

## GLENFINNAN GATHERING 2018

18<sup>th</sup> August 2018

Visitor attendance at the Glenfinnan Gathering exceeded 1,100 this year, and the Highland Dancing (supported once again by the Highland Society of London, see programme attached) also drew a good number of competitors. A new roof over the dance platform kept the boards dry all afternoon, despite the “changeable” weather.

The winners of the various Highland Dancing competitions at the Gathering were as follows:

### Adult

Highland Fling:	Darra Wood	Sean Truibhas:	Laura Boyle
Strathspey & Reel:	Laura Smith	Hornpipe:	Laura Boyle
Sword Dance:	Laura Smith	Irish Jig:	=Darra Wood
Highland Schottische:	Laura Smith & Laura Boyle		=Laura Smith

### Open (12-15)

Highland Fling:	Molly Smith	Sword Dance:	Isla MacKenzie
Strathspey & Reel:	=Isla MacKenzie	Sean Truibhas:	Innes MacKenzie
	=Molly Smith	Flora's Fancy:	Innes MacKenzie

### Open (8-11)

Highland Fling:	Katie Taylor	Sean Truibhas:	Sophie Macrae
Strathspey & Reel:	Sophie Macrae	Flora's Fancy:	Sophie Macrae
Sword Dance:	Sophie Macrae		





## THE GLENFINNAN HIGHLAND GATHERING



Saturday 18 August 2018  
children's races from 11:30am  
march - 12:30pm

Chieftain - Aonghas Grant - the left handed fiddler of Lochaber

Master of Ceremonies - Neil MacLeod

Admission  
Adults - £7  
Concessions - £3

Glenfinnan Games Field  
PH37 4LT

(next year's gathering - Saturday 17 August 2019)

### Sponsors

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1745 Association  
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Caroline McShane - entertainment  
Craft tent from Mallaig

Dorothy Wornack - candles  
Ella Gibson - duck stall

Glenfinnan Books  
Glenfinnan Community Council - teas  
Glenfinnan House Hotel

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### Committee

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### Glenfinnan Gathering 18 August 2018 Events

11:30			Children's events			
12:30	Piping	Place	March	Races	Jumps	Heavies
12:30	Open march	Platform 1	Dance	Junior 12-16 100yds	Junior 12-16 high jump	16lb ball
12:45						
13:00	Open Strathspey & reel	Platform 1		Adult 100yds		22lb ball
13:15	Piobaireachd	Platform 2		Under 12		16lb hammer
13:30			All dancing events on the main platform	Adult 1/2mile	Under 12 high jump	
13:45						22lb hammer
14:00	Open juvenile march	Platform 3		Junior 12-16 1/2mile	Junior 12-16 long jump	Weight for distance
14:15	Strathspey & reel			Adult 200yds	Under 12 long jump	Tug o' war
14:30					Adult high jump	
14:45						
15:00						
15:15	Open juvenile	Platform 3				
15:30	Piobaireachd					
15:45	Local juvenile march	Platform 3		Junior 12-16 hill race	Adult long jump	Caber
16:00	Strathspey & reel			Adult hill race	Adult hop, step, leap	Weight over bar
16:15						
16:30				Adult 1mile		