



2018 Lambton Memorial Fiddle Contest
at the Western Ontario Steam Thresher's Show
Forest Fair Grounds
Fiddle Contest Rules

- contestants may enter one solo class and one duet class
- contestants must be ready to perform when called
- Open fiddle class is reserved for contestants with advanced skills
- all judges' decisions are final
- contestants must play their tunes in Canadian style and can be accompanied by either keyboard or guitar. A house pianist will be available to anyone who wishes to use him/her. Tunes should be played without written music.
- 12 yr and under contestants must play 2 tunes of different tempos (ie a waltz and a jig or a reel)
- the duet class must also play 2 tunes of different tempos and in harmony
- all other classes must perform a waltz, a jig and a reel in that order. (reels, breakdowns and hornpipes are acceptable tunes)
- If a contestant wins a class for 3 consecutive years he/she must play in a more advanced class the following year
- If there happens to be a tie in the scoring of winning contestants, they must each play their tunes again to break the tie

This contest is in memory of many great fiddlers who have come from Lambton County. It is our objective to keep this fine Canadian heritage alive and vibrant for generations to come. If you want further information please contact:

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