Annual Membership is for individuals but as we are applying for Registered Charity status, we would welcome donations from individuals or groups just wishing to be associated with the work being done.

APPLICATION FOR INDIVIDUAL ANNUAL MEMBLRSHIP.

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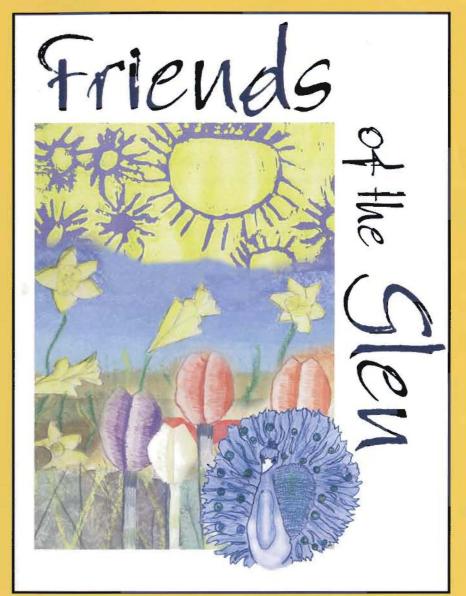
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FRIENDS OF PITTENCRIEFF PARK



INFORMATION

Our Logo was devised using four paintings by children from Limekilns, Canmore, Lynburn and St Johns Primary Schools to show their idea of what Pittencrieff Park and Glen meant to them. We have the sun, the flowers, the grass and last but not least the famous Peacocks.

Aims & Objectives:

- To support the management and development of the Park for the people of Dunfermline by involvement in events and projects, consultations, fund-raising and practical endeavour.
- To become a partner with Fife Council and Carnegie Dunfermline Trust in advising on the preservation and development of Pittencrieff Park for the future.
- To develop literature and assist in the interpretation of the Park for the education and enlightenment of the Public at large.
- Membership is open to any person of any age or background, who has a genuine interest in the future of Pittencrieff Park and is willing to support the aims and objectives of the Friends of Pittencrieff Park. (Friends of the Glen)

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A Brief History of the Park/Glen:

Andrew Carnegie, the great philanthropist, purchased Pittencrieff Park and Glen in 1902 for £45,000 then gave an endowment of \$2,500,000 to create the Carnegie Dunfermline Trust. One of the tasks of the Trustees was to manage Pittencrieff Park "to bring into the monotonous lives of the toiling masses of Dunfermline more of sweetness and light; to give them — especially the young — some charm, some happiness, some elevating conditions of life which residence elsewhere would have denied, that the child of my native town, looking back in after years, however far from home it may have roamed, will feel that simply by virtue of being such, life has been made happier and better. If this be the fruit of your labours you will have succeeded, if not, you will have failed" — Andrew Carnegie.

It was one of Andrew Carnegie's favourite gifts mainly because he had been prohibited from using the Park and Glen as a child due to the radical views of his maternal grandparents. He revelled in the thought that he now owned the property and could ensure no other child was banned from enjoying it's delights.

Andrew Carnegie died in 1919 leaving the Park and Glen as a grand legacy to the people of Dunfermline. The Friends of the Glen intend to preserve this gift and improve it for use by future generations.

Although known locally as just "Dunfermline Glen" the grounds really consist of Pittencrieff Park—wide open green spaces with various pathways through it and an outlook across the River Forth to the Lothians. The Glen area has a river (or burn) flowing through it and is a more natural wooded area with a meandering path.

Throughout the years the Park has been used as a venue for concerts, dances, firework displays, Childrens' Galas, Sunday School picnics, to name but a few. It has also featured as a perfect background in many Wedding Day photographs

The Park and Glen are still popular places today with the Millennium Playground, two other playgrounds for children, a specific dog exercise area, beautiful natural flora, greenhouses containing many exotic plants, the Glen Pavilion, which is available to hire for weddings etc., peacocks, grey squirrels, Wallace's Well (attributed to the legendary William Wallace), Malcolm Canmore's Tower, the Royal Palace – once home to the Kings and Queens of Scotland and across the road Dunfermline Abbey – burial place of King Robert the Bruce.

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