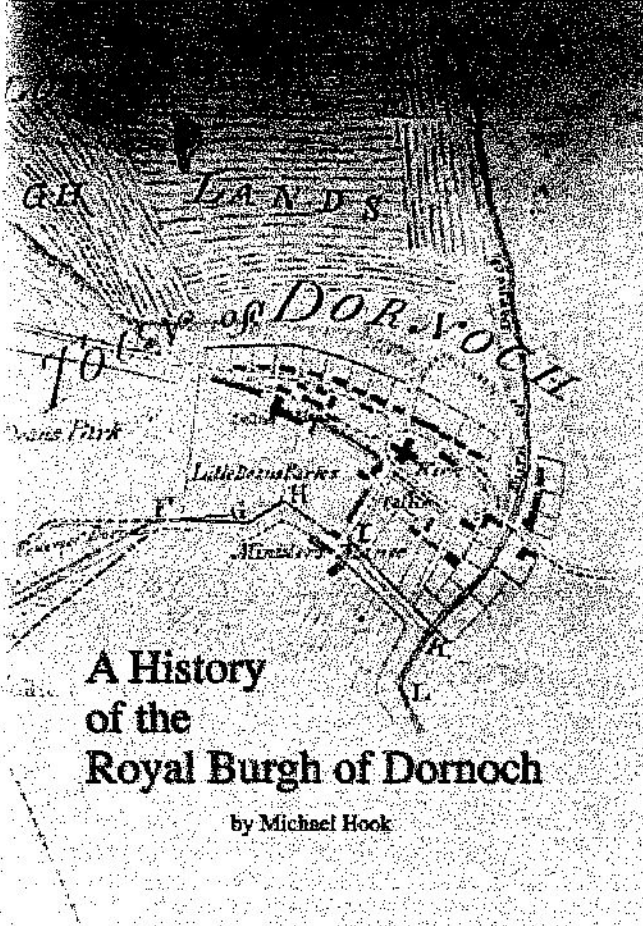


# DORNOCH HERITAGE SOCIETY

December 2005

Merry Christmas!

## 'A HISTORY OF THE ROYAL BURGH OF DORNOCH'



Mike Hook's long awaited book 'A History of The Royal Burgh of Dornoch' will be launched at the Royal Golf Hotel on December 15<sup>th</sup> at 9pm. All members and friends are invited. Selling normally for £11.95, signed copies will be available to members for just £10 on production of current membership card.

## EVENTS

### A TASTE OF BURNS

Please book Thursday January 19<sup>th</sup> at the Royal Golf Hotel.

The first part of the entertainment will consist of ourselves with recitations and music in the spirit of the Immortal Bard. Bring along your favourite work to have recited if you do not wish to do so yourself.



The second part, for which there is a charge of £5.50, will be haggis, neeps and tatties and a wee dram after the traditional Address. There'll be a chance for good crack afterwards with the bar open

Ah! Some of you will have noticed the price has been raised. But, please note, that the Royal Golf has shaken off its Sassenach associations: it now sells good Scottish measures that are larger than the mean English ones.

### FREE ENTRY TO HISTORYLINKS

The museum is open during the winter months every Wednesday and Thursday. While it is always free to members, January and February are also free to non-members so why not take this opportunity to bring your friends and family along?

### BRING ALONG PHOTOS

We are always on the lookout for new photos with a Dornoch connection. So why not see what you have that can improve our collection? We are not asking to keep them but just have long enough to scan them in on our computer, so that they are available for visitors and researchers.

## COMING EVENTS

All events at the Royal Golf Hotel at 7.30 pm

2005		
December 15	David Hutchinson	<i>219 Rossal, Rogart - an Abandoned Croft</i>
December 22	TV programme: Prof. Nancy Dorian and her study of East Sutherland	
BBC 2 at 7.30	<i>Gaelic with pictures of Embo from Historylinks archives. Check listings</i>	
2006		
January 19		<i>A Taste of Burns</i>
February 16	Ian Mackay	<i>125 Years of Dornoch Curling Club</i>
March 16	John Muir	<i>Education, Education - Education?</i>
April	Annual Lunch	Date and venue to be announced

