

THE BURNETT BANNER

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THE NEW BURNETT BANNER

This is the first edition of the new Burnett Banner and I trust that all readers will accept that it is the first attempt. I am grateful to Joyce Burnett Crone for her previous successes with the newsletter and we will endeavour to maintain past standards. However, the content must largely come from our readers and I hope to receive articles, news and photographs of any matters related to the name of Burnett and that the future editions will succeed because of your contributions.

If you have any items which you wish to be have included in any future edition, please send them to:

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Any relevant articles are welcome and if you wish to ask questions which may attract answers from readers of the Banner, please submit them. Although we may need to amend any articles for inclusion in the Banner, please submit all material in the form which you would prefer it to be reproduced. The editor's decision is final!

The website will develop and so we welcome any comment or suggestions for its improvement.

James C. A. Burnett of Leys



A NEW GENERATION AT CRATHES!

Amaryllis Susan Rohays was born November 24th 2006 in Aberdeen and is the first child of Alexander and Vinny Burnett of Leys

The editor hopes that he will not be accused of using his prerogative to draw attention to this new member of the family!



THE HOUSE OF BURNETT

A NOTE FROM THE SECRETARY

Spring is upon us and the Highland Games will be starting soon. Let us know which games, gatherings, or reunions you are going to be attending. Please share your pictures you take at these functions with the rest of the family. I and some other family members will be at the Glasgow, Kentucky Highland Games. If you are in the area look for the House of Burnett Tent. This is the website where you can get a schedule of events: www.Glasgowhighlandgames.com.

We are still looking for articles and pictures we can share. I know I'm not the only Burnett that has stories to tell. I'm especially interested in the next generation of the Burnett family. This is an example:

Alexander James (Xander) Burnett
Age 4
Son of Tracy and Tim Burnett
Cincinnati, Ohio, USA



Another front we need help in is filling some of the open positions in the House of Burnett. There is an urgent need for a new President, as well as some new members on the Board of Directors. If you would consider one of these positions or want more information please contact me. I know there are others out there that care as much as I do about the continued success of the House of Burnett, so please step forward.

We have several members who are having health problems, so I'm asking you to keep them in your prayers.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for your kind expressions of sympathy in the death of my wife Nancy.

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REMINISCENCE FROM GIL BURNETT

When Sandra and I were in Banchory back in the mid '70s I met a distinguished, elderly Scottish gentleman near the restaurant at Crathes. He was seated, had a cane and was wearing his kilt. In the course of our conversation it was obvious that I was from the "American colonies". Before bidding him "Good day Sir" he stated "There is no one more Scottish than an American with a little Scottish blood." I thought this was priceless and have adopted and repeated it numerous times.

NORTH CAROLINA SCOTTISH SOCIETY

In light of the many Scots in North Carolina and in south-eastern N. C. there is an active Scottish Society. It met on the Saturday evening of February 3rd for a Robert Burns evening. Below is a photo made on that occasion. In the front from the left: Gil Burnett, his sister Sylvia Crippen and brother, Julian Burnett. In the rear: Behind from the left Barbara, Gil's wife, son, Stephen and his wife Amy. Behind Sylvia is her husband Rex and behind Julian are his daughter-in-law, Stephanie, her husband, Julian's son, Carey and Julian's wife, Vivian.



Judge Gilbert Burnett

MHAIRI BOGDAN

Mary Dorothea Forbes Irvine, better known as Mhairi, was a daughter of the Quentin Irvine, brother of 22nd laird of Drum, (the Burnetts and Irvines have been neighbours and associates since they were both granted land by King Robert the Bruce in the 14th century), died on February 9th 2006 at her home Barra Castle in Aberdeenshire. Mhairi's father inherited the nearby estates of Straloch and Barra and her mother was Dorothy Burnett of Kemnay Living a part of her life in Europe between the wars and aged 26, becoming commandant of the naval hospital on the Isle of Man during the war, she married a Russian naval officer, Andrew Bogdanavitch. Their eldest son, Nicholas, an eminent arch-aeologist, accompanied Burnetts on the visit to the Crannog on the Loch of Leys in 1992.

Mhairi Bogdan, a good friend to her kinsfolk at Crathes and elsewhere, was buried at Straloch.

James C. A. Burnett of Leys

LAND AT LORDS CREEK NEW HANOVER COUNTY

Thank to the generosity of Judge Gilbert Burnett, his brother Julian and their five sisters Annetta, Ruth, Susie, Mary Elizabeth and Sylvia, a large tract of land extending to over 100 acres has been saved for future generation as a public park. The beautiful area has been sold to the North Carolina Coastal Land Trust, a land preservation group who will manage the site as a passive park with plans for trails, picnic areas with canoe and kayak access to Lords Creek. It will be named after their donor's parents, John and Ruth.

The area's grass-filled wetlands are a playground for egrets, herons and ospreys in addition to deer and foxes and the condition of sale is to retain it in as natural a state as possible whilst facilitating public access enjoyment.

The alternative to the transfer of the land to the Trust was that it might be developed. Such use is not what Gilbert and his family wants or would have wanted and the community must be grateful that this land has not been swallowed up for development. The land will continue to be as Gil's parents would have enjoyed it. The land will now be owned and operated by New Hanover County as what is sometimes called a passive park.

The photograph includes Nancy Preston (North Carolina Coastal Land Trust), Julian Burnett, Cassie Gavin (NCCLT) Gilbert Burnett (pointing at map) and Camilla Herlevich (NCCLT)



Photograph courtesy of Ken Blevins, Star-News

KATHY BURNETT

Kathy Burnett, a long time enthusiastic supporter of the Burnett family and a frequent visitor to Crathes sadly and suddenly died on 4th March 2006. With her daughter Emma, she had attended all the Gatherings since 1990 in addition to being a regular visitor to Deeside. She was a colourful, vivacious person with a generous nature that had few limits. For the smallest piece of information that I gave her not long ago, she sent me, despite my protests, a case of champagne.

James C. A. Burnett of Leys

LOCH OF LEYS AND THE CRANNOG

Many of you who have visited Crathes during the last few years will have been privileged or punished with a visit to the Crannog on the Loch of Leys, the man made island on which the Burnetts lived after they first arrived in the area.

In 1992, we walked to the Crannog on pallets over the loch and were privileged in receiving an account of its history and a description of its construction by the late Nicholas Bogdan. Some readers may recall the precarious return journey from the island following some consumption of my extra strong malt whisky. Since 1992, we have not walked to the Crannog and have viewed it from the nearby shore accompanied by a brief talk on it from Eileen Bailey.

The whole area is one deserving of conservation and to which we shall be improving access. We are in the process of creating a charitable trust in order to achieve this objective. Hopefully, at the time of the next visit, the visit to the Loch will be less adventurous but easier for all.

James C. A. Burnett of Leys

CRATHES

Crathes was owned by Malcolm Russell who lives in Johannesburg. Crathes covered 40,000 nautical miles before she was finally sold in the West Indies.

Malcolm is a grandson of Charles Stanley Burnett, one of a large family who emigrated to South Africa in the early 1900s and died in 1962. In 1948 the family moved to Zimbabwe, then Rhodesia, and where Malcolm set about building an ocean going yacht in his back garden. For those familiar with sailing, she was built of Ferro-cement, was a 38' long sloop-rigged cruising yacht and registered in London. As an Englishman's home is his castle, he named her Crathes.

One great sadness is that, after returning to South Africa, Malcolm's wife, Hazel, went to visit her sister in Bulawayo and they were present when a group of local dissidents attacked the farm killing 16 of the 18 people there and including Hazel, her sister and family. The only survivors were Malcolm and Hazel's daughter, Laura, and one young nephew. Laura is now married and working as a clinical speech therapist at the Red Cross Children's Hospital in Cape Town.



HENRY JOHN BURNETT

Henry John Burnett was the last man to be hanged in Scotland and the first in Aberdeen since 1891. He was tried for the Murder of a merchant seaman; Thomas Guyan. Burnett's trial was at the high court in Aberdeen and he was executed on the 15th of August 1963 at Craiginches Prison in the city.

Henry Burnett had made a habit of locking his partner Margaret Guyan in her house in Skene Terrace in Aberdeen for fear that she would leave him when he went out. It was not a state of affairs which Margaret relished and when she bumped into her estranged husband Thomas Guyan, she agreed to go back to him.

Margaret Guyan arrived at the house to collect her son Keith. A family friend Georgina Cattanagh, went with her for moral support. As soon as Margaret announced her intention to go back to her husband Burnett cried "Margaret, Margaret, you are not going to leave me." He then drew out a knife and put it to Margaret's throat, closing the door behind him.

Fearful of what was happening inside, Mrs Cattanagh banged repeatedly on the door and demanded the release of Margaret. Minutes later Burnett threw open the door and ran off down the street. Margaret was shaken but relatively unhurt. The two women made their way back to her former home in Jackson Terrace.

When Burnett went to his brother, Frank's work and told him what had happened, his brother urged him to go to the police. But Burnett was set on revenge and went to Frank's house to borrow his gun. Frank's wife had been told never to lend the gun to anyone. However, Burnett however forced the cabinet open and stole the gun along with shot gun cartridges. He then boarded a bus to take him to Jackson Terrace.

He arrived at the Guyan's flat and forced his way in, Mrs Cattanagh screamed "You can't come in here", Thomas Guyan jumped to his feet to see what the problem was. As he opened the kitchen door he was met by Burnett, carrying the gun. A shot rang out and Guyan fell, having been shot in the face from close range. Burnett then took Margaret out of the flat at gun point.

Burnett dragged Margaret down a lane and as far as a garage on Seaforth Road. There John Innes Irvine was filling his car with petrol when Burnett demanded he would take the car, Irvine tried to stop Burnett stealing the car but was threatened with the shot gun. The police were soon notified and began following the car which was driving North towards Peterhead. After driving for about 15 miles Burnett pulled the car over near the town of Ellon and offered no resistance as he was arrested.

At his trial, Burnett's defence was that at the time of the crime he was insane or alternatively, that this was a case of diminished responsibility.

Both defences failed after the jury had considered the evidence for 25 minutes. The court heard about Burnett's mental state and it was revealed he had been violent in

the past and had attempted suicide. His mother and father both appeared in the witness box and his mother broke down in the court.

After he was sentenced to death, both his own family and that of the victim petitioned for his reprieve. There was, however, no appeal from Burnett, and on August 15 he was executed as a crowd of 200 people gathered outside the jail.

SCHOOL DAYS IN THE HILLS

I read in the Sunday Magazine January 10 about the one-room Bearskin School in Clay County. It made me think of when I went to a one-room school in the mountains. I walked 2 1/2 miles down a hollow, the road in the head of the creek part of the way. We would take our tin buckets with our lunch in them and at the noon hour would open them and find apple pie, roasted ears of corn, green beans, and molasses and butter.

We boys had good times in those days. I knew of boys nearly grown who went barefoot late into the fall when frost was on the fence rails just for a little education. About 60 children were packed in our one-room school and one teacher for all eight grades.

There were no hot lunches. We would manage to get a little level place to make us a baseball diamond and we made our own baseballs out of twine, and we played baseball a while every day.

Fifty years seem to have been at a standstill. I knew of places, if the kids ever went to high school they would have to walk 4 miles just to catch a school bus; but some of the best citizens and I'll say the best people on earth were raised in those hills. They were genuine gold. If you needed help they would be there even though they were in need themselves. You could find the best neighbors in the world among them. I am glad to say I was born in those hills.

The prophet said I will look to the hills whence cometh my help.

This was an article written by James H. Burnett of Somerset, Kentucky in the 1950's printed by the Courier-Journal Newspaper of Louisville, Kentucky.

Submitted by his Grandson Jerry W. Burnett

ADVANCE WARNING!!

For those who may be interested, it is intended that the next Burnett Gathering will be at Crathes from 29th July - 2nd August 2009. It is always useful to be aware of possible numbers and so it would be helpful if we could be notified accordingly. Nobody is committed by registering an interest and further details will be given as plans progress. Interest can be registered via the contacts on Page 1.

James C. A. Burnett of Leys

BLIND DICK BURNETT

A little over a year ago I was watching TV and a commercial came on about the DVD of The movie "Oh Brother Where Art Thou". The movie starred George Clooney. The musical track was put together by T. Bone Burnett. I called the video store but the movie was out. I asked my granddaughter if she knew where I could find a copy. She bought me a copy and brought it to me. As I was watching the movie and listening to the song, "I'm a Man of Constant Sorrow", I got to reflecting back to my younger days in the mid 1950's when I would go to Monticello, Kentucky on Saturday nights with my oldest brother. They had some of the old musicians that played mountain music at the Wayne County Court House. I didn't know at the time why my brother and his friends wanted to take me along, but as time has gone by, I think I know. Wayne County, like lots of Counties in Kentucky were dry (no alcohol). They were slipping out and drinking Kentucky moon shine. They figured if they drank too much I could drive them home. I was too young to have a license but I could drive and I did on a few occasions I had to.

As I was thinking back and watching the movie, I thought about Blind Dick Burnett, who was one of these musicians who played the old mountain music. He played the banjo, and Leonard Rutherford played the Fiddle.

First let me tell you a little about Blind Dick Burnett. Richard Burnett born 10/08/1883, died 01/23/1977. He married Georganna Pratt on 08/11/1905. His father was Ruben Burnett, and his mother Martha Fairchild. His Grand father was James Burnett, and his grandmother Jane Barrier. Great-Grandfather was Isham R. Burnett, and his Great-Grandmother was Sarah Mayo. His Great, Great-Grand Father was Jeremiah Burnett (Big Jerry), and his Great, Great-Grand Mother was either Elizabeth Jackson or Nancy Burk.

Richard Burnett's life and career was dramatic as well as tragic. Orphaned at twelve, one of nine children. He and his siblings were living the Masonic Lodge in Monticello, Kentucky in 1900. He had lived a rough and tumble life in the rugged turn of the century backwoods of Wayne County, a place called Parmleysville. In 1907, as he was coming home from his job in the oil fields to visit his wife and child, he was robbed and shot in the face with a shot gun. He was found and taken to the hospital. He survived but the pellets had penetrated his eyes. He was blind at age 24.

To feed his family he became a wandering musician. He played the banjo and the fiddle, singing old mountain songs. Playing on court house lawns, at train stations, and many coal mines throughout the Appalachian area. He tied a tin can on his leg, rattling it when someone put a coin in it. He also put together song books and sold them. About 1913 he gathered six of his best songs together in a book he called "Songs Sung by R. D. Burnett The Blind Man - Monticello, Kentucky". Among the songs in this little book were: "The Lost Ship" about the sinking of the Titanic, "The C and O Railroad," a variation of "Engine 143," a song later recorded by the Carter Family, "The Restless Hobo," "The Jolly Butcher," "Hard Times," "Song of the Orphan Boy," and one he called "Farewell Song", which would become the first printed version of "I am a Man of Constant Sorrow."

A musician also from Wayne County Kentucky, Emry Arthur, who was living in Indianapolis, Indiana recorded the song "I am a Man of Constant Sorrow". This was in 1928. He claimed he written the song. Here is the first verse of each:

Emry Arthur version 1928

I am a man of constant sorrow,
I have seen trouble all my days,
I'll bid farewell to old Kentucky,
The place I was born and raised.

Oh, for six long years I've been in trouble.
My pleasures on earth are done;
For in this world I have to ramble,
I have no parents to help me now;
Oh, it's fare you well, my own true lover,
I fear I'll never see you again,
For I am bound to ride the Northern railway,
Perhaps I'll die upon the train.

Richard Burnett version 1913

I am a Man of Constant Sorrow
I've seen trouble all my days,
I'll bid farewell to Old Kentucky
The place where I was born and raised.

Oh, six long years, I've been blind friends.
My pleasures here on earth are done;
In this world I have to ramble
For I have no parents to help me now.
So fare you well my own true lover,
I fear I'll never see you again,
For I am bound to ride the northern railroad.
Perhaps I'll die upon the train.

YOU BE THE JUDGE!

Richard D. Burnett and his main playing partner Leonard Rutherford had several recordings between 1926 and 1928. In 1960 the Old - Time music revival was in full swing; the Rounder label issued the first album devoted to works by Burnett and several associates entitled: A Rambling Reckless Hobo.

Leland L. Burnett

BURNETT REPRESENTATIVES

It is hoped that the Banner will reach all those who are interested in reading it. However, it is appreciated that this may not be possible and that we will be hoping that it will be possible have it printed in the country of would-be recipients in order to reduce the postage cost.

I will also be seeking to establish a few locations worldwide where a small quantity of tartan, books and other Burnett items can be stocked, to be made available for those who may be interested in purchasing them. Postage costs are very expensive and it is assumed that such an arrangement will be beneficial.

If anyone would be interested in providing either or both of the above services, we would be very grateful if they could let me know.

James C. A. Burnett of Leys

FAMILY ROOM AT CRATHES

Those who have been to Crathes will recall the family room near the top of the Castle and where we try to present a miscellany of Burnett matters of the more modern era and the activities of Burnetts today. It was our intention to update this room more frequently that we have. However, changes will be made this spring and include some of the items that I have received over the last few years. I must apologise for their donors for not managing to display them sooner. The items will be summarised in the next edition of the Banner.

James C. A. Burnett of Leys



JOKES OF THE DAY



Old Tam, who had lost all his teeth, had a visit from the minister who noted that Tam had a bowl of almonds. "My brother gave me those, but I don't want them, you can have them" said Old Tam. The minister tucked into them and the said "That was a funny present to give a man with no teeth." To which Old Tam replied "Not really, they had chocolate on them..."

Finding one of her students making faces at others on the playground, Ms. Smith stopped to gently reprove the child. Smiling sweetly, the Sunday School teacher said, "Bobby, when I was a child, I was told if that I made ugly faces, it would freeze and I would stay like that." Bobby looked up and replied, "Well, Ms Smith, you can't say you weren't warned."

TRADITIONAL SCOTTISH RECIPES

OATMEAL CAKES

Oatmeal was a staple of the Scottish diet and has been described as "the backbone of many a sturdy Scotsman." It was used in many ways - porridge, oatcakes, brose (oatmeal and peasemeal) and scones. Here is a recipe for a sweet oatcake which is more like a biscuit than a conventional oatcake.

Ingredients:

Teacup of medium oatmeal
Teacup of plain flour
Half teacup of milk
Tablespoon of soft brown sugar
3 oz butter or margarine
Level teaspoon salt
Level teaspoon bicarbonate of soda (baking soda)

Method:

Sieve the flour, salt and bicarbonate of soda into a bowl, add the oatmeal and mix. Cut the butter or margarine into small portions and rub into the mixture with your fingers. Add the sugar and mix well. Pour in the milk and mix until you have a stiff but workable dough.

Shake some flour on a worktop, turn the dough onto it and shake a little flour on the top. Roll out thinly (about half an inch thick) and prick over with a fork. Cut into rounds with a scone cutter and place on an oiled baking tray. Bake in a pre-heated oven for 15/20 minutes at 350F/180C/Gas Mark 4. Use a palette knife to lift the biscuits onto a wire coming rack. Store in an airtight tin.

TABLET

Tablet is a traditional sweet confection which, if you like sugary things, is irresistible! You can add some flavouring from essence/extract as well, if you wish.

Ingredients (for 4 pounds/1.8kg tablet):

Butter or margarine - half pound (225g)
Sweetened condensed milk - 1 pound (450g)
Castor sugar - 4 pounds (1.8kg)
Water - 1 pint (half litre)

Method

Using a non-stick pan, put the water on a low heat and melt in the butter. Add the sugar and bring to the boil. It is important to keep stirring all the time. Once it is boiling, stir in the condensed milk and simmer for 20 minutes. Again, keep stirring to avoid it sticking/burning. Take off the heat and beat vigorously for five minutes, adding the flavouring of your choice. Pour into a rectangular greased tin and once it is partly cooled, cut into bars (roughly 5 inches long by 1/2 inches wide). Once the tablet is cold, wrap the bars in waxed paper and store in an airtight jar or tin.

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INFORMATION SOUGHT AFTER

Rickie C. Burnett is looking for information about his family. His Great Great Grandfather was Matthew Hill Washington Burnett, born 1809 in Hanover County VA.. He married Angelina Whitlock of King William's County VA.. They had 5 children, Larkin Burnett was Rick's Great Grand Father. The Father of Matthew Burnett was a David Burnett who was married a Sarah/Sally Hill. If anyone has any information please contact the House of Burnett Secretary who will pass on the information.

Leland L. Burnett

EASTER - THE FACTS

- In medieval times a festival of egg throwing was held in church, during which the priest would throw a hard-boiled egg to one of the choirboys. It was then tossed from one choirboy to the next and whoever held the egg when the clock struck 12 was the winner and retained the egg.
- The first Easter baskets were made to look like bird's nests.
- Easter Bonnets are a throw back to the days when the people denied themselves the pleasure of wearing finery for the duration of Lent.
- The traditional act of painting eggs is called Pysanka.
- To Egyptians, the egg was a sacred token of the renovation of mankind after the Flood.
- The egg has always been a symbol of the Resurrection to Christians.
- The date of Passover is variable as it is dependent on the phases of the moon, and thus Easter is also a movable feast.
- The custom of giving eggs at Easter time has been traced back to Egyptians, Persians, Gauls, Greeks and Romans, to whom the egg was a symbol of life.
- Every year at Easter Pope John Paul sends his " Urbi et Orbi " to the world.
- Easter is now celebrated (in the words of the Book of Common Prayer) on the first Sunday after the full moon which happens on or after March 21, the Spring Equinox.
- Some Churches still keep up the old tradition of using evergreens - symbolic of eternal life - embroidered in red on white, or woven in straw, but most now prefer displays of flowers in the spring colours of green, yellow and white.
- In the United States Easter is celebrated with a large Easter Egg Hunt by children on the White House Lawn.
- To the Jews, the egg marked the time of their departure from the land of Egypt.
- By tradition, it was obligatory (or at least lucky) for churchgoers to wear some bright new piece of clothing - at least an Easter bonnet, if not a complete new outfit.





SCOTTISH GAMES & CELTIC FESTIVALS FOR 2007

April

- The Down East Scottish Society**
- 7-8** Tartan Day Celebration
P.O. Box 57, Nashville, NC 27856
- Tartan Day 2007**
- 21** c/o East Bay Scottish Association **New Date**
38778 Larkspur St, Newark, CA 94560
- Loch Norman Highland Games**
- 20-22** P.O. Box 1009
Huntersville, NC 28070-1009
- Las Vegas Celtic Gathering & Highland Games**
- 21-22** 2250 E. Tropicana Ave. Suite 19-514
Las Vegas, NV 89119
- Southern Maryland Celtic Festival & Highland Gathering**
- 28** P.O. Box 209
Prince Frederick, MD 20678

May

- 4-5** Error! Hyperlink reference not valid. **New Date**
307 Gregg St, Archdale, NC 27263
- Scottish Festival & Celtic Gathering**
- 4-6** P.O. Box 2511, Clarksburg, WV 26302
- Savannah Scottish Games & Highland Gathering**
- 5** P.O. Box 13435, Savannah, GA 31416
- Celebration of Celts** **New Location**
- 5-6** 5564 Rts 9H & 23 Hudson, NY 12534
- Th' Gatherin' Fire Festival O' Beltane**
- 5-6** 221 Main WaKeeney, KA 67672
- Celtic Music Festival & Highland Games at Historic Bethabara Park**
- 11-12** 2147 Bethabara Road
Winston Salem, NC 27106
- Kentucky Scottish Weekend**
- 11-13** P.O. Box 11441
Cincinnati, OH 45211-0441
- Houston Scottish Highland Games & Celtic Festival**
- 11-13** P.O. Box 66, Bellaire, TX 77402-0066
- Frederick Celtic Festival**
- 12** 101 Foxfield Pass
Middletown, MD 21769
- Edinboro Highland Games & Scottish Festival**
- 18-20** Edinboro University of Pennsylvania/Taylor House
Edinboro, PA 16444-0001

May Cont.

- Gatlinburg Scottish Festival & Games**
- 18-20** 1104 Sanders Road, Knoxville, TN 37923
- Colonial Highland Gathering**
- 19** 735 Michell Street
Ridley Park, PA 19078 (Mailing Address Only)
- Games held at Resources Managment Area Fair Hill, Maryland**
- Minnesota Scottish Fair & Highland Games** **New Date**
- 19** 1366 Camelback Dr.
Eagan, MN 55123
- Rio Grande Valley Celtic Festival and Highland Games**
- 19** 3002 Wilson Place NE
Albuquerque, NM 87106-1815
- Alma Highland Festival and Games**
- 26-27** P.O. Box 516
Alma, MI 48801
- Glasgow Highland Games**
- 31-Jun 3** 119 E. Main St.
Glasgow, KY 42141-2835

June

- McHenry Highland Festival**
- 1-3** 687 Mosser Road
McHenry, MD 21541
- Texas Scottish Festival & Highland Games**
- 1-3** P.O. Box 511
Clifton, TX 76634
- Southern New Hampshire Scottish Games & Celtic Music Festival**
- 2** P.O. Box 393
Peterborough, NH 03458
- Milwaukee Highland Games & Scottish Festival**
- 2** 665 Elm Grove Road, Elm Grove, WI 53122
- Kansas City Scottish Highland Games**
- 8-9** c/o Kansas City Highland Games, Inc. 844 S. 291 Hwy #174
Liberty, MO 64068
- Blairsville Scottish Festival & Highland Games**
- 8-10** P.O. Box 789
Blairsville, GA 30514



SCOTTISH GAMES & CELTIC FESTIVALS FOR 2007

June Cont.

- 9** **Indiana Highland Games**
619 East DuPont Rd. #158
Ft. Wayne, IN 46825-2055
- 9** **Greater Greenville Scottish Games & Highland Festival**
225 S. Pleasantburg Dr. # B1-8
Greenville, SC 29607
- 16** **North Alabama Scottish Festival & Highland Games**
P.O. Box 1983
Huntsville, AL 35802
- 16** **Illinois St. Andrew Society Chicago Highland Games**
2800 Des Plaines Avenue
N. Riverside, IL 60546-1899
- 16** **Prosser Scottish Fest**
1230 Bennett Ave
Prosser, WA 99350
- 16-17** **Potomac Celtic Festival**
525-K E. Market St., #295
Leesburg, VA 20176
- 23** **Ohio Scottish Games**
P.O. Box 3
Lorain, OH 44052-0003
- 23** **Western Massachusetts Highland Games & Celtic Festival**
69 Maple Street
Easthampton, MA 01027
- 23-24** **San Diego Scottish Highland Games & Gathering of the Clans**
P.O. Box 3682
Vista, Ca. 92085
- 23-24** **Wyoming Celtic Festival & Highland Games**
P. O. Box 7121, Gillette,
WY 82717-7121
- 30** **United States Piping Foundation Championship**
20 Wakefield Drive
Newark, DE 19711-7012

July

- 1** **Round Hill Scottish Games**
P.O. Box 2216, Darien, CT 06820
- 7-8** **Monterey Scottish Highland Games & Celtic Festival**
956 Via Verde Del Ray Oaks, CA
- 12-15** **Grandfather Mountain Highland Games**
P.O. Box 1095, Linville, NC 28646

**New
Date**

July Cont.

- 28-29** **Pacific Northwest Scottish Highland Games & Clan Gathering**
Seattle Scottish Highland Games
Association P.O. Box 75685
Seattle, WA 98175-0685

August

- 4** **St. Andrew's Society of Detroit Highland Games**
30161 Southfield Road
Cranebrook Center, Suite 112
Southfield, MI 48076
- 10-12** **Colorado Scottish Festival & Rocky Mountain Highland Games**
9 River View Rd. Denver, CO 80215
- 11** **Central New York Scottish Games and Celtic Festival**
P.O. Box 6405, Syracuse, NY 13217
- 18** **Amherst Museum Scottish Festival**
3755 Tonawanda Creek Road
Amherst, NY 14228-1599
- 18** **Maine Highland Games**
P.O. Box 2810,
Augusta, ME 04338-2810
- 24-Sep 1** **Valley of the Moon Scottish Fiddling School**
1281 Fifth Ave
San Francisco, CA 94122
- 25** **Celtic Highland Games of the Quad Cities-IOWA**
P.O. Box 3201
Rock Island, IL 61204-3201 (Mailing Address only)
- 25** **Games held at Mississippi Valley Fairgrounds, Davenport, Iowa**
- 25** **Kalamazoo Scottish Festival**
P.O. Box 511
Oshtemo, MI 49077-0511
- 25** **Long Island Scottish Games**
58 Bayberry Drive
Huntington, NY 11743
- 31-Sep 2** **Dakota Celtic Festival & Highland Games**
P.O. Box 765, Rapid City, SD 57709

September

- 1-2** **Wisconsin Highland Games & Celtic Fling**
PO. Box 270292, West Allis, WI 53227



SCOTTISH GAMES & CELTIC FESTIVALS FOR 2007

September Cont.

- Capital District Scottish Games**
1-2 50 Mather Ave
Schonectady, NY 12304
- Longs Peak Scottish/Irish Highland Festival**
6-9 P.O. Box 1820
Estse Park, CO 80517-1820
- Western Kentucky Highland Festival**
7-9 2028 Jefferson Street
Paducah, KY 42001
- Ligonier Highland Games**
7-9 P.O. Box 884
Bethel Park, PA 15102-0884
- Sycamore Shoals Celtic Festival**
7-9 P.O. Box 5384
Johnson City, TN 37602
- Columbus Scottish Festival**
8-9 P.O. Box 2573
Columbus, IN 47202-2573
- Whiteface Scottish Highland Festival**
8-9 P.O. Box 1980
Wilmington, NY 12997
- Charleston Scottish Games & Highland Gathering**
15 P.O. Box 31951, Charleston, SC 29417
- Virginia Scottish Games**
15 P.O. Box 1338
Alexandria, VA 22313
- Oklahoma Scottish Festival**
15-17 P.O. Box 470412
Tulsa, OK 74147
- Alabama Highland Games**
21-23 P.O. Box 241204
Montgomery, AL 36124-1204
- New Hampshire Highland Games**
21-23 P.O. Box 4197
Concord, NH 03302-4197
- McPherson Scottish Festival**
22-23 P.O. Box 616
McPherson, KS 67460
- Celtic Classic**
28-30 532 Main St, Bethlehem, PA 18018
- Pipes In The Valley Celtic Music Festival**
29 776 Tolland St. East Hartford, CT
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**New
Location**

September Cont.

- 29 Williamsburg Scottish Festival**
P.O. Box 866
Williamsburg, VA 23187-0866

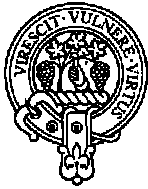
October

- St. Louis Scottish Games & Cultural Festival**
5-6 c/o St. Louis Scottish Games
P.O. Box 6811, Chesterfield,
MO 63006-6811
- 5-7 Flora MacDonald Highland Games**
P.O. Box 547, Red Springs, NC 28377
- 6 St. Andrew's Society of Connecticut Scottish Festival**
P.O. Box 1195, Litchfield, CT 06459
- 13 Anne Arundel Scottish Highland Games**
P.O. Box 539, Crownsville, MD 21032
- 20-21 Stone Mountain Highland Games & Scottish Festival**
P.O. Box 14023, Atlanta,
GA 30324-1023
- 27-28 Richmond Highland Games & Celtic Festival**
P.O. Box 26805
Richmond, VA 23261-6805
- 27 Waxhaw Gathering of the Clans & Scottish Games**
P.O. Box 527, Waxhaw, NC 28173

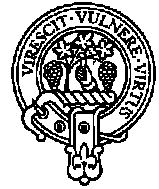
November

- Tucson Celtic Festival & Highland Games**
2-3 c/o Tucson Celtic Festival Association
P.O. Box 40665, Tucson,
AZ 85717-0665
- Foothills Highland Games**
3 c/o SCOTS (Scottish Clans of the South) P.O. Box 1939, Hendersonville,
NC 28793

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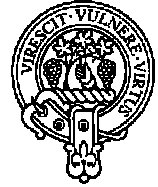
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