



The Caledonian

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Caledonian Society Annual General Meeting Saturday, June 20, 2026 9:30 am to 1:00 pm Waioli Kitchen & Bake Shop 2950 Manoa Rd., Honolulu

It's again time for the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Caledonian Society. Each year for 61 years we have had a meeting to take care of the business of the Society: 1) the financial health; 2) the membership; 3) the nomination and election of the officers and board of directors; and 4) discussion of events in the past and future. Enjoy camaraderie with other members with scones & coffee to begin, a luncheon after the business meeting and a speaker or other entertainment to finish the day.

This year we are pleased to be returning to the Waioli Kitchen & Bakeshop in Manoa. The private room in the front of the building gives us a cozy quiet place to socialize and conduct our business. **We will have limited space** (only 32 people can be accommodated), **reservations are required**. Members will get priority with only one guest per member. Get your reservations in soon by mailing a check to the address on the reservation form on page ____ or via our website www.scotsinhawaii.org.

Approximate timing of the AGM:

9:30 Scones, coffee & tea will be served.

10:00 Introductions and business meeting. Election of officers.

(Speaker/Entertainment TBD)

Lunch: ½ BLTA & ½ egg 'n cheese sandwiches; Dessert: Haupia bread pudding.

1:00 Adjournment

The history and the purpose of the Waioli Kitchen & Bake Shop (formerly the Waioli Tea Room) is explored on their website www.waiolikitchen.com. Beautiful pictures of the food, the complex and the areas surrounding of Manoa are also shown.

Scottish Jokes

How do Highlanders like their tea? Strong and as fierce as their bagpipes!

Why don't Highlanders ever need a compass? Because their sheep always lead the way.

What's a Highlander's favorite movie? Braveheart—except they fast-forward through the English parts!

Chieftain's Column: *From the Craig*



As we end our 2025-2026 fiscal and event year, I hope that the variety of educational events have improved our members' knowledge and appreciation of our Scottish heritage. In August the Society board will be planning events for the upcoming year and, as always, members are encouraged to submit ideas and even volunteer to help on an event. Contact me at bemacewan@gmail.com to volunteer. The high quality of our newsletter continues to provide event and member information and interesting cultural insights. Article ideas are another way that members can contribute. Contact Susan at susanmack1@mac.com to submit newsletter ideas. Let's make our 2026-2027 year another great fun and learning opportunity. Slàinte, Bruce

Member News

May Birthdays Susan Anderson, Anton Anderssen, Keoki Kerr, Robert K. Burns, Robert Camilleri, Stephen Craven, Stuart Donachie, Ian Laing, Ron MacPherson, Mary O'Brien-Ichikawa, Kat O'Dell, Olive Turner, and Sheila Wrede.

June Birthdays Lesley Brey, Jean Bruce, Christina Moire Matheson, Nancy Muir McPherson,

Note: If your birthday is in May or June, and you don't see your name listed here, we probably don't have it in our database. We want to celebrate your special month too, so please contact Kevin Campbell Bogan at 808-778-4697 or by email at kevin.bogan@gmail.com

Events Calendar for 2026

(Subject to change)

POSTPONED Saturday, May 23: Scottish Music Session & Play Along with Lisa Gomes instructing. 2:00 – 5:00. Cathedral of St. Andrew, Von Holt Room. More information TBD.

Saturday, June 20: Society Annual General Meeting, Waioli Kitchen & Bake Shop. 9:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

To be rescheduled: Movie Night with potluck dinner, Venue & movie TBD

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Consolidated Celtic Calendar

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1. Recap of Kaiulani
2. Recap of Scottish Heroes XV

Outline