

# The Boisdale Prize

## Competition Guidelines

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1. All elements of the competition are subject to the general Competitor Rules as published by Arisaig Games. See: <http://www.arisaighighlandgames.co.uk/assets/files/PDFs/Texts-5a-CompetitorRules-01d.pdf>
2. All entries are received under those rules and these guidelines.
3. The area of eligibility is 'Local', however, entrants who do not fall within the definition of local in the competitor rules, but are a member of an art group which does, are welcome to enter.
4. The competition runs with the following age ranges and prizes:

a. Juvenile	0-10 yrs	£15, £10, £5;
b. Junior 2	11-13 yrs	£45, £25, £15;
c. Junior 1	14-17 yrs	£100, £60, £30;
5. Entries are individual. No group, such as school, entries are permitted.
6. Entries are restricted to one per person.
7. The 2012 competition theme is: **A' Chù Ghlais Mheobail** (The Grey Dog of Meoble), and should explore themes around place, nature, and belonging, and which reference this particular legend or family.
8. All entries are to be submitted on:

a. Juvenile	Paper or canvas, no less than A5, no greater than A4;
b. Junior 1/2	Paper or canvas, no less than A4, no greater than A3
c. Framing	No framing, matting, wrapping, or encapsulating is permitted.
9. Methods and media

a. Format	Originals. Prints only permitted except where also submitting for school examinations and validated by their art teacher
b. Graphics	Paint or drawing.
c. Main media	Paint, pencil, charcoal, pen or crayon.
d. Other media	such as collage or found objects, may be used appropriately.
10. Schedule:

a. Juniors and Juveniles:	by 1pm at the Exhibitions Tent on the day, or; by 3pm, having registered by 1pm, or to; Mallaig Art Gallery, Mallaig. PH41 4QS, by Saturday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2012.
b. Attendance	Although work can be submitted beforehand by post, all artists must attend the Games for work to be entered in the competition.
11. Post competition,

a. placed entries	will be retained by Arisaig Highland Games until a copy can be made and will then be returned to the artist;
b. unplaced entries	must be collected by 4:30pm or may be disposed of.
12. Copyright for placed entries is co-assigned to Arisaig Highland Games, who may use the images for any purpose deemed appropriate.
13. Arisaig Games cannot accept any liability arising from the loss or damage to any entry.
14. All entries must be signed in the image area.
15. All entries must have the title on the back of the image, even if it is titled 'untitled'.
16. All entries must have the artist's name, age group, address, telephone no., and email address written on the back. For Juveniles and Juniors this must be countersigned by a parent or guardian. Attached notes are not permitted.
17. All entries are made with the permission to use a photograph of the artist in publicity. If a parent or guardian of a Junior or Juvenile prefers not to have their child photographed, they must make this explicit by marking "No Publicity" alongside the details above.