



THE 42ND ROYAL HIGHLANDERS

AMERICA'S PREMIER BAND OF PIPES, FIFES, AND DRUMS

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BAND RESUMÉ

The 42nd Royal Highlanders Band of Music of Lafayette, Indiana is proud to be America's only band of pipes, fifes, and rope-tension drums. We portray the 42nd Royal Highlanders (the Black Watch) as they appeared in North America during the American Revolution.

For 35 years, the 42nd Band of Music has performed for audiences all around the eastern half of the United States, one-of-a kind by our use of 6-hole fifes and 18th century-style rope tension drums, along with a colour guard uniformed as the soldiers of the Regiment. In addition to the pipes, fifes, and drums, performances of the band feature regimental dancers and demonstrations of the military drill of the 18th century British Army.



DISCOGRAPHY

- *Our Scottish Heritage on Parade* (1980)
- *The Pipes, Fifes, and Drums of the 42nd Royal Highlanders* (1996)
- *No Matter What the Season* (2010)
- *The Long March Home* (2013)

PERFORMANCES AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2013 Black Watch Regimental Reunion, Perth, Scotland (*Winner: Best Irish Marching Unit 2011*)
- 2013 Reviewed by HRH Anne, Princess Royal
- 2013 Royal Highland Show, Edinburgh, Scotland
- 2013 National War Museum, Edinburgh Castle, Scotland
- 2013 Highlanders' Museum, Fort George, Inverness, Scotland
- 2012 Recording selected for music in Ken Burns' PBS Documentary "*The Roosevelts*"
- 2012 Rendezvous and *Music in Mackinaw*, Mackinaw City, MI
- 2011 Halftime show, Purdue vs Illinois men's basketball game
- 2011-2012, 1996 Alabama Frontier Days, Wetumpka, AL
- 2011 Studio recording for Plank Road Music Publishing's Music-K8 magazine
- 2011 feature for WSIU-TV PBS, Carbondale, IL
- 2010-2011 Metropolitan St. Louis, MO St. Patrick's Day Parade
- 2010, 1997 Deep River Ancient Muster, Deep River, CT (*Featured performer in Friday Night Tattoo, 2010*)
- 2006, 1997 Fort Loudoun Historic Area, Vonore, TN (*Featured concert*)
- 2005 National Muster, Fort Ticonderoga, NY
- 2012, 2008-2010 River Raisin International Muster, Monroe, MI
- 2004 US Grand Prix, Indianapolis Motor Speedway
- 2000 Celtic Celebration, with the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra
- 1999-2000 Rendezvous on the Rouge, Dearborn, MI
- 1995 Labor Day Parade, Janesville, WI
- 1994 National Muster, Waterbury, VT
- 1994 Fort Ticonderoga, NY

ANNUAL PERFORMANCES

- The Feast of the Hunter's Moon (West Lafayette, IN)
- Mississinewa 1812 (Marion, IN)
- Fort DeChartres (Prairie du Rocher, IL)
- Lewis and Clark Heritage Days (St Charles, MO)
- Fort Massac Encampment (Metropolis, IL)
- Trail of Courage (Rochester, IN)

COMMUNITY APPEARANCES IN LAFAYETTE, IN AREA

- Performed for President Ronald Reagan, 1980
- Light the Night for Leukemia and Lymphoma
- Mosey Down Main Street
- Relay for Life
- Taste of Tippecanoe
- Annual St Patrick's Day Performances
- O'Bryan's 9 Irish Brothers Traditional Irish Pub
- 2010-2013 Boiler FOOLS Firefighter's Ball
- Lafayette, IN Christmas Parade
- 4th of July Celebrations, Wolcott, and Monticello IN

SCOTTISH CULTURAL EVENTS

- Host of annual Robert Burns Supper, Lafayette, IN
- 2012, 2005-2006 Missouri Tartan Days, St Charles, MO
- 2005-2008, 2010 Tartan Ball, hosted by the "Indianapolis 500" Gordon Pipers
- 2003, 2009 Michiana Highland Games, South Bend, IN
- 2001, 2002 Spring Fling, with the Murat Highlanders and Indianapolis Scottish Society
- 1999 Columbus Highland Games, Columbus, IN
- 1995 Burns Supper, Adam's Mark Hotel, St Louis, MO

AFFILIATIONS

- The Company of Fifers and Drummers
- Community Foundation of Greater Lafayette
- Tippecanoe Arts Federation

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