



St. Andrew's Society of Detroit 174th Annual Highland Games

AUGUST 4-5, 2023
Greenmead Historical Park, Livonia, Michigan
www.highlandgames.com

May 12, 2023

Greetings Fellow Scot,

As you know, the St. Andrew's Society of Detroit is a 501(c)3 organization. All profits from our Highland Games go toward charities the Society supports including our own William Kincaid Scholarship for Scottish Arts - the only one of its kind sponsored by a St. Andrew's Society anywhere in the world. I know this is a great source of pride for all of our members, especially as we have enjoyed hearing and seeing our scholarship recipients perform at membership meetings in the past. Other organizations supported are local and national charities such as Alma College and The National Trust of Scotland.

Each year as Games time approaches, we ask members to support the Games by making a donation to sponsor a trophy or medal. We award over 450 participant medals for competitions that include pipes and drums, heavy athletics, tug-o-war, Highland dance, best clan showcase and even the shortbread competition. The estimated cost of combined trophies and medals has exceeded \$6,000 per year in the past.

Suggested amounts are as follows, although **we welcome donations in any amount:**

	Donation Suggestion	Awarded to
Large Plate	\$100	First Place Pipes and Drums, Heavy Athletics, Dance, Tug of War
Medium Plate	\$80	First Place Clan and Shortbread, Second Place Pipes and Drums, Athletics, Dance
Small Plate	\$65	Pipes and Drums, Dance
Set of 3 Medallions	\$45	Individual Pipes and Drums Competitors, All Dance Participants,



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If you are able to donate, please send your check or money order (U.S. funds only) payable to "Annual Highland Games" with "Trophy Donation" in the memo line to:

SASD Trophy Donation
% Kelly Hemmerling
8044 Farrant St.
Commerce Township, MI 48382

You may also submit your form and donation at <https://highlandgames.com/trophy/>.

In order to show our appreciation, donations received by June 30th will be acknowledged in the Highland Games 2023 program. We welcome you to make your donation in honor or memory of an important person, clan or organization. Thank you in advance for your support.

Yours aye,

Kelly Hemmerling
Trophy Chair
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