

The Highland Fling

July 2019

A Wee Fling Dedicated to our 170th Annual Highland Games!



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Aug. 2 & 3, 2019
GREENMEAD HISTORICAL PARK
LIVONIA, MI
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Emma Velasco, President

A Letter from the Detroit Scots' President

Greetings All!

I hope this edition of the Fling finds you all enjoying your summer! If you are planning travels or family activities, sell some raffle tickets and invite everyone to the Games! I'm looking forward to seeing you all there.

Our next membership meeting is Monday September 9th, but remember that many of our committees continue to meet all summer. Offer a helping hand whenever you are able, it makes a difference. And of course, your volunteer time at The Annual Highland Games is the key to its success!

I'll be available all summer - feel free to reach out if you need me.

Yours Aye,

Emma Velasco, President



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St. Andrew's Society of Detroit 2019 Calendar

Date	Event	Food	Charity	50/50	Benevolence
July 2019					
No membership meeting No Executive Committee meeting No Trustees meeting, No House Committee meeting					
7/10	Highland Games Meeting 6:30 pm at Kilgour Scottish Centre				
7/11	Open Library Hours 10:30 am – 2:30 pm				
7/20	Open Library Hours 10:30 am – 2:30 pm				
7/25	Open Library Hours 10:30 am – 2:30 pm				
7/27	SASD Pub Night with CrossBow 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm				
7/31	Highland Games – Volunteers' meeting at Greenmead 6:00 pm				
August 2019					
No membership meeting No Trustees meeting, No House Committee meeting					
8/2	Highland Games – Ceilidh				
8/3	Highland Games – Games Day				
8/4	Games clean-up				
8/8	Open Library Hours 10:30 am – 2:30 pm				
8/13	Executive Committee Meeting 6:00 pm				
8/15	Communications Team Mtg. 6:30 pm				
8/17	Open Library Hours 10:30 am – 2:30 pm				
8/22	Open Library Hours 10:30 am-2:30 pm				
September 2019					
Date	Event	Food	Charity	50/50	Benevolence
9/9	Membership Meeting	Dessert	Troy Scholastic Program Morse Elementary School	Gaelic College Nova Scotia	Walsh College Student Hardship Fund
9/11	Executive Committee Meeting 6:00 pm (special date)				
9/12	Open Library Hours 10:30 am-2:30 pm				
9/17	House Committee Mtg. 5:00 pm Trustees Meeting 6:30 pm				
9/19	Communications Team Mtg. 6:30 pm				
9/21	Open Library Hours 10:30 am-2:30 pm				
9/26	Open Library Hours 10:30 am-2:30 pm				



PUB NIGHT



When

SATURDAY, JULY 27

6 PM – 10 PM

**CROSSBOW AT THE
ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY**

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\$15 Cover Charge

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St. Andrew's Society is a Scottish Benevolent Society established in 1849 and an IRC 501(c)(3) charitable organization

RAFFLE TICKET SALES CLOSE TO GOAL!

We are on our way to a record breaking raffle ticket sales...and that means MORE SCHOLARSHIPS for our talented, young Scottish artists.

2018 TOTAL ticket sales by members	\$ 6,105
2019 YTD ticket sales by members	\$ 5,790

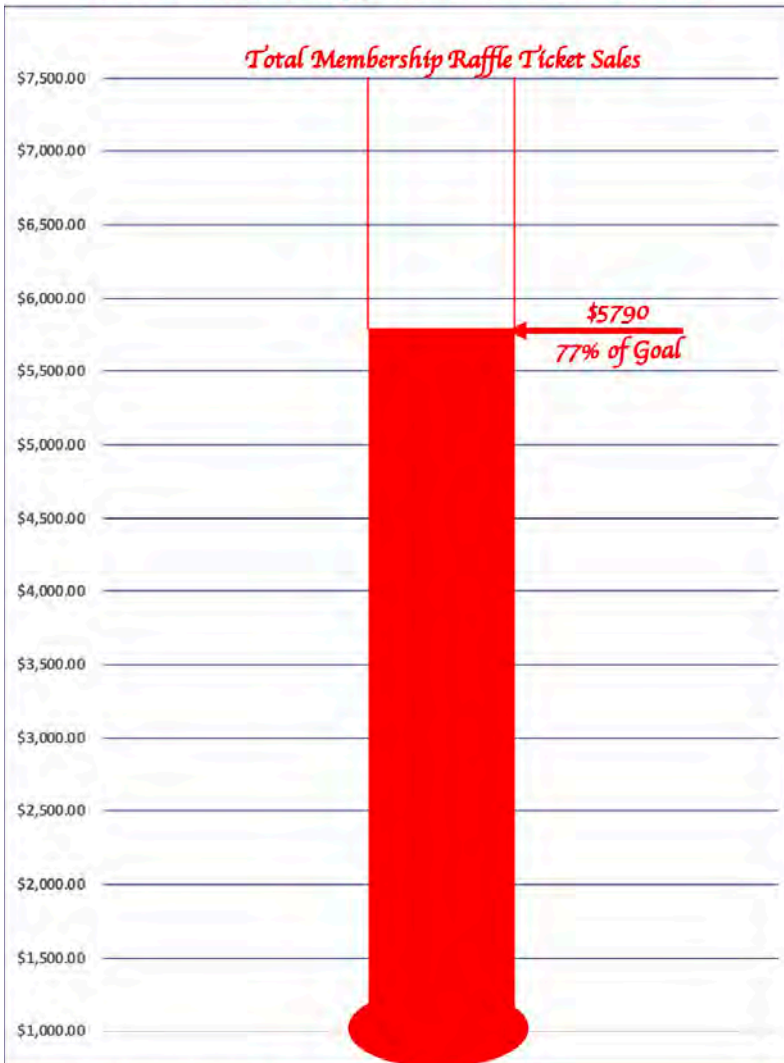
With 5 more weeks for you to purchase or sell tickets, we will surely meet or exceed our goal of \$7500.

THANKS to all you early birds - 200 members have sent in money, so far. I am overwhelmed at the number of Detroit Scots who have committed to selling more than the 4 tickets we mailed to you. And, it is not too late to request more. I am looking forward to opening an envelope with a check in it from every member!

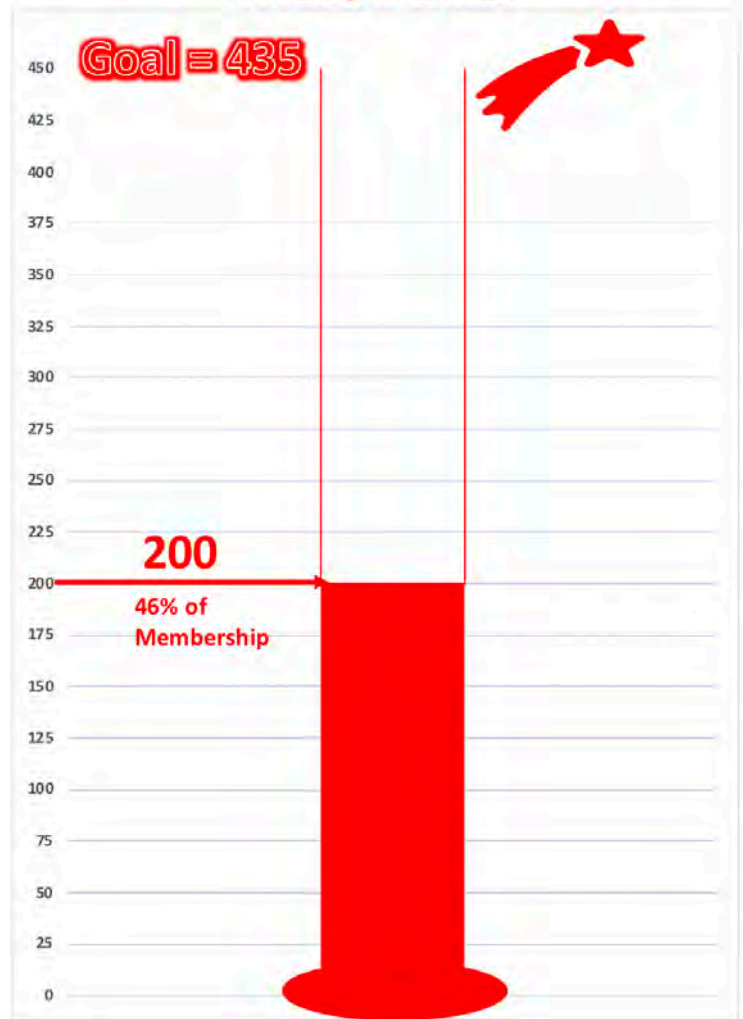
You are proving that **DETROIT SCOTS CARE!**

Danice Chisholm raffle@detroitscots.com 248-506-9242

2019 St. Andrew's Society of Detroit Annual Highland Games



2019 Highland Games # of Members Purchasing Raffle Tickets



Games Raffle - You Could Win \$2500 !



One lucky winner of the Annual Highland Games Raffle will win \$2500!
Two other winners will win \$1000 and \$500 each.

The raffle is for a good cause: scholarships for the Scottish Arts, but winning the raffle is a good thing, too! All members have received 4 raffle tickets in the mail.

So, send back just one, two or all of the tickets mailed to you,
for a chance to do good and receive a good return on your \$5 per ticket investment.

If you want additional tickets to sell to friends and family or want more chances, personally, to win, contact Danice Chisholm via email raffle@detroitscots.com
call her at 248-506-9242 , or look her up at any of the Kilgour activities.

ON THEIR WAY TO THE ROYAL EDINBURGH MILITARY TATTOO!

Those raffle tickets that you are asked to buy every year in support of the Annual Highland Games? Yes, they do pay off! You know that all of the money that the raffle makes goes directly to the **William H. Kincaid Scottish Arts Scholarship Program**. Well, this year three of our scholarship recipients have been selected to perform their Highland Dancing skills and talents at the Tattoo in Scotland in August. This is an outstanding honor for these young girls. They are all students of our own Jennifer Miller-Combs who is the Highland Dance Chair for our Games. A fourth student of Jennifer's has also been chosen to go to Scotland. This is so exciting, not only for the girls, their instructor, and their families but for all of us who have supported this program. The Trustees of the St. Andrew's Society of Detroit have voted to donate money to help these young girls with their airfare to Scotland. Once in Scotland, the girls' expenses are all covered. Cathy Hasse is collecting additional donations for the airfare. If you would like to donate to this cause, please send a check to Cathy Hasse at 5940 Pontiac Trail, Orchard Lake, MI 48323. If you make the check payable to the St. Andrew's Society of Detroit, it will be matched by the Society. These matching funds are from the Burt Middlemas foundation. Congratulations to Cameron, Cait, Maddie and Zoe – and of course to their proud teacher Jennifer! **Now go sell more raffle tickets!!**



Cameron, Maddie and Zoe

Proud of our history of Highland Games!

Many Detroit organizations held annual picnics on the island. The largest annual gathering was the Scottish Highland Games sponsored by the St. Andrew's Society of Detroit, which would often draw more than 10,000 visitors.

Promotional Brochure, 1902.
From the Detroit Historical Society Collection

St.
Andrew's
Society,



**Annual
Picnic and
Games,**

Thursday, August 14th, 1902.
AT
BOIS BLANC
PARK,

On New Steamer **COLUMBIA.**
Leaving Foot of Bates Street at 9:00 a. m. Tickets, Adults 35 Cents,
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1902!



1929!



Captain of the Bob-lo Boat!

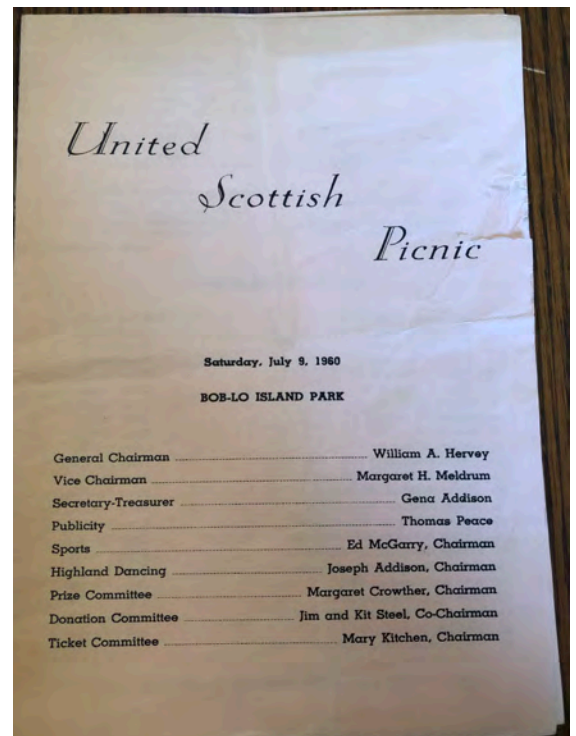
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1954



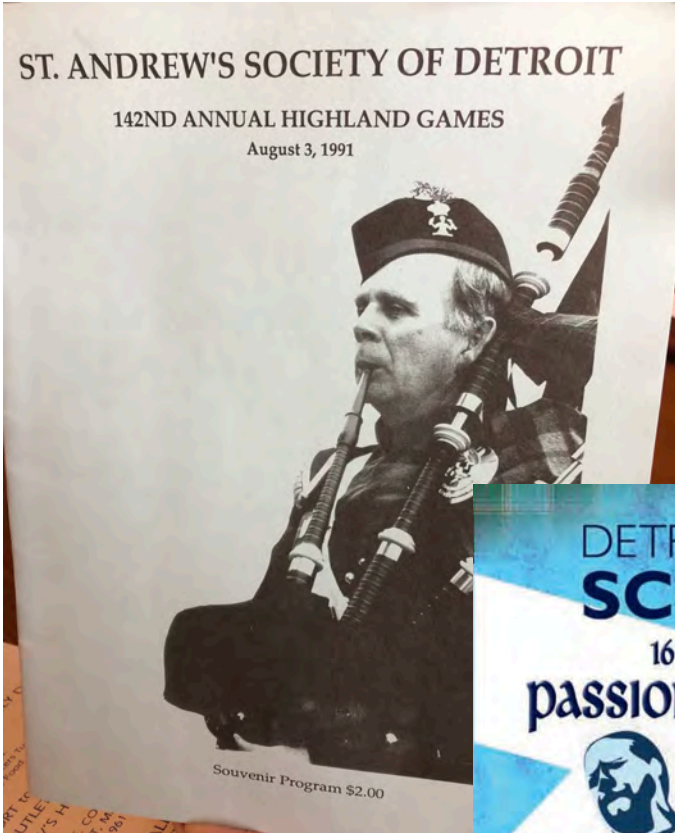
1960



1964
&
1985



Proud of our history of Highland Games!



1991



1994



2014



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Highland Games News

There is still time to sign up to volunteer or to ask a family member, neighbor or co-worker to volunteer. All you have to do is go to Highlandgames.com/volunteer and fill out the form on-line. This form is very user friendly. We need a form for everyone this year to assure that there is a volunteer shirt in the correct size ordered and reserved for you, and it will help with our total count of the number of volunteers that we have.

There will be an all Volunteer Meeting on Wednesday, July 31st at Greenmead at the Blue House at 6:00 pm. This is a good time for you to pick up your Volunteer badge, shirt, lanyard, and pin. If you cannot make it to Greenmead at this time, you can pick up everything on Thursday or Friday, August 1st and 2nd between 10 am and 4:00 pm at the Meeting House (across from the Ceilidh Tent). **OR...** pick them up on Games Day at the Welcome Center after 8 am. Some of the Chairs are planning on meeting with their volunteers to give them specific instructions for their area. This will speed up things on Games day. If you are coming to the meeting at Greenmead, would you please let Cathy (highlandgameschair@detroitscots.com) know so that we will have ballpark number on how many to plan for.

Remember, Stuart Kennedy and his Field Crew can use help before the Games... especially on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Stuart will also need plenty of help after Closing Ceremony on Saturday and after 8 am on Sunday. The more workers he has, the earlier on Sunday all of us will get home to rest.

If you have not mailed in your raffle ticket money to Danice, please do so at your earliest convenience. If you need more raffle tickets, you can also contact Danice for those. You can reach Danice at raffle@detroitscots.com. If you plan on bringing your money and/or raffle ticket stubs with you to the Games, please be sure to check in with Danice so that she will give you credit for buying your ticket. As of right now only 184 members have purchased their tickets. Many members have purchased more than the four that were mailed out to them. For this, we thank those members!

Please continue to get the word out about our wonderful event. It is always amazing to us that there are still people in the greater Detroit area that have never heard of our Games. And, some of these people are even Scottish!!

Like us on Facebook and be sure to tell your friends and family to do this, too. We are also now on Instagram and Twitter, thanks to Amanda Ross, who is helping us with this area of publicity.

As always if you have any comments or suggestions, please let us know.

See you at the Games.

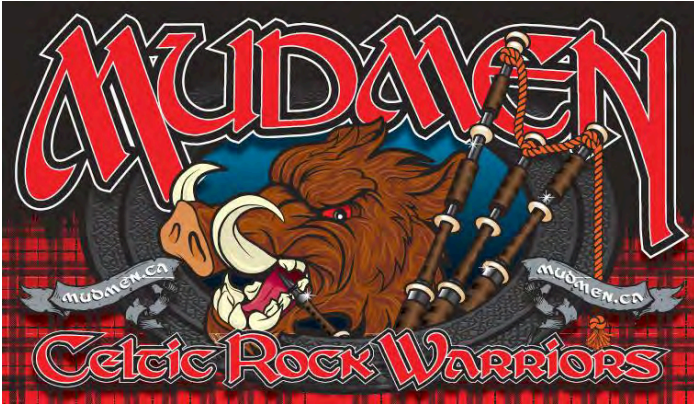
Jerry Beasley, Cathy Hasse, Glen Milligan



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MUDMEN Canada's Celtic Rock Warriors.

The Mudmen Robby Campbell, Sandy Campbell, Jeremy Burton, Mike Meacher & Dan Westenenk believe nice guys finish first and their love for music and their off stage friendship shows in their live shows

With nearly 3000 shows to date Mudmen Canada's Celtic Rock Warriors celebrated their 20th Anniversary in 2018.



Albannach is Scots-Gaelic for "Scottish" or "Scotsman". That's exactly what we are - born and bred in Scotland, our purpose in life is to share our intriguing culture, history and heritage with you by means of our music.

Albannach are not just another Scottish 'Pipes & Drums' band, indeed we bring a new and exciting form of music to your living room. A championship winning piper, an extremely talented main drummer, bass drummers and bodhran musician bring you a brand new approach to percussion and Celtic music. Our style of music is exciting, energetic and enchanting and we promise to leave you begging for more.



Stone Clover was founded by Detroit natives Pauly Brady and Taylor Izak in 2009. Pauly met Taylor while working as a full time brewer living above Detroit's landmark Irish pub the Old Shillelagh. They began creating a style of music that borrowed from traditional Irish, punk rock, metal, and folk - a genre they affectionately named "Paddy Slag". After growing into a five-piece line-up, Stone Clover was already packing pubs and clubs within their first year of performing. Local and regional festivals began to take notice, and the band quickly worked their way up to becoming a crowd favorite headlining act. Stone Clover has been consistently playing close to 100 shows a year, winning over friends and fans with their high energy performance, infectious original music, and jovial banter.



Whether you call it Celtic-rock, kilt-rock, bagpipe rock, Scottish-rock or even Sham-rock, Prydein delivers a high-energy performance loved by young and old. A typical Prydein audience is a pretty even mix of folks; elementary school kids to those disenchanting youth with hair the color of toxic waste and holes in their body that they weren't born with standing next to elderly couples holding up cell phones in the air so that their middle-aged children can hear the amazing sound coming from a rock band with bagpipes. Call it what you will...

...they call it fun.

GAMES DAY MAJOR EVENTS:

HIGHLAND DANCING



PIPE & DRUM BANDS

HEAVY ATHLETICS



OTHER EVENTS:

- TUG O' WAR
- WHISKY TASTING
- WEE BAIRNS
- KILT'D K
- CLAN ROW
- LIVING HISTORY
- SCOTTISH ANIMALS



WANT AD

HIGHLAND GAMES

We need a member who can help out Cori in the Counting House during the Ceilidh.

The job will involve counting money and helping Cori keep track of where the money is coming from such as Beer, Whisky, Souvenirs, Programs, Raffle, etc. Benefits are limited – you will get to hear the music from the Ceilidh tent! You would be needed to work from about 4:30 until almost 11 pm on Friday, August 2. Please contact Cathy Hasse 248-760-9252 or at hassehouse2@gmail.com to apply.



FREE CHILD IDENTIFICATION PROGRAM OFFERED AT THE HIGHLAND GAMES

There is nothing as terrifying for parents than when a child goes missing. For more than a decade, Michigan Masons have been helping parents and law enforcement secure a peace of mind should the tragedy of a missing child occur through the Michigan Child ID Program.

Masonic Lodges throughout the state of Michigan distribute more than 5,000 identification kits to parents at community and school events each year. The kits are provided free to parents thanks to the generosity and volunteerism of Masons through the Michigan Masonic Charitable Foundation.

A completed ChildID kit contains a memory stick which includes vital information, digital fingerprints, a still picture and short video interview to capture the voice and mannerisms of the identified person. The kit also contains a dental impression kit (which also serves as DNA and dog scenting resources).

The Livonia United Masonic Lodge #152 will be providing this child identification service for parents and grandparents with young children. It only takes a few minutes time and is at no cost. Stories are told every year about first hand experiences that this program has helped with. Look for the tent near the Wee Bairns Area at the Games..



2019 Shortbread Contest at the Highland Games

St. Andrew's Society of Detroit's 170th Annual Highland Games Shortbread Contest will be on Saturday, August 3rd, 2019 at Greenmead Historical Park. To enter your Shortbread, turn in at least 12 samples, in a non-returnable container to the Welcome Center by Noon. Winner will be announced after the Tug of War Competition at the Main Event Field and must submit their recipe.

Last year's 2018 Contest Results:

The Judging Panel: Lisa Kaberna, Yvette Babish, Karen Wood, Rene Rayfield Bushey, CoChair and Christy Haradean, Chair.

We had a awesome time Judging the Shortbread and here are the results:

In 3rd Place: Megan Coscia

In 2nd Place: Charlotte Nicholson

And the 1st Place Winner: Patricia Reid

Patricia Reid's recipe and family story:

Grandma Lou's Scottish Shortbread

Ingredients:

1 Cup butter, softened

½ Cup sugar (castor's or very fine sugar if available)

2 ½ Cups all purpose flour (sift three times, then measure)

Directions:

Cream butter and sugar until light and fluffy; then cream for a minute more. Gradually cut in flour until dough is stiff and pulls away from sides of bowl forming a ball. Knead a few times on a floured board, but don't handle too much.

Pat into a flattened round and cut into four sections. Press each section into a floured mold and quickly tap out onto un-greased baking pans. Pierce deeply with fork (this keeps the bread 'short' or crisp.) Score each cake into eight sections to make 'petticoat tails.' Sprinkle lightly with sugar.

Bake at 325° for about 35 minutes or until done. Shortbread should not brown very much. Cool on pans for about 10 minutes before removing carefully with large spatula to wire racks.

Enjoy with a properly brewed cup of tea!

Store in airtight tins.

Family Notes:

These are the directions first given to me in 1972 by my mother-in-law, Louisa Reid.

Lou worked at the McVitie & Price shortbread factory in Edinburgh in the 1930's.

Lou used a horse for the delivery of their famous shortbread to the shops of Edinburgh. She laughingly recalled being put up on the back of one of these huge animals by some of the men who drove the teams.

I don't sift the flour three times as she did, and I have seldom found the castor's sugar to use in my shortbread. In 32 years of baking it, I haven't had many complaints.

Maybe that's because I listened to Lou when she told me to cream the butter and sugar just a little more. Lou's spirit is always there with me when I'm baking. When I get the creamed butter just right (in my eyes) I always beat it another full minute, imagining Mum beside me saying, "just a wee bit more, dear-r-r."



2018 Shortbread Contest Winner Patricia Reid receives her trophy from Christy Haradean, Shortbread Chair



2018 Shortbread Judges: Lisa Kaberna, Yvette Babbish, Karen Wood, Co-Chair Renee Bushey, Chair Christy Haradean

A Special Invitation for St. Andrew's Society of Detroit Members: Many Scots Have Viking Heritage -- Embrace Yours on this "Viking" Dinner Cruise

Nordkap Lodge—the first Sons of Norway lodge in Michigan—turns 90 this year! In celebration, we're inviting you and your guests to join us in a private cruise on the Detroit River onboard the elegant Motor Vessel Portofino, owned by St. Andrew's Society of Detroit member Jerry Beasley.

Why should Scots take a cruise with a bunch of Norwegians? As we know, the Vikings were all over Scotland, so many Scots are now finding family roots that trace back to Scandinavia, and they want to learn about the lands their ancestors came from. The voyage on the MV Portofino will celebrate not only the long history of Nordkap lodge and the accomplishments of Norwegians in Michigan, but also the heritage of our Viking ancestors who sailed mighty rivers and oceans in their longships years ago.

The three-hour cruise on Saturday, September 14, embarks from the Portofino Restaurant at 3455 Biddle in Wyandotte, sails upstream under the Ambassador Bridge towards the Renaissance Center in Detroit, then turns for the downstream voyage back to Wyandotte.

We will board the vessel at 6:15 p.m. and return at 9:30 p.m. Included in the Viking-themed cruise will be a complete strolling dinner, with entrees of salmon, meatballs, and chicken piccata. Vegetarian and gluten-free items will be indicated on the serving table. An alternative vegan/vegetarian entree may be requested with your reservation. A cash bar will also be available.

The price is \$60, and space is limited. Make your paid reservation early. You can download, print out, and mail the reservation form available on the Nordkap Lodge website at www.DetroitNorwegians.com. Or contact Louise Giles at Nordkap@DetroitNorwegians.com or 248-224-3369 to ask a form to be sent to you.

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An Article of Interest:
[For Remote Communities In
Scotland's Outer Hebrides,
Mobile Libraries Are A Lifeline](#)

IN OUR THOUGHTS

Please continue to send healing thoughts and prayers to:

Member **Susan Meare's** son, Benjamin R. Hodges, has passed away. Please keep Susan and her family in your thoughts and prayers during this time.



St. Andrew's Royal Scottish Honour Guard, **Bill Merrifield**, recently was married to Mary at Greenmead Historical Park.

Very sadly, Bill has been hospitalized in ICU with bad case of pneumonia and is on a ventilator. At press time, he had been airlifted to Royal Oak Beaumont.

Additionally, just after the wedding service **Darren Murray** needed Emergency Care, due to a case of dehydration. He was released that night.

St. Andrew's Pipe Band Piper, **Judith Wilson**, lost her husband, Norman Wilson. Norm lost his battle with cancer on June 17th. His funeral was Sunday, June 23rd.

Jean Marnich Redpath passed away peacefully on Saturday, June 15, 2019, just 5 days after her 101st birthday.

A Memorial Service is planned for Jean on Wednesday, July 17, 2019 at Greenfield Presbyterian Church
2312 Greenfield Road
Berkley, MI. 48072
10:00 a.m. Visitation
11:00 a.m. Memorial Service

Here is a link to Sawyer Fuller and her obituary..... [Click Here](#)



FLOWER FUND

Please remember to donate to the Flower Fund when you can...we cherish our members and want to reach out in times of illness and bereavement.

Donations can be placed in the open Bible on the stage during our monthly membership meetings.

If you hear of a member in need, please send an email to flowers@detroitscots.com.

Thomas McLaughlan Eulogy at St. Andrew's Society of Detroit June 3, 2019 Membership Meeting

R. Ian Hunter, St. Andrew's Society of Detroit
Former Chairman of the Board of Trustees

I acknowledge the passing of our Life Member Thomas McLaughlan at the youthful age of 93 which was announced in a recent Highland Fling Notice.

It is likely that relatively few of those attending tonight's Meeting knew Tom well, if at all. He has been physically handicapped for some time and has been compelled to use a motorized cart for many years. Thus, for that reason he has not regularly attended our meetings in the recent past.

However, in 1990 when I joined the Society, Tom was active and did regularly attend our meetings and thereafter for many years. He was elected to the Board of Trustees and served at least two terms during my tenure as its Chairperson.

He was the local Clan Chief of the Clan McLaughlan and was continuously at our Highland Games. His Clan Tent was historically situated at the entrance of Clan row. Moreover, it was often the most attractive of the Clan Tents.

Tommy was born in Scotland and was never married. He was not formally educated but he was extensively self-educated. He was an avid and prolific reader of Scottish literature and all facets of its history. I vividly recall his conversations with Dr. William Phenix, our former President and Chairman of the Board as well as a professor of Military history, comparing their thoughts on a host of many books which they would exchange for the other to read.

For those who knew him and those who did not but wish to give him tribute details concerning his Visitation tomorrow and his Funeral on Wednesday are in Fling notice of last week.

However, my principle reason for directing your attention to Tommy's passing is to emphasize that each of us as St. Andrew's members can learn so much about our Scottish heritage and culture by conversing and interacting with our fellow members. The failure to do so will deny each of us a major value of membership.

For example, my memory of Tommy is best captured by his pivotal role in what I firmly believe was the Society's most epic debate in modern time. The occasion was at a Society membership meeting which I recall took place at the Commonwealth Club in the late 1990s. During the course of the meeting, Tom Plunkett, a Society member, the owner of the Deacon Brodie Scottish Restaurants and a zealous fan of the Glasgow Rangers, "innocently" inquired why the Society did not fly the Union Jack flag at the Highland Games concurrently with the flags of Scotland, the US and St. Andrew's. He noted that the Union Jack is the flag of Great Britain of which Scotland has been a part since the Union of England and Scotland in 1707.

I can assure you from that moment, all Hell broke loose. The Jacobites of which Tommy was manifestly sympathetic came out of the closet and confronted the Unionists, including Plunkett, with angry vengeance. It was as if we were transplanted to Scotland in 1745 just before Culloden. The schism between the English Crown and the Scottish pretender Bonnie Prince Charlie, the Protestant feud with the Catholics and the Scottish Highlanders dissatisfaction with the Union were on full display. If you were not previously aware of these deep seeded differences, you were quickly brought up to date.

It was Thomas McLaughlan who led the "Jacobite" charge. Given his previously formed and unshakeable opinion, he firmly believed it would be pure heresy to even consider flying the Union Jack at the Scottish Highland Games. While small in physical stature, he was ready to challenge the many Unionists who had a diametrically opposite opinion. The debate raged on and many left angry and upset.

However, at this time I can safely say that the Union Jack has never flown at the Society's 169 and soon to be 170 consecutive Highland Games. We can assume that Tommy remained convinced that his Jacobite cohorts and he were responsible for this state of affairs in the aftermath of this epic debate.

In conclusion, if you have joined this Society to enhance your knowledge of Scottish history and culture there is no better way than to engage in discussions with or observe your fellow members who you will often find provide great insight and knowledge. It is an invaluable feature of your membership.

June 3, 2019



Off the Shelf... News about the Charles S. Low Memorial Library

Announcement: We are pleased to announce that Ann Brown, after joining the Society on June 3rd, has also decided to join the Library Committee. Ann is a retired Librarian with special studies in Archives and will join our other two professional Librarians Cathy and Nancy.

Highland Games: Shelby Rohr, Fling Editor, has asked that we write about the Highland Games past and upcoming if possible. So, without much thought it is obvious that a Library, History and Archives Committee would talk about is games documents past and present.

Some of you may already know that thanks to member Fred Wessels, much of our early society documents are stored at the Burton Library in Detroit to be preserved for generations to come. The Library Staff has discussed for several years to begin a multi-year project to digitize all of this material and make it available for our membership and researchers to review. This is one step closer now, with the donation of funds by one of our staff members to purchase a digital scanner to assist with this project. The Burton Library has documented Highland Picnic and Games going back to 1905 and continuing through 1977. In documenting what is in our Collection, the Burton Library identifies an Activities Series with material starting in 1879. How exciting it will be to discover what was happening in our Society from the very first meeting 170 years ago!

For now, we were able to assist Cathy Hasse with games programs and documents that are currently available in our Archives in the Kilgour Centre. The Library is continually working at making documents and information available for our members and the community.

Library Open:

The 3rd Saturday of every month from 10:30 am to 2:30 pm

The 2nd and 4th Thursdays every month 10:30 am to 2:30 pm

Membership meeting nights beginning at 5 pm.

Also, by appointment.

Email: library@detroitscots.com

Library Staff:

Julie Bartoy, Ann Brown, Maryann Clark, Marge Cowan, Sharon Cross, Nan Fromm, Irene Hall, Stuart Kennedy, Cathy McCullough Les, Malcolm McKinnon, Nancy Waters, Dennis Clements (Chair)

Honorary Members: Dick Fromm **Contributors:** Linda Davenport and Elliot MacFarlane

Society Honors Fallen Michigan Marines

A Memorial to 22 Michigan Marines killed in Iraq was dedicated recently in Chesterfield Township. The memorial is located behind the township offices. The St. Andrew's Society of Detroit has donated a Memorial Brick in support of the Fundraising efforts to maintain the site and a possible scholarship fund.

For more information, here is the link to the [Free Press Article](#).

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ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY OF DETROIT

THE DETROIT SCOTS

Membership Application



Please print all information. This information will be included in the annual membership directory. Complete in full, sign and date, mail with application fee of \$65 to:

Membership Secretary at 2363 Rochester Rd, Troy, Michigan 48083.

Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____ City, State ZIP _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Preferred email address _____

Place of birth _____ Clan Affiliation (if known) _____

Please give name, relationship & place of birth of a direct ancestor (if known) _____

This is how I want my name to appear on my name badge _____

Occupation _____ Employer _____

How did you hear about us? _____

Sponsor Name _____ If you need a sponsor, please contact Rosemary Newton 248.229.9236

Emergency Contact: Name _____ Phone _____

General Membership meetings are held on the first Monday of each month except for July & August or on the second Monday when the first Monday is a National holiday.

ANNUAL EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

- January – Burns' Night
- April – Tartan Day – April 6
- August – Highland Games & Ceilidh
- December - St. Andrew's Day Holiday
- Annual Tartan Ball

PLEASE CIRCLE YOUR AREAS OF INTEREST

- Games Genealogy Social Events
- Benevolence Library Cultural Activities
- Other _____

To the Officers and Members of the St. Andrew's Society of Detroit: Being of Scottish birth or lineage, I wish to become a member of your Society. I promise to be faithful and loyal to the Society, to conform to its Constitution and By-Laws and do all in my power to further its aims and objectives.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE _____ **DATE** _____

For Membership Secretary:

Application received: _____ **Fee** _____ **Elected:** _____ **Notified** _____

Initiated _____ **Membership Number** _____ **Dues Received** _____ **Amount** _____



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Make Check out to the St. Andrew's Society of Detroit

Mail completed form and check to: St. Andrew's Society of Detroit, Attn Fling Editor, 2363 Rochester Road, Troy, MI 48083

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Month: January February March April May June September October

November December

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