



Alaskan Scottish Highland Games
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The 29th Annual Alaska Scottish Highland Games will take place at Lions Park in Eagle River on June 26, 2010. We've been very pleased with the growing number of participating clans over the past several years, our visible location, and look forward to an organized, pre-publicized and rousing 5th Annual Clan Rally & Cook-out during Friday field set-up. We hope for a great showing again for this year and participation of as many clans as are represented by those living in Alaska—whether official clan delegates and or those who simply know to which clan their forebears belonged.

As always, the Committee hopes for a high clan visibility because the event is actually called the Highland Games and Gathering of the Clans. So, lets continue to show forth with a gathering rich with tradition and color and any new ideas the Chiefs and representatives come up with for this year! Many of you know your clan whether or not you are actually formal members. We want to see you there, see you rally, see you march in the opening ceremonies, and see you have clannish fun during the day. The public loves it and it can be a great deal of fun with a little effort by many hands. Let's rally--one by one, two by two, and en masse?

Please complete and return the attached form to me so we can plan our field space. There is no fee for clan participation. Once again I've requested a small budget for this year to help perhaps with the cook-out, a prize for Best Clan Tent or other honor, the Virginia Ham for Tall Tales. So there's something to think about and discuss as we see who can participate this year. We need one or two of you to serve as Clan Point of Contact during the planning, on Games day and to get the Clan picnic going. I hope you all will get together by phone/e-mail in the months to come to devise a great rally for this year.

If you would like to learn more about how to participate in the Gathering o' the Clans, please contact us at www.alaskascottish.org

Best Regards,

Chris Chisholm
2009 Club President.