

HIGHLAND FOLK MUSEUM

2011 ACTIVITY PROGRAMME

Week	Activity	Time
APRIL SPECIAL		
Wed 13th April	MACFARLANE'S AMERICAN RE-ENACTMENT GROUP	11-1PM 2-4PM
WEEK 1		
Cooking from 1700s to 1900s		
Tues 5th July	Butter-making/Baking/Jam-making	12- 4pm
Wed 6th July	1900s menu	12-4pm
Thurs 7th July	Cooking in 1700s	12-4pm
WEEK 2		
Crafts and skills at the farm steading		
Tues 12th July	Spinning & Traditional dyeing, (at farm steading)	12-4pm
	Rag rug making (in railway halt)	12-4pm
Wed 13th July	Horse Harness: Demonstration (making harness and hands on caring for harness)	12-1.30pm 2.30-4pm
Thurs 14th July	"Shepherd" knitting at Shepherd's bothy	12-1.30pm 2.30-4pm
WEEK 3		
Music and Dance		
Tues 19th July	Davy Holt	1-2.30m 3-4.30pm
Wed 20th July	Clarsach	11-1pm 2-4pm
Thurs 21st July	Bert Cooper "Accordion music at the steading"	2-4pm
WEEK 4		
Family fun - creating objects together		
Tues 26th July	Hands on felt making	12-4pm
Wed 27th July	Hands on working with wool	12-4pm
Thurs 28th July	Hands on rag rug making	12-4pm
WEEKEND SPECIAL		
Sat 30th July	Living History Event at the Township: Skirmish/drills and displays	12-4pm
Sun 31st July	Living History Event at the Township: Skirmish/drills and displays	12-4pm
WEEK 5		
Traditional Music		
Tues 2nd Aug	Waulking the cloth - shrinking the tweed to Gaelic song	2 & 3pm
Wed 3rd Aug	Listen to the bagpipes and learn about the history of the "pipes"	12-1.30pm 2.30-4pm
Thurs 4th Aug	Waulking the cloth - shrinking the tweed to Gaelic song	2 & 3pm
WEEK 6		
Crafts: Come and have a go!		
Mon 8th Aug	Hands on! Creating objects in our pinewoods with resident sculptor	11-1pm 2-4.30pm
Tues 9th Aug	Hands on! Creating objects in our pinewoods with resident sculptor	11-1pm 2-4.30pm
Wed 10th Aug	Hands on! Creating objects in our pinewoods with resident sculptor	11-1pm 2-4.30pm
Thurs 11th Aug	Hands on! Creating objects in our pinewoods with resident sculptor	11-1pm 2-4.30pm
Friday 12th Aug	Hands on! Creating objects in our pinewoods with resident sculptor	11-1pm 2-4.30pm
WEEK 7		
Traditional leatherworking in the 1700s		
Tues 16th Aug	Leather working: learn about the whole process	11-1pm 2-4.30pm
Wed 17th Aug	Leather working: learn about the whole process	11-1pm 2-4.30pm
Thurs 18th Aug	Leather working: learn about the whole process	11-1pm 2-4.30pm
WEEK 8		
Traditional crafts at our township		
Tues 23rd Aug	Polelathe demonstration	12-4pm
Wed 24th Aug	Basket weaving using a range of natural materials	12-4pm
Thurs 25th Aug	Working with heather and broom	12-4pm
SEPT		
Clansman Event at the Highland Folk Museum (part of the BLAS Festival)		
Sat 10th Sept	Come along and meet our Jacobite Clansmen - Hear their tales - Learn about their weapons, costumes and traditions Young visitors can dress as a redcoat and hold the weapons of the warriors of the past	12 noon, 1pm, 2pm and 3pm