



LESSONS

EVER THOUGHT ABOUT LEARNING TO PLAY THE BAGPIPES?

Kelly offers private piping lessons to students of all ages, from beginner to seasoned piper.

In order to get started, all you need is a practice chanter, a reed and motivation.

Kelly has starter kits available for rent or to purchase. These kits include a practice chanter, a reed, a College of Piping Book and an instructional CD.

A unique feature available to Kelly's students is on-line video tutoring, which will act as a 24-hour teacher reviewing some of the previously taught lessons. The benefits include increased motivation, direction for more effective practising and a visual example to promote proper fingering techniques.

SPECIAL OFFER

Kelly is now offering one free introductory private lesson, including the use of a chanter to new students. Please call or e-mail to set up an appointment, with no obligation.



HOW TO REACH ME.

Although Kelly resides in the Niagara Region, she is also available to travel outside the area, including into the United States.

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PASSION FOR PIPING

Kelly Buckley is a professional bagpiper who will bring an added touch to your special occasion, such as a wedding, funeral or other event.

Beginning in the early 1970's, Kelly competed as a soloist to the professional level, and she also competed with numerous pipe bands throughout Canada, the USA and in Scotland, acquiring several awards including North American Championship and Champion Supreme.

In addition to competing, Kelly has piped for weddings, funerals, various social events, concerts, benefits and for Highland dancers.

Kelly is a member of the Celtic-Folk band, McPherson's Rant, with whom she also plays the small Walsh pipes and various Irish whistles.





WEDDINGS

Having a piper play for you on your wedding day will help you celebrate your special day with style and class.

Each wedding is unique and should be customized to suit your requirements.

During a quiet interlude, you may wish to incorporate the small Walsh pipes or Irish whistles into your service, either as a solo instrument or as an accompaniment with a vocalist or another musician.

Kelly would be pleased to assist you in selecting the music for your wedding. For a sample of some suggested tunes, please visit her website. If you have any special requests, please don't hesitate to ask, as she has an extensive repertoire.



Kelly with Astronaut Chris Hadfield



SPECIAL OCCASIONS

Let the Bagpipes Enhance Your Special Occasion.

Head Tables, Curling Club - Bonspiels, Garden Parties, Birthdays, Anniversaries, House Warming Parties, Reunions, Therapy for the Disabled, Remembrance Day, Canada Day, St. Patrick's Day, Robbie Burns Day, St. Andrew's Day, Piper for Dancers, Stag & Doe, Charitable Events, Service Clubs, Graduations, Grand Openings, Pubs & Restaurants, Legions - Memorials & Special Events, Banquets, Wine Tasting & Scotch Tasting, Beer Tents, Political Rallies, Ribbon Cutting Ceremonies, Senior's Homes, Golf Clubs, Conventions, Corporate Events, Recognition of Dignitaries, Accompaniment for Musicians, Bands, Orchestra.



FUNERALS & MEMORIALS

Pipers have been used for centuries to mark the passing of loved ones. For many, the stir of the bagpipes at a funeral creates a very moving tribute, which evokes deep emotion. Bagpipes are increasingly being recognized all over the world, as the ideal commemorative for a departed loved one.

There are a number of tunes that are appropriate for playing at funerals. Some samples can be heard on Kelly's website. If you have a special request that you don't see listed, please feel free to ask. The tribute to your loved one should be customized to suit their passing.

