

GREENVILLE GAMES 2010 - OPENING CEREMONY  
Presentation of the Clans

**This is for the Opening Ceremony only. The Parade of Tartans is later in the day.**

The Greenville Games has decided to try something different for the Opening Ceremonies. We hope that you and the spectators will enjoy this *Presentation of the Clans* as we open the 5<sup>th</sup> annual Greenville Scottish Games. Since this will extend the opening ceremonies somewhat, it is critical that each clan “close ranks” and march relatively close together while leaving just enough distance for the clan name to be visible, especially to those in the Review Stand.

**Criteria:**

1. Maximum of four (4) Clan members marching in the Opening Ceremonies.  
All marching members should be properly attired, i.e. Gentlemen – kilted, Ladies – Tartan Apparel or tartan sash. Formal attire is not required.
2. Clan members marching (*maximum 4 members*) will be carrying something as below.
  - a. Clan Banner with Clan Name (Not Optional)
  - b. Tartan Flag and or Clan Flag
  - c. Guard (s) with sword
3. Begin line up at 9:15am, clans in place no later than 9:30am.

**Location for Assembly:**

The Clan Representatives will assemble as in the Parade of Tartans, but behind the massed bands. This is the end of the field near the Hospitality area, near tent number 16 (see attached Main Field Map).

**Order of Clans:**

- 1) Honored Guest/Clan - Clan Sinclair
- 2) Clan Blair
- 3) Clan Cunningham
- 4) Society of Scottish Armigers and Heraldry Society of Scotland
- 5) St. Andrews Society of Upper South Carolina
- 6) All other clans in alphabetical order

**The route for the march will be as follows:**

Enter the field behind the massed bands at the upper end of the field, near tent number 16, and proceed in a counter-clockwise line of march. This means that you will march down the line of tents (numbers 15-1), turn hard left at tent 1, pass the Reviewing Stand, and dip only the Tartan Flag while passing the Reviewing Stand. The Clan Banner with the Clan Name should not be dipped. Continue to the end of the field and turn hard left at tent number 70. March along the row of tents (number 70-56) and exit the field at the gate between tents 54 and 56. **Do not continue around the field for a full circle.** During the line of march, please maintain a short interval between Clans for identification purposes.

Thank you for your patience as we try this approach for the Opening Ceremonies. We believe that this will add greatly to the opening ceremonies as HRH The Prince Edward, et al., enjoys the bands and clans. My personal thanks go to Bob Krause, who will be the Clans Field Director for this activity.

Please let us know if you have any questions.  
Mel Sinclair, Director, Chairman for Clan Events