

RHODE ISLAND SCOTTISH HIGHLAND FESTIVAL 2017 AGM OF THE KENNEDY SOCIETY OF NORTH AMERICA



The 2017 AGM of the Kennedy Society of North America will be held on June 10th in West Greenwich Rhode Island. The games will be at the Washington County Fairgrounds from 8am to the closing at 5pm. The massed bands and calling of the Clans will be at 11:30.

The Best Western West Greenwich will be the host hotel and is located at 99 Nooseneck Hill Road, West Greenwich at the rate of \$80.10 per night. Their phone is 401-397-5494. I have several rooms held in the Kennedy Society of North America name. If the rooms sell out before May 1st, I may be able to get more, after May 1st the pricing goes up and there is no guarantee on room availability.

The hotel is right off the exit ramp from interstate route 95 and has gas stations and diners nearby. If anyone is flying or taking Amtrak, just call me and we can work out travel issues. Camping is near the Games but not necessarily the host hotel. Mystic KOA is a nice campground and near the highway (Rt 95) and about 20 minutes from the games from the South.

On Friday evening, at the host hotel, we will have a cook out with hamburgers, hot dogs, beans and corn. The cost is \$20 per person. A fire pit is possible (loved the one in Charleston). Please bring your favorite folding chair. Travel to the games is about 20 minutes from the Best Western. Games admission is around \$18, but we are working on getting advanced tickets at a savings. More on that as the event gets closer. We will hold the meeting there at around 1:30pm.

After the closing, we will pack up the Kennedy tent and return to the hotel, hopefully by 6pm. I am setting up a dinner at Fat Bellys Irish pub, 10 minutes from the hotel. We will have a private room, good food and cold beer. (Scotch will also be available). The cost and the choice of the dinner will be on each attendee.

Sunday morning we will hold the officers meeting. Time and location will be announced that weekend.

I will have more information of events occurring in the area as June gets closer. Mystic historical seaport and aquarium and the US Coast Guard Academy are all nearby in Connecticut. Newport, with its mansions, historical streets and ongoing musical events, is about 40 minutes away. The beaches are 25 minutes out and historical Providence is 30 minutes away. Actually, New Hampshire and Maine are about 2.5 to 3 hours away – so much to see and do! Make it a vacation and visit New England.

Leo





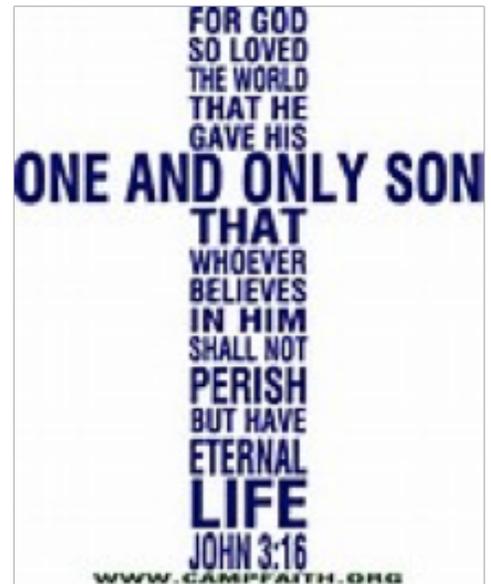
DEAR BRETHREN OF THE KENNEDY SOCIETY OF NORTH AMERICA:

I have two daughters. The younger is 50, married to a wonderful guy, with two great children. Everything to live for. She has been fighting pancreatic cancer for the last several months. That kind of cancer has a survival rate of just nine percent. Yesterday we were thrilled to hear that she is part of the nine! Praise God from whom all blessings flow.

Many of us are cancer survivors. We all know people who have died from cancer. Most people of a certain age and maturity fear cancer. It is part of the fallen nature of all creation.

We now are looking forward to Easter over the view of Lent, Holy Week and Good Friday. We know how the story ends. We all have an opportunity to be part of the happy ending. Eternal Life is offered to all of us. We have been shown the way. A blessed Easter to one and all. Please say a prayer of thanksgiving for Laura.

Love in Christ,
Father David+
Society Chaplain



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A MESSAGE FROM LORD AILSA

Here we are, already well into 2017. I hope you all had a fun festive season. Ours went slightly wrong on Christmas day when Anne fell and broke her left upper arm just as our lunch guests were about to arrive. I rushed her off to accident and emergency at our local hospital, while Kitty and Archie greeted our ten guests, gave them drinks and then served lunch. Anne and I returned in time for Christmas pudding, and of course the washing up! Anne's arm is well on the mend now and she is able to drive again.

The shooting season ended very well, with all our paying guests vowing to return. Tommy our head gamekeeper has been busy catching up hen pheasants to send to the breeder for this season's stock of day old chicks, which will arrive in June.

I had the pleasure of attending the Carrick Burns Supper in January. The Club was started in 1893 and my great grandfather the 3rd Marquess of Ailsa was its first patron, later my late brother became patron and on his death I was asked to, and became patron. Some of you will have met Denis Reid, many of you may have read articles that he has written for this Gazette. Denis is secretary to the Carrick Burns Club and this year, as always, he assembled a superb line up of very knowledgeable and highly amusing speakers. It was a splendid evening.

The National Trust for Scotland has embarked on an extensive and expensive programme of improvements at Culzean. They kindly invited me to be part of the Design Advisory Panel, and we have had meetings to discuss their proposals. They have begun changes to the main entrance to the property from the main road. Unfortunately this had started before the first Advisory Panel had met and there are a few things that I do not agree with. However, it is all to the general good of the property. The very successful adventure playground, which is near the Swan Pond is being extended to include fun activities for older children. The adventure playground has proved to be immensely popular and is directly responsible for a substantial increase in NTS membership. Some of the car parks are being moved to more appropriate places. It was quite rightly felt that they should not disrupt the original design landscape. This means that there will now be an uninterrupted view from the Camelia House to the Deer Park, previously all you could see in the foreground were dozens of car roofs. Time is being taken to recreate

the correct approaches to the Home Farm and give the views that Robert Adam intended. This means that as you approach the buildings from the south, you look diagonally through the courtyard to the sea, and as you approach from the east, again looking diagonally through the courtyard, you will have a lovely view of the Castle framed by Adam's corner arches. This is a part of the visitor experience that has been missing for some time. Further changes are in the pipeline, these will wait now until next winter when the park is closed.



On the farm, our hybrid rye crops have come through the winter quite well. They have had their first dressing of fertilizer and we are now waiting for the ground to dry up so that we can get on with sowing our spring crops. These will include spring wheat, spring barley, spring beans, fodder beet and maize.

We have been scrutinising the roof of Maybole Castle. Some of the original carved sandstone ridging is breaking away and will need replaced. Some slating needs to be done, and small areas need re-pointed. The Castle is very high and the roofs are steep, therefore our architect has recommended that we first fix anchor points for the roofers to attach to while at work. Once the roof is done we will look to redecoration of the interior.

I attended the Scottish Rural Awards dinner at Dynamic Earth, which is an extraordinary venue near Holyrood Palace in Edinburgh. All of those shortlisted for prizes were exceptional. I am always amazed by the amount of individuals and groups who are passionate about conducting their businesses in rural Scotland to the benefit of the local population as well as the UK as a whole. They provide local employment, international trade, and often a wonderful experience for visitors.

Both Kitty and Archie will be here at Morriston over the Easter period, but unfortunately not at the same time, however, they will be able to see each other in London later on in April.

Anne joins me in wishing you all a Happy Easter.

Ailsa



A MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

As I write this, I am getting ready to shovel what might be 18 inches of snow. I am confident in saying that I am done. Enough of the snow already, thank you.

New Years on Cape Cod was fun and we enjoyed the company of some great friends, great food and told great stories. It was warmer than normal, as has been the trend in New England this year, and the weather was with us – no rain or snow.

Sandy and I went to Newport Rhode Island for a St Patrick's Day parade and enjoyed the weekend even if it's a week before the actual day. We spent time with some friends and had a great time, even though the temperature was only 8 degrees Fahrenheit. This week, I spent the real St Patrick's Day with friends and listening to some great Celtic music in a few of my favorite pubs. I started with a traditional Irish Breakfast at the Shannon View Pub where the food was very good and great music was heard, one of the best days of the year for me.

The online raffle of Karen's photos was going very well up until this month. A change to the PayPal account (I think) has caused purchases to not go through and while you're buying a ticket, you neither get charged nor are we getting a notice of an attempted purchase (or the money). We have the March drawing soon, so we are delaying it until this is repaired. However, with only three more drawings after March please take a look and support the fundraiser.

The first two months went well and the winners (Wendy Schoffstall, Scott King, Roberta Turner & David Kennedy) seem to be enjoying the framed images! Please support the cause.



Don't forget about the Kennedy Challenge Coin for sale! This year they have the Cassillis House image on them, they look great. It is another way to support the Kennedys as well as starting your own collection. Visit the website for updates and sales. We do have a few 2016 coins left as well, but bought fewer coins for 2017 – get them now!

There are many games coming up – please try to attend one and visit the Kennedy tents. The games are: Dunedin FI April 1st, Loch Norman NC April 8&9, Ormond Beach FI April 22, Savannah GA May 6, Smokey Mountain TN May 20-21, Greenville, SC May 26-27, and Old Orchard Beach ME June 3.

Don't forget about the AGM in Rhode Island June 10. Visit the website for the most updated information on Rhode Island!

Have a great Spring!
Leo and Sandy Kennedy

SCHOLARSHIPS ARE NOW AVAILABLE FOR 2017 DEADLINE FOR SCHOLARSHIPS IS MARCH 31, 2017

The Kennedy Society awards annual scholarships to students of Celtic arts such as dance, pipes, drums, harp, fiddle, and language arts.

To apply, fill out the scholarship application which can be found on the Kennedy Society website at: kennedysociety.org OR request an application from Sue Kennedy at the address below. **The applicant must be recommended by a Kennedy Society member.** Please feel free to contact Sue with any other questions.

Send the application to the Scholarship Committee in care of:
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IRISH TIDBITS AND TOASTS

COURTESY OF: KENNEDY MEMBER, NEIL BRUSSARD

By the time this article hits the Gazette, St. Patrick's Day will have already been celebrated. However, for those of us staunch Irish Kennedys, these can be used at your favorite 6 months out party!!

There are No Female Leprechauns

If Irish folk tales are to be believed, the mystical beings are expressly male.

That Pot O' Gold Won't Go as Far as You Think, However it still covers quite a few pints of Guinness!!!

If, by chance, one did happen to find a mystical pot at the end of a rainbow this St. Patrick's Day, and it contained 1,000 gold coins weighing one ounce each, WalletHub estimated the total current worth at \$1.26 million.

Everyone is Irish on St. Patrick's Day, but 33.3 Million Really Are

According to the most recent census data, 33.3 million U.S. residents claim Irish ancestry, which is seven times Ireland's total population.

The first St. Patrick's Day celebration took place in America in Boston, Massachusetts in 1737.

Drowning the Shamrock Refers to Trefoils

The phrase "drowning the shamrock" is rooted in a tradition in which a shamrock worn on the lapel for St. Patrick's Day was tossed in the last drink of the evening.

The shamrock is not the symbol of Ireland. That honor goes to the harp.

Here are a few Irish Toasts:

"May your glass be ever full.
May the roof over your head be always strong.
And may you be in heaven half an hour before the devil knows you're dead".

"May your blessings outnumber, the shamrocks that grow,
And may trouble avoid you wherever you go".

"St. Patrick was a gentleman, who thru strategy and stealth
Drove all the snakes from Ireland, Here's a toasting his health

But not too many lest you lose yourself and then
You forget the good St. Patrick and see those snakes again".





40TH ANNUAL CENTRAL FLORIDA SCOTTISH HIGHLAND GAMES JANUARY 14-15, 2017 in WINTER SPRINGS, FL

The Titusville Fire & Emergency Services Honor Guard representing Clan Kennedy, accompanied by Rosie O'Grady's Highlanders led by our own honorary Kennedy piper Matthew Hutchinson, opened the games on Saturday to a close to record crowd. Honor Guard Captain Frank Canada and Drum Major Matthew Hutchinson escorted Sir Malcolm Rory Colquhoun of Luss, during the honor guard and band inspection. The weather was cool and sunny both days, a perfect combination for all.



2017 Titusville Kennedy Honor Guard

The Kennedy tent was quiet in comparison to the last three years at these games, and although in a way it was a welcome relief for us as tent conveners, it nonetheless seemed a bit strange and empty. We felt the spirit of Lord Charles all around and half expected him to walk up (or roll up) and join us. The Guard offered a group toast in his honor, each with a Stella held high, and several other toasts were made throughout the day.



Orlando 2017 Paul and Judy Kennedy, Stanley, VA

We welcomed wonderful new members Paul & Judy Kennedy of Stanley, VA, Keri Sargent of Riverview FL, and Brian & Kim Carrick (parents of member Nathan Carrick) of Trenton NJ. Many of our guests and new members were actively involved in tracing their family history. Keri in particular amazed us with her diligence in tracing her lineage back to Ayrshire including direct connections to the Kennedys of Culzean. Confident and adventurous, Keri has never been to Scotland, and has no connections there, but that is not stopping her! This spring, she is going solo to Ayrshire to further investigate her family history, and explore Kennedy historical sites and castles including Culzean, Dunure, and Maybole. We cannot wait to hear about her discoveries and see photos of her travels!

Frank and Suzanne Canada



Keri Sargent, Riverview, FL



Brian and Kim Carrick, Trenton, NJ



WHAT CAN THE DNA TESTING RESULTS DO FOR YOU?

Most of us asked this very question in the beginning, especially after suffering “sticker-shock” due to the initial costs of testing. Thanks are due to all the folks who generously tested, recruited people to be tested and have helped so many understand why testing is crucial. The following story is one in which DNA testing has aided a group of Kennedys, Cannadys and other surnames properly address their complicated genealogy in the State of Georgia in the counties of TATTNALL and EMANUEL.

The problem with most of the Kennedy family research, in the areas to be discussed, comes from 2 stories passed down through the generations. The first story being that EDWARD Kennedy, b. 1776, was born in Scotland. Receiving land for serving in the War of 1812, EDWARD moved his family to TATTNALL County, GA, and was identified in the 1820 census. EDWARD Kennedy’s descendants are numerous as records show at least three wives and approximately 28 children.

In the neighboring County of EMANUEL, GA, created on Dec. 08, 1812, there were at least 8 Kennedys/Cannadys: Edmond, JOHN, Henry, Solomon, Samuel, Stephen, William and David. Few extant records are available to assist the family historian sort out the multiple families. After decades of research and interviews, no extant bibles exist to indicate relationship between these men. DNA testing was initiated in 2011.

The DNA testing began in 2011 with samples obtained from five potential male descendants of JOHN Cannady in

EMANUEL County. The YDNA testing results from Family Tree DNA confirmed what had been deduced from family stories, census records and a few poignant records. Five male descendants from three of JOHN and Sarah (LNU b. @ 1800-1805) Cannadys’ sons, William E., James Henry and Daniel B Cannady had been confirmed. According to Dr. Tyronne Bowes, DNA expert, our men descend from the ancient Irish clan of Kennedys from Tipperary Ireland, due to surname matches.

Trying to identify the many Kennedys and Cannadys of these counties needed another boost. DNA research has been focused upon the Cannady/Kennedy women of these counties. So far, autosomal DNA has been obtained from 2 female descendants of Mary Cannady and her husband Mills (? Milledge) Woodard of TATTNALL county and several male and female descendants of Sarah LNU, married to JOHN Cannady of EMANUEL. What does this all mean? There is hope that further DNA testing can “help” sort out these Kennedys and Cannadys, in addition to the families of two other JOHN Kennedys from TATTNALL Cannady.

The bottom line is that the DNA testing is a great help to the hard copy research when it is available. It is also a joy to help folks who were adopted by neighboring families. If anyone has any questions about testing to identify your exact Kennedy Family do not hesitate to contact Jim Kennedy at jamesekennedy369@gmail.com or Kim Cannady at kk15098@gmail.com.





23RD ANNUAL SARASOTA HIGHLAND GAMES & CELTIC FESTIVAL FEBRUARY 3-4, 2017

The Scottish Heritage Society of Sarasota kicked off their annual Celtic festivities with a Friday night Ceilidh, held in the Potter Building at the Sarasota Fairgrounds on February 3rd. Together with the other participating Scottish clans and societies, Dale and I were treated to a fun evening of food and refreshments, and live performances by the Sarasota Military Academy Pipe Band, and the Irish Dance Academy of Sarasota. James Smith, from the local band Tarbolton, had us all singing along to the old traditional Irish pub tunes, and the members of the Sarasota Heritage Society had us in stitches during the audience participation games of haggis toss and bonnie knees!



Frank, Lorraine, Andy, and Suzanne

The Highland Games took place on Saturday, February 4th, from 9am to 5pm at the Sarasota Fairgrounds. The lineup included heavy athletics, live Celtic music, a Sarasota Highland Feis (Irish dance competition), Celtic vendors, the Craigmalloch Border Collies, a British car show, Scottish country dancers, shortbread competition, pipe band competition, and of course, the Scottish clan and society village.

The Kennedy Society of North America was well represented during the Opening Ceremonies clan parade, as well as in the tent! We enjoyed sharing the day with Suzanne and Frank Canada, who drove down from Christmas, Florida, AJ and Liza Cribb, who hail from Tampa, and Andie O'Neil, who brought along her friend Vikki Comarsh, both of whom are from Bradenton. It was also so great to see our newest member, Keri Sargent, of Tampa, already participating in her second Kennedy clan gathering in just three weeks' time! Lifetime member, Daniel Kennedy, of Sarasota stopped in to say hello to everyone, and we made two new friends, and hopefully soon-to-be-members, Jennifer and Michelle Kennedy. I'm so grateful to my cousin Lesley Haigh, for making the journey down from Tarpon Springs with her friends, specifically to watch over the tent, and affording Dale and I the opportunity to march in the parade along with the other members!

The day wouldn't have been complete without KSNA member, Matthew Hutchinson, from the Rosie O'Grady Highlanders Pipe Band in Orlando, treating us to a private performance, in between his pipe major and piping competitions! Although I must admit that my heart was heavy since my friends, and mentors, Neil and Janet Brussard, were unable to attend this year's games!

In my new role as District Director of Florida, I am eager to do the Kennedy Society of North America justice! I appreciate the encouragement I have already received from our President, Leo Kennedy, with regard to allowing tent conveners the autonomy to build upon the existing items within the shared tent kit, in order to personalize their tent, as long as it remains within the scope of the societies bylaws.



The Clan

Seeing how the latest trend in Scottish cultural events is to broaden the spectrum and include all of "the Celts," I enjoyed incorporating the history of the Seven Celtic Nations, along with their flags, pictures and shared customs in my display. I also added some hot topics, such as Donald Trump's Scottish ancestry, and the country's most prestigious golf courses and revered distilleries. I displayed an array of collectibles, such as the claymore and shield, a Celtic cross, a Claddagh, a haggis, and some Quaich's, just to name a few of the items that stimulated conversation. In an attempt to draw in even more visitors, I put together a collection of typical Scottish sayings, phrases and slang words, and challenged our guests to recite them, and I purchased two photo props (a Medieval Knight and a Stockade) for visitors to have fun photos taken of themselves with the use of their cellphone cameras. I placed a donation jar next to these items, which much to my surprise actually turned out to be a pretty fruitful endeavor, raising \$64 for the Celtic Arts Scholarship Fund! I'm proud to report that the Kennedy Society of North America demonstrated a successful and enthusiastic presence at the Sarasota Highland Games and Celtic Festival! Please take a moment to see the photos posted on the KSNA website.



BECOME A KENNEDY SOCIETY TENT CONVENER IN YOUR AREA

The Kennedy Society is looking for new tent conveners to convene tents at 10-12 Scottish festivals and Highland Games across the country.

Qualifications?

- An interest in knowing the history, customs, and culture of your ancestors – the Scots and Scots/Irish – and passing this culture on to individuals who visit your tent.
- The ability to share the tent convening with other members of your family. Convening a tent is an experience for a husband and wife, a father and son, a mother and daughter, or any combination of family members! How about two couples sharing the tent convening? Lastly, 2 guys or 2 gals can easily convene for a one or two day game.
- An excitement to be involved in a Scottish celebration and share the fun to be had in the various activities: visit with other Kennedy members in the tent, experience the pipes and drums, Scottish vendors, demonstrations, Parade of Clan Tartans, etc.
- Interpreting the richness of our own Kennedy traditions such as the significance of our tartans, history of Ailsa Craig, our Kennedy castles and their history, our septs, etc. Believe me when I say there is a wealth of Kennedy material one can share with any tent visitor!

Now that doesn't sound very hard to do – does it?

The answers to most of your questions will be discussed at an overnight training sometime in late summer. We are doing a training in northern Florida and central North Carolina - near Charlotte. The training will give you all the tools you will need to conduct a successful Kennedy tent. A tent kit would be sent to you with all the banners, flags, forms, etc you would need for the tent. So good training, all your supplies, and yourself - you would be all set!



Send us an email or give us a call if tent convening sounds like something you might enjoy.

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CELTIC FAMILY JAMBOREE FEBRUARY 10-12, 2017

While the majority of the northeast was dealing with the effects of winter storm Niko, during the week-end of February 10th-12th (which brought 66mph winds, temperatures in the teens, and dumping nearly a foot of snow, leaving 70,000 people without electricity and grounding hundreds of flights in and out of New England) those of us more fortunate clan and society members who participate in the winter Highland Games in Florida, were treated to a relaxing week-end of camping and kinship, in a much more temperate climate, at the Celtic Family Jamboree, located in the west central portion of the state.

Like a band of gypsies, the Celts descended upon eighty acres of woodlands at the Sertoma Youth Ranch in Brooksville, forming a labyrinth of tents and recreational vehicles, and temporarily staking out the territory with a multitude of Celtic flags and tapestries. The sound of bagpipes danced off of the huge live oak trees, where men in kilts could be seen chopping wood for the evening fire, as women prepared their favorite covered dish for the shared potluck supper, and children gladly put down their electronic devices and enjoyed biking and playing in the great outdoors.

Live entertainment was provided by a variety of great Celtic musicians and dancers, from 4pm-11pm on Friday, and 1:30pm-11pm on Saturday. Saturday's schedule of events began with a 9am group yoga class, followed by sheep dog herding, highland athletics demonstrations, and pennywhistle, fiddle, dulcimer and bodhran drum workshops were held throughout the entire day.

Cameron's was on hand, selling their fresh hot meat pies, sausage rolls, bridies, fish and chips, and of course, Irn Bru, and there were a dozen vendors selling beautiful Celtic jewelry, clothing, housewares, and artwork.

For those of you who would like to escape next year's bitter cold winter storms and join us at the Celtic Family Jamboree, advanced reservations are advised. The cost of the two day festival admission is \$35, camping is \$35 night. The newly renovated Days Inn Brooksville offers a special nightly rate of \$64 to festival goers who prefer not to camp. See CelticHeritageProductions.com for more details.

Lorraine Kennedy VanFossan
Florida District Director





OFFICIAL BALLOT AND PROXY BALLOT

2017 KENNEDY SOCIETY OF NORTH AMERICA AGM ELECTION OF OFFICERS

I, Christopher Kennedy, KSNA Chief First Class Retired, in my capacity as Chairman of the Society Nominating Committee do hereby put forth this slate of officers for election for 2017-2018.

President PLEASE VOTE FOR ONE

Leo F. Kennedy III, Greenville, Rhode Island

Vice President PLEASE VOTE FOR ONE

Mary Lynn Grant, Harmony, North Carolina

Treasurer PLEASE VOTE FOR ONE

Amy Carrick, Greer, South Carolina

Secretary PLEASE VOTE FOR ONE

Frank Bernard Kennedy, III, Davidsonville, Maryland

Each nominee has given permission for his or her names to be entered on the election ballot.

PROXY ASSIGNMENT

I _____, not being able to attend the 2017 KSNA election, wish to cast my vote by Proxy. I understand that my vote (one ballot per membership family) will be counted with all ballots cast in person at the Kennedy Society of North America's Annual Meeting to be held at the Rhode Island Games on June 10, 2017.

Member assigning proxy : _____ Date _____

I give my proxy permission to cast the above ballot in my stead and for such other business as may be conducted at the June 10, 2017 annual general membership meeting to: _____

Since several of the Board of Governors are running for election, Proxy Vote Assignment can be assigned to Board Member, Lorraine Van Fossan, who will be attending the Annual Meeting. Please E-Mail or print proxy and send to Lorraine Van Fossan by May 31, 2017.

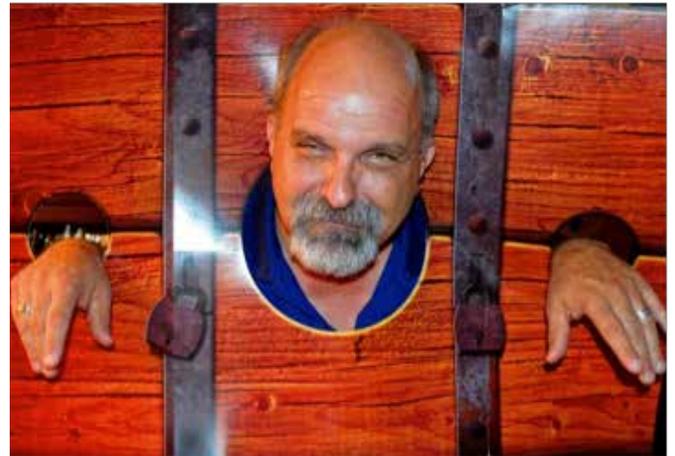
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KENNEDY MEMBERS SEEN OUT AND ABOUT...



Lorraine Van Fossan “manning” the tent at Mt Dora Games



Dale Laymon in the “stocks” at the Sarasota Games



Sean Carrick attending the Rural Hill N.C. Burns Dinner



Matthew Hutchinson



Kennedy Society member Michele Kennedy from Bobcaygeon, Ontario, shares this picture of her daughter Jolene Kennedy-Phillips, Husband, Tyler, and daughters: Kennedy, Harper, and Finley – dressed in their Kennedy tartan.



WHERE WE HAVE BEEN TOLD THERE WILL BE A KENNEDY TENT APRIL - NOVEMBER 2017

April 1 Dunedin, Dunedin, FL,

Apr 7-9 Loch Norman, Huntersville, NC.

April 22-23 Ormond Beach Celtic Festival

May 6 Savannah Scottish Games

May 20-21 Smoky Mtn Games Maryville TN

May 27-28 Alma Scottish Festival Alma MI

May 27 Greenville Games Furman University
Greenville SC

June 3 Old Orchard Beach Scottish Festival
Orchard Beach Maine

June 10 Rhode Island Highland Games
ANNUAL MEETING Richmond RI

June 10-11 Mother Lode Scottish Games

June 16-18 Pikes Peak Celtic Festival
Colorado Springs CO

June 23-24 Ohio Scottish Games Wellington OH

July 14-16 Colorado Irish Festival Littleton, CO

August 26 Kalamazoo Scottish Festival Kalamazoo MI

Sept 2-3 Pleasanton Scottish Games Pleasanton CA

Sept 7-10 Longs Peak Scottish Games Estes Park CO

Sept 16 Charleston Scottish Games Boone
Hall Plantation Mt Pleasant SC

Sept 15-17 New Hampshire Highland Games
Loon Mtn Lincoln NH

Sept 16-17 Edgewater Celtic Harvest Festival
Edgewater CO

Oct 8 Scotland Connecticut Highland Games Scotland, CT

Oct 21-22 Stone Mtn Highland Games Stn Mtn GA

Oct 22-23 Central Virginia Scottish Games Richmond VA

Nov 4-5 Moab Scottish Games Moab Utah

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