

## SP5 – THE YEATS JUNIOR CUP (U-16)

*Presented by the late Ms Sheelagh Kirby.*  
Competitors to recite a poem from the works of **W.B. Yeats**.

## SP6 – GRETTA KIELTY CUP (U-16)

*Presented by friends and students.*  
Competitors to recite one own choice poem

## SP7 - Mac NEILY CUP (U-16)

*Presented by friends and pupils of the late Ms Alice K. Mac Neily.*  
Open to competitors who have competed at Sligo Feis Ceoil and have never won a first prize in any English Verse-Speaking competition. Own choice poem.

## SP8 – THE MAYORS CUP (U-16)

*Presented by Mayor Kathleen Mc Goldrick*  
Competitors to read one piece of prose and to recite one contrasting poem. Time limit 8 mins.

## SP9 – LEINSTER SCHOOL OF MUSIC & DRAMA CUP (U-16)

& €50 sponsored by Eunan McKinney  
**Prepared Public Speaking:** Speakers to present (not to exceed 3 mins ) a prepared speech on the topic.  
**“Change is coming, whether you like it or not”**

**GA2 - Corn Phadráig Uí Fhuaráin (Faoi 16 Bliana) (scholarship competition)**  
Dán amháin as gaeilge de do rogha féin

See Gaeilge syllabus for details on scholarships to Colaiste Uisce & Scholastic Languages

Participants are advised to consider the **RULES** (age , time limits, dress codes etc.) before submitting their entries. Failure to comply with any rule will lead to **disqualification**

## SP1-THE SENIOR YEATS CUP

*Presented by the late H.B. Meagher*  
Competitors to perform 2 contrasting pieces of own choice by W.B. Yeats illustrating the different aspects of the poet’s life. Performance may not exceed 6 mins.

**Winner to receive a Scholarship for the Yeats International Summer School sponsored by The Yeats Society ,Sligo**

## SP2 – O’HARA PERPETUAL CUP (Open Class)

Recite a Poem by Seamus Heaney

## SP3 –NORTH WEST TOURISM CUP (Open Class)

Recite SONNET of own choice

## SP4 –THE CARBURY CUP (Open Class)

& €50 sponsored by Eunan McKinney

**Prepared Public Speaking:** Speakers to present a prepared speech on the topic .Not exceeding 4 minutes.

**“Change is coming, whether you like it or not”**

## SP39 –SIGHT READING (Open Class)

Read on sight a passage selected by the adjudicator.

## SP43 –SCRIPTURE READING (Open Class)

**Corn Tobar nAlt** *Presented by Burns Car Sales*  
Matthew 11 V. 1-14 Competitor read selected passage.

**GA1-Corn Shinéad Ní Thorsnaigh (Open Class) (scholarship competition)**  
Dán amháin as gaeilge de do rogha féin

**Closing Date for entries: February 28th**

**Entry Fee: €7 per competition**  
(Except DR19 )

**Venues:** Presbyterian Hall & Gillooly Hall

**Dates:** April 13th , 14th & 15th

Rules & Set Pieces: [www.sligofeisceoil.ie](http://www.sligofeisceoil.ie)

# SLIGO FEIS CEOIL VERSE SPEAKING 2020

## €1000 RECITAL AWARD

Sponsored by Friends of Sligo Feis Ceoil  
Runner up will receive €250

*The winner will also receive the Woodville Cup  
Presented by Mary & Roe Finnegan.*

Participants (over 16) are required to perform one piece of PROSE, DRAMA & POETRY on a theme or an author and his/her works.

Performers shall introduce the programme and provide a linking commentary. A number of marks will be given for suitability of choice.

**Time allocated 10 minutes.**

A penalty of one mark will be imposed if the maximum time limit is exceeded. The adjudicators decision is final.

*The overall winner must be available to attend the Awards Ceremony in the Hawkswell Theatre on April 15th at 9pm. Winner may be invited to give a brief performance on the evening.*

**Entry Fee:** €20.00 Recital (DR19)

**Competition Date:** Wednesday April 15th (afternoon)

**Closing date for entries:** Feb 28th

(unless competition is already fully subscribed)

## Sligo Tourist Development Association

*will award a*

**SCHOLARSHIP TO STAGWISE**

*to the competitor who receives the highest number of points on aggregate in*

GA1, SP1, SP2, SP3, SP4, SP39 & SP43

*Winner will also receive- The Hazelwood Cup*

*Presented by Irene & Des Fleming*

See Gaeilge syllabus for details on scholarships to Colaiste Uisce & Scholastic Languages

### SP10 – URLAR PERPETUAL CUP (U - 14)

Only open to all previous prize-winners in Solo Verse-Speaking classes under that age at Sligo Feis Ceoil.

### SP11 - THE DONJE CUP (Boys & Girls U - 14)

*Presented by Robert O'Huadhaigh*

Competitors must select one of the listed pieces

- Joseph Plunkett - I SEE HIS BLOOD UPON THE ROSE
- Wendy Cope - TICH MILLER

### SP12 – THE MOFFITT PERPETUAL CUP (U - 14)

Open to competitors who have competed at Sligo Feis Ceoil and have never won a first prize in any English Verse-Speaking competition. Own choice poem

### SP13 –STORY TELLING (U - 14) (2 mins)

Competitors to tell a story in their own words, using the three words selected by adjudicator. (5 mins to prepare.)

### GA3 - Corn Eoghain Mac Giolla Easpaig (Faoi 14 Bliana) (scholarship competition) Dán amháin as gaeilge de do rogha féin

### SP14 –NEW IRELAND ASSURANCE CUP(U- 12)

*Presented by Mr Roe Finnegan.*

Open to competitors who have competed at Sligo Feis Ceoil and have never won a first prize in any English Verse-Speaking competition. Own choice poem

### SP15 – NANCY O CONNOR CUP (U - 12)

*Presented by the late Ms. O Connor. Boyle*

Own choice poem

### GA8 -Corn na bhfilí óga (Rang 4 , 5 & 6)

*Bronnta ag Paddy & Breeda Lowry*  
Aithris dán amháin de do rogha féin

### GA9 -Léitheoir Nuachta (Rang 4 , 5 & 6)

Léigh ceamhlínte nuacht i nGaeilge  
(Am ceadaithe 2 nóiméad)

Duais: Scholarship to Scholastic Languages

### SP16– DOLAN PERPETUAL CUP (Girls 11 Yrs)

*Presented by Dolan Family in memory of Mr Gerard Dolan*

Competitors must select one of the listed pieces

- Paul Gallico - The CHAIR
- Mary Britton Miller - CAT

### SP17 – THE BALLAD CUP (Girls 10 Years)

Competitors must select one of the listed pieces

- WH Davies LEISURE
- Kenn Nesbitt - WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL

### SP18 –THE FITZPATRICK CUP(Boys U-12)

*Presented by Jane Fitzpatrick*

Competitors must select one of the listed pieces

- James Stephens – THE SNARE
- Celia Warren - FOOTBALL TRAINING

### SP19– THE ARTHUR DILLON CUP- STORY TELLING (U -12) (2 mins)

Competitors to tell a story in their own words, using the three selected words given by the adjudicator. (5 mins to prepare.)

### GA7 Corn Na N-Óg (Rang 1, 2 & 3)

Aithris dán amháin de do rogha féin

### SP20 – JUVENILE CUP (9 Yrs)

*Presented by Mrs. R. O' Huadhaigh.*

Own choice poem

### SP21– QUEEN MAEVE CUP (8 Yrs)

Own choice poem

### SP22 –SLIGO FEIS CEOIL CUP (Girls 9 Yrs)

Competitors must select one of the listed pieces

- Dennis Lee - THE SECRET PLACE
- Trevor Harvey - FAVOURITISM

### SP23 – JUVENILE CUP (Girls 8 Years)

Competitors must select one of the listed pieces

- Rodney Bennett - THE LITTLE OLD LADY
- Mary O'Neill - THE COLOURS LIVE

### SP24 – JUVENILE RECITATION CUP (Boys U- 10)

Competitors must select one of the listed pieces

- James Reeves - FIREWORKS
- James Hurley - GREEDY DOG

### SP25 – STORY TELLING (U-10)(2 mins)

Competitors to tell a story in their own words,using the three selected words given by the adjudicator. (5 mins to prepare.)

### GA6 - Corn Sligo Feis Ceoil (Naíonáin)

Aithris dán amháin de do rogha féin

### Competitions recite a poem of own choice

SP26,SP27,SP28,SP29,SP30,SP31 & SP32

### SP26 – KINDERGARTEN CUP (Boys 7 Years)

*Presented by the late Alderman James Gannon*

### SP27 – JOLLY ROGERS CUP (Boys 6 Years)

### SP28 – KINDERGARTEN CUP (Girls 7 Years)

*Presented by the late Alderman James Gannon.*

### SP29 – JOLLY ROGERS CUP (Girls 6 Years)

### SP30 – ROSEVILLE CUP (Boys U - 6)

### SP31 - ROSEVILLE CUP (Girls U—6)

*Presented by the late Ms Myra Mc Goldrick*

### SP32 – THE BARTON SMITH CUP (Girls & Boys U- 5)

### SIGHT READING IN ENGLISH

Competitor read on sight passages selected by adjudicator

SP40 – (13 -16)

SP41 – (10 -13)

SP42 – (U—10)

### SCRIPTURE READING

Competitor read selected passages

SP44 –Intermediate Scripture Cup (13-16) Psalm 58

SP45 – Wehrly Bros.ie Cup (10-13) Psalm 126

SP 46– The Dartry Cup (U–10) Luke 18:15-17