

**WAIPU HIGHLAND GAMES 2024/25 - VARIETY STAGE RUN  
SHEET**

| Time Slot     | PERFORMER   | Duration |
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| 9.30 - 9.50   | <p><b>Grant Murray</b><br/>Grant is your host for the day and assuming he can get up early enough to get the stage set-up he'll run through a few classic sing-a-long sound check numbers to entertain the early birds and warm up the crowd for the main events to follow.</p>   | 20min    |
| 10.00 - 10.35 | <p><b>Turmoil</b><br/>Dean, a seasoned musician with years of band experience was in search of a singer unexpectedly crossed paths with Carla, a singer in search of a guitarist, at a local open mic' night. Their shared passion for making music brought them together, and their approach is all about keeping it simple and fun.</p>   | 35min    |
| 10.45 - 11.15 | <p><b>Twisty Willow Celtic Band</b> <a href="http://www.twistwillow.co.nz">www.twistwillow.co.nz</a><br/>Local Celtic Duo, Barb and Wes, have been playing Scottish and Irish songs, tunes and called dances for Ceilidhs all around New Zealand for over 30 years. They have played and called dances for the Waipu Games Ceilidh for 19 years and have introduced monthly Reeling nights to the region. More recently they have added playing for Auckland/Northland Scottish Country Dance events.</p> | 30min    |
| 11.25 - 12.00 | <p><b>Learn a Scottish Ceilidh Dance with Twisty Willow Celtic Band.</b><br/><b>Waipu Scottish Country Dancers demo</b><br/><a href="https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100063597247886">www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100063597247886</a><br/>Demonstration dances hosted by members of the Waipu Scottish Country Dance Club - music by Twisty Willow</p>  | 35min    |
| 12.00 - 1.00  | <p><b>Break for official opening on the main arena.</b><br/>Massed Pipe Bands. Chief's Welcome. Clans and Massed Highland Fling. Singing</p>  | 60min    |
| 1.00 - 1.35   | <p><b>You 'n' Me</b><br/>Local Duo Ron and Barbara are playing songs from the 60's through to the 90's, as well as original songs, and giving them a soulful twist with their guitar, violin and vocal performance.<br/>For over a year now they have shared their joy of music at markets, birthdays and events between here and Auckland.</p>   | 35min    |
| 1.45 - 2.20   | <p><b>Duo Munro</b> (Ian and Matt) <a href="http://ianmunrowashere.com">ianmunrowashere.com</a><br/>Ian learnt to play his dad (Matt's) guitar in the 1990s until Prince Charles bought him one. He has gigged long term in Auckland, Sydney, London, Napier and spent several seasons at the Maldives. Matt, from Edinburgh, has a folk, rock, heavy metal, blues background and still occasionally fronts a 38 year old Blues/Rock band in Plymouth, England when over visiting from Waipu.</p>         | 35min    |

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| <p>Link to the whole Waipu Highland Games day's programme:<br/><a href="https://www.waipuhighlandgames.co.nz/programme">https://www.waipuhighlandgames.co.nz/programme</a></p> |
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