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What a beautiful setting for a Scottish Highland Games; the meadow high up on Grandfather Mountain in the Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina! It probably reminded the Scottish folks who settled in the area of their old home Scotland. There was a fairly large group of Wallaces gathered for the occasion, including five of the Clan Wallace Board members. Hosted by Marcia and Russ Harper, we were treated to this special experience which Marcia had created through hard work and creativity. She brings a mix of beauty, knowledge and camaraderie to the art of convening a Clan tent. As many of you know through your own personal visit to the Clan Wallace tent at one of the 20 plus games per year she and Russ have hosted throughout the country. Thanks for a great time.

Recently, we had a mailing out to Council members and had multiple mailers returned for incorrect addresses. So if you are a Council member and didn't receive a mailer please contact the Membership Chair via the website to send us your new address. For Life and Annual members, just a reminder that it is helpful should we need to contact you for us to have a current address for you also. Please follow the same instructions to update your address.

Up coming is the Annual Directors Meeting which will be held in conjunction with the Stone Mountain Scottish Highland Games in Stone Mountain, Georgia (near Atlanta, Georgia) on the 18th of October. Members are welcome to sit in on the meeting as well as attend the Games the following weekend. See the details for these events included in this Newsletter.

We always need to remember we have many members not only across the United States, but around the world. We also have a fair number of members in our nearest neighbor to the north of us. Canada has a similar Scottish heritage and also sponsors many Scottish activities including some great Games. So it is with pleasure I am announcing my appointment of Tom Wallace to the position of Canadian Representative for the Clan Wallace Society. He is extremely enthusiastic to assume this new responsibility. I am sure he will do an excellent job. Please feel free to contact him for information regarding Canadian happenings. His contact information is available in this newsletter and on the website. Congratulations Tom!

*Karen***Newsletter Submission Cutoff Dates****Winter February 15****Summer August 15****Spring May 15****Fall November 15**

*Submissions near the deadline may spill over into the next issue if space does not allow. I will prioritize time sensitive materials Thank you for all of your submissions!*

# IN SEARCH OF OUR FATHERS

## Matthew (Mathias) Wallace

Matthew (Mathias) Wallace also known as "yeoman" in Northern Ireland was born in 1638 in Lanarkshire Scotland. He made his way to America from Scotland by way of Ireland as his father John helped spread the efforts of the Presbyterian church. First to Northern Ireland then to America. After receiving much persecution in Donegal Ireland they came to Princess Anne, Somerset, Maryland and helped start Manokin Presbyterian church. It was one of the earliest Presbyterian churches in America and it still stands today. From the days of the Revolution, many of the most talented and influential men of our country have been associated with the Manokin Presbyterian church.

About 1665 Mathew married Elizabeth Alexander. He and Elizabeth had several children. Matthew is believed to be the forefather of all the Wallace's that came to Maryland at that time.

In 1683 Lord Calvert made a strategic move to secure and protect unsettled and disputed lands from William Penn's settlers moving south. George Talbot surveyed a tract of land consisting of 6,000 acres for a group of 15 Irishmen including Edwin O'Dwire (or Edmund O'Dwyer).

The purpose of the land grant, called New Munster, was to encourage the settlement of new immigrants and to secure the Northeastern Maryland border. The tract's beginning point was a poplar tree located on the west bank of Big Elk Creek, "about a pistol shot to the mouth of a rivulet called the Shure." (Today it is known as Gramies Run).

The tract was about five miles long and two miles wide. The Big Elk divided it into 2 nearly equal parts, and it extended approximately one mile inside the Pennsylvania border. The intention, according to Talbot's survey for O'Dwire, was for the land to be subdivided, either by lease for a 31 year term or by "firm grants to them and their heirs forever."



*Manokin Presbyterian Church, Princess Anne Maryland*

In 1714, exactly 31 years after the 1683 grant to O'Dwire, Thomas Stevenson (a subsequent owner living in Bucks Co., Pennsylvania) sold 1, 150 acres to a group of Scots-Irish immigrants who were already in residence on the land. Matthew Wallace "yeoman," James Alexander "farmer," Arthur Alexander "farmer," and David Alexander "tanner," had "for some years past improved and possessed the tract and divided it among themselves."

In his record of the "New Munster Stone," a boundary stone which replaced the poplar tree marking the southwest corner of the larger tract. Paul Touart noted, "It seems very probable that this company of men were the original Scotch-Irish settlers that occupied and protected the New Munster tract and then offered the property after the original 31 year lease expired."



*Lord Calvert*



*William Penn*



*The New Munster stone*





A dispute arose with the boundaries of the New Munster tract. Matthew Wallace entered into a 30 year legal dispute with William Penn over the lands that was settled, finally two gentlemen were brought over from England to settle the dispute. Mason and Dixon decided to draw a line along the 39th parallel to settle the dispute.

Many years later this tract along with a couple thousand acres around it would be bought by William Dupont Jr. This property was named the Fair Hill estate and would eventually become known as Steeplechase.

Steeplechase racing started in Ireland when Cornelius O'Callaghan and Edmund Blake raced from St. John's Church and ended at St. Mary's Church, about 4.5 miles distance in County Cork, Ireland. The practice was to race from steeple to steeple, hence the name Steeplechase. The practice became very popular in the USA especially in Maryland.

In 1694 Matthew was also granted a tract of land in Somerset county Maryland which he called "Kirkminster".

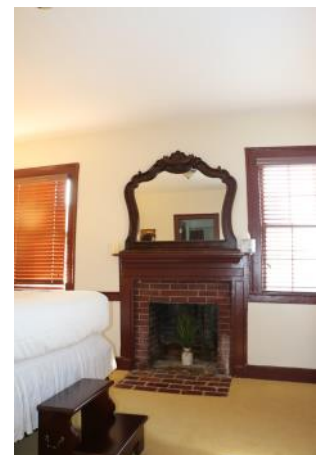
Matthew Wallace II was born in 1672 in Somerset, Maryland. Matthew was attracted by the Scotch colony called New Scotland.

He would later in life become known as "King of Maryland" not as a

title but because he amassed so much land and wealth. Mathew II was a surveyor for the crown like his father, he and his team surveyed much of Maryland including the Maryland /Virginia border. It is recorded that George Washington was the surveyor on the Virginia side.

The King would pay the surveyors with land patents, thousands of acres at a time. Some of the tracts he owned were Deals island or "Devils island", Dames Quarters or "Quarters of the Damned." At the time these areas were where the Pirates of the Chesapeake would hide out among the numerous coves. He also held land patents for Gunners Ridge, Contention, Friends Content, Golden Quarter and Long Delay Meadow.

Later in life he had a plantation near the dock in Rock Hall Maryland and a large sailing vessel. The plantation consisted of several hundred acres. In his will he also left a plantation with a liberty of land to his wife in Rock Creek. (Records indicate Wallace and his relatives were running rum, tobacco, and slaves from Scotland to Kingston, Jamaica and back to the US.



*The Washington Inn, Princess Anne Maryland. Built in the early 1700's just hundreds of feet away from Manokin Presbyterian Church. The room shown is one that General George Washington frequently stayed in when he traveled up and down the coast.*



*Aerial view of Dames Quarter and Deal Island*

# NEWS FROM AROUND THE WORLD



*Russ Harper receives the President's award from Karen Wallace*

## Happenings at Grandfather Mountain

by Karen Wallace

It was an honor to be together with Russ Harper, our past President at Grandfather Mountain Scottish Games. Early on as a Board member Russ took on the responsibility of overseeing Conveners. He made a goal to take his experience to others who may just be starting as a Convenor or to visit well established Conveners to give support and offer a well deserved "Well Done". Later during his time as a Board Member, Russ became Vice President and then President of the Clan Wallace Society. He faithfully performed these duties throughout his tenure. So it was with pleasure to have presented Russ with the President's Award during these Games. We are grateful for his desire to serve the Society for these past eight years in so many capacities. Russ continues to serve on the Board until the end of this year. From the Society, we wish Russ the very best with a great big "Thank you" for his tireless service.



Dear Folks ,

You will have no doubt have heard from local radio and the press that Messers Balfour Beattie , Main Contractor for the Union Terrace Garden Upgrade , will have the whole of Union Terrace Gardens and Pocket Park handed over to their responsibility on September 9th, for the next 30 months .

Our access therefore will be unimpeded this year, but is likely to be denied to us (given traditional contract over-runs) till 2022.

So please make the special effort to attend at : The Wallace Statue, Schoolhill on Wednesday August 21st at 18.30hrs .

Those of you who have a Facebook or similar electronic communication accounts , spread the attached Ceremony details as widely as possible .

Special effort should be made to encourage those friends amongst us who are from Furth of Scotland to join us at the Ceremony and in the Oak's Café at Ceremony close .

To avoid last year's confusion at the Oak's Tea Room the Association will cover the cost of teas and coffees .

I very look forward to having your company on the night .

Aa gweed wishes,

John Mackay





# WALLACE YEW TREE PROJECT

## Scotland Wallace Yew Tree Monument Project

On August 5th, 1305 William Wallace was captured by John de Menteith, a Scottish knight loyal to Edward I, who turned him over to English soldiers at Robroyston, north of Glasgow. No exacting historical records survive regarding Wallace's fate between the time of his capture on August 5th and his trial and execution on August 23rd. However, local lore from Inverclyde and across the country have filled many gaps.

After his capture, the British troops took him to Dumbarton Castle on the Clyde to await transfer to London to stand trial for treason. Reportedly they kept him chained to an oak tree until a contingent of English troops arrived to take him south to London for trial and execution. The tree was located where the Holy Family Roman Catholic Church stands today. Local lore says the chains remained at the scene for many years and were replaced by loyal local citizens whenever they rusted away. Each year local children painted the chains red to symbolize the blood Wallace shed for Scottish independence.

By the mid-1760s, the tree had developed decay at its base. In 1768, the 13th earl of Glencairn saved the much-treasured tree by boring out the rotten part and pouring pitch into the hollow. In 1995, the tree blew down in a heavy storm. The church had the remains of the tree hauled away. They ended up in Gourrock Ropeworks shipyard and Bouverie Motors scrapyard.

In 2013, researchers working with The Society of William Wallace hired dendrochronologist Dr. Coralie Mills to ascertain the age of the tree. During her investigation, she discovered another portion of the tree hidden in the undergrowth at the original site. It had a length of chain embedded in its growth and a hollowed portion at its base, providing more evidence that it was the tree



*Artists Rendering of the Monument*

that had been referred to locally as the Wallace Oak. The chain, likely to have come from a Port Glasgow shipyard in Inverclyde, dates to the late 19th or early 20th Century. Dr. Mills dated the particular sample of oak she tested to around 1786, however the actual tree itself was probably much older. She said the date of her tree sample was very similar to the reputed date of the Earl's boring of the tree, and subsequent stimulation of roots growing down through what must have been a rotten or hollow lower trunk. "In other words, the part of the tree we have aged is re-growth above the much older hollow base." Dr Mills said she could not determine the age of a hollow stem and so could only estimate the age of a tree which was already old and hollow in the 18th century. "It could easily have been several hundred years old at that point," she said.

The remaining scraps of the Wallace Oak were donated to the Society of William Wallace (SOWW) out of Elderslie Scotland who has obtained permission from the Holy Family Roman Catholic Church to erect a monument with plaques depicting the legend at the original site on the church grounds. Currently they are designing the plaques and beginning the fund-raising process. SOWW has received estimates from Scottish stone carvers for construction of this monument totally £10,000. CWS members that would like more information or are interested in donating to this worthy cause can contact our society Secretary and International Project Officer, Randy Dedrickson at [secretary@cws.com](mailto:secretary@cws.com)



*Wallace Yew Tree and Chain*

# WALLACE MONUMENT CELEBRATES 150 YEARS!

## Revellers To Be Well Fed At Wallace Wha Hae! In Stirling

23 July 2019 – Stirling - Preparations are well under way for the Wallace Wha Hae! festival, a special event set to take place in Stirling on the 14th of September to mark The National Wallace Monument's 150th Anniversary.

Partnering with local and Scottish suppliers, event goers will be well fed by street food vendors including venison and pork experts, Stag Bites The Hog, Perth-based The Kitchen Farmer and Moskito Spanish Bites from Edinburgh.

In addition, a fully licensed bar will serve local gins including Stirling Gin and local beers, throughout the day from 2pm.

The family friendly day out, taking place in the grounds of Wallace High School, will also entertain revellers with live music and a range of great entertainment with a Wallace theme.

Musical acts confirmed to entertain at Wallace Wha Hae! include Stevie McCrorie, winner of The Voice UK 2015, who will be joined by the popular Red Hot Chilli Pipers and traditional music acts Ted Christopher and Jock the Box. The Royal Burgh of Stirling Pipe Band will get the musical entertainment off to a stirring start, with a pipe and drum performance. The National Wallace Monument, which overlooks Wallace High School will be illuminated by lights and fireworks as the festival comes to a close with a sound and light show.

The festival, which has been partly funded by EventScotland, will also host a traditional funfair and an arts and craft area for mini festival-goers, who will be able to create their own Wallace sword and join in creating a ping-pong saltire.



*The Wallace Wha Hae! festival will feature a light show and firework display.*

Dramatic performances from fearsome costumed actors will take place throughout the day, courtesy of Scotland's finest fighting stunt team The Clann, who will also raise a medieval encampment featuring authentic traditional tents, flags and armour. Additionally, a formidable King Robert the Bruce character and a Big Heid William Wallace will be roaming the grounds.

Paul Bush OBE, Director of Events at VisitScotland, said: "EventScotland is delighted to be supporting Wallace Wha Hae! as part of the 150th anniversary celebrations of The National Wallace Monument, one of Scotland's most iconic and striking landmarks. Scotland is the perfect stage for cultural events, and this family-fun festival will appeal to all ages, while showcasing Scotland rich heritage and traditions."

Promising to be a fantastic day out for people of all ages, the Wallace Wha Hae! festival will take place in the grounds of Wallace High School in Stirling and is open to all from 2pm – 9:45pm on the 14th of September. Guests can leave the festival and return throughout the day by showing their wristbands.

Tickets to the 150th anniversary Wallace Wha Hae! festival start at just £10.50 for adults and £6.50 for children, and can be purchased from [www.nationalwallacemonument.com](http://www.nationalwallacemonument.com). Tickets can also be purchased from the National Wallace Monument as well as the Box Offices at The Tolbooth and The Albert Halls in Stirling.



*Students from Wallace High School in Stirling celebrate The National Wallace Monument's 150th anniversary ahead of the Wallace Wha Hae! festival. (L-R) Gavin McWhinnie, Molly Anderson, Thomas Hanson and Sylvester Anker.*



## NEWS FROM CONVENERS

### The Coquitlam British Columbia Highland Festival

The Coquitlam British Columbia Highland Festival was held on June 14-15 2019, with approximately 20,000 in attendance. We had 3 competitors wearing Wallace hunting green in the heavy events. It was held in the beautiful Lafarge Lake Park. Our tent was set along side the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Pipe Band Tent. My cousin Pam Llewellyn traveled from Wales to attend her first American/Canadian Highland Games and she enjoyed it very much.

We had 8 Wallace families sign in at the tent and found that there are many Wallace's in the Coquitlam area. We had the pleasure to meet Maureen Wallace, Mike Wallace, Cindy Wallace Walters, Doug Wallace (who was there from Glasgow), Robert Wallace and Family, Brad Wallace, Leila Wallace, and Margot Ready. many other visitors signed our visitors sheet.

Many of the Wallace's will be joining the Clan Wallace Society.

It was an awesome event and we plan on returning next year.

Pro Libertate,

Dave Pratt



### The Smokey Mountain Highland Games

By Marcia Harper

The Smokey Mountain Highland Games (TN) was held on May 18-19, 2019. These games are held at the campus of Maryville College in Maryville, Tennessee. Sunny skies and 95 degree weather for the weekend. Forty nine clan tents participated and Clan Wallace was among them. Russ and Marcia Harper hosted the Clan Wallace tent.

The entertainment included the Colin Grant Adams, Seven to the Sea, MacGilliossa, The Piper Jones Band, Highland Reign, The Celtic Martins, Alabannach, Good Thymes Ceilidh Band, The Celtic Martins. The Games included heavy athletics, kilted run, Children's Highland games competition, and Border Collie Demonstration. The vendors at the games included, Near and Far, The Gaelic Shop, The Celtic Knot, Highland Kilt Company, the Scots Corner.

Thanks to all that came out and enjoyed the weekend with us.







## Texas Scottish Festival & Highland Games

By Frank Leslie

Clan Wallace Society attended the Texas Scottish Festival & Highland Games at the Wise County Fairgrounds, Decatur, TX, May 10 to 12, 2019. Frank carried the Clan Wallace shield banner during the calling of the clans Friday night and called out in a loud enough voice to echo within the building, "Freedom!" when Clan Wallace was announced! The rain Saturday morning delayed people from attending for a couple hours, but did not slow down the events of the day. The new Clan Village layout was a plus and having the Scottish Heavy Athletics next to the Clan Village, and visible from the road, helped the attendance. Sunday was bright, sunny, and warm. The crowds came out! We attended the Sunday Kirking Service. Next year's Texas Scottish Festival & Highland Games will be the first weekend in May, again at the Wise County Fairgrounds.

Attached is a picture of Frank and Donna Kay Wallace in front of our tent at the Gathering.

We next plan to convene at the Kerr County Celtic Festival, Ingram, TX, October 11-13, 2019.

<http://www.kerrcountyceltic.com/>

## West Texas Celtic Fair & Highland Games

By Frank Leslie

Clan Wallace Society attended the West Texas Celtic Fair & Highland Games, formerly known as the Midland Scottish-Irish Faire, at the Horseshoe Arena Pavilion, March 9 & 10, 2019. Scottish Clan and vendor attendance was down some due to the North Texas Irish Festival (NTIF) being the same weekend this year. We still had a number of people stop at the tent to look at the Scottish Clan map to find their clan home area. Two Wallace's signed the guest register. Next year's West Texas Fair & Highland Games should be better as NTIF will be back to the first weekend in March. Frank Leslie is in the picture in a Wallace kilt that was made in Scotland that fits him. The kilt's previous owner was a Wallace piper who is no longer able to wear the kilt and wanted it donated to a Wallace who can wear it.

We will next convene at the Texas Scottish Festival & Highland Games, May 10 to 12, 2019 at the Wise County Fairgrounds in Decatur, TX.





## The 64th Annual Grandfather Mountain Highland Games

By Marcia Harper

The Grandfather Mountain Highland Games (NC) was held on July 11-14, 2019. We had overcast skies for most of the weekend, but the sun did come out to greet the 91 clan tents participating and Clan Wallace was among them. Also at the games are Scottish Tartan Museum, Council of Scottish Clans and Associations and Scottish Culture and the St. Andrews Society of Upper South Carolina. Russ and Marcia Harper along with Larry and Judy Slight hosted the Clan Wallace tents.

These games are held at MacRae meadow on Grandfather Mountain, North Carolina. Thursday night Russ did the calling of the Clan. Wallace's cheered as he yelled FREEDOM !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Special guest with us this weekend was President Karen Wallace and her husband Charles. Lots of Wallaces attended this weekends activities, Past President Larry Slight and Treasurer Judy Slight, Mark Clifford, John and Sally Wallace and family, Judy Wallace Moore and family, Terry and Kelly Wallace, Susanne Dykes, Glen Wolfe, Mary Jo Hutchinson, Linda Tyrell and Granddaughter Samantha Matson along with many more.

One of the special events that took place at the Wallace tent was past President, Russ Harper presented the new President, Karen Wallace with the Presidential Metal, symbolizing the passing of the torch from one to the other.

We had a special guest at the Games this year is Clan Chief Arabella Kincaid of Kincaid.

The 2019 Bear Run, part of the Grandfather Mountain Highland Games, started in Linville Thursday night and concluded at the top of Grandfather Mountain. Over 867 runners started the race and ranged in age from 8 to 80.

Our thanks to the many that came out and enjoy the weekend with us. Without YOU there is no Clan Wallace. We can't wait to see you all next year!



*Russ Harper and Karen Wallace*



*Los Angeles Fifes and Drum*

## Scottish Fest 2019

By Greg Wallace

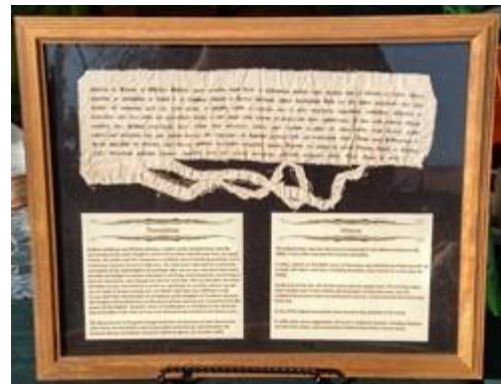
May 25 and 26, 2019

Orange County Fair & Event Center, Costa Mesa Ca.

Scottish Fest is held Memorial Day weekend every year with a special tribute to the men and women who serve and those who are no longer with us. Performance from the Los Angeles Fifes and Drum was the highpoint.

This year's event was subdued compared to previous years due to some cold, wet days. The attendance was down significantly; however, our booth was located outside the main vendor area which provided extra traffic throughout the weekend. Sixteen visitors signed the registry with the majority showing interest in the Clan Wallace Society.

The booth has been going through some changes with new displays and activities. Our newest addition to the booth is a replica of the Lübeck Letter, Welsh longbow, and a map of Scotland (finally).



Some highlights of the festival...

Just under 15,000 visitors.

68 clan booths.

Scottish American Athletic Association, SAAA, athletic competition.



*Convened by Greg Wallace (right), Kevin Michaels (left)  
Thanks to Pat and Nikki Schuller for their support again this year.*





*Todd and Connie Wallace, Ronnie and Pearlita Houston, Steve Wallace*

## 42nd Ohio Scottish Games

By Todd Wallace

The 42nd Ohio Scottish Games were held on June 21,22 at the Lorain County Fairgrounds in Wellington Ohio. In 2020 they are moving to a new venue at the Cuyahoga County Fairgrounds in Berea Ohio.

Friday night there was a Scottish dinner, silent auction and Ceilidh. Andrew MacPhail and Ian Stewart piped in the Haggis and the McClans performed until 9 pm.

Saturday the gates opened at 8 am with something to see and do for everyone. Twenty-six clans were represented including Clan Wallace. The honorary Chieftain of the day was Kyle Dawson from New York. I had the privilege of meeting Kyle at Tartan day in New York City. Kyle is very active in putting together the New York Tartan Day events. The days entertainment was provided by American Rogues, Ballinloch, Jeni's chickens, The McClans, Mad Maudlin, Charlie Zahm and Tad Marks.

Also taking place on the main causeway were a British car and Motorcycle show. Other events included Athletic games for the wee ones, animals of Scotland, Fiddle competition, Harp competition, Drumming competition, Piping competition, Highland dance competition and Heavy Games. The parade of tartans took place at 10:45. I was told by friends in the stands that when Steve Wallace and I yelled FREEDOM! The crowd cheered so loud that they drowned out the announcer on the loud speaker. We had several visitors to the Wallace tent and everybody wanted to hold the Wallace sword. There were many vendors where you could purchase the piece from Scotland you've been looking for.

It was a great day had by all! We hope to see you at our tent next year!



*Steve Wallace, Todd Wallace, Deanna Wallace and Thomas Wallace*

If you are using materials NOT taken from the Clan Wallace Convenor files, please send a copy of what you are using to suzyq\_63@msn.com or Susanne Dykes 620 Hampton Circle, Belvedere, SC 29841.

As Education Director, I am attempting to ensure we cite our sources for information we give out to the public and update our existing files. Additionally, if you have coloring pages, lesson plans or kids resources, please send me copies of those as well. I plan to make a teacher resource file available to the public.

Finally, I am compiling a list of books about William Wallace or fiction that has him as a character. If you will send me names of books you know of, I will begin compiling a "library list" for us to use!

Thanks!  
Susanne

## 2019 AGM Meeting, Stone Mountain Ga.

This years AGM is scheduled for **Oct 18-20**

**Stone Mountain Games near Atlanta Georgia**

**Clan Wallace Society has a block of rooms reserved at**

**DoubleTree by Hilton, Atlanta-Northlake.**

**Rooms are \$115.00 per night and include breakfast**

**Call 770-938-1026 before September 1, 2019 to reserve your room**

**We would love to see you!**

**Meeting will take place Friday morning in the hotel conference room.**





The Clan Wallace Society was founded and chartered in Texas in 1966 as a 501(c)(3) organization, promoting the history of and education about Scotland. In particular, Scotland's Great Patriot, Sir William Wallace, who suffered martyrdom for his country in 1305; its Clans and Families, and the heritage and achievements of those claiming Scottish descent. Our current Chief is Andrew Wallace of that Ilk, 36th Chief of the Clan and Name of Wallace, and Honorary President of the Society. We have the pleasure of more than 1,400 members in the United States, Canada, Scotland, England, France, and as far off as Hong Kong, Australia and New Zealand.

Clan Wallace Society is represented at many Scottish Games and Celtic Festivals each year by Conveners who put up tents throughout the United States and Canada. Conveners representing Clan Wallace Society are volunteers who work individually with assistance from our , each of whom acts to further the goals of Clan Wallace Society's Charter. In many areas across the United States and Canada, members get together as groups to support other local Scottish, Irish and Celtic historical events. To contact a convenor in your region, take a moment to view our Convener List.

We welcome anyone wishing to participate in Clan Wallace Society activities. If you wish to join the Society,

**\*\* PLEASE NOTE \*\***

The Clan Wallace Society is the only organization acknowledged by the Chief of Clan Wallace, who is recognized by the Court of the Lord Lyon, as representing the interests of the Chief, the Clan as a whole and the Society. Any other groups or claims may be misleading and possibly illegal in Scotland. We are not affiliated in any way with any political organization or philosophy in the United States or elsewhere in the world. We are not interested in espousing any political causes or positions and will not respond to requests for support, financial or otherwise. Please do not include us in any literature or Worldwide Web links that do not concern Scottish Heritage, Festivals or Games.

[ClanWallace.org](http://ClanWallace.org)

