



Sean McCarthy Memorial Weekend 2026

Ballad Competition Entry Form – Postal Entry

Brief outline of theme/story of the song

This competition was founded to further the writing of the new Irish Ballads

Whilst the committee does not seek to define what constitutes an Irish Ballad, entries for this competition must have an Irish theme and be sung in style consistent with existing Traditional Irish Ballads. The judges' interpretation of this basic concept will be broad. Please refer to competition rules before entry:

Writers should note that whilst the theme of their work should be Irish, it can of course be historic or contemporary.

Name and Address: _____

Telephone No: _____

E-mail: _____

Title of Song: _____

Composer: _____

All writers are encouraged to enter, and a writer may enter more than one song as long as each song is entered separately and accompanied by the appropriate entry fee of €25.00 to The Sean McCarthy Weekend,

If you would like to be included in future updates, please tick box Yes No

Send entries postal entries to:
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