

President's Report

February 21, 2016 Board of Director's Meeting
Saint Andrew's Society of Mid-Maryland, Inc.

SASMM 2016 Goals: February Updates

- 2016 Calendar of Events: Confirmed some April and May event dates; others pending.
- 2016 Budget for SASMM: Presented at January 2016 BOD meeting and accepted; 2017 budget will be drafted for November BOD and AGM meetings
- Resolve remaining IRS issue (fines): Still pending
- Finalize Audit 2015: Still pending
- Update SASMM Bylaws: Not yet started
- Outreach and partnership with other organizations: Outreach to Mid-Maryland Irish Festival, Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, Garrett County Celtic Festival, etc.

Website and FB: Updates continue. Festival websites updates needed.

DJP Spirit of Scotland Award: There were five nominations; three of whom were not SASMM members (in keeping with the intent of the award that the recipient's contributions be broad in scope). The BOD approved the nomination committee selection of Joe Wiggington, and he will receive the award at the Burns Supper on February 20th.

Raffles and Permits: SASMM is raffling items at Burns Supper and the Celtic Festival. Raffle permits are needed in both Frederick and Carroll Counties. Chris Spurill has obtained the permit for Frederick County (\$50, good for all of 2016), and Cindy Wolfe is working on the permit for Carroll County.

Burns Nicht Supper: February 20, 2016

- 195 reservations
- Offered the SASMM member rate (\$25) to SAMS and KSA.
- Honored Guests:
 - Nancy Badertscher President Robert Burns Society of Annapolis and Ken Badertscher (Secretary).
 - Stacy Guerin, THE Maryland Irish Festival and Tom Lawler

Marianne Elliott

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February 19, 2016