

# The Grand Lodge of Scotland

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**To the Secretaries of all Home Lodges.**

Dear Sir,

**Participation in the Great Scottish Walk - 18th June 2006**

**Dawn Oliff, Homes Superintendent**

**Derek Elms, Assistant Grand Treasurer**

Having worked for Grand Lodge for almost 20 years, I have been privileged to witness at first hand the positive and worthwhile things which have been able to be achieved as a result of the generous donations which are made by Daughter Lodges and by Provincial and District Grand Lodges to the Benevolent Funds of Grand Lodge.

When we read about the Great Scottish Walk we thought it would be an excellent way for us to 'do our bit' and raise some money for the Benevolent Funds of Grand Lodge as well as raising the profile of the Organisation. With this in mind, I, and my colleague, Derek Elms, Assistant Grand Treasurer, will be participating in this year's event.

We are pleased to enclose some information on the walk and to advise that, with the support of the Benevolence and Care Committee, Grand Lodge has been registered on the list of official Charities which can be nominated to receive sponsorship money.

This is an excellent activity which all the family can enjoy as there are Great Wee Walks for children at different venues around the country as well as the Walk for adults. If any Lodge Members wish to participate they can nominate Grand Lodge to receive the money which is raised in sponsorship. Alternatively, Lodges may wish to sponsor Derek and I which we would really appreciate.

As you can imagine, Grand Lodge deals with many Contractors and Companies which supply goods and services. We intend to approach them to seek corporate sponsorship and hope that this will result in a favourable response.

Further information can be obtained by contacting me directly at Freemasons' Hall or by logging onto the official website for the event at [www.greatscottishwalk.com](http://www.greatscottishwalk.com)

All that remains now is firstly to thank you for any support which the Lodge may give; secondly, to wish all fellow participants good luck and thirdly, to get fit in readiness for the event!

With kind regards.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs. D.R. Oliff,

Homes Superintendent.