

Spring Celtic Ball

Saturday, May 14th, 2022

Join us for a formal evening of Scottish country dancing for homeschoolers and their friends. These Scottish folk dances are set to traditional melodies and are performed in sets, circles, and couples.

These dances are easy to learn, and so much fun!

Ages 13 and up please, alumni welcome!

The Makoy Center

5462 Center Street, Hilliard, Ohio 43026 - Emerald Room

Practice: 10 am - 1:30 pm

Please join us if you can for a time of instruction and practice.

Wear comfortable clothes and shoes that allow for easy movement.

Evening Ball: 7-10 pm, followed by social time. Event ends at 11:00 pm.

Doors will open at 6:30. Parents are welcome to come in and take pictures. After the first dance, only those with tickets should remain, please. Light refreshments will be served.

Tickets & Registration

\$45 when you register by April 23rd. Late registration is \$50 and **closes April 30th**. Registration fills quickly! Space is limited so please register early. Tickets will go on a first come, first serve basis and an email/FB post will go out if/when we sell out.

Upon receiving your registration and payment, we will email you a confirmation number within a week. When you arrive in the evening, have your confirmation number ready, (printed out, on your phone, or in mind) and bring it to the registration table located at the ballroom entrance.

Best way - Online

- Send your name, age, and the email address and name attached to your Paypal account to celticandmoore@gmail.com
 - Send your payment via Paypal to paypal.me/CelticandMoore
- Include registrant's names in the PayPal note. Please set payment to "Sending to a Friend" if your bank account is linked to Paypal to avoid the fee.

If you need to mail a check instead:

Please send registrant's full name, age, phone number, and email address along with your check payment to:

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Questions to Elaina Moore . celticandmoore@gmail.com . 614-381-5697 (texting encouraged)

Dress Code

Because we want everyone to be safe, comfortable, and enjoy their evening, we will be enforcing the following dress code. Dress code applies to everyone in the ballroom.

Gentlemen:

This dance requires semi-formal to formal attire . If you are in doubt, err on the formal side.

Dress slacks, shirt, and tie are appropriate. (sorry, no jeans!)

A dress jacket may be added for a complete outfit.

Kilts are a welcomed sight too!

Ladies:

Dresses are to be mid-calf or longer with a full skirt that does not drag on the floor.

Any slits must not come above the knee.

Comfortable shoes are best, and socks or no shoes are fine too!

The front of your dress must come up on the sides to your underarms.

No low back dresses.

Dresses need to have straps. You are moving a lot, and we want you to be comfortable.

Make sure that the dress is high enough in the front so that nothing shows. We do not allow "V" front dresses that go lower than armpit level. You can also wear a sweater or the like if you choose.

Chaperones will be happy to help you if needed.

Also chaperones can help with any repairs as there will be safety pins, thread, etc in an extra room.

Consider these Social Graces

We want our dance to be enjoyable for everyone, and give opportunities for all to dance with a variety of people. In other words, this special event is not meant to be a "date night" and we will be changing partners throughout the evening. (Exceptions for married and engaged couples.) If you come with a group, remember to also stretch outside of that boundary and meet new friends!

Gentlemen:

It is important that you see that all the ladies have the opportunity to dance. This is very much appreciated.

If you see ladies standing on the side waiting to be asked to dance, please ask one.

Do not monopolize any single lady.

Ladies:

If you choose not to accept a dance, decline politely. If you want to sit out a dance, but you don't mind if a gentleman asks you later, you should tell him. (Please be gracious, because it is not easy to ask you to dance.) There are usually more ladies than young gentlemen. We have been told by young ladies that it can be just as fun to dance with each other.