

GLASGOW:THURSDAY 9th to SUNDAY 12th OCTOBER 2025

THE COST

The cost for the weekend is a very attractive £700.00 per Couple sharing a standard Double or Twin room.

The Single person Cost is £560.00

THE HOTEL

Clayton Hotel, 298 Clyde St, Glasgow, G14NP. www.claytonhotels.com/glasgow/

Rooms will be available from 15.00 (Check out at 11.00)

Additional rooms can be booked via their website. Call the hotel first (reservations (+44) 01413 409 620), and mention the EMA to secure the special rate of £160 B&B for double occupancy, £149 B&B for single occupancy.)

WHAT TO DO

Other than eat, drink and be merry!

- Stirling and its castle are only 30 mins by train from Glasgow Queen St Station

(Those Members who were on the EMA visit to Stirling in 2023 will tell you it's worth the trip).

- Edinburgh an easy day trip by train
- Glasgow Police Museum...well why not!?
- Gallery of Modern Art
- Riverside Museum
- Botanic Gardens
- City Chambers
- Kelvingrove Art Gallery and Museum

AND there is an array of shops, bar and restaurants

(taxi/public transport may be required for some sites!)

GETTING THERE: -

From the airport

To Glasgow centre, the Glasgow Express Bus 500 takes 15 mins and goes every 10mins. Stop required is the Bothwell St at Hope St stop. It is then a 10 minute walk to the Hotel. Tickets can be purchased online. Return ticket is £17.50

or of course take a taxi!

By rail

Glasgow Central station is a 6 mins walk, and Glasgow Queen St station is 10 min walk.

or, of course, take a taxi!

By car

The hotel is a 3 min walk from **Q-Park, St Enoch and Jamaica St. Car Parks**

A 40% discount is available to hotel guests. (For Full details please see the hotel website)

Uber

Is in Glasgow, there are also several taxi apps, which may be useful.

THE ININERARY

THURSDAY 9th October

There is no formal get-together. Just arrive, book in, and catch up when you're ready!

We will be at the Hotel to **meet you** from **16.00 to 18.00** and at MacSorley's Scottish Pub, just around the corner from the Hotel, from **18.00 to 20.00**. See you there!

(Please pay for your own refreshments and meals today)

FRIDAY 10th October

THE LODGE MEETING

The 'boys' **leave the Hotel** by taxi (or other transport may be arranged) **at around 18.45**

The Host Lodge is **Lodge St John 683, 9 Ardery St, Patrick.**

This is a 10 min drive.

We will Tile at 19.30. I will let you have the Summons before the meeting

EMA Members with Grand or Provincial honours will wear **Dress Regalia**, as usual

There will be a **Festive Board**. The Menu will follow and will cost between £12-£15 (**payable on the night, please**).

The evening will conclude around 23.30

THE LADIES

The 'girls' **will dine in the Hotel** with a pre-arranged 2 course meal and a glass of wine! Menu choice to follow closer the time (*The cost is included*).

SATURDAY 11th October

Our **Regular EMA Meeting** will be held at 10.00 in the Hotel.

The **Ladies** will have Free time to enjoy Glasgow or just a quiet relaxing moment!

Then the Grand Finale!...

EMA Gala Dinner

19.00 for 19.30 till midnight (Photos at around 19.15, when everyone is there)

A welcome drink of choice (glass of fizz, bottled beer, small glass of wine or soft drink) will be served on Arrival in the Custom House Mezzanine, directly outside the Ballroom.

There will be a three-course dinner from a set menu with 1/2 bottle of wine per person. (The menu will follow).

Entertainment will be from a local DJ, *playing appropriate music at an appropriate volume!*

SUNDAY 12th October

After another hearty Scottish breakfast, it's goodbye!

till **PORTSMOUTH** from **26th April 2026 to 3rd May 2026** – a treat not to be missed –
see you there!

Paul 28.07.2025

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