

FESTIVAL DANCE TEAMS 1954-2000

ALPHABETICAL

Dance team, director, place of origin (where known), year

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| Agrommo Ashanti Drummers and Dancers,
Felix Cobbson, Ghana, 1977 | Clinton Scottish Dancers, Mairi Rayner,
Scotland, 1976 |
| Anne O'Loughlin Dancers, Anne
O'Loughlin-Harding, Galway Ireland,
1979, 1980, 1984 | Cork Ballet Company Folk Dance Group,
Joan Denise Moriarty, Ireland, 1957,
1959-60, 1963-64, 1966-67, 1976-78 |
| Attridge Irish Traditional Group,
Nancy Attridge, Cork Ireland, 1954-1980,
1985, 1990 | Cork Folk Dance Group, Billy Love,
Ireland, 1961 |
| Auroraringen, Juri Tavast, Sweden, 1997 | County Cork School of Music Traditional
Music Ensemble, Martin Power, Cork
Ireland, 1999 |
| Balalaika Dance Group, Don Allison, no
information, 1972 | Cowhie-Ryan Irish Dance Group, Patricia
and Christopher Cowhie-Ryan, Cobh
Ireland, 1966-2000 |
| Ballet Theatre Ireland Youth Ballet, Mary
Gibson and Eric Gibson, Ireland, 1997-99 | Croatian Folk Dance Company "Lado",
Rudolf Ljubic, Zagreb Yugoslavia, 1978 |
| Basque Dance Team, no information, 1956 | Cullen School of Traditional Irish Dance,
Ireland, 1955-59 |
| Benfieldside Folk Dance Group, Malcolm
Doughty, UK, 1967 | Cymric Dancers, Brynmawr Wales, 1955 |
| Bhangra Dancers of the Punjab, P. S. Bahd,
India, 1984 | Danzas Burgalesas, Justo Del Rio Velasco,
Spain, 1971 |
| Campagnoli Folk Dance Group, Marcese
Marco, Italy/Belgium, 1988 | De Glin Colmcille Irish Dancing Academy,
Breandán de Glin, Derry N. Ireland, 1966 |
| Carib Limbo Dancers & Tropical Islanders
Steel Band, Emmanuel Maynard, no
information, 1987 | Deely Sisters, California USA, 1955 |
| Caribbean Folk Culture Company, Gloria
Cameron, Jamaica, 1977 | Dunav Balkan Group, Henry Morris, no
information, 1969 |
| Castillian Folk Dancers, Burgos Spain,
1954 | Dungeer Mummers, Co Wexford Ireland,
1967 |
| Catherine Foley and Aidan O'Carroll,
Tralee Co Kerry Ireland, 1977 | Eaglais a Chnoc Scottish Dancers, Gillian
Clowes, Scotland, 1969 |
| Celine Hession Dancers, Galway Ireland,
1977-78 | Ekome Dance Company, Barrington
Anderson, Bristol UK 1984 |
| Cheadle Scottish Dance Group, Scotland,
1960 | Esbart Mare Nostrum, Manuel Garcia,
Barcelona Spain, 1981 |
| Chuvashian Republic Dance & Song Group,
1973 | Eskola, San Sebastian Spain, 1982 |
| Ciobanasul Folk Dance Ensemble of the
Romanian Railway Corporation, Ion
Farcas, Cluj Romania, 1985 | Feis Ceoil Singers and Dancers of Doire,
James MacCafferty and Mary
McLaughlin, Derry N.Ireland, 1972 |
| "Citta di Tempio" Gruppo Folkloristico, Isa
Bionda, Sardinia Italy, 1980 | Folk Dance Group, Estonia, 1954 |
| | Folk Dance Group, France, 1954 |

Folk Dance Group, Germany, no information, 1954

French Dance Team, no information, 1957

Friedrich Engels Folk Group, Christo Stoyanov, Kazanlak Bulgaria, 1982

Georgian Song and Dance Youth Ensemble, Robert Vakhdamgov, USSR, 1976

German-Irish Group, Helme Putz, no information, 1959

Ghana Cultural Society, Jones Aggrey, no information, 1963

Hasson Traditional Irish Dancers, Ireland, 1954-55

Headington Quarry Folk Dance Group, P. Lloyd, Oxford UK, 1959

Heather Glenn Mummers, Patricia O'Reilly, Wexford Ireland, 1977

"Hopier" National Cossack Ensemble of Song and Dance, Volgograd USSR, 1978

"Hora Bucurestilor" Folk Dance Ensemble, Bucharest Romania, 1978

Hungarian Folk Dance Group, London, 1960

Indonesian Dance Team, Mr Iman, no information, 1961

Indonesian Team, -, 1955

Inis Ealga Dancers, Maitiú Ó Maoiléidigh, Dublin Ireland, 1982, 1987

Irish Folk Dance Society, Ireland, 1958

Israeli Folk Dance Group, Shoshanna Kleine, no information, 1963

Israeli Team, no information, 1956

Italian Dance Team, no information, 1956

Ivan Chin Carribbean Dancers, Ivan Chin, no information, 1968

"Ivan Dimitrov" Folk Dance Ensemble, Rousse Bulgaria, 1978

Jasénka Folk Dance Ensemble, Zdenek Kaspar, Vsetin, Czechoslovakia, 1991

Kalvarund Indian Folk Dance Group, Nayana Whittaker, UK, 1996

Kama Dev Indian Dance Group, Kama Dev, -, 1970

Kazakhstan State Song & Dance Company, E. Usin, USSR, 1980

Kilrush Folk Group, Sister Ann Morrissey, Co Clare Ireland, 1985

Kolo Dance Company, Branko Bekic, Belgrade Yugoslavia, 1969

Kunovjan, Plachy Milos, Uherske Hradiste Czechoslovakia, 1981

Kunstgroep Wolfsangel, Oscar van Malder, Aalst Belgium, 1974

L'Elan Pontetien, Louis Langlade, France, 1971

Latvian Folk Dance Team "Liga", Rita Sleja, no information, 1961

Latvian Folk Dance Team "Sakta", Latvia USSR, 1964

Le Gear School of Dancing, Limerick Ireland, 1959

Lehane Sisters, Ireland, 1955-56, 1958

Les Vendangeurs Dancers, Jean-Michel Menesclou, France, 1994

"Lietuva" State Folk Song and Dance Ensemble, P.A. Telichenas, Lithuania USSR, 1975

London Balalaika Ensemble, Aleksei Zolotuhin, UK, 1968

Lubusz Folk Ensemble, Maria Mozdzen-Kmicik, Warsaw Poland, 1970

Lyra Greek Dancers, Loula Kailas, no information, 1986

Madden Academy of Irish Dancing/ Dance Group, Seamus Madden, Ireland, 1963-69

Mallow Folk Dancers, Brenda Springer, Ireland, 1972

Manly Morris Dancers, UK, 1958

Manx Folk Dance Duo, UK, 1964

Marino and Tana Spanish Dancers, with Alfonso Chozas and Fernando Sanchez, 1966

Markelo Group, Holland, 1958

Maura Shanahan Traditional Irish Dancers, Maura Shanahan, Abbeylax Ireland, 1988

McCoy School of Dancing/Dance Group, Anna McCoy, Belfast N. Ireland, 1957, 1960, 1969

McTaggart School of Irish Dancing, P. McTaggart, Ireland, 1954, 1959, 1961-65

McTeggart School of Irish Dancing,
Peggy McTeggart, Cork Ireland, 1986,
1989, 1991-93

Mirce Acev Dance Group, Boge
Cizbanovski, Yugoslavia, 1973

Molodost Folk-Dance Group, Natalia
Shamshurina, Ukraine, 1992

Mulcaire Set Dancers, Mike Ronan,
Co.Limerick Ireland, 1988

Nemunas Ensemble, Lionginas
Gadliauskas, Kaunas Lithuania, 1971

Nolan Dancers, Anthony Nolan, Limerick
Ireland, 1973

Norwegian Folk Dance Team, no
information, 1961

Opanka Romanian Dance Group, Veronica
Cizmja, Manchester UK, 1996-97

"Orlyk" Ukranian Group, USSR, 1955

Patricia Hanafin and Jimmy Smith, with
Saoirse, Ireland, 1975

Patrick Mulholland Dancers,
Patricia Mulholland, Belfast N. Ireland,
1962, 1981

Pentony Dancers, Vivienne Pentony,
Ireland, 1971

Petach Tikva Folk Dance Group, Gavri
Levy, Israel, 1983

"Polesie" Dance Group, Igor Smirnov,
Byelorussia USSR, 1985

Polish Dance Circle, -, 1958

Polish Dance Group S.I.F.D., Betty Harvey,
no information, 1972

"Priburzhski" Folk Song & Dance
Ensemble, Anatoli Ilych Zaturyan,
Chernobyl Ukraine USSR, 1986

Radost Dancer Group, Anna Palitskaya,
Russia, 1994

Rajko Ensemble, Laszlo Nemeth, Hungary,
1968

Rinnceoil Chorcaí, Gerard J. Warde, Cork
Ireland, 1985

Rinnceóirí Na gCeardchumann, Ireland,
1958

Rory O'Connor Dance Group, Dublin
Ireland, 1970

Rosario Serrano Spanish Dance Company,
Rosario Serrano, Spain, 1969

Royal Scottish Country Dance Society,
Ruth Beattie, Glasgow Scotland, 1979

Salzkotten Dance Group, Dieter Eltgen,
Germany, 1957

Schariwari Folk Dance Ensemble, Peter
Tomanke, Munich Germany, 1984

Scoil Uí Chuilleanáin, John Cullinane,
Cork Ireland, 1967-68, 1971-72

Scottish Dance Team, Scotland, 1956

Seó Seandún Dancer, Martin Power, Cork
Ireland, 1994-96

Shannonside Seisun Group, Dan Liddy,
Ireland, 1989

Siamsa Tíre, Fr Pat Ahern, Tralee Ireland,
1982, 1987, 1992, 1993

Siamsóirí na Ríochta, Fr Pat Ahern, Tralee
Co Kerry Ireland, 1965-66, 1974

Sint Sebastiaangelde, Belgium, 1958

Spanish Folk Dance Team, Burgos Spain,
1964

St. Martin I.S. Volkstanzgruppe, Josef
Steiner, Austria, 1988

Swansea University Welsh Folk Dancing
Society, Michael E. Hughes, Wales, 1970

Swedish Dance Team, no information,
1957

Swiss Dance Team, no information, 1957

Taras Cossacks, Paul Taras, no
information, 1995

Terchanka Ensemble of Song and Dance,
Kabardino-Balkar USSR, 1977

Trachtengruppe Hofe, Anna Boos,
Switzerland, 1959

Trachtengruppe Neustadt Weinstrasse,
Eugen Muller, Germany, 1961

Turkish Arts Society Dance Group, Rasih
Isikman, no information, 1979

Tziganka Russian Folk Ensemble, Mario
Lee, no information, 1990

Ukrainian Folk Dance Team, Ukraine, 1960

Ukrainian National Dancing Group, M.
Tkaczuk, Ukraine, 1963

Vanwer Folkdansens, Sune Karlsson,
Sweden, 1989

Veselka Ukrainian Dance Group, Ivan
Rewko, Ukraine, 1997

Vesenniye Zori Dancers, Anna Palitskaya,
Russia, 1993

Vital Umap Folk Song and Dance Group,
Vital Umap, Bombay India, 1983

Voronezh State Folk Song and Dance
Ensemble, Valentin K. Konoplin, USSR,
1974

West Indian Dance Group, Keith Amil, no
information, 1962

Westminster Morris Men, with Denis
Smith, UK, 1968

Yemenite Group of Amka, Israel, 1982

Yugoslav Folk Dance Group “Sumada”,
Yugoslavia, 1966

Yugoslav National Ballet Kolo Dance
Company, Branko Bekic, Belgrade
Yugoslavia, 1967

Yuri Gagarin Folk Dance Group, Rousse
Bulgaria, 1975

Yurochka Folk Song & Dance Ensemble,
Victor Bobko, Byelorussia USSR, 1979

Zofod, Husnu Celebioglu, Zonguldak
Turkey, 1981

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