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spent a summer in
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searching the links between tradi-
tional and contemporary fiber arts
and music. She is inspired to share
her rich discoveries with you.
Nadine travels to the UK each year
to teach weaving and lead tours.

*I'm accepting registrations
through November 1st, 2007, or
until the trip fills,
whichever comes first.*

Printable registration form &
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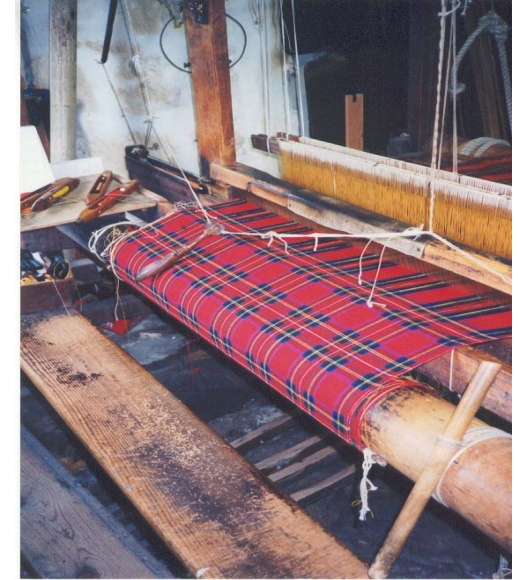
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Threads, Tunes and Ruins



*Fiber and
Music Tour of
Scotland
April 15-28, 2008*

*The Singing Weaver
is accepting
registrations now*

Tour Description

14 days

April 15-28, 2008

Come along with a weaver and musician to hear and meet the vibrant musicians and fiber artists of Scotland. There will be fiddles, tartan, tapestries, and much more beyond the traditional icons. Visit museums for insight from curators on historical textiles. Meet artists drawing on their rich cultural heritage to create contemporary work. Experience the energy of traditional Celtic music that courses through the culture. Enjoy the taste of Scotland locally grown cuisine.



What you get on this tour: A small group of 15 travelers with a love of the fiber arts, 14 nights in cozy B&Bs or small hotels, all breakfasts and half of your lunch and dinners, transportation in a small coach with knowledgeable Scottish driver/guide, ferries to all the islands, all ferry costs, 3 detailed pre-trip letters to help you prepare, daily orientation talks and educational lectures from your guides, tour handbook, admission to all

group sightseeing adventures, museums, and musical events.
Trip Cost:
£1500+air to and from Glasgow.



“Threads, Tunes & Ruins” Tour Itinerary

Day 0: Meet in Glasgow for trip orientation and kick off dinner.

Day 1: Glasgow and Stirling.
Highlight: Stirling Castle with Unicorn tapestry project. MacKintosh House, House for an Art Lover. Traditional music.

Day 2: Paisley area. Highlight: Paisley City Museum, Sma Shot Cottages, Thread Mill museum, Kilbarchan Weavers Cottage.

Day 3: South Lanarkshire and the Borders. Highlight: New Lanark World Heritage Site, Lochcarron Mill, Andrew Elliot.

Day 4: Edinburgh. Highlight: Dovecot Studio, Free time in the city. Traditional music.

Day 5: Aberdeenshire, St Andrews. Highlight: Di Gilpin Knitwear, A Taste of Grampian.

Day 6: Oyne. Highlight: Workshop with renowned Scottish artist at Touch By Scotland studio, and a concert.

Day 7: Moray and Highlands. Highlight: Textile studio and farm, scenic views.

Day 8 & 9: Orkney Islands. Highlight: Ruins, artist studios and museums. Distillery. Local music.

Day 10: NW of Scotland. Highlight: Rugged northwest coast, Durness, Ullapool.

Day 11: Isle of Lewis, Stornaway. Highlight: Historic Loom Center, Carloway Broch, historic Black House.

Day 12: Isle of Harris. Highlight: Farmer with sheep dogs, Scalpay Linen, Harris tapestry project.

Day 13: Skye, Fort William Highlight: Eilean Donan Castle, finale feast.

Day 14: Glencoe, Glasgow. Highlight: Loch Lomond, The Burrell Collection at Pollack Park.

Itinerary specifics are subject to change due to the scheduling of special exhibits and events closer to the tour dates.



We welcome travelers with a sense of adventure. Our travelers should be open to new experiences, enjoy people and conversations, be flexible, and be of sound mind and body. Daily group events are scheduled, but free time for independent exploring is built in.

Health: Due to the nature of the places we'll be visiting, you must be able to climb stairs, walk on uneven ground, carry your own bag, endure a damp climate, and be prepared for winding roads and open water ferry travel. We apologize, but at this point our tours cannot accommodate travelers with major physical disabilities. **No smoking** is allowed in our lodgings, on the coach, and in all the public venues in Scotland including restaurants and pubs.

Terms and Conditions are detailed on the Registration Form.

Price Per Person

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14 day tour	£1500
Single Supplement	£250
Deposit	£250

*(All payments are due in **British Pound Sterling** payable via a foreign draft if not a British National. Price quoted is based on fuel, food, and accommodation prices and exchange rate as of May 2007)*