

Clan Donnachaidh

Fall 2019

Society of the Rocky Mountains

From the President

Rocky Mountain Scots - Garg 'nuair Dhùisgear!

2019 has been a spectacular year and it's far from being over. We will keep this edition relatively short as we are tardy in communicating a great deal of very important information on events upcoming very soon.

Since our last newsletter so much has happened. SRM had an enormously successful event season with Pike's Peak, Elizabeth, Edgewater, and Estes Festivals, where we acquired several awards and remain the "Fun Clan" as dubbed by several of our fellow clans.



Several of us also returned to Scotland for the 2019 AGM and returned with two great distinctions: the Society that contributes most to the home Clan and to the athlete who brings great honor to the Clan, our very own Heather Hidalgo. Both honors were bestowed upon us at the 2019 AGM Chief's Dinner – what a privilege! Heather had the unique fortune of participating in the 2019 Pitlochry Games, hosted by Clan Donnachaidh, as the only American Athlete. Heather was the hit of the Games!

We will have much more in our Winter Edition recapping the entire year in detail. Specifics on the upcoming Yule Party, Membership renewal and Burns Dinner follow. We invite everyone to join us and hope you will help us celebrate these special occasions. Your membership is what keeps the Society viable and able to participate in the many great events throughout the year. We thank you for your loyalty to our family. Special thanks to all of you who give their time and effort to keep our Society running and able to stay well connected to the Motherland!

Sláinte Mhath!

Jim and Lisa Robertson

CDSRM President/Acting Vice President

From the Membership Coordinator

Hello All! It's that time again. 2020 Society and International membership fees are now due. Please see details in the attached Membership form. Thanks for your support in making Clan Donnachaidh the very best!

Sláinte!

Lisa Robertson

CDSRM Membership Coordinator

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**Clan Donnachaidh
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Annual Yule Party

When: December 7, 2019, 6pm

Where: Anthology Community Clubhouse
18012 Keyser Creek Ave, Parker, CO 80134

Pot Luck: Please bring a side dish or dessert. Meat will be provided. **BYOB**

RSVP: Lisa Robertson, 719-572-6584, lkunesh71@hotmail.com by Nov 30

Don your best Scottish holiday attire and start the Season off right at the Society of the Rocky Mountain's Annual Yule Party! Good friends, good food, plush chairs and a nice big fireplace!



*Announcing the 2020
ROBERT BURNS DINNER!*

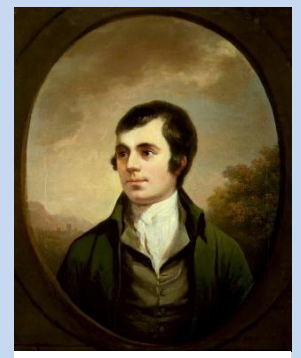
When: January 25, 2020; 6-11pm

Where: Ramada Hotel — Northglenn

Cost: \$55 Members/\$60 Non-members

Use the attached form to make your reservation

Our Council is already enthusiastically planning this time-honored Scottish tradition and January 25th will be loaded with ceremony, entertainment, fun and most of all a gathering of those we call family.



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| Social Hour | Prizes | Piping in the Haggis | Silent Auction |
| Buffet Dinner | Drawings | Special Toasts | |
| Live Entertainment | PiperAuld Lang Syne | Ceilidh Dancing | |
| Kilt Line | Discounted Hotel Rooms | | |

It promises to be the best Burns Dinners West of the River Tummel!

Clan Donnachaidh Society of the Rocky Mountains

Robert Burns Night

Saturday, January 25, 2020

Ramada Plaza Denver North

10 East 120th Avenue

Denver (Northglenn), CO 80233

(I-25 & 120th Exit 223)



**Please
join
us!!**

- Tickets:** \$55.00 per person Member
\$60.00 per person Non-member
- Menu:** Buffet Dinner
- Socializing:** 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm (Cash Bar)
- Dinner & Program:** 7:00 pm – 11:00 pm
- Auction/Drawings:** Throughout the night
- Entertainment:** Piper, Live Music and Ceilidh Dancing
- Accommodations:** Discounted (\$89) Rooms Available (**Reserve by Dec 26!**)
Phone (720) 857-9000 (Group Code: 1901BURNS1)

Go online & pay by credit card via Paypal at: www.rockymountainscots.com

OR

Complete this form and send with check payable to "Clan Donnachaidh" to:
Clan Donnachaidh Rocky Mountain Society
c/o James Robertson
9630 Hardin Rd
Colorado Springs, CO 80908

Number of People in your party: _____

Names of all attendees: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-Mail: _____

We are looking for donations for the auction
Please RSVP by January 15, 2020
No tickets will be available at the door

Questions: Jim Robertson 719-271-3257 or email at info@rockymountainscots.com



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Membership Application 2020

New Member Renewal

NAME(S): _____

CHILDREN: _____

STREET: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: (HOME) _____ (CELL) _____

EMAIL: _____ Today's Date: _____

DOB: (MM/DD) _____ Spouse DOB: _____ Anniversary: (MM/DD) _____

Communication preference (circle one): email phone

Clan name affiliation (i.e., Robertson, Duncan, Reid): _____

Membership fees:

Please check membership option:

Individual/Family (Local Rocky Mtn Society) \$30.00

Individual (Local and International) \$55.00

Family (Local and International) \$65.00

Local Family membership includes spouse and children under 21 years of age. Annual membership runs from 1 Jan – 31 Dec. Sign-ups from Long's Peak on are considered the next year.

Clan member taking application: _____

Credit Card Cash (give receipt) Check # _____

If not signing up today, please visit rockymountainscots.com, click "Become a Member", fill out the online form, and pay via PayPal/Credit Card or complete and send this form with check to:

Lisa Robertson
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