

Peterhead Scottish Week

Press Release

The organising committee are pleased to confirm the dates of the 63rd 'Peterhead Scottish Week'.

The event will be held across nine days from Saturday 12th July to Sunday 20th July 2025.

The committee are currently planning another exciting programme of events and have notified the relevant third-party organisations that host events during 'Scottish Week'. The move from the traditional dates has been decided upon for two reasons; firstly, to avoid a conflict with the 'Tall Ships Races' Days in Aberdeen, and secondly to have more opportunity to invite Pipe Bands that are otherwise engaged with the 'Tall Ships' or competing in Championships.

More details on events for 'Scottish Week' 2025 will be announced in due course. Please keep an eye on future announcements through our website and social media channels.

Peterhead Scottish Week Committee

About Peterhead Scottish Week

'Peterhead Scottish Week' was one of the ten original towns across Scotland that hosted 'Scottish Week' event-days back in 1962. The event has continued each year and is currently the biggest and longest running weeklong gala in the country. Peterhead is the only continuous original 'Scottish Week'. Due to implications around Covid-19, for 2020 and 2021, a hybrid event was held that had both live and online events. 'Peterhead Scottish Week' was the first 'gala' to be broadcast online in the United Kingdom. The event is organised by a committee of volunteers that host events to entertain the public in and around the Peterhead area, along with third-party event organisers. Approximately forty events are held during 'Peterhead Scottish Week' that include for example, a Carnival Parade, a Dog Show, Talent Show, Fly Past, Sandcastle Competition and Fireworks Display. A programme of events is published each year in advance that is estimated to be seen by approximately 12,000 people. 'Peterhead Scottish Week' manage a social media profile of over 13,000 followers.