

Calling all Clan Buchanan in Queensland – Clan Innis!

Kinfolk worldwide with the surname Buchanan and of associated families (septs) are members of the Scottish Clan Buchanan. Membership of the Clan Society in Australia now provides a focus for events and activities in Queensland.

The society has been established to help members:

- research their family history and tell their family story
 - We have been building expertise in the Australian records and our clan's families. See some of the stories at our website that we've already helped families to research, including cattle pioneer Nat Buchanan, and Queensland's Gray-Buchanans
- coordinate our participation at highland gatherings and clan events
 - We arrange participation in highland games, and can't wait to organise our own clan events as membership grows
- participate in international clan directions with the Clan Buchanan Society International
 - We are helping direct the renaissance of the clan internationally and, as a result, are building a worldwide clan network.

We are a new organisation and members of the society attended their first official function at the St Andrew's Day march, Sydney, in November 2009.

We have a social networking web site for members to communicate and tell their stories, and a secure genealogical web site for our family trees:

<http://clanbuchanan.spruz.com/> (social network)

<http://buchananaustralia.tribalpages.com/> (genealogy)

email: clan.buchanan@hotmail.com

Marie Gibson is our Queensland Regent and lives in Townsville. Marie is inviting fellow Queenslanders to join with her in developing the Clan Buchanan Society through attendance or participation in highland games and clan events throughout the State or even just signing on to the Clan Buchanan web site (no cost involved) and showing support for our clan.

Contact Marie by phone on 0413 456 542 or email mlg7@optusnet.com.au to talk about becoming a member and participating in the Clan Buchanan Society.

Key messages:

We exist

We want to grow our membership in Queensland

We want to develop the clan organisation at the local, national and international levels through attending highland games and other events, participating in clan developments