

HUNTERSTON GATHERING 2012



Getting reacquainted and meeting new friends.



Assembling for the opening of The Gathering.



Madam Pauline Hunter offers a warm welcome, honors Ian Hunter with the Order of the Royal Huntsman award and presents lovely brooches to the wives of clan officers.



Invocation by Rev. Victor Hunter of Texas



History lesson on Hunter Clan by Peter Hunter, UK Webmaster was interesting and informative.



Dean and sons, Tate and Ethan, finish their meal while others in the tent enjoy fellowship.



Carol with Mary Queen of Scots (Torry) and her lady-in-waiting (Torry's sister, Isla).



Sir Hugo and his Renaissance Troup demonstrate medieval weaponry.



Lady-in-waiting Carol helping Louise dress as a medieval queen.



Defending the Castle



The U. S. A. Clan Hunter Contingent



Entire group of attendees at Hunter Clan Gathering



Practicing Archery



Ric and Jan Hunter renewing their marriage vows.



Elinor Bayse's niece, Julianne Hunter(New York) and her sketch of Hunterston Castle.



William Hunter (Michigan) presents his painting of Hunterston Castle to Madam Pauline Hunter.



Linda McPherson and her group entertain us at the Saturday Night Dinner.



Dancing at the dinner.



The Isle of Cumbrae RBLs Pipe Band entertaining with beautiful music on Sunday afternoon.



Following commands of the farm manager, Border Collies herd sheep down the Hunterston driveway. The collies did not have time for The Gathering----too busy working.



Tours of the Hunterston Castle and the beautiful walled garden were enjoyed by all.



Hunters make their way to Brodick Castle, Isle of Arran.



Misty view from the grounds of Brodick Castle.



Thanks to the skill of our bus driver, 47 Hunters arrive safely at Hunterston after two passages on the ferry and many miles traveling on the single-track roads of Arran. We owe our gratitude to Bill Hunter for planning this trip.



View from the driveway as we left Hunterston. The Hunter Clan Gathering, 2012, has come to an end after a very enjoyable time by all. Thank you Madam Pauline for planning and hosting The Gathering and to others who took part in making the event a big success.