



SCOTTISH RAMBLE



Newsletter of the Royal Scottish
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Queensland Branch Incorporated

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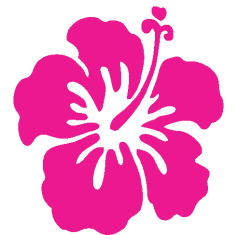
CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

"Controlled abandon for all" should be our motto in Queensland. In the Manual of Scottish Country Dancing published by The Royal Scottish Country Dance Society on page 16 Miss Milligan is quoted as asserting "...dancing is a joyous thing and must never become so drilled and detailed as to lose the natural gay social spirit..."

Recently the Branch received donations of \$2436.67 for flood and cyclone relief from members worldwide of the RSCDS through the magazine issued by RSCDS headquarters. The Secretary has inquired through all clubs throughout the state, however no members were directly affected. The home of one dancer in Townsville was damaged by falling trees in the cyclone there and Margaret Silke has offered to deliver a cheque to him of \$436.67. The balance of \$2000 will be forwarded through the Yeronga State School P & C Association to be distributed by the Yeronga Flood Recovery Centre to children who lost musical instruments in the floods so that instruments can be replaced and the school's music programme can continue.

It is with great pleasure that I can report that Anne Archdeacon of Cairns has been awarded the RSCD Society's Scroll of Honour for services to Scottish Country Dancing. She was nominated by members in Cairns and details of her work as presented as part of her nomination for the Scroll are on Page 2. We thank Anne for her work over the years and congratulate her on receiving the Scroll of Honour. The formal Scroll will be prepared and presented at the Cairns Ball and weekend of dance in June 2012 in Cairns and I would urge members to attend if possible.

The next big Branch event is Maroon Dam which was enjoyed by all who attended last year and promises to be just as enjoyable this year. I urge everyone to support this and come along to enjoy great music from Duncan Smith and Catherine Fraser, with help in class and after the Socials from Iain MacKenzie. Duncan Smith will teach two classes with Catherine's wonderful fiddle for music. Unfortunately Paul Smith is unable to teach, so Leonie Soter will take a class on Saturday if demand is sufficient to teach the dances for the evening social. Please feel free to wear your Hawaiian shirts, grass skirts and leis on Saturday night and prepare to enjoy! We also welcome non-dancers to come and enjoy the music and atmosphere. The dance program on Saturday night has been chosen by Duncan and Catherine for the greatest possible music and whilst some of the dances are unfamiliar, we are assured that they are simple dances



After Maroon Dam, the Branch has organized the St Andrews Social in November with music from Chris Duncan and Catherine Strutt, which will be another wonderful evening. Next year the Branch is hoping to have a ball as well as Socials and Maroon Dam and the committee is currently investigating venues and musicians.

The Victorian RSCDS Branch has taken up the challenge of organizing a weekend of dance in Melbourne for younger dancers aged 18 to 35 in February next year. A notice for the weekend is on page 11. Application forms can be obtained from me, the Ramble editor or any committee member. Please encourage any person in that age group of any dancing skill level to attend as it promises to be an inspirational weekend and there has not been a similar opportunity in recent times in Australia.

Still to be enjoyed this year are socials at the Gold Coast, The Glen at Wamuran, Maleny, Graceville and Bundaberg. There is a Day of Dance in November at the Gold Coast and a weekend of SC Dance in Townsville in September/October. Please attend and support these events.

David Goss

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Closing date for next Ramble is 20th December 2011 for January publication

Anne Archdeacon of Cairns has been awarded the Royal Scottish Country Dance Society's Scroll of Honour for Service to the Society over many years. This is the information provided to the Society by Cairns members in support of a nomination for her to be awarded the Scroll of Honour. Note: Jo Archdeacon also has achieved her full teaching certificate
Editor

Anne was one of a quartet of bush dancers who started SCD in Cairns in 1987. They began with very limited knowledge, no teacher and a couple of recorded dance tunes. They taught themselves to dance from notes and school memories.

Anne encouraged the group to attend the NZ 1988/9 Summer School where they quickly learned a lot more about SCD including that different dances had different tunes. Anne continued with the group in Cairns and recruited new members. Weekly classes were held in her home. Some of the original group had now moved away leaving Anne as the instructor.

In 1991 Anne arranged for a visiting Teacher (Johan McLean) to present a workshop in Cairns and invited Caledonian Society members from Townsville and Ayr. Later that year Anne attended her first Australian Winter School at Dookie. She attended the 1992 Winter School in Perth, and took her Preliminary examination in 1993.

Anne continued to attend the Australian Winter Schools each year. She danced at schools in Canada in 1993 and St Andrews in 1994, where she passed her full teachers certificate. As a fully qualified teacher, the only one in North Queensland, Anne encouraged her local dancers to attend the RSCDS Australian Winter Schools and the NZ Summer Schools. Cairns dancers have attended every Australian Winter School since.

She started a SCD group in Atherton, some 93 km away, and soon had both groups dancing at local events; including multicultural festivals, concerts in Cairns and other locations, Burn's Suppers, displays for the elderly and charity fundraisers. In 1996 Anne visited Townsville (380 km) and Ayr (410 km) several times to help them prepare for their first SCD classes.

1997 was the 10th Anniversary of the formation of the Cairns SCD Group and was celebrated with a Ball. Anne organised for musicians to be flown in and again visited Townsville to help them prepare for the Cairns Ball. The Annual Cairns Ball was held again in 1998 and in 1999, when it was part of a new event, The Cairns SCD Weekend Workshop and Annual Ball. Again musicians were flown in, as were the teachers. This SCD weekend has continued since, attracting dancers from all states, NZ and from abroad. The Weekend is now a popular regular feature on the Australian SCD calendar.

Anne has been responsible for the formation of the Cairns and Atherton dance groups and their subsequent survival. She has worked hard to publicize their existence, making several broadcasts on local radio to explain the culture and aims of SCD, organising for a TV commercial to be produced to recruit new members and arranging for forthcoming events to be covered by articles in local newspapers. Whilst she has been assisted in this there is no doubt that Anne has been almost completely responsible for the good state of SCD in both Cairns and Atherton. Her enthusiasm, energy and motivation have successfully competed with a myriad of local dance and other recreational alternatives on offer in the relatively small tourist town of Cairns. It is no understatement to say that without her leadership there would be no SCD in Cairns, Townsville or Atherton.

Anne taught 3 North Queensland dancers (Kylie Akers, Jo Archdeacon and Margaret Silke) up to a standard where they could take their Prelim exams. Margaret withdrew for medical reasons and Kylie and Jo went on to gain the Preliminary Certificate. Kylie subsequently became fully qualified and Jo is currently studying for her full certificate. Anne has also started another young dancer on the teacher trail. (Pippa Bray). Kylie has taken over the teaching of the Atherton Group and Anne is a regular visitor to the Highlands in her role of Mentor. At several of the Cairns Annual Workshops Anne introduced musician's workshops. This resulted in an international student (at University in Cairns from the USA) providing live music at weekly classes for 4 years until she graduated. A local Celtic band has also started to play for the dancers as a result of Anne's initiative.

Anne has taught at several schools and dance weekends in Queensland including the 2001 RSCDS Australian Winter School at Brisbane, The Maryborough Weekend of Dance, Paluma Weekend SCD event and at the Queensland Branch Weekend of Dance, held at Maroon Dam. Anne also taught at the RSCDS UK Winter School at Pitlochry in 2005.

Anne has arranged for the visit to Cairns of many eminent teachers and musicians over the years and has provided the local dancers and others from further afield with first class opportunities they would otherwise not have had. One of the highlights in this area was the Cairns Highland Ball held in 2006 when Anne invited Marian Anderson and her band to perform. Anne inevitably hosts and accommodates visiting SCD teachers and musicians who teach and play for us at our major events. She does this for no other reward than to have high quality teaching and music.

Anne is a strong advocate of the RSCDS and its teaching methods and sets a high standard in her classes based on RSCDS methodology. She tempers this with a style of teaching that gives the students a great deal of enjoyment and the desire for more. She encourages membership of the RSCDS and her classes are often enhanced with brief summaries on the Society's history and traditions.

Anne's classes cater for all levels, from novice dancers to advanced and she regularly encourages and motivates her experienced dancers to maintain high standards. This has paid dividends for many Cairns dancers who have travelled nationally and internationally and been able to dance with confidence whilst visiting other groups.

RSCDS Queensland Branch St Andrew's Social

Saturday 26th November, 2010
7.30pm at Holland Park State High School Assembly Hall
Music by Chris Duncan and Catherine Strutt
Program devisor Paul Smith

Dance	Type	Source
1. Maxwell's Rant	8x32 R	RSCDS Book 18
2. Hooper's Jig	8x32 J	RSCDS MMM2
3. Lady Lucy Ramsay	8x32 S	RSCDS MMM2
4. The Clansman	8x32 R	RSCDS Bk 32
5. Blue Bonnets	8x32 J	RSCDS Bk 32
6. The Gentleman	8x32 S	RSCDS Book 35
7. The Black Mountain Reel	5x32 R	Carnforth
8. Gothenberg's Welcome	8x32 J	RSCDS Bk 37
9. St Columba's Strathspey	5x32 S	Sproule & Gillan
10. Inverneil House	8x32 R	RSCDS Bk 35

Supper

11. Follow Me Home	8x32 J	RSCDS Bk 38
12. S-Locomotion	4x32 S	RSCDS Bk 41
13. John of Bon Accord	8x32 R	RSCDS Book 33
14. Minister on the Loch	3x32 S	24 Gr. & Social
15. The Nurseryman	8x32 J	RSCDS Bk 37
16. De'il Amang the Tailors	8x32 R	RSCDS Bk 14



BRANCH CLASSES				
Beginners -Children from 9 years are welcome to attend this Class	Monday 6:45– 8:15pm	Community Hall, Love Street, Spring Hill	Denise Smith	3209 7006
Intermediate/Advanced Technique	Thursday 7:30– 9:30pm	Community Hall, Spring Hill	Paul Smith	3209 7006
Northside	Wednesday 7:30– 9:30pm	Wonargo Revue Scout Hall, Flower Street, Northgate	Leslye Buchanan	3286 2289
The Caledonians	Sunday 10am	Community Hall, Spring Hill	Leonie Soter	5439 0906

THE GLEN SOCIAL 29th OCTOBER 2011.

7pm for 7.30 START

Music by Bruce and Bayden Mitchell

Wamuran Community Hall D'Aguiar Hwy.

Cost \$10.00

Fun in the Sun	4 x 32 Reel 2C RTR	Cathy Mcleod
Starry Eyed Lassie	8 x 32 Jig 3C(4C Set)	Bk 23
Rose of the North	8 x 32 Strathspey 3C (4C set)	R Goldring
The Australian Ladies	4 x 32 Reel 3C (4C Set)	R M Campbell
Ladies of the Glen	4 x 32 Jig 4C 3s & 4s opp sides	B Priddy
The Glasgow Highlanders	8 x 32 Strathspey 4C Set	Bk 2
St Andrew's of Brampton	4 x 32 Reel 4C Set	Bk 37
The Raven's Dance	8 x 32 Jig 3C (f4C Set)	D Haynes
Culla Bay	4 x 32 Strathspey Sq Set	Blk 41
The De'il Amang the Tailors	8 x 32 Reel 3C (4C Set)	Bk 14
SUPPER		
Scottish Waltz		
Seton's Ceilidh Band	4 x 64 Jig 4C Set	B Fordyce
MacDonald of the Isles	3 x 32 Strathspey 3C Set	D Haynes Carnforth Coll 2
The Westminster Reel	6 x 32 Reel 2C (4C Set)	Bk 45
The White Heather Jig	4 x 40 Jig 4C Set	J Cosh
The Star	3 x 32 Strathspey 3C Set	Bk 28
The Black Bear Reel	8 x 32 Reel 3C (4C Set)	Galbraith
Auld Lang Syne		

Did you know that we also have a website dedicated to everything RSCDS in Australia?

Go to www.rscds.org.au and then to RSCDS Branches/Queensland on the left for information about Queensland RSCDS branch and clubs. Please, e-mail information you wish to have included on the website (dates, program notes etc) to the secretary at pczb@bigpond.net.au.

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NEWS FROM THE GOLD COAST

A Queensland first for the Gold Coast..... The RSCDS has recently introduced a certificated basic teacher training course for "teachers who don't want to be teachers". This course, known as UNIT O, provides a formal opportunity for those who may find themselves in the position of leading club class sessions to develop the basic teaching skills needed to fulfil this increasingly common role. Tasks covered in the course vary to suit particular needs and include dance analysis, lesson planning, teaching basic formations and building up the elements of a dance.

In mid June eight members of the Gold Coast club volunteered to participate in a two day UNIT O course under the wonderful tutelage of Paul and Denise Smith. Paul and Denise provided each participant with extensive, detailed resource material which they had obviously spent many hours preparing. The valuable lessons learned have already had a visible, positive effect on the club's classes and from the element covering planning the club has developed an excellent basis on which we can build for the future.

At our July social Paul and Denise presented the official Certificates of Completion to all who attended the course and we extend our sincere thanks to Paul and Denise for their expertise, professionalism and kind support. We can thoroughly recommend this course to anyone who may have the opportunity to participate.

Other Gold Coast News..... Two very successful Socials have been held since our last bulletin. In May our annual Charity Social raised \$500.00 for the Queensland Premier's Disaster Relief Fund. This result could not have been achieved without the generous support of both club members and the many visitors who travelled to enjoy this event. Our heartfelt thanks to you all. The July social was also a great night of dancing again enthusiastically supported by visitors from both Brisbane and Ballina. Your continued support for these occasions is greatly appreciated.

There are two more Socials on this year's calendar, the first on Saturday, September 24th and the second the club's annual DAY OF DANCE to be held on Saturday, November 5th. The theme for this year's Day of Dance is **Wild Colonial** and work has already begun on our now legendary decorations. Our guest teacher this year is Paul Smith and we all look forward to Paul's trademark interesting selection of dances. Further details of both Socials can be found elsewhere in this edition, including registration forms for the DAY OF DANCE. Program details and crib sheets are also available on the Branch website. We look forward to welcoming you to both of these happy dancing events.

GOLD COAST SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCERS CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2012

PICNIC DAY	SATURDAY 11TH FEBRUARY 9AM SCHUSTER PARK (BYO EVERYTHING CHAIRS, FOOD, DRINKS ETC)	
SOCIALS	SATURDAY MAY 26TH - CHARITY SOCIAL	MAHER HALL 7.30PM
	SATURDAY JULY 28TH	MAHER HALL 7.30PM
	SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 22ND	MAHER HALL 7.30PM
DAY OF DANCE	SATURDAY NOVEMBER 3RD	MAHER HALL 10AM TO 10PM
XMAS PARTY	SATURDAY 1ST DECEMBER VENUE TO BE ANNOUNCED	

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GOLD COAST SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCERS

DAY OF DANCING

SATURDAY 5TH NOVEMBER 2011

VENUE: Maher Hall, Matilda Street, BURLEIGH HEADS

WILD COLONIALS

Join in the EVENING fun by dressing THE WILD COLONIAL WAY!
LIVE MUSIC BY BRUCE MITCHELL

ORDER OF THE DAY

MORNING TEA	9.30am	PRE-DINNER DRINKS	5pm
MORNING Class	10am-12noon	DINNER	6-7.30pm
<u>BYO LUNCH</u>		EVENING SOCIAL	7.30-9.30pm
AFTERNOON Class	1.30-3pm	SUPPER	9.30pm

OUR GUEST TEACHER IS PAUL SMITH

COST is \$35.00 PER PERSON and includes Morning & Afternoon Classes, Pre-Dinner Drinks, Dinner, and Evening Social & Supper.

AM/PM CLASSES ONLY will be \$5 PER CLASS, DINNER ONLY will be \$25 and SOCIAL & SUPPER ONLY will be \$10.

ENQUIRIES: Stella 55359521 or Tony and Carolyn 55354287

APPLICATION FORM

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CONTACT NO. _____ CLUB _____

VEGETARIAN OPTION: YES.....NO..... (Please circle)

PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED FORM WITH PAYMENT (CHEQUES PAYABLE TO GOLD COAST SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCERS) BY 22ND OCTOBER 2011 TO:

Gold Coast Scottish Country Dancers
c/- Mr G Bell, PO Box 52, Banora Point, NSW 2486

**GOLD COAST
Scottish Country Dancers
SOCIAL**

**Saturday 24TH SEPTEMBER 2011
at 7.30pm**

Maheer Hall, Matilda St, Burleigh Heads

- 1 THE JUBILEE JIG (J8x32) 3C (4C set)**
RSCDS Leaflet 19
- 2 SUMMER WOOING (R8x32) 3C (4C set)**
A Macpherson RSCDS Bk 38
- 3 THE DUCHESS TREE (S8x32) 3C (4C set)**
J Drewry Brodie Bk
- 4 THE KELLOHOLM JIG (J8x32) 3C (4C set)**
P Hyssett RSCDS Leaflet 32
- 5 SCOTT MEIKLE (R4x32) 4C set**
A McLean Laurieston Coll 1
- 6 MONYMUSK (S8x32) 3C (4C set)**
Preston RSCDS Bk 11
- 7 BEST SET IN THE HALL (J8x32) 3C (4C Set)**
H Greenwood RSCDS Bk 46
- 8 ANNA HOLDEN'S STRATHSPEY
(S8x32) 2C (4Cset)**
J Drewry RSCDS Bk 42
- 9 THE LAIRD OF MILTON'S DAUGHTER
(J8x32) 3C (4C set)**
Craigmyle RSCDS Bk 22

SUPPER

- 10 JOIE DE VIVRE (J8x32) 3C (4C set)**
I van Maarseveen RSCDS Bk 39
- 11 CADGERS IN THE CANONGATE
(R8x48) 3C (4Cset) Walsh RSCDS Bk 9**
- 12 THE BRAES OF BREADALBANE
(S8x32) 3C (4C set) Skillern RSCDS Bk 21**
- 13 SETON'S CEILIDH BAND (J4x64) 4C set**
B Fordyce Morison's Bush Coll
- 14 THE WHISTLING WIND (R8x32) 3C (4C set)**
E Goosen RSCDS Bk 36
- 15 MISS MILLIGAN'S STRATHSPEY
(S8x32) 3C (4C set)**
Golden Jubilee Dances
- 16. GOOD HEARTED GLASGOW
(J8x32) 3C (4C set)**
P Knapman Collins Pocket Ref

**PROGRAM FOR
DAY OF DANCE SOCIAL**

**GOLD COAST
Scottish Country Dancers**

**Saturday 5TH NOVEMBER 2011
at 7.30pm Maheer Hall,
Matilda St, Burleigh Heads**

**CUTTY SARK (J8x32) 3C (4C set)
RSCDS Bk 40**

**SHIFTIN' BOBBINS
(R8x32) 3C (4C set)
R Clowes Ormskirk 6**

**SANDS OF MORAR
(S8x32) 3C (4C set)
B Priddey RSCDS Bk 45**

**LAMB SKINNET (J8x32) 3C (4C set)
Thompson RSCDS Bk 14**

**THE HIGHLAND RAMBLER
(R8x40) 3C (4C set)
R Goldring Leeds Silver Jubilee**

**THE DREAM CATCHER
(S96) Sq.Set
E Orr RSCDS Bk 45**

**THE AUSTRALIAN LADIES
(R8x32) 3C (4C set)
R M Campbell Glasgow Assembly**

**AIRYHALL DELIGHT
(J8x32) 3C (4C set)
D Young RSCDS Bk 40**

**IN TRADITIONAL MODE
(S8x32) 3C (4C set)
R Goldring G & S Dances 3**

**KANGAROO PAW (
R8x32) 3C (4C set)
J Brenchley Kangaroo Paw**

**THE IRISH ROVER
(R8x32) 3C (4C set)
J Cosh 22 SCDs**

**VILLAGE REEL (S8x32) 2C (4C set)
W Campbell RSCDS Bk 20**

**THE DEIL AMANG THE TAILORS
(R8x32) 3C (4C set)
RSCDS Bk 14**



MAROON DAM WEEKEND 2011

From 5pm, Fri 7th Oct 2011 to 2pm, Sun 9th Oct 2011

At

Maroon Outdoor Education Centre

We at the RSCDS Queensland Branch extend a warm invitation to our popular weekend of dancing at the Maroon Outdoor Education Centre (MOEC: www.maroonoec.eq.edu.au) at Maroon Dam, which is situated 21 km south of Boonah and about 100km south west from the Brisbane CBD (see map on MOEC website).

Venue information:

We will be using the student accommodation in the nine on-site cabins, which each contain four to five bedrooms with most containing four bunk beds. We do not expect more than two dancers sharing each bedroom.

You need to bring your own single bed sheets and pillow cases, a doona if desired (woollen blankets are provided). A torch would be handy at night. Also, please, bring your own cup for morning teas.

All catering will be supplied by MOEC:

Breakfast and lunch on Saturday and Sunday;

Dinner on Saturday night;

We will provide our own morning tea and supper items;

Dinner on Friday night is not included but can be provided for an additional charge of \$10; this will be a cold plated meal only.

Musicians and teachers:

Duncan Smith and Catherine Fraser from Melbourne/Adelaide and Iain McKenzie from Mackay.

Duncan Smith will also take one of the classes and if there is sufficient demand Leonie Soter from Brisbane will take a beginners class concentrating on the Saturday Night Social dances on Saturday.

Weekend's program:

The dance program on Saturday night has been chosen by Duncan and Catherine for the best possible music and whilst some of the dances are unfamiliar, we are assured that they are simple dances.

Friday 7th Oct 2011: 5pm: Registration in the dining room
7.30 pm: Social, with supper after

Saturday 8th Oct 2011: 9am -12pm: Dance classes, including morning tea, followed by lunch
7.30 pm: Hawaiian Social, with supper after

Sunday 9th Oct 2011: 9am -12pm: classes followed by lunch, 2pm close.

**Non-dancers are very welcome to attend and
enjoy the music and atmosphere**

Maroon Dam Weekend 2011

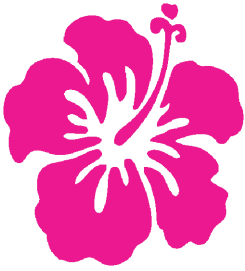
Friday, 7th Oct, Social Program

1. Nice to see you	4x32 Reel (Round room)	Book 40 # 3
2. Seton's Ceilidh Band	4x64 Jig	Morison's Bush / Collins
3. The Bonnie Tree	8x32 Strathspey	Book 46 # 6
4. The Meeting of the Waters	8x48 Reel	Strathtay
5. Posties Jig	4x32 Jig	Ormskirk
6. The Dream Catcher	1x96 Strathspey (square)	Book 45 # 9
7. Best Set in the Hall	8x32 Jig	Book 46 # 7
8. Shiftin' Bobbins	8x32 Reel	Ormskirk
9. Gang the Same Gate	8x32 Strathspey	Book 36 # 4
10. Clutha	4x48 Reel	Book 31 # 2
(short break)		
11. Strip the Willow	4x40 Running step	Book 1 # 7
12. Margaret Parker's Strathspey	8x32 Strathspey	Book 31 # 3
13. Black Bear	8x32 Reel	Birkhampstead Golden Jubilee
14. Trip to Bavaria	4x32 Reel	James MacGregor-Brown
15. Culla Bay	4x32 Strathspey (square)	Book 41 # 2
16. Pelorus Jack	8x32 Jig	Book 41 # 1
17. The De'il amang the Tailors	8x32 Reel	Book 14 # 7

Saturday, 8th Oct, Social Program

The dance program has been chosen by Duncan and Catherine for the great music and whilst some of the dances are unfamiliar, we are assured that they are simple dances.

1. The Hollin Buss	8x32 Jig	Book 24 # 8
2. Maxwell's Rant	8x32 Reel	Book 18 # 10
3. The Braes of Mellinish	8x32 Strathspey	Book 25 # 12
4. Speed the Plough	8.32 Reel	Book 2 # 4
5. Haste to the Wedding	8x32 Jig	Book 25 # 6
6. The Hamilton Rant	8.48 Reel	Book 22 # 6
7. The Cuillins of Skye	8.32 Strathspey	4 SCD for 1978
8. Mrs McPherson of Inveran	8x32 Reel	Drewry/Bon Accord Book
(short break)		
9. The Isle	8x32 Jig	Graded Book 1 # 15
10. The Peat Fire Flame	8x40 Reel	Drewry/Bon Accord Book
11. The Dundee Whaler	4x32 Strathspey	Clowes/Ormskirk Collect 1
12. Old Nick's Lumber Room	8x32 Jig	Book 26 # 6
13. The Blooms of Bon Accord	4x32 Reel	Drewry/Deeside Book
14. The Minister on the Loch	3x32 Strathspey	Goldring/24 Social Dances
15. Saw ye My Wee Thing	8x32 Jig	Book 25 # 6
16. The Wind that shakes the Barley	8x32 Reel	Duthie/Eight SCD



ALOHA

MAROON DAM 2011

Friday 7th – Sunday 9th October

This year we are having a Hawaiian theme!

So bring your grass skirts, leis, Hawaiian shirt, etc, for the socials.
And ladies, don't forget a flower for your hair.

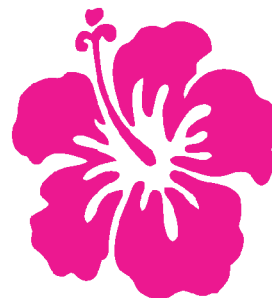
Teachers: Duncan Smith (Melbourne)
Leonie Soter (Brisbane)

Musicians: Catherine Fraser (Adelaide)
Duncan Smith (Melbourne)
Iain Mackenzie (Mackay)

There will be live music for classes, socials and after-social gatherings. The Maroon Dam weekend has become a favourite for Queensland Scottish Country Dancers, so if you've been before, you'll want to come again. If you haven't, you need to experience the great music and dancing, as well as the wonderful food, fresh country air and friendly atmosphere!

**Wear your Hawaiian Shirt, Grass Skirt and your flower leis
on Saturday night!**

See you there!



See page 16 for the registration form.



A weekend of
Scottish Country Dancing
for dancers aged 18 to 35



This is a residential weekend of classes and social dancing
from Friday 3rd to Sunday 5th February 2012
In AWESome Abbotsford, Inner Melbourne, Victoria

For dancers at all levels, from elementary to advanced.

The teacher is Mrs Jean Dodds from Adelaide, Australia.



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Townsville Scottish Country Dancers
invite you to

"A WEEKEND OF SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE"

to be held at Castle Hill PCYC Hall, cnr Hugh/Harold Sts
30th September - 2nd October 2011

PROGRAM

Friday 30th Sept. **6:30 for 7pm.** 'Ceilidh' - dancing for everyone, especially beginners.
Saturday 1st Oct. **10:00 - 12:30pm.** 'Morning Class' taken by visiting teacher,
Anne Archdeacon from Cairns
1:00pm. Lunch at West End Hotel(own cost)
7 for 7:30pm. 'Annual Ball'
Music: Iain Mckenzie from Mackay on accordion
Supper provided
BYO Refreshments

Sunday 2nd Oct. **9:00am.** 'BREAKFAST ON THE STRAND'

You may choose to attend one or all the activities

Cost: **\$5 each** for Ceilidh, Morning Class and Breakfast
\$35 for Annual Ball

Annual Ball and Breakfast must be paid for one week prior to assist with catering
Ceilidh and Morning Class may be paid separately and on the day

Total Cost of Weekend: \$50

Cheques payable to 'Townsville Scottish Country Dance Group Inc' or
Electronic Transfer to 'Townsville Scottish Country Dancing Group Inc. Commonwealth Bank BSB:064
823 a/c no. 1021 2361

For further information please email 'afhosken@bigpond.com' or phone Ray 47212247

REGISTRATION FORM for A WEEKEND OF DANCE
Please assist catering by returning by Monday 26th Sept

Name/s

Contact details

Special Dietary needs

Activities attending

Amount enclosed \$

Please complete and return with your payment or record of transfer to:
Townsville Scottish Country Dancing Group Inc. PO Box 6141, TOWNSVILLE QLD 4910

Townsville Scottish Country Dancers
Annual Ball Program
 1 October 2011

MR MICHAEL BEAR'S REEL	(R8x32) 3C (4Cset)	S Phillips RSCDS 2nd Bk Graded & Social
MONYMUSK	(S8x32) 3C (4C set)	Preston RSCDS Bk 11
HAMILTON HOUSE	(J8x32) 3C (4C set)	W Campbell RSCDS Bk 7
THE BONNIE TREE	(S8x32) 3C (4C set)	R Butterfield RSCDS Bk 46
ST ANDREW'S FAIR	(J8x32) 3C (4C set)	R Goldring 5 SCDs
SEANN TRUIBHAS WILLICHAN	(S8x32) 2C (4C set)	T Wilson RSCDS Bk 27
CHRISTINE M PHILLIPS	(J8x32) 3C (4C set)	J Brenchley RSCDS Bk 46

SUPPER

THE RAVEN'S DANCE	(J8x32) 3C (4C set)	D Haynes Carnforth Coll 5
MEMORIES OF CHERYL	Medley S4x32, J4x32	M James
CATCH THE WIND	(R8x32) 3C (4C set)	R Butterfield RSCDS Bk 45
PEGGY SPOUSE MBE	(S8x32) 3C (4C set)	Wilkinson RSCDS Bk 46
SETON'S CEILIDH BAND	(J4x64) 4C set	B Fordyce Morison's Bush Coll
SUGAR CANDIE	(S8x32) 3C (4C set)	RSCDS Bk 26
MAIRI'S WEDDING	(R8x40) 3C (4C set)	Cosh 22 SCDs

MALENY CHRISTMAS SOCIAL

Saturday December 3rd – Maleny RSL Hall – 7pm for 7.30pm – Admission \$8

Bruce Mitchell's Music – Great Raffle Prizes – Delicious Supper

The Brudenell Jig	J8x32 2/4C	Burnell Leeds Anniv Bk
Shiftin' Bobbins	R8x32 3/4C	Clowes Ormskirk 6
Seattle Landing	S3x32 3C	E M Vandegrift
The Zoologist	J8x32 3/4C	Brown Bk 46
The Music Will Tell You	R4x32 4C	Pavery Bk 41
Bonnie Stronshiray	S8x32 3/4C	Campbell Glasgow Assembly
The Pines of Pitlochry	J8x48 3/4C	Firth SCD Archives
The Rose of the North	S8x32 3/4C	Goldring Leeds Silver Jubilee
Clutha	R4x48 Sq.Set	Bk 31

SUPPER

12 Coates Crescent	S4x32 4C	Bk 40
The Compleat Gardener	J8x32 3/4C	E M Vandegrift
A Starter for Ten	J5x32 5C	Goldring Gr & Soc 3
The Corian Strathspey	S3x32 3C	Bk 43
The Annan Reel	J3x32 3C	S Petyt
Mairi's Wedding	R8x40	Collins Pkt Bk
Scottish Waltz		

RSCDS QLD Branch Calendar—2011/12

<i>Day</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>	<i>Location</i>
Friday– Sunday	7-9 October	Maroon Dam Weekend	Maroon Dam with Catherine Fraser & Duncan Smith playing
Saturday	26 November	St Andrews Social	Holland Park State High School with Chris Duncan & Catherine Strutt playing
Saturday	24 March 2012	Opening Social	St Phillips Hall, Annerley with Iain MacKenzie & Emma Nixon playing
Saturday	24 November 2012	St Andrews Social	St Phillips Hall

Club Events-2011/12

Saturday	24 September	Gold Coast Social	Maher Hall, Burleigh Heads
Friday-Sunday	30 Sept to 2 Oct	Townsville Weekend of Dance	Castle Hill PCYC Hall, Townsville
Saturday	29 October	The Glen's Social	Wamuran Hall, Wamuran
Saturday	5 November	Gold Coast Day of Dance	Mather Hall, Burleigh Heads
Saturday	3 December	Maleny Christmas Social	Maleny RSL Hall, 7pm
Friday	9 December	Graceville Mini Social	Graceville Scout Hall
Tuesday	13 December	Bundaberg Christmas Party	Shall We Dance Studio, 26 Skying Street, East B'berg
Saturday	31 December	Hogmanay	St Phillips Hall, Annerley
Saturday	11 February 2012	Gold Coast Picnic Day	9am Schuster Park
Saturday	26 May 2012	Gold Coast Charity Social	Maher Hall, Burleigh Heads
Friday - Monday	8-11 June 2012	Cairns Weekend of Dance	Details to come
Saturday	30 June 2012	St Phillips Annual Social	St Phillips Hall, Annerley
Saturday	28 July 2012	Gold Coast Social	Maher Hall, Burleigh Heads
Saturday	22 September 2012	Gold Coast Social	Maher Hall, Burleigh Heads
Saturday	3 November 2012	Gold Coast Day of Dance	Maher Hall, Burleigh Heads
Saturday	1 December 2012	Gold Coast Xmas Party	Venue to be announced
2nd Saturday of each month	(not October)	Advanced Skills Class, Clan Mackenzie	Uniting Church Hall, Tarragindi, 1-3pm

Club Contacts

Club	Night	Place	Club Contact	Phone
Atherton	Wednesday 7:30pm	St Josephs Church Hall	Kylie Akers	4091 2744
Border	Wednesday 10am-12:30pm	Pastimes Hall, 10 the Avenue, Palm Beach (BYO Lunch, tea & coffee provided)	Mina Liddell	5599 8348
Bundaberg	Tuesday 6:45–9:30pm	Shall We Dance Studio, 26 Sky-ing Street, East Bundaberg	Janet Oliver	4159 0013
Cairns	Tuesday 7:00pm	Redlynch Hall, Margaret St Redlynch, Cairns	Anne Archdeacon	4055 9329
Clan MacKenzie	Wednesday 7:00pm	Uniting Church Hall, Pope Street, Tarragindi	Laurel Downey	3848 8330
Cleveland	Friday 7:30pm	Wellington Pt Recreation Hall, Birkdale Rd, Wellington Pt	Ronda Ovenden	3207 7136
Gold Coast	Thursday 7.30pm	Maher Hall, Matilda Street, Burleigh Hds	Carolyn Thurbon	5535 4287
Graceville	Friday 8.00pm	Graceville Scout Hall, Young Street, Graceville	Cathy McLeod	3288 2248
Gympie	Wednesday 7:30pm	Guides Hall, Shanks Street, Gympie	Kay Callen	5483 8766 Ah 5482 9414
Maleny	Monday 7:00pm	Presbyterian Church Hall, Cedar St, Maleny	Dorothy Woods Helen Jackson	5494 3671 5445 7845
Maryborough	Wednesday 7:00pm	Uniting Church Hall, Sussex St, Maryborough	Margaret Narracott	4121 7852
Nambour	Thursday 7:30pm	QCWA Hall, Short Street, Nambour	Paula O'Shea	5476 4976
Noosa U3A	Monday 9:00 to 11:0am	Masonic Hall, Moorindil Street, Tewantin	Richard Goddard Joanne Kjorstad	5448 3204 5447 1938
St Philips	Tuesday 7:30pm	St Philips Hall Emperor Street, Annerley	Denise Smith	3209 7006 0439 270 191
The Gap	Thursday 7.30-10:00pm	Memorial Hall, Glory St, Ashgrove West	Alf Livingstone	3300 1272 Laddie01 @tadaust.org.au
The Glen	Tuesday 6:30 to 8:30 pm	Caboolture Showgrounds (not on 2 nd Tues of month)	Bev Melville Mary King	5432 4815 5495 7101
Tin Can Bay	Monday 7:30pm	RSL Community Hall, Gympie Road	Kay Callen Ann Johnston	5483 8766 5482 3887
Toowoomba	Friday 7.30pm	Holy Trinity Church Hall Cnr Hume & Potter Sts	Joanna Deane Gwen Gillam	4636 3343 4635 5961
Toowoomba Caledonian Club	Fortnightly Friday 7:30pm	St Stephens Church Hall Annand St Toowoomba	Margaret Stark	4634 4068
Townsville	Monday 7:30pm	St Andrews Church Hall, Wills & Stokes Streets	Margaret Silke Ann Hosken	47716115 47212247
U3A	Thursday 12.30pm	Jubilee Hall, Cracknell Road, Annerley	Pauline Foster	3848 3133

MAROON DAM WEEKEND 2011 – REGISTRATON FORM

Please complete this form and mail together with your payment to:
The Secretary, RSCDS Qld Branch, PO Box 178, Sherwood, Qld 4075.

Name

Address.....

Contact phone.....

E-mail contact.....

Children: name/s and age/s.....

If children come unaccompanied by a parent:

Parent Signature.....

Name of Guardian for the weekend.....

Sharing: I wish to share a room with.....

Special dietary requirements:.....

All inclusive charges for the week-end:

RSCDS members: x \$140.00 before 31/08/11
 x \$150.00 after 31/08/11

RSCDS non-members:, x \$150.00 before 31/08/11
 x \$160.00 after 31/08/11

Children under 18: x \$50.00

Dinner required on Fri, 7th Oct 11: X \$10.00

Total amount included: \$.....

Payment options: Cheque or money order to “RSCDS Queensland Branch Incorporated”
Bank-details for EFT: BSB 034-002 ; Acc 41 3904
(Please, enter your name and Maroon as description)

Enquiries to Connie Witt 0431 015 269 (cwitt@iprimus.com.au)
or Cathy McLeod 3288 2248 (pczb@bigpond.net.au)

