

Competition Stewards

Overview:

Competition Stewards will be assigned to a venue hosting competitions. Competitions are a key element of the Fleadh programme and experience. Volunteers are crucial to the smooth running of same.

Competition Stewards will report directly to the Venue Manager. They will be required to attend the venue location 30 minutes before start time (this will be included in shift rosters). Stewards will receive a briefing on that specific venue from the Venue Manager on arrival.

Volunteer Duties:

- Welcome competitors and visitors to the venue and direct them to their specific competition.
- Be responsible for manning competition doors and ensuring no disturbance during competitor performances.
- Ensure all competitors have the appropriate wristband for venue entry
- Have responsibility for ensuring they are familiar with fire exits and aware of fire safety procedures.

Skills & Qualities:

- Communication skills – must be comfortable talking to new people in a friendly and welcoming manner
- Communication – have a good level of English
- Patience – be confident and calm when dealing with competitors and the public
- Teamwork – Competition Venue Volunteers work as a team
- Ability to work on your own Initiative – Volunteers may need to make on the spot decisions
- Organisational Skills

Time Commitment:

Competitions will be held on Friday 16th, Saturday 17th and Sunday 19th August. Shifts will be allocated per competition.

Shift times depend on location and competition schedule, morning shifts start at 8.30am, with afternoon shifts at 12.30 and 3.30. Competition Venue Volunteers will work shifts of 5 hours.

Refreshments and breaks will be provided.