## **Atholl Gathering**

2021



## Invitation from His Grace the Duke of Atholl

Dear Pipers,

## Atholl Gathering 2021 Online Piping Competition

My family and the Atholl Highlanders have great pleasure in extending an invitation to all competing pipers to participate in the Atholl Gathering Online Piping Competition. The results will be announced on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2021. Gathering Day.

Sadly, the pandemic will prevent us from running the Atholl Gathering and Games in the usual format. In response to this we have decided to put on an **online piping competition**, providing a truly global opportunity for competing pipers to put their skills to the test. As always, the judging will be undertaken by an experienced panel of pipers, who will adjudicate on pre-recorded performances.

Let's not allow the current restrictions to prevent us from participating in this wonderful tradition, celebrating some of the finest pipers and music in Scotland.

I would like to take this opportunity to extend my thanks to Atholl Estates, William Grant & Sons and the Competing Pipers Association for their continued support in making this event possible.

Yours aye,

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Bruce Murray, 12<sup>th</sup> Duke of Atholl

For your entry form and rules please click on the link; Entry Form and Rules

**Please Note;** We apologise there will be no Midges, Hot Sun, Rain, Snow, Howling Gales or Pipe band to contend with, but all will be back to normal in 2022!!!



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