

THURSDAY, JULY 2

8:45-12:00 pm **Van Tour 1 of Greenville**
 1:00 – 4:00 pm **Van Tour 2 of Greenville**
 Each leaving from front of Hotel. Don't forget to bring water and snack.

2:00-5:00 pm **Registration** - Birch Ballroom Foyer

5:00 Dinner on your own

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There will be a **memorial service** on Saturday for those members who have passed away since the previous Gathering. If you have a recently deceased loved one, please check with Elizabeth Morgan, Chaplain (cma-chaplain@clanmcAlister.org) to make sure that we have him or her listed so that we can honor their passing.

We will have researchers with the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints onsite (Hiveaway room) to assist with your family history brick walls!

Don't forget to visit the **bazaar and silent auction table** at the side of the Conference room. If you see something you like, snap it up or it will be gone! Since the silent auction process is new to many of you, we've printed instructions on a separate page in your registration packet.

Also, your Board Members will each be leading a group to dinner, so make sure that you sign up after registration so that they can make reservations. Since these reservations had to be made well in advance, each will have a limited number of seats available. Once all seats are spoken for we won't be able to accommodate any more at each restaurant. Sign up early!

FRIDAY, JULY 3

Welcome to Greenville and the 20th Biennial Gathering of our McAlister Family!

8:30	Bazaar/Silent Auction Open
9:00 – 9:15	Opening Session American Legion Post #3 Color Guard Hal McAlister & Rodney MacAlister
9:15 – 9:30	Welcome to Greenville John Nolan
9:30	Family Introductions
10:45	Break
11:00 – 12:00	Documenting the Scottish/Irish Diaspora in South Carolina Alexia Jones Helsley
12:00	Silent Auction First Close
12:15 – 1:45	Lunch (on your own)
1:45 – 2:15	Entertainment – Sweet Potato Pie Kids Bluegrass Band
2:15 – 2:45	General Membership Meeting & Installation of CMA Board of Directors
2:45	Break
3:00 – 3:45	Bad Boys of the Carolinas Colleen Brewster
3:45	Last call for Silent Auction Close
4:00 – 6:00	Meet & Greet Room Open (The Hiveaway)
4:30 -6:00	Whiskey Tasting Event (Birch Ballroom)
6:30 pm	Dinner with a Board Member

SATURDAY, JULY 4

9:00 – 9:30	Announcements & Recognition Rod MacAlister
9:30 – 10:00	Entertainment (Dale McAllister & Bruce McAllister - TBD)
10:00 – 11:00	McAlister Origins Evidenced Through Y-DNA Bryant McAllister & Patrick MacAllister
11:00	Break
11:15 – 11:30	My James McCallister Lineage Joyce Schmidt & Nancy Hudson
11:45 – 1:15	Lunch (on your own)
1:15 – 1:45	Memorial Service Elizabeth Morgan, Chaplain
1:45 – 2:00	Scots-Irish Contributions to U.S. Edwin Poots
2:00	McAlister Patriots (?)
2:45 – 3:45	Final Silent Auction Results & Live Auction
5:30	Piping in the Haggis Andrew Greer
6:00	Closing Banquet Edmund Apperson MacMagician (McAlister descendant)

SUNDAY, JULY 5

9:30-10:00	Kirkin' o' the Tartan (Suite ?) Elizabeth Morgan, Chaplain
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