What You See At A Scottish Festival

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It's a good thing the signs are labeled in English. The images are a bit confusing. But this is what you see at Highland Games.





The dominant (indeed, never ending) sound of the Seattle Highland Games was that of the bagpipes! The event was quite competitive, with pipe and drum corps competing against each other and with solo competitions. Pipers were there from all over the Pacific Northwest and neighboring Canada. When the pipers weren't performing, they were practicing!

Vikings in Seattle





I love living history and saw some in Enumclaw during the Seattle Highland games. These are Viking tents, part of a small Viking village set up at the Highland Games. These were designed to fit on board a Viking ship, and removed once the ship reached land.



Most festivals have a children's area to keep the wee ones occupied with age appropriate activities. We told a few stories at the Isle of the Wee Bairns.



We hung out at the Clan Donald tent during the Clan Gathering in Enumclaw. Where else would we be?