

***An Comunn Gàidhealach Meur Ìle***

**2012 Syllabus**

**Saturday 2nd June 2012 at 9.00 am in Islay High School**

Please contact any of the office bearers noted below for entry forms

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**Entries must be received no later than 20th April 2012**

In the unfortunate event of a competitor requiring to withdraw from any competition it would be appreciated if the Mòd Secretary could be advised before the competition begins.

Competitors going forward to the National Mòd should consult the National Mòd Syllabus for age groups and prescribed pieces. If you would like a full copy of the Islay Provincial Mòd 'Rules and Conditions' contact the Mòd Secretary.

Please note that Mòd Ile competitions are ***open*** to all prospective competitiors and that copies of the **prescribed pieces** for competition 5, 29 and 40 are available from the Mòd Secretary.

**Entry Fees** - ( for Seniors only)

**Individuals** - £2 per competition - **Choirs**-£10 per competition

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**Earran Na h-Oigridh – Junior Section**

**Beul-Aithris – Oral Delivery**

Comp No 5. Reciting with expression Boys & Girls 12 years & under

 **Bible – St Luke's Gospel Chapter 12, Verses 24-27**

Comp No 6. Reciting from memory ( no action) – own choice Fluent 5-6 years

Comp No 6a. Reciting from memory ( no action) – own choice Fluent 7-8 years

Comp No 7. Reciting from memory ( no action) – own choice Fluent 9-10 years

Comp No 7a. Reciting from memory ( no action**)**  - own choice Fluent 11-12 years

 Comp No 8. Reciting from memory ( no action) – own choiceFluent 13-15 years

Comp No 9. Reciting from memory ( no action) – own choice Fluent 16-18 years

Comp No 10. Reciting from memory ( no action) – own choiceLearners 5-6 years

Comp No 10a. Reciting from memory ( no action) – own choice Learners 7-8 years

Comp No 11. Reciting from memory ( no action) – own choiceLearners 9-10 years

Comp No 11a. Reciting from memory ( no action) – own choiceLearners 11-12 years

Comp No 12. Reciting from memory ( no action) – own choice Learners13-15 years

Comp No 13. Reciting from memory ( no action)  **-** own choiceLearners 16-18 years

Comp No 14. Conversation in Gaelic - (max 5 mins) Primary - Fluent Speakers

Comp No 15. Conversation in Gaelic - (max 5 mins) Secondary – Fluent Speakers

Comp No 16. Conversation in Gaelic - Primary - Learners

 (own choice of theme, picture allowed)

Comp No 17. Conversation in Gaelic - (max 5 mins) Secondary – Learners

*Please note that pupils in a Gaelic Medium Unit from primary 4 onwards can only enter competitions for fluent speakers and not learners.*

**Innealan Ciùil – Instrumentals**

Comp No 1. Chanter playing of a **March** (own choice) Boys & Girls 12 years & under

Comp No 2. Chanter playing of a **March** (own choice) Boys & Girls 13 years & over

Comp No 49. Clarsach playing (one piece, own choice) Boys & Girls 12 years & under

Comp No 50. Clarsach playing (one piece, own choice) Boys & Girls 13 years & over

Comp No 51. Fiddle playing Boys & Girls 12 years & under

 **Gaelic Air & March and Strathspey & Reel** ( own choice)

Comp No 52. Fiddle playing Boys & Girls 13 years & over

**Gaelic Air & March and Strathspey & Reel** ( own choice)

Comp No 54. Piping Open

 **March, Strathspey & Reel** ( own choice)

Comp No 56. Accordion playing (one piece, own choice) Boys & Girls 12 years & under

Comp No 57. Accordion playing (one piece, own choice) Boys & Girls 13 years & over

Comp No 58. Piano (one piece, own choice) Boys & Girls 12 years & under

Comp No 59. Piano (one piece, own choice) Boys & Girls 13 years & over

Comp No 60. Tin Whistle (one piece, own choice) Boys & Girls 12 years & under

Comp No 61. Tin Whistle (one piece, own choice) Boys & Girls 13 years & over

*Please note all own choice instrumental pieces must be of Gaelic Origin.*

**Litreachas – Literature**

Comp No 3. Essay by Primary pupils

Comp No 4. Essay by Secondary pupils

Both to be between 500 and 1000 words and to be **submitted by 18th May 2012** on the topic

*'Gaelic in the landscape'.*

**Guth Ciùil – Vocal Music**

Comp No 18. Solo Singing of a Song ( own choice) Boys & Girls 5-6 years

Comp No 18a. Solo Singing of a Song ( own choice) Boys & Girls 7-9 years

Comp No 19. Solo Singing of a Song ( own choice) Boys 10-12 years

Comp No 20. Solo Singing of a Song ( own choice) Girls 10-12 years

Comp No 21. Solo Singing of a Song ( own choice) Girls 13-15 years

Comp No 22. Solo Singing of a Song ( own choice) Boys 13-15 years

Comp No 23. Solo Singing of a Puirt a Beul ( own choice) Boys & Girls 12 years and under

Comp No 24. Solo Singing of a Puirt a Beul ( own choice) Boys & Girls 13 & under 18 years

Comp No 25. Duet singing of a song ( own choice) Boys and Girls under 18 years

Comp No 26. Former Winners - Boys and Girls under 18 years

 Solo Singing of a Song ( own choice)

Comp No 27. Solo Singing of a Song ( own choice) Girls 16-18 years

Comp No 27a. Solo Singing of a Song ( own choice) Boys 16-18 years

Comp No 28. Folk Groups ( 3-6 Members – own choice) Boys and Girls under 18 years

 (Primary – any instruments, Secondary – at least one folk instrument)

**Ceòl Chòisirean – Choral Music**

Comp No 29. Unison singing of a Prescribed Psalm Boys and Girls under 18 years

  **Psalm 33, Verses 1 – 4, Tune *Colchester***  (4-10 members)

Comp No 30. Unison singing of two songs ( own choice) Primary

Comp No 31. Unison singing of two songs ( own choice) Under 19 years

Comp No 32. Choral singing of two songs – Under 19 years

 two part harmony ( own choice)

Comp No 33. Unison singing of a Puirt a Beul ( own choice) Under 19 years

Comp No 34. Action Song ( must not exceed 10 mins – own choice)

**Earrann nan Inbheach – Senior Section**

**Ceòl Chòisirean – Choral Music**

Comp No 45. Choral singing of two songs Females

 Three-Part Harmony (own choice)

Comp No 46. Choral singing of two songs

 Four-Part Harmony ( own choice)

Comp No 47. Choral singing of a Puirt a Beul ( own choice)

Comp No 48. Choral singing of two songs

 Three-Part Harmony ( own choice) Males

**Litreachas – Literature**

Comp No 35. Essay in Gaelic -

(own choice, must be **submitted by 18th May 2012**)

**Beul-Aithris – Oral Delivery**

Comp No 36. Recitation from memory of a Poem of own choice

Comp No 37. Recitation from memory of a Poem composed by Competitor

**Guth Ciùil – Vocal Music**

Comp No 38. Solo singing of a song ( own choice) Male & Female

Comp No 39. Solo singing of a song Male & Female

 (composed by **Duncan Johnston** – own choice)

Comp No 40. Solo singing of a prescribed song Male & Female

 **'Chi mi na Mòr-bheanna'** ( **Gilbert MacPhail** Memorial Competition)

Comp No 41. Solo singing of a song Male & Female

 (composed by **Duncan Ban MacIntyre** – own choice)

Comp No 42. Solo singing of a Puirt a Beul ( own choice) Male & Female

Comp No 43. Duet singing of a song ( own choice) Male & Female

Comp No 44. Quartet singing of a song (own choice) Male & Female

Comp No 53. Solo singing of a song Male & Female

 **'Soraidh gu Loch Bhraoin' (**winner qualifies for comp A272 at National Mod)

 *please note only competitors intending going to National Mòd may enter this competition*

Comp No 55. Former Winners Male & Female
 Solo Singing of a Song (own choice)

*In accordance with rules of An Comunn Gàidhealach, prescribed pieces cannot be used to compete in any other competitions.*