

“Pipes in the Park”
Contest Information

1. Contest run under the rules of the Royal Scottish Pipe Band Association.
2. Closing Date, **14TH June**. Late entries may be accepted but bands would be expected to play first. Draw will be made on **15th June 2025** and will 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 **Marches**
5. **Grade 4A** Will submit an **MSR** set from the RSPBA list of prescribed tunes.
Grade 3. Will submit a **M.S.R**
Grade 2. Will submit a **Medley (4-6 mins)**

| | 1 st | 2 nd | 3 rd | 4 th |
|---------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Juvenile D/M | Plaque | Plaque | Plaque | Plaque |
| Adult D/M | £35.00 | £30.00 | £20.00 | £15.00 |
| 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 | £180.00 | £140.00 | £110.00 | £100.00 |

- 5 Any band may be asked to play for the Drum Major contest, failure to comply will result in disqualification.
- 6 **Band representative** is responsible for the band to be at the final tuning area.
- 7 Bands **MUST** register at the RSPBA Officials tent prior to the contest start time.
- 8 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 start of the contest may be liable to a fine set by the RSPBA board of directors
- 9 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 band parade prior to the prize giving.
- 11 Coach & Car parking on low green

Royal Scottish Pipe Band Association



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Pipe Band and Drum Major Competition

Promoted By:

South Ayrshire Council

Organised By:

Ayrshire, Dumfries & Galloway Branch

Venue.

Low Green

Off Pavillion Road

Ayr

KA7 1EQ

Saturday 21st June 2025

“Pipes in the Park”
Band & Drum Major Entry Form

Secretary Name: _____
Address: _____

Post Code: _____ Tel No: _____
Email: _____
Second Contact Email: _____
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/Drum Major Name 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 14TH June 2025

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

MARCHES

MARCH, STRATHSPEY & REEL

MEDLEY

DRUM MAJORS:

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

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