

The American-Scottish Foundation®

in association with

The University Club

invites you to join us for the

18th Annual Burns Night Gala Celebration

on

Friday January 18th, 2013

at

The University Club One West 54th Street, New York



Reception and Whisky Tasting: 7:00 p.m. Dinner: 8:00 p.m. Ceilidh Dancing & Scottish Reels: 10:15 p.m. Dress: Highland Dress / Black Tie

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The Burns Supper celebrates, in words and music, the immortal memory of Robert Burns and Scotland's heritage.

The first recorded Burns celebration was held in 1801, when a group of his good friends gathered – and so was born the legendary "Burns Supper".

One of the evening's features is "Piping in The Haggis". With full fanfare, the piper announces the arrival of the Haggis, leading a procession comprising the chef, the orator and the whisky bearers to present the Haggis. After circling the room in order that all assembled guests may see the magnificent Haggis, it then is placed in position ready to be "addressed". Our orator is **Kenneth C. Donnelly**, who will present a resounding and animated recital of Burns' "Address To A Haggis". At the appropriate time, during the line "An cut you up wi ready slight", with a flourish Ken will take his dirk and pierce the Haggis, concluding with "Gie her a Haggis!".

The evening will begin with a Reception, to include **Hendrick's Gin** Cocktails and a Whisky Tasting of **Bowmore** and **Glen Garioch** Single Malts, presented by **David McNicoll**, Brand Ambassador for Fine Whiskies at Campari, who will also act as Master of Ceremonies for the evening. Bowmore, of Islay in the Western Isles, is the second oldest distillery in Scotland, and the oldest on Islay. Glen Garioch distillery was founded in 1797 and is situated in the Eastern Highlands in Aberdeenshire, Scotland.

The evening will include musical entertainment from **Pipe Major Andy Hamilton** of the New York Metro Pipe Band, vocalist **Maureen McMullan** and **Atlantic Seaway**; in addition to two terrific raffles with exciting prizes, Scottish Country Dancing and plenty of good company!

Burns is regarded as the national poet of Scotland and is acknowledged by recent public vote to be "The Most Important Scot" by the people of Scotland. Robert Burns was born on January 25th, 1759 and died on July 21st, 1796 at the age of 37.

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Burns Circle : Table of 10 tickets at \$3250 Individual tickets at \$325	\$
Highland Fling : Table of 10 tickets at \$2500 Individual tickets at \$250	\$
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Cost of each ticket in excess of \$160 is tax-deductible	
Cost includes reception, dinner with wines, entertainment and gratuities	
 I would like GOLF Raffle tickets at \$20 each (7 for \$100) I would like WINTER Raffle tickets at \$20 each (7 for \$100) 	\$ \$
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