

CLUB TRIPS (from Scrapbook Database in computer)

Some discussion about Club trip to China.
Minutes of Council meeting, 31 May 1977. [Min3 p225]

Fred Sawyer attended and raised the idea of Club trip.
Minutes of Council meeting, 5 October 1982. [Min4 p118]

Fred Sawyer again talked about a Club trip (Scotland or Austria).
Minutes of Council meeting, 9 November 1982. [Min4 p120]

Details on the proposed Club trip.
Flyer on 'A Scottosh Walking Holiday', a Club trip [Min4 p122]

No responses received re Club trip.
Minutes of Council meeting, 14 December 1982. [Min4 p124]

APPLICATION FOR
WALKING TOUR IN THE HIGHLANDS OF SCOTLAND
Sponsored by the Harvard Travellers Club for their members and friends

Please print

Date _____

Name _____
 last first initial

Address _____
 Street City State Zip

Home Telephone _____ Office Telephone _____

Date of Birth _____ Sex _____ Occupation _____

Citizenship _____ Passport Number _____

Do you have any dietary restrictions? _____ Allergies _____

Are you a smoker or non-smoker? _____

Are you taking any special or prescribed medication that you might need on this trip, and if so what for? _____

Name and Address of person to contact in the event of an emergency:

_____ Tel. no. _____

Please describe briefly any other excursions, expeditions, or walking trips in which you have participated in the last three years.

If not already mailed, please enclose your reservation deposit payable to the Harvard Travellers Club and mail to:

Robert B. Stephenson
Secretary-Treasurer
Harvard Travellers Club
P.O. Box 413, Astor Station
Boston, Mass. 02123

Useful Information

During the season the Resident Secretary will lead the excursions and look after the financial matters.

Varied social events will normally be organised by your Host and Hostess.

An informal service is held on Sunday evenings for those who wish to attend. During the week a collection will be taken for the CHA Invited Guest Charitable Trust.

The centre has a Common Room for social activities and also a small library.

Electric shaver points and ironing facilities are readily available.

Ample car parking is available.

You'll find bathing, boating and horse riding nearby.

On departure it will be most helpful if guests will vacate their rooms immediately after breakfast.

Sorry, no dogs.

Lunch is provided without extra charge on the middle Saturday of a two-week visit.

Guests are asked to let the management know if they intend to arrive at the centre after the evening meal.



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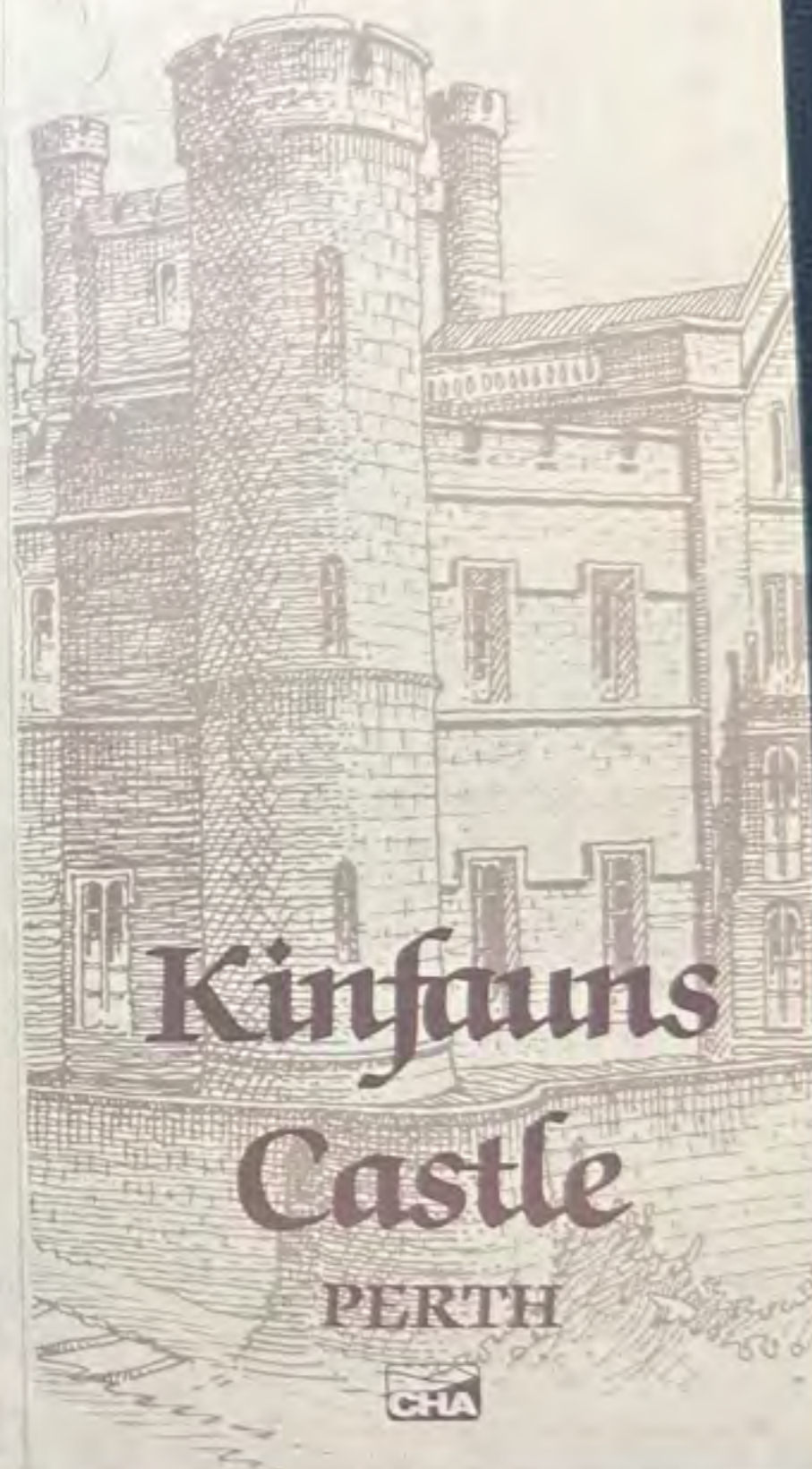
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KINFAUNS CASTLE Perth

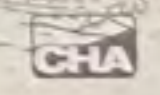
The scenery and history of Scotland at its best



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Telephone: 061-224 2887

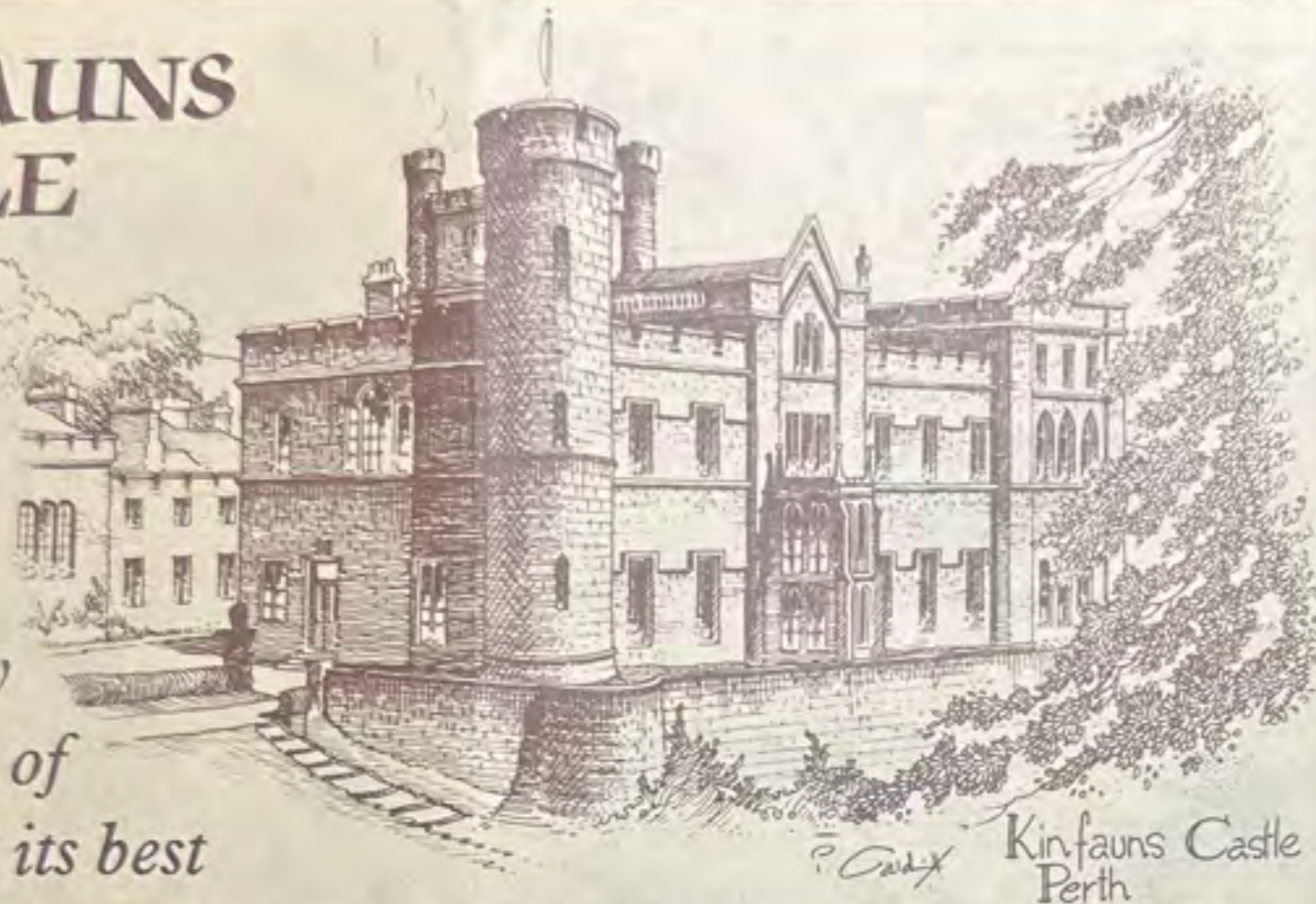


Kinfauns Castle PERTH



KINEAUNS CASTLE Perth

*The scenery
and history of
Scotland at its best*



This is a truly unique holiday location. Kinfauns Castle, the former residence of the Earls of Moray, is part of Scotland's heritage, with its magnificent halls, carved staircase and panoramic gardens overlooking the hills of Fife and the River Tay. The lands of Kinfauns are said to have given by Robert de Bruce to Sir Thomas Charles in the 14th century. The present castle was built by John 15th Lord Gray, in the grand style, in 1825, and was bought by CHA in 1929.

It's a remarkable setting for a country holiday, a magnificent ancestral home surrounded by some of Scotland's most beautiful scenery and with so many places of historical significance within easy reach.

It's so typical of CHA that no matter how many Holiday Centres you visit they all, like Kinfauns Castle, have their own individual appeal. In fact, the only thing that stays the same is the friendliness.

How to get there

Railway Station: The nearest is Perth, just 3 miles away. Passengers travelling from mid-June to mid-August should enquire whether control tickets are needed from Glasgow and Edinburgh.

Bus Service: From Perth you take the no. 19 (the Dundee bus) which leaves hourly from the bus station in Leonard Street. Alight at Kinfauns Drive which leads directly to the castle.

Please note: There is also a through bus service from Glasgow to Perth and Kinfauns. The operators are W. Alexander & Sons Ltd., Riggs Road, Perth. The service departs from Killermount Street, Glasgow.

Taxis: You'll find them at Perth railway station.

By car: From Perth take the Dundee road (A85). When the road becomes a dual carriageway take the first left. This is Castle Drive.

Afternoon tea is available on Saturday at 4.30 p.m.
Dinner is at 7 p.m.

What to bring

For walkers, boots are recommended. You will also need a light rucksack, flask and waterproofs. Guests should bring bathing towels but hand towels are provided.

Recommended maps

1:50 000 Sheets Nos. 53, 58.

Walkers please note . . .

You should always carry spare, warm clothing, especially at a Mountain Centre - it should be **COLOURFUL, WARM, WINDPROOF & WATERPROOF.**

It's always colder on the tops so have an extra jersey and a woollen cap handy.

Also . . . extra rations of chocolate, mint cake, dried fruit or other easily transported quick-energy foods are a worthwhile supplement.

The Distress Signal!

You can signal 'distress' with a whistle or torch by a series of 6 blasts or flashes repeated at minute intervals. It's easy to remember but please don't forget to bring a torch or whistle, or both!



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and recreational
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A SCOTTISH WALKING HOLIDAY
September 6-17, 1983

Conditions and Responsibilities

The Harvard Travellers Club and/or their agents act only in the capacity of agents for the passengers in all matters connected with accommodations, sight-seeing tours, and transportation, whether by air, rail, bus, motor car, boat, or any other means and as agents hold themselves free from any responsibility for damage or injury occasioned by such cause.

The Harvard Travellers Club and their tour conductors or agents will not be responsible for any damage or expense caused by late planes, buses, motor cars, boats or other means or changes in schedule, strikes, or other conditions nor will they be responsible for the loss or damages to baggage or to any passenger's belongings. The above named Sponsors, namely the Harvard Travellers Club and their tour conductors and/or agents will not be responsible for expenses resulting from injuries, illnesses, evacuation, hospitalization or medical treatment.

The above named Sponsors and their Tour Conductors reserve the right to decline to accept or retain any person for cause as a member of the tour at any time before or during the actual tour. No refunds can be made for absence during any part of the tour or any part of tour not utilized.

The itineraries described are planned at this time but may be subject to revisions should circumstances make such changes necessary.

The members of the Harvard Travellers Club group or party will abide by all decisions of their Tour Conductors or Tour Operators made in the interest and/or safety of the group.

I agree to the above conditions and responsibilities.

Name _____

Date _____

A WALKING HOLIDAY IN SCOTLAND & ENGLAND

August 18 to September 4, 1982

Following the suggestion of several members of former trips, we put together a walking trip to England and Scotland last year. It exceeded our expectations, and for anyone who did not have the chance to go, we would like to repeat the invitation to join us this year.

We fly from either Boston or New York to Prestwick International Airport and transfer to our hotel in Edinburgh where we shall spend three nights. The summer Festival will be in full swing and there will be lots to do. After this exciting introduction, we transfer to Kinfauns Castle, the former residence of the Earls of Moray, which stands in extensive and beautiful grounds a little over three miles from Perth, Scotland and it overlooks the River Tay and the Hills of Fife. Here, we stay for a full week to explore the countryside which ranges from the coast of St. Andrews to the mountains, glens and lochs of the Campians in the wilder parts of Perthshire. Walking excursions will vary from fairly easy to strenuous. The second week we shall be based at Forest Side near Grasmere which lies in the very heart of the Lake District National Park. There is easy access to the mountains which range from two to three thousand feet. Several guided hikes are planned varying from fairly strenuous to easy walks. Social activities are planned each evening at both locations. At the end of the week, we return to Prestwick for our flight home to New York or Boston on September 4th.

Cost of the trip is \$1525.00 which includes round trip airfare from either Boston or New York, all transfers, tourist class hotel accommodations in twin bedded rooms in Edinburgh with continental breakfast, accommodations in twin bedded rooms at Kinfauns Castle and Forest Side with all meals except lunch on day of arrival and departure. It does not include optional sightseeing excursions or services of a personal nature or meals other than those expressly included. For slightly more, you may return by way of London with a stopover.

If you are looking for an unusual vacation and a new walking experience, please join us and return the registration with \$100.00 deposit to reserve space. (Make check payable to Fred & Mary Jane Sawyer.) Trip is limited to 24. Refunds of all monies on deposit less an administrative charge of \$25.00 (minimum cancellation charge from our English Agents and Foreign Exchange fees) will be granted if you withdraw 60 or more days prior to departure. Cancellation made within 60 days will be subject to the \$25.00 charge and such other cancellation charges as may be assessed by our agents abroad and at home.

Registrants will receive the following:

- #1. A list of what to wear and the personal items you will need, plus suggestions on reading material about Scotland and England.
- #2. A detailed itinerary and your schedule of payments & due dates.
- #3. A date for a Pre-Trip meeting will be set in late spring to review preparations, answer questions and meet your fellow trip members. If you cannot attend, any vital information will be mailed to you.
- #4. A final departure bulletin with all necessary instructions & addresses.

Yours for a Jolly Holiday in The British Isles!

Fred & Mary Jane

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