



A SIMPLY SCOTTISH DAY OF DANCE ON SALT SPRING ISLAND

The members of the SSI Scottish Country Dance Club invite you to A SIMPLY SCOTTISH DAY OF DANCE and Salt Spring hospitality on our beautiful Island.

Saturday October 21st 2017

The SIMPLE PLAN for the Day

Registration and Welcome
9:30am – 10:00am

Workshops 1 A and B
10:15am – 11:45 am

Juice break

Workshops 2 A and B
12 noon – 1:30pm

Free Time

Reception 5:30 pm Dinner 6:30 pm

Dance 8:00pm

TEACHERS AND MUSICIANS

Our Teachers

Elinor Mackenzie Vandegrift (Seattle)
Born to Scottish parents, Elinor has taught Scottish Country Dancing all over the world and has conducted teacher candidate classes in Los Angeles and Seattle. For her, she says, “Dancing is the music made visible.”

Richard Bennett (Salt Spring Island)
Born in the North of England Richard has taught in public schools in England, Scotland and Canada. He completed SCD teacher training 10 years ago and enjoys teaching most when dancers find the flow and make the dance seem effortless. He co-published “Katannuta”, a book of Salt Spring Scottish Dances.

Our Musicians

Mary Ross, Accordion (Victoria)
From BC and Washington State to Virginia, North Carolina and Alberta, Mary is in great demand for ceilidhs, workshops, youth weekends, summer schools and, of course, Scottish Country Dances.

Ron Krug, Piano (Winnipeg)
From his first experience with Scottish Country Dancing (playing for an examination conducted by the legendary Miss Milligan), Ron has accompanied workshops and dances from coast to coast and on both sides of the border.

Janette Polson, Violin (Qualicum Beach)
From childhood violin studies in Glasgow, Janette went on to play for Strathspey and Reel Societies in Aberdeenshire and Caithness before moving to Canada in 2005. She travels around BC and beyond, sharing her talent.

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Accommodation info contact
www.saltspringtourism.com/contact

We are happy to offer a limited number of billets. For billets only contact
paulinehking@gmail.com

Further information and forms
www.saltspringscottishdancers.org

WORKSHOPS

Dancers registering for the **experienced workshops in sessions 1A** should have a minimum of three years dancing experience, be comfortable dancing all common formations and be able to dance a dance from one walk through.

Session 1 10:15am - 11:45am

1A: Experienced
Elinor Vandegrift

1B: Less Experienced / Intermediate: Richard Bennett

Session 2 12 noon – 1:30pm

2A: Three Couple Formations
Elinor Vandegrift

2B: Dances by Derek Haynes
Richard Bennett

DANCE PROGRAMME

The Dei'l Amang the Tailors J 8x32

Balquidder Strathspey S 8x32

John of Bon Accord R 8x32

Quarries Jig J 8x32

The Visitors S 3x32

Napier's Index J 8x40

Neidpath Castle S 3x32

Catch the Wind R 8x32

Linton Ploughman J 6x32

Round Reel of Eight R 1 x 88

Ayrshire Lasses S 5x32

The Compleat Gardener J 8x32

MacDonald of the Isles S 3x32

MacLeod's Fancy J 4x32

Reel of the 51st Division R 8x32

Venue for both workshops,
dinner and dance
Gulf Islands Secondary School
Rainbow Road.