



Pipe Band and  
Highland Dancers

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**\*\*OPG KINGSTON CELTFEST\*\***

Rob Roy will be hosting our 4<sup>th</sup> annual piping, drumming and highland dancing competition at Lake Ontario Park on Saturday, May 24<sup>th</sup>. Register now to compete in solo dancing, drumming and piping events, before they fill up! There is no general admission fee, so bring your family to the park and enjoy a day of Scottish culture! We are in need of volunteers to assist with registration, stewarding, and set-up and take-down of tents and tables. Please speak to Scott Bell, Carol-Anne Bell or Leslie Stewart if you can help.



**FISH FRY!**

Please come out to support the organization and enjoy some good food and fun times! Rob Roy is hosting a fundraiser fish fry by Mike Mundell's Surf and Turf Store. This event will take place on Saturday, May 24<sup>th</sup> after Celtfest at Lake Ontario Park on King Street West (rain location—ANAF Club on Gore Road). The profits earned from fundraisers benefit everyone involved in the organization. Tickets are available at the Rob Roy Hall from Chris Bell or Leslie Stewart.

**SPRING CONCERT**

Reserve Sunday June 8<sup>th</sup> on your calendar for Rob Roy's spring concert at L'Octave Theatre! There will be both an afternoon and an evening performance. All students and the pipe band and dancers will participate. Tickets will be available in mid-May.

**KINGSTON SCHOOL OF SCOTTISH MUSIC AND DANCE**

Enroll today for Rob Roy's summer program of Scottish arts and learn from world class instructors! Registration for this fantastic course is low, but in the event that the regular program must be canceled, we hope to run an

in-house session. For all Rob Roy members, there is a \$60 reduction in fees! For more information on Celtfest or KSSMD, go to [www.robroypipeband.com](http://www.robroypipeband.com) or speak with Scott or Carol-Anne Bell.

**WAY TO GO ROB ROY!**

The Rob Roy Pipe Band celebrated their first win of the 2008 competition season at the Smith's Falls Indoor Highland Games on April 26<sup>th</sup>. Scott, Lindsay and Iain Bell also took first place in the trio competition and many of Rob Roy's solo pipers and drummers earned medals. Well done Kingston!

**MEDAL TESTS**

Congratulations to all dancers who participated in Medal Tests on April 8<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>. The results were excellent. Special congratulations to Lindsay Bell, who passed the challenging theoretical and practical Highland Associates Exam.

**HIGHLAND DANCING COMPETITIONS**

A complete list of all spring and summer dancing competitions with dates and websites is posted on the board in the front foyer of the hall. Carol-Anne Bell will be judging at Spencerville Highland Games, so Rob Roy dancers are not permitted to compete at Spencerville this summer.

**HAPPY NEWS**

Best wishes to Sarah Massouh, who recently announced her engagement to Andrew Seward. The wedding will take place in Kingston in September. Congratulations to Meredith Sheach-Hook, who gave birth to a baby boy named Aeryck in April.

**UP AND COMING**

Kemptville Indoor Highland Games – Saturday May 10<sup>th</sup>  
OPG Kingston Celtfest – Saturday May 24<sup>th</sup>  
Last week of classes – June 2<sup>nd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>  
Kingston School of Scottish Music and Dance – June 30<sup>th</sup> – July 4<sup>th</sup>  
Rob Roy spring concert – Sunday June 8<sup>th</sup>  
Fort Henry Sunset Ceremony Performances  
Wednesday June 18<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>

