

State of South Carolina

Governor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, the sixth annual Tartan Day South will play host to thousands of people for an exciting celebration of Celtic heritage and traditions; and

WHEREAS, with exhibitions ranging from highland athletics, ax tossing, and archery to traditional dancing, birds of prey, and sheep dog herding, spectators will be able to experience first-hand some of the exciting traditions of the Celtic culture; and

WHEREAS, additional attractions, including a classic British car show, genealogy, a play area with rides for the younger set, and the ever-popular traditional food and Celtic marketplace, promise fun and entertainment for all ages and interests; and

WHEREAS, the 2016 Tartan Day South Festival provides an opportunity to celebrate and experience the rich heritage and traditions of our Scottish forefathers.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Nikki R. Haley, Governor of the great State of South Carolina, do hereby proclaim March 31 - April 3, 2016, as

TARTAN DAY SOUTH FESTIVAL DAYS

throughout the state and encourage all South Carolinians to recognize the importance of this and other cultural festivals to the preservation of our unique heritage.



A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Nikki R. Haley".

NIKKI R. HALEY
GOVERNOR
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA