, in addition to the minimum of 2 other snare drummers, provided he/she is registered as their drumming instructor. Grade 2 pipe bands may add a higher grade tenor drummer, providing that he or she is registered as their tenor drumming instructor. The band must also field at least one other tenor drummer		
Grade 3	1 Set (2/4 march, strathspey and reel) 1 Medley - 3 to 6 minutes	5 pipers, 1 bass, 2 snare drummers. Gr.3 bands may add a higher grade piper as their Pipe Major only, in addition to the minimum of 5 other pipers provided he/she is registered as their piping instructor. Gr. 3 bands may add a higher grade drummer, in addition to the minimum of 2 other snare drummers, provided he/she is registered as their drumming instructor. Grade 3 pipe bands may add a higher-grade tenor drummer, providing the player is registered as their tenor drumming instructor. The band must also field at least one other tenor drummer		
Grade 4	Medley - 3 to 5 minutes March Medley in Quick-time - 2:45 to 4:30 minutes	5 pipers, 1 bass, 2 snare drummers. Gr.4 bands may add a higher grade piper as their Pipe Major or Pipe Sergeant only, in addition to the minimum of 5 pipers provided he/she is registered as their piping instructor. Gr. 4 bands may add a higher grade drummer, in addition to the minimum of 2 snare drummers provided he/she is registered as their drumming instructor. Grade 4 pipe bands may add a higher grade tenor drummer as their lead tenor drummer only, providing the player is registered as their tenor drumming instructor. The band must also field at least one other tenor drummer		
Grade 5	1 March Medley in Quick-time - 2:45 to 4:30 minutes	5 pipers, 1 bass, 2 snare drummers. Gr.5 bands may add a higher grade piper as their Pipe Major or Pipe Sergeant only, in addition to the minimum of 5 pipers provided he/she is registered as their piping instructor. Gr. 5 bands may add a higher grade drummer, in addition to the minimum of 2 snare drummers provided he/she is registered as their drumming instructor. Grade 5 pipe bands may add a higher grade tenor drummer, providing the player is registered as their tenor drumming instructor. The band must also field at least one other tenor drummer		
Juvenile	1 March Medley in Quick-time - 2:45 to 4:30 minutes	5 pipers, 2 snare drummers, 1 bass, all of eligible juvenile age. Juvenile bands may add a non-juvenile piper as Pipe Major in addition to the minimum 5 juvenile age pipers. Juvenile bands may add a non-juvenile drummer as their lead drummer in addition to the minimum 2 juvenile age snare drummers		

Authorized Band Representative (print):		Signature:	Date:	
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