



Clan or Society Application for  
Highlands & Islands

Celtic Music Festival and Scottish Highlands Games

Harrison County Fairgrounds  
15321 County Farm Rd, Gulfport, MS 39503  
November 9 and 10, 2024

1. CLAN or SOCIETY NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

2. CONTACT PERSON: \_\_\_\_\_

3. CONTACT PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

4. MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

5. EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Do you require electricity? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, for what? \_\_\_\_\_  
(not guaranteed)

7. Will you be attending Saturday? \_\_\_\_\_ Sunday? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Expected set up day/time? \_\_\_\_\_

9. ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION WE NEED TO KNOW OR  
REQUESTS? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Please complete page one and email to: [mshighlandsandislands@gmail.com](mailto:mshighlandsandislands@gmail.com)  
or mail to: Highlands & Islands  
PO BOX 6703  
Gulfport, MS 39506

1. Terms: Clan spaces are free of charge. **Highlands & Islands will provide the space only.** No tents, chairs, tables, or additional materials will be provided.
2. GATE PASSES FOR CLANS/SOCIETIES – Two (2) weekend gate passes will be afforded to each clan or society. Additional passes will be the responsibility of the representative and purchased at the gate.
3. Each clan may bring up to two pop up tents. The current year's **honored clan will automatically be given space for two tents.**
4. We ask that you keep personal items, food, etc. away from public view and keep your tent neat.
5. No music may be played in clan tents.
6. No political displays or polling is to be done at our event.
7. Set-up is on Friday, November 8 from 9AM to 5PM. If you cannot make it to Friday set up, please email [mshighlandsandislands@gmail.com](mailto:mshighlandsandislands@gmail.com) to make them aware of your proposed arrival. Spaces will likely be given in the order of arrival except for honored clan having a designated area.
8. Clans/Societies must complete tent assembly and table set up **by 8:30 AM** each morning of the event. Overnight security will be on premises if you choose to leave your tent and tables up on both Friday and Saturday nights.
9. Vehicles must be moved to the parking area by 8:15 AM on days of festival.
10. TIMES OF TENT DISPLAY: Complete Duration of Event.  
9:00 am to 5:00 pm Saturday and 9:00 am to 4:00 pm Sunday.  
**Clans may not leave early** unless displays and tents are taken down and taken to the parking area by hand. Having moving vehicles on the grounds during festival hours is **prohibited** due to safety concerns.
11. **Weights and/or heavy anchor screw in pins** are highly encouraged to anchor down your tents. Be prepared for inclement weather. It is also suggested that tents be lowered down at night to reduce wind issues. **H&I is not responsible for broken, damaged, or stolen tents or displays.**
12. All clan spaces will be on **grass.**
13. H&I reserves the right to review all applications and determine if your society is a good fit for our festival. These are limited to Scottish/Irish/Celtic societies only.
14. ADDITIONAL TERMS: Festival will be held rain or shine. In the event of a major named storm, tropical depression, or any other "acts of God", such as COVID-19, etc., the Association (H&I) will be the residing authority for event cancellation, event rescheduling and event refunds and cannot nor will not be held liable for compensation.

If you have any questions, please contact Ruthie Wade at [rwader@bellsouth.net](mailto:rwader@bellsouth.net) or 228-365-6231.