

# Highland Life in the 18<sup>th</sup> Century

Wednesday 26th October 2016

## Programme for the day

**9.30am**      **Registration and Coffee**

10.00am      **Douglas Graham** - Welcome and Opening Address

10.10am      **Ross Noble** – Curator, Highland Folk Museum 1976-2003. Vernacular Building Specialist – ‘*Changes in Vernacular Furniture*’

10.50am      **Katey Boal** – Learning Manager, Culloden Battlefield. ‘*What’s the point? Why the battle in the north of Scotland 270 years ago matters*’.

**11.30am**      **Coffee**

11.50am      **Bob Powell**- Curator, Highland Folk Museum 1997-2014. Working Horse and Farming Historian – ‘*Livestock improvement and use in 18<sup>th</sup> century Scotland*’

12.30pm      Questions

**12.45pm**      **Lunch/View Stores**

2.00pm      **Maureen Hammond** – PhD student, University of the Highlands and Islands - ‘*Distaff and spindle - the hidden textile history of Badenoch*’

2.40pm      **Dr Hugh Dan Maclellan** – Research Fellow, Academy of Sport, Edinburgh University – ‘*Sports and Pastimes*’

**3.20pm**      **Tea**

3.40pm      **Dr David Taylor** – Former Head of History, Kingussie High School and author of ‘The Wild Black Region: Badenoch 1750-1800’ - ‘*The spirit of clanship has absolutely ceased*’ (Parson Robert 1778): social reconstruction in post-Culloden Badenoch’

4.20pm      Questions

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