

THE CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT

(PRINCESS MARY'S)

THE CARE AND MAINTENANCE OF YOUR HIGHLAND KIT

ITEM	CARE
Lovat Hose	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wash in luke warm, soapy water – do not put them in the dryer (THEY WILL SHRINK)
Rob Roy Hose Tops	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - As Lovat Hose
Spats	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Washing machine if they are washable, or whiten with canvas whitener if they are canvas - Blacken straps and iron flat
Flashes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hand wash as Lovat Hose and iron flat.
Kilt, HS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dry clean only after each major pde or at least 3 times per year; - Steam iron front apron & pleats. - Blacken straps – use liquid “scuffcote”.
Brown Pouch (sporrán) and strap	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Apply brown kiwi polish frequently & buff to a shine; - Same treatment for the strap, DON'T forget the ledges!!
White Pouch (Sporran and strap)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Whiten frequently and buff to a shine DO NOT use canvas shoe whitener – use leather whitener only.
Horse Hair (Sporran) Snr NCO's & Officers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Shampoo shite horse hair in luke warm water & rinse thoroughly (do not submerge). KEEP LEATHER BACKING DRY!! - Same for tassles; - Comb out all tangles; - Keep it hanging up and polish the brass.
All Brass and Silver Accoutrements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Highly polish with “Silvo” metal polish; - Use a toothbrush to remove all polish from cracks and crevices.
Glengarry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Steam iron tails & glen with a pressing cloth; - Sponge wash with vinegar and warm water once in a while – 1 X Tsp vinegar to 1 cup water, and apply with face cloth or sponge; - Put your name in it!!

Balmoral (TOS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Iron a sharp crease around the perimeter of the hat – Trim loose thread on Rosette.
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