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# Guided Tour of Fyvie Castle

Situated in beautiful parkland, north of Aberdeen, <u>Fyvie Castle</u> is an exquisite venue that is sure to leave a lasting impression with your guests. Dating from the 13th-century, <u>Fyvie</u> is a breath-taking vision of turrets and towers - each named after one of the five families who owned the castle. Renowned for its lavish Edwardian interiors, intricate ceilings and world-famous art collection.

# Optional Lunch: Meldrum House Hotel

Set amidst beautiful countryside, the 4 Star <u>Meldrum House Country Hotel</u> <u>& Golf Course</u> offers unrivalled quality and traditional Scottish hotel luxury with modern facilities.

The hotel dining room serves the best of local produce and will appeal to anyone who enjoys outstanding food, prepared from fresh, local ingredients. The dining room exemplifies the grandeur of the Scottish baronial mansion with the lofty ceilings and intricate cornicing adding tradition to the sophistication of the décor. After dinner or a round of golf relax and enjoy a drink in the comfortable Cave Bar in the Manor House.

# Tour of Glen Garioch Distillery

Established in 1797, <u>Glen Garioch</u>, (pronounced 'Geery') is Scotland's most Easterly distillery. For over 200 years <u>Glen Garioch Distillery</u> has been handcrafting a beautiful range of natural, non-chill-filtered single malt whiskies.

A variety of tours are available and they can hire out the Distillery and Visitor Centre out with normal opening hours for a truly exclusive experience - they offer bottling your own whisky and options to try some older and rarer whiskies.

#### Other castles in this area:

## Delgatie Castle

The Castle has largely been in the Hay family since it was taken from the Earls of Buchan after the battle of Bannockburn in 1314 when Robert the Bruce defeated the English army.

Today the Castle is kept as it was when the late Capt. Hay of Delgatie was alive and almost all the rooms in the main tower are open to see - the beautiful ballroom with a brass fender - a present from the czar of Russia on the occasion of a wedding, beautiful paintings, a very fine library.

## Tolquhon Castle

See for yourself why this noble residence is said to be one of Grampian's most picturesque castles. Among the lavish details are fine carvings of its chief builder Sir William Forbes and his wife.









