

Clan Graham to gather at the Annual General Meeting in Maryville, Tennessee, May 17-20

Here is everything you need to know about planning to attend the Annual General Meeting (AGM) this year! Join fellow Society members along with the Duke and Duchess of Montrose for a fun-filled and memorable event. Please register by April 23, 2012, with Kiersten Graham Dick, Member-at-Large. The official form can be found on pages 10-11 and is also downloadable from our website at <http://www.clan-graham-society.org/2012AGM.html>.

MEET THE DUKE AND DUCHESS OF MONTROSE

Meet the **Duke and Duchess of Montrose** and members of the Clan Graham Society at this year's Annual General Meeting in the Great Smoky Mountains of Tennessee. The AGM coincides with the Smoky Mountain Highland Games (SMHG), where our very own **Cliff Fitzsimmons**, Vice President of Membership, is the SMHG President. With a rare and special appearance by our Chief, His Grace the Duke of Montrose, Clan Graham hopes to be well represented at the games. Please register by April 23 with **Kiersten Graham Dick**, Member-at-Large.

400TH ANNIVERSARY OF JAMES GRAHAM, THE GREAT MARQUIS OF MONTROSE

The year 2012 marks the 400th anniversary of the birth of **James Graham**, the Great Marquis of Montrose (1612-1650), our Chief's ancestor. This year's AGM will be an extraordinary opportunity to meet His and Her Grace in person, honor the Great Marquis, reunite with fellow Society members, make new friends, see the picturesque Smoky Mountains and show our Clan Graham pride!

AGM OFFICIAL HEADQUARTERS: RUBY TUESDAY LODGE AND INN

All AGM activities, officers meetings, banquet, departure coordination and informal gatherings will be at the impressive Ruby Tuesday Lodge and Inn in Maryville, Tennessee. The RT Lodge is beautifully appointed and located on the Maryville College campus, within walking distance to the games. Rooms are neat, comfortable and designed to encourage

guests to mingle in the open areas. Rooms are limited. So you are encouraged to reserve your room as soon as possible by contacting **Jeremy Dick**, Treasurer.

MARYVILLE COLLEGE LOCATION AND TOUR

Maryville, Tennessee, is 20 miles south of Knoxville and was listed as one of the "Top Ten Cities to Have It All" by the cable channel A&E. Founded in 1819, Maryville College is in the foothills of the Great Smoky Mountains and is one of the 50 oldest colleges in the United States. A campus tour will be led on Thursday afternoon at no charge. The Maryville College "Scots" are proud to share their heritage with you. The campus and games are within walking distance. For those who prefer transportation, shuttle service will be available, with 15 maximum passengers per trip.

PIGEON FORGE SHOPPING AND TITANIC MUSEUM

Pigeon Forge is a favorite Southeastern vacation spot for its beauty, shopping, attractions and entertainment. A shuttle will leave on Thursday for those interested in shopping or attending the interactive Titanic Museum. Advance tickets for the Titanic Museum are suggested and are not available via the Clan Graham.

GOLF TOURNAMENT WITH CLAN HAY

Golfers, bring your clubs! Our AGM golf tournament will be held with **Clan Hay** at the Royal Oaks Golf Club, approximately 15-20 minutes away from RT Lodge.

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An invitation will also be extended to the **House of Gordon**, the 2011 winner of the Montrose Trophy in California. Format will be Captain's Choice with an 8:45 a.m. Shotgun Start. Teams will be arranged to attempt parity and randomly placed in one of two flights, "Braes" or "Burns". Cost includes lunch after the tournament, flight prizes and tee prize closest to the hole. Scottish attire invited for both lads and lassies. Club rentals are possible for 4 to 5 players by reserving via **Jeremy Dick**, Treasurer. Jeremy would appreciate early registration by golfers.

GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS PARK TOUR

Bring your camera! The world-renowned Great Smoky Mountains straddle the border between North Carolina and Tennessee. A tour of the Great Smoky Mountains Park, America's most visited park, is on Friday. The tour will include stops at the Great Smoky Mountain Heritage Center in Townsend and the historic pioneer settlement, Cades Cove. Cost includes a sack lunch. Cades Cove Story and Self Guided Auto Tour Booklets available via their website.

THE SMOKY MOUNTAIN HIGHLAND GAMES

The Smoky Mountain Highland Games are full of entertainment, athletics, dancing, bands, dog show, clan challenge, celtic music, clans, merchants, scotch seminar, formal gala, food and fun! Come support the Clan Graham by joining us at the tent and marching in Sunday's Parade of Tartans. Spectators looking for clan affiliation are often encouraged by clans with larger numbers, representing strength. Parking is free. Tickets to the games are not available via the Clan Graham. Tickets and Patron Packages are available for pre-order via <http://www.gsfg.org> before May 13. Games tickets will also be sold on-site at the games.

CLAN GRAHAM 2012 AGM TEE SHIRTS

Show your Clan Graham pride by pre-ordering the 2012 AGM tee shirt. The special commemorative shirts are part of the Quartermaster's Collection. All shirts display the 1st Marquess of Montrose's Coat of Arms on charcoal grey shirts for men (sizes Small to 3XL), violet V-neck shirts for ladies (sizes Small to 2XL) and garnet shirts for youth (sizes Small to XL). Garnet and orange are the official colors of the Maryville



College Scots! Pre-order to ensure you get the size you want. You may order for pickup at the AGM with your registration, or direct shipping to you (using the pre-order form on page 7). Contact **Scott Graham**, Trustee, for more information about the tee shirts. Some may be available at the AGM.

400TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE GREAT MARQUIS OF MONTROSE COMMEMORATIVE PLATE

The special commemorative plate is part of the Mugdock Collection, benefitting the restoration efforts of Mugdock Castle. The 7.5-inch plate has two gold bands and features a portrait of the 1st Marquis of Montrose surrounded by the official Clan Graham plant—the *laurel nobilis*. Cost is only \$25 with a \$7 shipping charge.

Order information is on the Clan Graham website at <http://www.clan-graham-society.org/400marquis.html#plate> and listed below. You may order for pickup at the AGM with your registration, or direct shipping to you, by contacting **Barbara Warren**, Mugdock Collection Administrator, at 1427 Arrowhead Drive, Brentwood, TN 37027. Her email is barbara37027@comcast.net and phone number is (615) 377-0052

Hurry and order now! These are limited edition commemorative pieces. Some plates may be available at the May 18, 2012, Mugdock Auction.

2012 AGM Tee Shirt Pre-Order Form

Ladies Violet (S-2XL) Size _____	\$20 each Quantity _____	SHIPPING ADDRESS
Men's Charcoal (S-3XL) Size _____	\$20 each Quantity _____	Name: _____
Youth Garnet (S-XL) Size _____	\$15 each Quantity _____	Street: _____
+ Shipping/Handling	\$ 8.95	City/State/Zip: _____
Total	\$ _____	

*Make check payable to Clan Graham Society (Memo: 2012 AGM Tee Shirt) and send payment to:
John Scott Graham • 3441 Military Avenue • Los Angeles, CA 90034-6001
For more information, send an email to h-ofan@sbcglobal.net or call (310) 839-5066.*

Commemorative Plate Pre-Order Form

Plate Details: 7 ½ inches with gold band • Cost: \$25 each

Quantity Order	# _____	SHIPPING ADDRESS
Total	\$ _____	Name: _____
+ Shipping/Handling	\$ 7*	Street: _____

		City/State/Zip: _____

*(Note that some china orders may have a higher shipping fee depending on the quantity ordered)

*Make check payable to Mugdock Collection and send payment to:
Barbara Warren • 1427 Arrowhead Drive • Brentwood, TN 37027
Or you may charge your order by contacting Barbara Warren directly at (615) 377-0052.*

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DAY/DATE	SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
TUESDAY MAY 15, 2012	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrivals begin • 2-10 p.m. Registration at RT Lodge
WEDNESDAY MAY 16, 2012	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6:30-9 a.m. Breakfast for Registered RT Lodge Guests • TBA Afternoon Excursion • 2-10 p.m. Registration at RT Lodge
THURSDAY MAY 17, 2012	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6:30-9 a.m. Breakfast for Registered RT Lodge Guests • 8:30 a.m. Officers Meeting • 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Trip to Pigeon Forge (Optional Shopping or Titanic Exhibit) • 2-4 p.m. Tour of Maryville College • 2-10 p.m. Registration at RT Lodge • 6, 7, 8 p.m. Shuttle to Downtown Maryville for shopping or dinner • 8:15, 9:15, 10 p.m. Return Shuttle from Downtown Maryville
FRIDAY MAY 18, 2012	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6:30-9 a.m. Breakfast for Registered RT Lodge Guests • 7:30 a.m. Car Departures to Golf Tournament • 8:45 a.m.- 4 p.m. Shotgun Start Golf Tournament / Scramble (lunch included) • 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Great Smoky Mountain Park Tour / Townsend Museum / Cades Cove (sack lunch included) • 12-10 p.m. Registration at RT Lodge • 5, 5:30, 6 p.m. Shuttle to Downtown Maryville • 5:45-6:30 p.m. SMHG Sponsor Cocktails at Clayton Center • 6:30, 7, 7:30 p.m. Return Shuttle from Downtown Maryville for shopping or dinner • 6:30 p.m. SMHG Sponsors Gala at Clayton Center • 8-10 p.m. Mugdock Auction
SATURDAY MAY 19, 2012	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6:30-9 a.m. Breakfast for Registered RT Lodge Guests • 8 a.m. Smoky Mountain Highland Games Open • 9, 9:30, 10 a.m. Shuttle to the Games • TBA Guest of Honor, Our Chief, His Grace the Duke of Montrose, Official Welcome to the Games • 3, 4, 5 p.m. Shuttle from the Games • 4:30 p.m. Mass Bands & Games Awards • 7 p.m. Clan Graham AGM & Banquet • 7 p.m. SMHG Ceilidh Under the Stars on Main Games Field
SUNDAY MAY 20, 2012	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6:30-9 a.m. Breakfast for Registered RT Lodge Guests • 8:30 a.m. Smoky Mountain Highland Games Open • 9, 9:30, 10 a.m. Shuttle to the Games • TBA Parade of Tartans – wear your Clan Graham tartan & tee shirt! • 2, 3, 4 p.m. Shuttle from the Games • 3:30 p.m. Closing Ceremonies • 3:30-7 p.m. Farewell Hospitality Gathering at RT Lodge

TOPIC	CONTACT INFORMATION
AGM QUESTIONS AND ARRANGEMENTS	Cliff Fitzsimmons (865) 368-2543, celt1@bellsouth.net
RUBY TUESDAY (RT) LODGE AND INN	1406 Wilkinson Pike, Maryville, TN 37803, (865) 981-9800, http://www.rtlodge.com , \$125/night for 2-person room accommodations at RT Lodge via Jeremy Dick, (865) 690-9231, cpa6462@comcast.net, includes full breakfast
REGISTRATION FORM AND ACTIVITY FEES	Due by April 23, 2012, to Kiersten Graham Dick, 109 Brendylynn Trace, Woodstock, GA 30188, mkdick@bellsouth.net
MARYVILLE COLLEGE	502 E. Lamar Alexander Parkway, Maryville, TN 37804 http://www.maryvillecollege.edu , (800) 597-2687
KNOXVILLE AIRPORT	http://www.tys.org , (865) 970-2749
SMOKY MOUNTAIN HIGHLAND GAMES	http://www.gsfg.org http://smokymountaingames.org
MUGDOCK COLLECTION AND 400TH ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATIVE PLATE	Barbara Warren (615) 377-0052, barbara37027@comcast.net Plates \$25 each + \$7 shipping unless picked up at AGM
CLAN GRAHAM 2012 AGM TEE SHIRTS	Information and ordering via Scott Graham, (310) 839-5066, h-ofan@sbcglobal.net, Men's Charcoal \$20 (S-3XL), Ladies Violet \$20 (S-2XL), Youth Garnet \$15 (S-XL), plus \$8.95 shipping and handling, unless picked up at AGM
PIGEON FORGE	http://www.mypigeonforge.com , (800) 251-9100 or (865) 453-8574
TITANIC EXHIBIT	\$24 tickets at http://www.titanicpigeonforge.com or (800) 381-7670
AGM GOLF TOURNAMENT	Questions and arrangements via Jeremy Dick, (865) 690-9231, cpa6462@comcast.net, \$50 includes lunch
ROYAL OAKS GOLF CLUB	3705 Legends Way, Maryville, TN 37801, (865) 984-4260 http://www.royal oaksgc.com
GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK	http://www.nps.gov (865) 436-1200
GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS HERITAGE CENTER	http://www.gsmheritagecenter.org (865) 448-0044
CADES COVE	http://www.cadescove.net/auto_tour.html http://www.nps.gov/grsm/planyourvisit/cadescove.htm (865) 436-1200

2012 AGM REGISTRATION FORM

REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS APRIL 23, 2012

MAIL TO: KIERSTEN GRAHAM DICK, 109 BRENDELYNN TRACE, WOODSTOCK, GA 30188

Name _____	Member # _____
Name _____	Member # _____
Names over Age 12 _____	
Street Address _____	
City, State, Province Address _____	
Zip / Postal Code _____	
Email Address _____	
Telephone # _____	

AGM Registration Fee **\$25 / family** \$ _____

2012 AGM TSHIRTS FOR PICKUP AT AGM

Ladies Violet (size S-2XL)	\$20 each	size _____	\$ _____
Men's Charcoal (S-3XL)	\$20 each	size _____	\$ _____
Youth Garnet (S-XL)	\$15 each	size _____	\$ _____
400 th Anniversary Plate for pickup at AGM	\$25 each	quantity _____	\$ _____

THURSDAY MAY 17, 2012

8:30am Officers Meeting	n/c	# attending _____	
10am-4pm Trip to Pigeon Forge	\$35 each	# attending _____	\$ _____
2-4pm Tour of Maryville College	n/c	# attending _____	

FRIDAY MAY 18, 2012

8am Golf Tournament / Scramble	\$50 each	# attending _____	\$ _____
Golf Club Rental (4-5 sets available)	\$9 each	# sets needed _____	\$ _____
10am-330pm Great Smoky Mountain Park Tour	\$40 each	# attending _____	\$ _____
8-10pm Mugdock Auction – <i>Bring an Item Buy an Item</i>		# attending _____	

SATURDAY MAY 19, 2012

7pm Clan Graham AGM & Banquet	\$45 each	# attending _____	\$ _____
Children's 12 & Under Banquet Plate	\$20 each	# attending _____	\$ _____

TOTAL AGM ACTIVITY FEES (Check or Money Order Payable to Clan Graham Society) **\$ _____**

- ☘ AGM Registration Form & Activity Fees **due by 4.23.12** to Kiersten Graham Dick, 109 Brendelynn Trace, Woodstock, GA 30188, mkdick@bellsouth.net
- ☘ \$125/night for 2 Person Room Accommodations at RT Lodge via Jeremy Dick, 865.690.9231, cpa6462@comcast.net, includes full breakfast
- ☘ AGM Questions & Arrangements via Cliff Fitzsimmons, 865.368.2543, celt1@bellsouth.net
- ☘ Clan Graham & Clan Graham 2012 AGM Tshirts Information & Ordering via Scott Graham, 310.839.5066, h-ofan@sbcglobal.net, \$20 + \$8.95 shipping & handling, unless picked up at AGM
- ☘ Mugdock Collection & Commemorative Plate Information & Ordering via Barbara Warren, 615.377.0052, barbara37027@comcast.net, \$25 + \$7 shipping & handling, unless picked up at AGM

2012 AGM REGISTRATION FORM

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AIRPORT SHUTTLE

Knoxville McGhee-Tyson Airport is approximately 15 minutes from RT Lodge in Maryville. Rocky Top Tours will have shuttle service available. Please denote your flight schedule on your registration if you would like to group your shuttle service with other passengers.

Shuttle from Knoxville Airport to RT Lodge \$5 each* # attending _____ \$ _____
Flight Date & Information _____


* minimum 4 people per shuttle trip -- additional fees if unable to form group of 4 people at requested time


Shuttle from RT Lodge to Knoxville Airport \$5 each* # attending _____ \$ _____
Flight Date & Information _____

* minimum 4 people per shuttle trip -- additional fees if unable to form group of 4 people at requested time

TOTAL AIRPORT SHUTTLE FEES \$ _____

 Check or Money Order Payable to Clan Graham Society

 Airport Shuttle Fees by 4.23.12 to Kiersten Graham Dick, 109 Brendyllynn Trace, Woodstock, GA 30188, mkdick@bellsouth.net

 Be prepared with additional cash in case the minimum number is not available at your requested time

DOWNTOWN MARYVILLE SHUTTLE

Downtown Maryville is approximately 5 minutes via shuttle. For those who would like to eat dinner or shop in downtown Maryville, shuttle service will be available on Thursday & Friday evenings, with 15 maximum passengers per trip.

THURSDAY MAY 17, 2012

6, 7, 8pm Shuttle to Downtown Maryville** n/c # attending _____

815, 915, 10pm Return Shuttle from Maryville** n/c # attending _____

Time Preferences _____

FRIDAY MAY 18, 2012

5, 530, 6pm Shuttle to Downtown Maryville** n/c # attending _____

630, 7, 730pm Return Shuttle from Maryville** n/c # attending _____

Time Preferences _____

GAMES SHUTTLE

The Maryville College campus is within walking distance -- 15 passengers per shuttle load -- Time Preferences not guaranteed

SATURDAY MAY 19, 2012

9, 930, 10am Shuttle to SMH Games** n/c # attending _____

3, 4, 5pm Shuttle from SMH Games** n/c # attending _____

Time preferences _____

SUNDAY MAY 20, 2012

9, 930, 10am Shuttle to SMH Games** n/c # attending _____

2, 3, 4pm Shuttle from SMH Games** n/c # attending _____

Time preferences _____