

Carrick Lowland Gathering Contest Information

1. Contest run under the rules of the Royal Scottish Pipe Band Association.
2. Closing Date. **30th May 2026**. Late entries may be accepted but bands would be expected to play first. Draw will be made on **31st May 2026 at Ardrossan games** where a copy will be available, and will also be posted on the RSPBA website and the A, D&G branch Facebook page.
3. Any band may play up where time permits, include intention to play up on entry form and appropriate tune selection.
4. **Grade 4B**. Will submit a selection of prescribed 4x2 parted **Marches**
Grade 4A Will submit a **MSR** set from the RSPBA list of prescribed tunes.
Grade 3. Will submit a **M.S.R.**
Grade 2. Will submit a **Medley**

Please Note:

Subject to entries received and of organisers discretion grade 2 may be reclassified to "OPEN" on the day. Entries and draw for an open grade will be done on the day

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
Grade 4 March	£120.00	£100.00	£90.00	£80.00
Grade 4 MSR	£120.00	£100.00	£90.00	£80.00
Grade 3	£140.00	£110.00	£100.00	£90.00
Grade 2/Open	£180.00	£140.00	£110.00	£100.00
Novice Juvenile not on prize list - £30.00.				
Trophies for Marching & Discipline, Best Dressed Band				

- 5 **Band representative** is responsible for the band to be at the final tuning area. (Stewards are available to assist)
- 6 Bands MUST register at the RSPBA Officials tent prior to the contest start time.
- 7 Bands failing to notify the Secretary or any official of the A, D&G Branch that they will not be participating in the contest before the contest start time may be liable to a fine set by the RSPBA board of directors
- 8 All trophies MUST be returned to the promoter not less than one (1) month before the contest date or a fine of £50.00 for each trophy will be applied and suspension from all RSPBA events until the trophy is returned and the fine paid.
- 10 All bands are requested to take part in the massed bands parade for the march past and prize giving

Royal Scottish Pipe Band Association



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Pipe Band and Drum Major Competition

Promoted By:

Girvan & District Attractions

Organised By:

Ayrshire, Dumfries & Galloway Branch

Venue.

Victory Park.

Girvan

KA26 9DQ

Sunday 07th JUNE 2026

Carrick lowland Gathering
Band & Drum Major Entry Form

Secretary Name:	
Address	
Post Code:	Tel No:
Email	
Second Email Contact	
Telephone Contact for day of contest:	

Entry Fees:

All band grades £10.00

Juvenile Drum Majors £5.00 Adult Drum Majors £5.00

Total Entry Fee Enclosed. £ _____

Payment by bank transfer only and made payable to.

RSPBA Ayrshire, Dumfries & Galloway Branch.

Account No: 00885245

Sort Code: 80-06-96

N.B. Please insert Band Name/Player as the reference

All Band and Drum Major entries to contest secretary.

Mrs Allison Davies

Parkview

Townhead of Greenlaw

Castle Douglas

DG7 2LL

Email: piperally@btinternet.com

Mob: 07764 761291

(Email preferred but if telephoning call after 7p.m. please)

Closing Date. Saturday 30th May 2025

BAND:		
BAND REG No:	GRADE:	
PIPE MAJOR:		
TARTAN:		
PLAYING UP:	YES	

MARCHES

MARCH, STRATHSPEY & REEL

MEDLEY

DRUM MAJOR:

NAME:		
JUVENILE:		ADULT:
BAND:		
TARTAN:		
CONTACT No:		

N.B. To assist the promoter, Drum Major must enter by the closing date.