



## CLAN DONNACHAIDH SOCIETY

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### CLAN GATHERING AND AGM

6-13 August 2017

We apologize for a somewhat late notification of the Society's Annual General meeting, owing to extensive works that have been taking place at the Clan Centre at Bruar.

The Annual General Meeting will be held at 2 p.m. on Thursday 10 August in the hall of The Tryst, Pitlochry Church of Scotland, Church Road, Pitlochry PH16 5EB.

The entrance to the church and The Tryst building is on the right-hand side of West Moulin Road. After you have passed the Co-op supermarket and the Town Hall on the right, you will see a little further along a notice board and sign for access to the Church of Scotland church. There is limited parking around the church but it is usually possible to park in West Moulin Road. You can also approach on foot from Bonnethill Road.

If you are unable to attend the AGM you may use the Proxy form attached. The Financial Statements, Agenda, and Minutes of the 2016 AGM will be available in the hall.

Other items planned for the week are:

**Sunday 6 August** at 6 p.m.: A get-together for early arrivals in The Tryst lounge.

#### **Monday 7 August**

9.30 a.m. Two half-day excursions, starting from Fisher's Hotel:

- o a tour of clan country and a visit to the Crannog Centre

7.30 p.m. A talk on Kilmaveonaig Church, by Libby MacRae, in The Tryst lounge.

#### **Tuesday 8 August** at 9.30 a.m.

Half day visit to Kilmaveonaig Church and the Atholl Country Life Museum in Blair Atholl.

#### **Wednesday 9 August**

- o 10 a.m. – DNA meeting, The Tryst hall
- o 2 p.m. – Dancing practice for the ceilidh on Friday, The Tryst hall
- o 6 p.m. – Gathering Reception, The Tryst lounge

**Thursday 10 August** at 2 p.m.: AGM, The Tryst hall

#### **Friday 11 August**

9.30 a.m. Two half-day excursions, starting from Fisher's Hotel:

- o a tour of clan country and a visit to Dunkeld

7.30 p.m. Chief's Dinner, Atholl Palace Hotel, Pitlochry, followed by a ceilidh.

There will be a reception before this, in principle starting at 7 p.m., but the starting time may have to be brought forward owing to large numbers of participants. Starting time of reception to be confirmed.

#### **Saturday 12 August**

The clan will be appearing at the first performance of the Royal Edinburgh Tattoo, to which clans have been invited as part of this year's theme 'A Splash of Tartan'. Coaches have been hired to take ticket-holders from Pitlochry to Edinburgh.

**Sunday 13 August:** Annual church service at Struan Kirk. Details to be confirmed.

Would you contact the secretary if you would like to attend any of the events. A proxy form is available on the website if you are not able to attend the AGM.