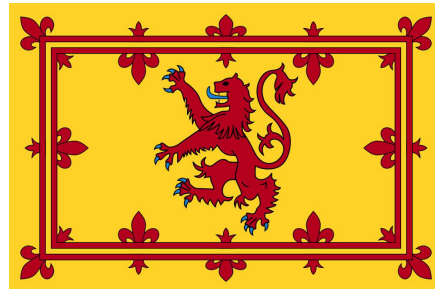


Saint Andrew's Society of Mid-Maryland, Inc.

Celebrating Scottish Life and Culture

The Scottish Lion

January 2022



Did you know?

The Scottish Lion was the name of our original Society newsletter? The *Lion* is coming back with a *ROOOOOAAAAARRRRRRAR!!* Look for it each month.

Upcoming Events

Pre-Burns Cook-along and Bake-along Lessons

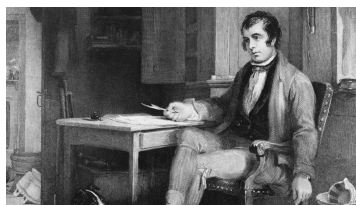
- ✓ **Haggis Appetizers** Sunday, February 6
- ✓ **Potato-Leek Soup** Sunday, February 13
- ✓ **'Taste o' Cake' dessert** Sunday, February 20
(All via Zoom)

Burns Nicht Supper Saturday, February 26

Book Club: Movie Night

Saturday, March 12

Look here: <https://sasmm.com/upcoming-events/>



An illustration of Scottish poet Robert Burns circa 1786 in his cottage composing 'The Cotter's Saturday Night' Getty Images

New Member Welcome

Peter F.
Kathleen K.
Scott R.



Where no travel is necessary!



Check out the Burns celebration
on The Royal Yacht Britannia.

<https://www.royalyachtbritannia.co.uk/exclusive-use/burns-supper/>

SASMM Snippets:

Thank you to Our Founders!

Without their vision we would not exist.

Many are still active members today.

The St. Andrew's Society of Mid-Maryland was established July 1, 1999. The Society was recognized by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) as an exempt organization under section 501(c)(3) on April 25, 2003.

The Bylaws list the first purpose of the Society as: To perpetuate Scottish traditions and culture through education and demonstration.

SASMM does that through our members and volunteers who lead and participate in our programs and events throughout the year. And, by supporting our sister and brother Scottish organizations and festivals. A few are shown here.

Key Notes from January 12th Board of Directors Meeting

The Board set goals for 2022 and we need YOU to help:

- Increase our membership by 60%
- Expand the events offered; especially more informal get-togethers
- Examine SASMM organizational and financial structure (voted upon by members at the AGM (Annual General Meeting) November 2021)



January Birthdays

2nd Dan C.
3rd Marianne E.
4th Sandra H.
11th Jackie P.
14th Winfield D.
21st John "Doc" M.
25th Edith P. & **Robert Burns**
28th Phyllis G.
29th Sir Daphne H.



Virginia Scottish Games
and Festival



Got news? Items of interest? Want to help? Let us know: marianne@mmelliott.com