

Netta Jane Johnston Uilleann Piping Scholarship

Application Form for one year scholarship

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Telephone: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Parental/ Guardian Name _____

Signature _____

Address if different from applicant _____

Current experience playing the uilleann pipes (please tick):

Absolute beginner

<1yr

1 – 3yrs

>3yrs

Where did you learn the uilleann pipes (if at all), and do you have access to regular tuition?

Do you have prior musical experience, including experience of traditional music? If so please detail:

Any other relevant information

Notes:

Confirmation of receipt of applications will be issued. If you do not receive a receipt confirmation within 10 working days of submission, please contact The Heart of the Glens Landscape Partnership at the following email address: jamie@ccght.org.

One scholarship will be awarded subject to suitable standard.

The successful applicant can use the scholarship to avail of one year's worth of free tuition at one of *Na Píobairí Uilleann's* outreach classes. Where this is not possible, the successful applicant can use the value thereof to contribute towards an agreed alternative tuition.

Criteria & conditions for awarding scholarships:

1. Application shall be via email to jamie@ccght.org or in writing to The Heart of the Glens Landscape Partnership, to arrive at **27 Main Street Armoy, Ballymoney Co Antrim BT53 8SL**, no later than 5pm, Monday 4th November 2019.
2. Applications received after the closing date will not be considered.
3. Applicants must be under 30 years of age at the time of the Netta Jane Johnston Celebration (12th October 2019).
4. Applications must be supported by a letter or e-mail outlining the reasons why the applicant should be considered for scholarship. A recording of the applicant playing the uilleann pipes solo, or where they have no prior experience on the pipes, playing another instrument can support the application. Recordings should be submitted in any standard format. By tape, DVD or in email attachment
6. Any scholarship applicant who is a minor by law must apply with the consent of their parent or guardian.
7. Scholarships will be awarded strictly on ability and perceived potential of the applicant to derive most benefit from a full year's tuition on the uilleann pipes.
8. A piper to whom a scholarship is awarded must agree, in writing, to attend the agreed tuition programme for which the scholarship is granted.
9. A scholarship winner may be required to perform publicly at a subsequent concert or recital to commemorate Jane (Netta) Jane Johnston.
10. The scholarship winner may be required to participate in public relations events and consent to their photograph being used by The Heart of the Glens Landscape Partnership.
10. The decision of the evaluator of the scholarship applications shall be final.
11. The Heart of the Glens Landscape Partnership will award the money to the winner of the scholarship and thereafter neither The Heart of the Glens Landscape Partnership nor Na Píobairí Uilleann shall have any liability with regard to any matter over the course of the tuition programme. In addition, it will be the responsibility of the successful applicant to arrange their own attendance at the classes. Neither The Heart of the Glens Landscape Partnership, its funders nor Na Píobairí Uilleann shall have any liability for any loss or injury which may occur to the scholarship recipient or to his/her parent or guardian, who shall attend the classes entirely at their own risk.
12. A recipient of the scholarship will not be eligible to receive the scholarship again within three years of the award of the scholarship.