



New Zealand Amateur Rock'n'Roll Association Inc.



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November newsletter

2015 Senior Nationals

A huge thanks to Kapi Mana Rock'n'Roll Club for hosting such a fantastic Senior Nationals at the Te Rauparaha Arena over Labour weekend. You can all relax now after doing such a great job, at least for a little while before we all head back your way for the 2016 Junior Nationals!

To the officials — thank you for giving up your time to officiate over the weekend. Your dedication is very much appreciated.

And of course, a huge congratulations to all competitors and place getters. The official results and scrutineers sheets are now available online: www.rocknroll.org.nz/2015-senior-nationals.html

Incorrect placing

Unfortunately the open section results were presented incorrectly due to a count back error, with 2nd & 3rd placings being reversed. The correct results are:

- 2nd place: Callum Butcher & Samantha Jeffrey
- 3rd place: Cori Grootjans & Melina Kelly

A personal apology has been made to those involved and they will be given new medals.

Open section final

There were numerous concerns about there being six competitors in the Open final. Note that this occurred in line with rule 6.5 of Rule Book A: "Competitors in tied positions are eligible to proceed to the next stage of competition up to and including the final, with a maximum number of six couples."

Trophies

Trophies presented at a national competition are recognition that the winners are the best in New Zealand in that section. Please ask the trophy holders in your clubs to value and look after the trophy and return it by 1 Feb 2016 in a clean and polished condition. Please return to 87 Clouston Park Road, Upper Hutt, 5018, Wellington.

Photos and videos

DVDs of the event can be ordered through the Kapi Mana Club. The cost is \$85 per set.

Correspondence

Any correspondence regarding the Senior Nationals should be forwarded to Haley Small, the Association Secretary. Email haley.small@clear.net.nz.

2016 Junior Nationals, 25–26 March, hosted by Kapi Mana Rock'n'Roll Club

A reminder that the Junior Top Club song for 2016 is *Say Mama*, Gene Vincent, speed 156, length 2.10. Copies of the team song are available on request.

Entries for Junior Nationals will close on 31 January 2016. Fees are \$50 for couples and \$75 for teams (including triples).

Judges News

Congratulations to Karen Birch and Chris Franks who have achieved National Association Judge status. Also to Robin Sutton who has passed his exam and is now an Association Judge.



Haley Small
Secretary, New Zealand Amateur Rock'n'Roll Association