



MORAY CEILIDH CLUB
NEWSLETTER
October 2006

Hello all,

Welcome to the October 2006 edition of the Moray Ceilidh Club newsletter.

The new season got off to a great start with the Ceilidh on the 2nd September at Miltonduff Village hall with fantastic music ably provided by Ceilidh Mor. A great time was had by all with plenty of space for dancing. If you were there you also witnessed our Madam Chairman's first (and she says, "Last!") Cumberland Basket - Steve's rather too fresh stitches also managed to survive the event...just. We were also joined by Kristian, at just eleven days old he's our youngest member so far! He managed to sleep though the whole thing, despite the volume of the band, but I'm sure he'll be up and dancing with us very soon!

Little did you know that your committee's morals were so low as to incur the wrath of the Scottish Exec's Behaviour Police - an e-mail sent with the title of "NEWSLETTER COCK-UP" was blocked as being profane! Some thought that it was actually because the Scottish Exec does not have 'cock-ups' ...As an insider put it they

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may have 'oversights', but nothing more serious!

The next Ceilidh will take place on 28th October at Miltonduff village hall, with music to be provided by Bella McNabb. A traditional band with fiddlers, guitar, piano and double bass, their expert caller will keep us all on track with traditional and fun new dances. Visit their website at www.bellamcnabb.com, or click on the band name link from the Moray Ceilidh Club website for more information. The Ceilidh will be a traditionally fun event with a Halloween theme and an option to dress up, there's also a competition for the best costume with a small but fabulous prize (won by my father-in-law last year - I wasn't on the committee then, before you all cry "Inside job!"). Great fun was had by all last year, so we're hoping we can create the same atmosphere this year. Remember that this is a popular event and was a sell out last year, so get your tickets booked as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

A quick reminder for all those people who haven't yet renewed their Moray Ceilidh Club membership to do so before the season reaches full swing. Remember the earlier you join the more value you get!

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Assisted by the Arts Council for Moray

The Moray Ceilidh Club committee would also like to thank our resident teenagers for their continuing support despite the slight rise in ticket prices. Remember that it's still one of the best nights out that you can have and at a reasonable price too. It lasts longer than the cinema and think of all the exercise you'll be getting!

Tickets for all the Ceilidhs in the 2006/07 season can be booked online following the link from the Moray Ceilidh Club website (www.moraycc.org). This is a simple way of booking all the tickets you need for all of the Ceilidhs. Just head for the 'Events' page, click on the Ceilidh that you wish to attend and follow the instructions on 'The Booth' website that the link takes you to. It is well worth booking your tickets as soon as possible, we had to turn away members last year who turned up to some of the more popular Ceilidhs without tickets. We are always sorry to have to do this, but some venues dictate that ticket numbers are restricted due to dancing space. You don't have to be a member to come along to the events, so invite all your friends along for a fun evening of dancing.

Thinking ahead to future Ceilidh events, please note that the band for the Ceilidh on the 27th January 2007 has changed from Clachan Yell to The Incredible Fling Band. Clachan Yell weren't sure that their fiddlers would be back from France in time for the event. The Incredible Fling

Band has performed at our Ceilidhs before and we are glad to be inviting them back.

Don't forget to keep an eye on the Moray Ceilidh Club website for future changes and information. Should you misplace information or newsletters sent to you, they can also be found on the website under 'News'.

We look forward to seeing you all at the next Ceilidh on 28th October at Miltonduff village hall. Don't forget your spooky costume (if you fancy a shot at that prize!).

Best Wishes
Sam Lander Stow

Future ceilidhs

Here is the plan for future events, locations, bands, etc

DATE	LOCATION & BAND
Sat 28 Oct 2006 at 20:00	Miltonduff Bella McNab
Sat 25 Nov 2006 at 20:00	Bishopmill Ceilidh Minogue
Sat 27 Jan 2007 at 20:00	Bishopmill The Incredible Fling Band
17 Mar 2007 at 20:00	Bishopmill Marwicks
21 Apr 2007 at 20:00	Bishopmill Iron Broo

Below is a tear off to help you order your tickets. **Hurry, while stocks last!!!**

Bella McNab, Miltonduff Village Hall, Sat 28 Oct 2006 at 20:00

Name _____ Tel _____

Address _____

Member Tickets (Adult @ £6.00) _____ Member's school age kids (Free) _____

Guests/Non-members (Adult @ £9.50) _____ Non-members school age kids (@ £2.50) _____

Send **form**, **s.a.e.** and **cheque** to Steve Coomber (01343 541983) 32 High School Drive, New Elgin, IV30 6UE

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