

Clyde River Steamer Club

Founded 1932

Coach and Cruise on Arran



m.v. "Caledonian Isles"



on

Saturday 25th February 2006

Following unsuccessful attempts to charter a vessel for a sailing closer to the start of the year, the Club has arranged, at short notice, a day outing on Arran, on Saturday 25th February 2006.

Sailing across to Arran on Caledonian MacBrayne's largest Clyde ferry, *Caledonian Isles*, we leave Ardrossan Harbour at 0945. When we reach Brodick, a specially hired coach will be waiting to take us around the south of the island to Blackwaterfoot, where lunch will be served at the Kinloch Hotel.

Following lunch, we shall leave Blackwaterfoot and proceed north to Lochranza, where our arrival should coincide with the arrival of the Caledonian MacBrayne 'Loch' class ferry operating on the wintertime Tarbert-Portavadie/Lochranza roster, thus giving us the opportunity of photographing its arrival and departure at 1340, before we continue back to Brodick.

On our return to Brodick, the Club has made arrangements with the Isle of Arran Heritage Museum to have a special opening exclusively for members. The Museum does not normally open during the winter months as work is carried out to prepare exhibits for the coming summer seasons, so please be aware that not all areas of the Museum may be open at this time.

After our visit to the Museum, members will return to the mainland aboard *Caledonian Isles*, departing from Brodick at 1640, and arriving back at Ardrossan at 1735.

The cost of this inclusive day excursion is £25 for adults, and £18 for children under 16. This price includes ferry and coach travel, lunch and museum entry. Excursion vouchers must be exchanged for your ferry tickets prior to boarding *Caledonian Isles* at Ardrossan.

A stamped, self-addressed envelope MUST accompany all bookings, which must be made no later than Saturday 18th February.

Places for this trip are limited, and will be "first come, first served". Please book early!



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To: Mr John W Newth (CRSC), 24 Alexander St, DUNOON, Argyll, PA23 7EN

I wish to book Adult places for the excursion @ £25 each.

I wish to book Child places for the excursion @ £18 each.

I enclose a cheque for £..... made payable to the "Clyde River Steamer Club"

****I enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope****

Name:

Address:

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Phone: **e-mail:**