

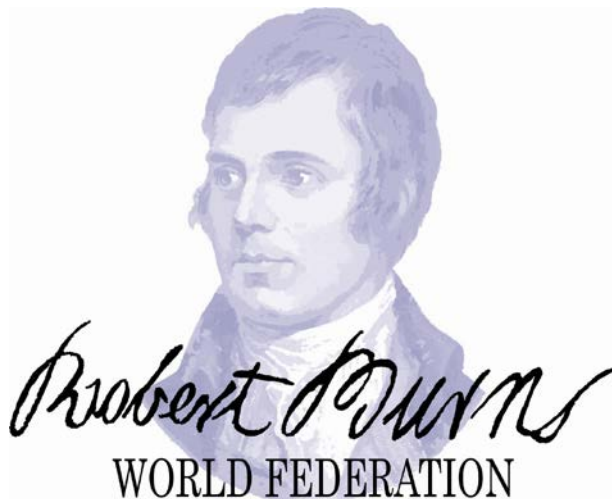
**THE ROBERT BURNS WORLD FEDERATION BULLETIN. Number 21 / NOVEMBER 2019**

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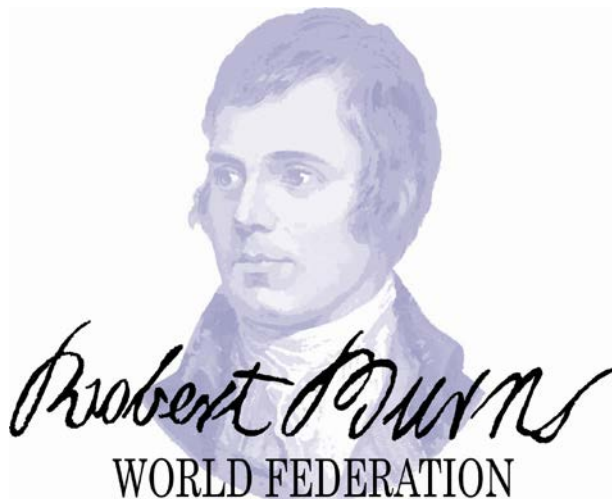
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DATE	EVENT	LOCATION	START TIME	COST	CONTACT DETAILS	FURTHER DETAILS
06/11/2019	Highlight Talk – Adam Smith	Robert Burns Birthplace Museum – Ayr	3pm	Free Entry	<a href="https://www.nts.org.uk/visit/places/robert-burns-birthplace-museum/events">https://www.nts.org.uk/visit/places/robert-burns-birthplace-museum/events</a>	Dennis Rattenbury will discuss Burns' favourite philosopher following Robert reading a borrowed copy of Smith's 'The Wealth of Nations.'
11/11/2019	Burns Club of St. Andrew, Sarasota Florida	MacAllisters in Lakewood Ranch, Florida	1pm – 3pm		<a href="mailto:burns-club@standrewsocietysarasota.com">burns-club@standrewsocietysarasota.com</a>	President Carl Morris will give us an update on SASS activities and we will discuss plans for the January 25th Burns Supper. We will also read a couple of Burns poems. If you have one you would like to review let me know. If you have time go to YouTube and look up the WWI version of "Auld Lange Syne" that was sung in the trenches - "We are Here because we are Here". We might try singing it to close the meeting-fitting on Veterans Day marking the armistice to end WWI.
12/11/2019	Professor Fred Freeman, A musical and folk presentation talk on Hamish Henderson and Robert Burns	Scottish Parliament Building, Edinburgh	6pm (Arrive 40 mins prior for security checks)		Kathleen Davey (Ayr Burns Club)07769647806 ASAP , but certainly before 5th Nov as that is the Parliaments cut-off date for guarantee of entry to this event	Fred Freeman is one of a very few people who can speak of Hamish Henderson with and from his own personal knowledge of his very dear friend of many years. This is a unique opportunity to hear these personal account of Hamish, his works and music and humour! Fred will also speak and present the music of Robert Burns, and I can guarantee that you will leave wanting more! If any of you wish to



						accept this invitation , Fred is being pushed for the names on his guest list for security purposes, so can you please text me your details ASAP, but certainly before 5 <sup>th</sup> . Looking forward to hearing from you soon, Kathleen Davey, Immediate Past President, AYR BURNS CLUB
<b>13/11/2019</b>	Highlight Talk – Wee Blethers	Robert Burns Birthplace Museum – Ayr	3pm	Free Entry	<a href="https://www.nts.org.uk/visit/places/robert-burns-birthplace-museum/events">https://www.nts.org.uk/visit/places/robert-burns-birthplace-museum/events</a>	Tracy Harvey, Resident Scots Scriever at RBBM, presents a selection of poems and prose in the Scots language.
<b>20/11/2019</b>	Highlight Talk - Whit's Yer Pleasure: Wan Singer Wan Sang	Robert Burns Birthplace Museum – Ayr	3pm	Free Entry	<a href="https://www.nts.org.uk/visit/places/robert-burns-birthplace-museum/events">https://www.nts.org.uk/visit/places/robert-burns-birthplace-museum/events</a>	John Hutcheson will entertain us with some of his favourite songs.
<b>22/11/2019</b>	New Laigh Kirk – “Should Auld Acquaintance”	New Laigh Kirk, John Dickie St, Kilmarnock	7.30pm	donation	01563 573307	A musical celebration of Robert Burns’ connection with Kilmarnock and Laigh Kirk – a feast of musical entertainment with a distinctly Scottish flavour. Donations will be used for the restoration of Tam Samson’s tombstone in NLK churchyard.
<b>27/11/2019</b>	Highlight Talk - A Life of Love and Courage	Robert Burns Birthplace Museum – Ayr	3pm	Free Entry	<a href="https://www.nts.org.uk/visit/places/robert-burns-birthplace-museum/events">https://www.nts.org.uk/visit/places/robert-burns-birthplace-museum/events</a>	Mary Millar, author of a well received and recently published book on the subject, speaks about the life, work and death of Jane Haining, born in Dunscore in Dumfriesshire, died in Auschwitz.
<b>27/11/2019</b>	Kilmarnock No. 0 & Howff Burns Club – St. Andrew’s Night	The Douglas Hotel, London Road, Kilmarnock	6.30pm for 7pm	tbc	Barrie Cross <a href="mailto:hadyncross@hotmail.co.uk">hadyncross@hotmail.co.uk</a>	Contact Club secretary for more information including cost of event
<b>29/11/2019</b>	Craig Sharp Memorial Lecture	Lecture Theatre, Kelvin Hall, Glasgow	4.30pm	Free but tickets need to be booked	<a href="https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/craig-sharp-annual-memorial-lecture-tickets-71035132995">https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/craig-sharp-annual-memorial-lecture-tickets-71035132995</a>	Following the success of the inaugural event last year, the Centre for Robert Burns Studies and the Robert Burns World Federation are delighted to co-host the 2nd Annual Craig Sharp Memorial Lecture. This year's lecture will focus on the Scots Language, and feature two wonderful speakers:



						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Professor Jeremy Smith, Professor of English Philology, who has worked extensively in the history and development of the Scots language</li> <li>• Rab Wilson, Ayrshire poet who works in and has spoken widely on the Scots language</li> </ul>
<b>30/11/2019</b>	Alloway Burns Club - St. Andrew's Evening	The Horizon Hotel, Ayr	6.30pm for 7pm	tbc	<a href="mailto:secretary@allowayburnsclub.org.uk">secretary@allowayburnsclub.org.uk</a>	Contact Club secretary for more details including cost of event.
<b>30/11/2019</b>	Caledonian Society of Sheffield – St. Andrew's Night Ball	Tapton Masonic Hall, Sheffield	6.45pm for 7pm	£42	Ian McMaster <a href="mailto:macrieff@yahoo.co.uk">macrieff@yahoo.co.uk</a>	Contact Ian for more details.
<b>JAN '20 EVENTS</b>						
<b>18/01/2019</b>	Dumfries Burns Club – 200 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner	Easterbrook Hall, Bankend Road, Dumfries DG1 4TL	tbc	£35 pp - three course dinner & coffee, welcome drink & a glass of wine on the table	<a href="mailto:alexandisa@btinternet.com">alexandisa@btinternet.com</a> contact for the most updated information	The event will not be in the form of the traditional Burns Supper, although there will be an Immortal Memory proposed by the President of the RBWF, Brian Goldie and Toast to the Lasses proposed by Mr Fraser Sanderson, ex Director of Education for Dumfries & Galloway. The reply will be given by Baroness Goldie. The Rt Hon David Mundell MP, will propose the toast to Dumfries and the Club, of which he is a member. There will be entertainment in the form of a cantata – possibly The Jolly Beggars – by a group from Edinburgh. Local winners of RBWF Schools' Competitions will sing and provide musical entertainment. Mr John Caskie, a well-known singer and entertainer, will be MC for the evening.
<b>25/01/2020</b>	Alloway Burns Club – Anniversary Dinner	Brig o'Doon House Hotel, Alloway, Ayr	6.00pm for 6.30pm	tbc	<a href="mailto:secretary@allowayburnsclub.org.uk">secretary@allowayburnsclub.org.uk</a>	Contact Club Secretary for more information



30/01/2019	5th The Chartered Institution of Civil Engineering Surveyors (CICES) Burns Supper	DoubleTree by Hilton, Glasgow Westerwood Spa & Golf Resort	5.30pm	Cost £450 Exc VAT for a table of 8 or £56.25 Exc VAT for individual tickets	<a href="https://www.cices.org/news/events/5th-chartered-ices-burns-supper/">https://www.cices.org/news/events/5th-chartered-ices-burns-supper/</a>	Celebrate Scotland's best loved Bard with Joyce Falconer, Sheriff Lindsay Wood and Andy Cameron at the Club 2226 Annual Burns Supper returning for the 5th year in a row due to popular demand. Please specify any special dietary requirements on booking. Dress code: This is not a black tie event. Guests' discretion. If you would like to be invoiced for a table rather than going through the CICES website, please contact admin@cices.org or call 0161 972 3100
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