



Mari El and Scotland – the unity of cultures

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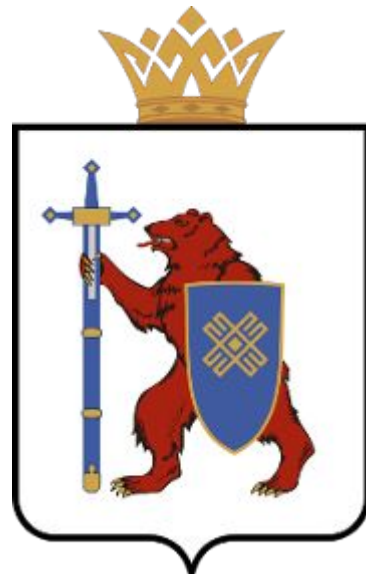
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The Aim of the project



- To study the most vivid features of the Scottish and the Mari cultures
- To find out similarities and prove that different nationalities may have common features



Topicality

- Membership of an ethnic group tends to be associated with shared cultural heritage, ancestry, history, homeland, language (dialect) or ideology, and with symbolic systems such as religion, mythology, and ritual, cuisine, dressing style, physical appearance, etc.
- So we are going to study some of these points and to prove that all nationalities have common features



Fact file

Scotland

- Area
- Population
- Capital
- Symbols
- Patron saint
- Nickname
- 78770 square kilometres
- 5 mln
- Edinburgh
- Flag, Coat of Arms, Thistle
- St. Andrew
- Caledonia/Alba



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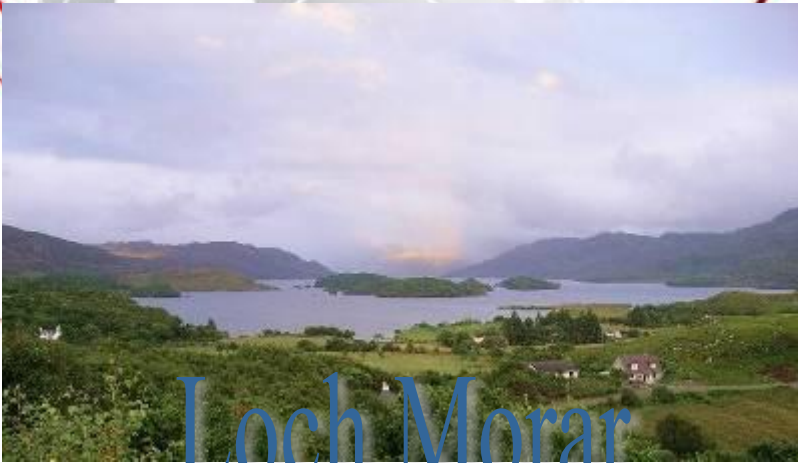
Mari El

- Area
- Population
- Capital
- Symbols
- Patron saint
- Nickname
- 23, 8 square kilometres
- 690 000
- Yoshkar-Ola
- Flag, Coat of Arms, Bear
- Virgin Maria
- The Land of Lakes

Geography

- Scotland
- 31000 lakes – lochs
- The biggest – Loch Lomond 71,1 sq km
- The deepest – Loch Morar (309 m)
- The most famous – Loch Ness
- Mari El
- 689 lakes
- The biggest – Yalchik 1,8 sq km
- The deepest – Tabashinskoye (Zryv) (56 m)
- The most famous – Sea Eye Lake (Morskoy Glaz)

Great Lakes of Scotland & Mari El



Loch Morar



Sea Eye Lake



Loch Ness



Lake Yalchik

History

- The Scottish King James VI became king of England in 1603
- Scotland & England united in 1707

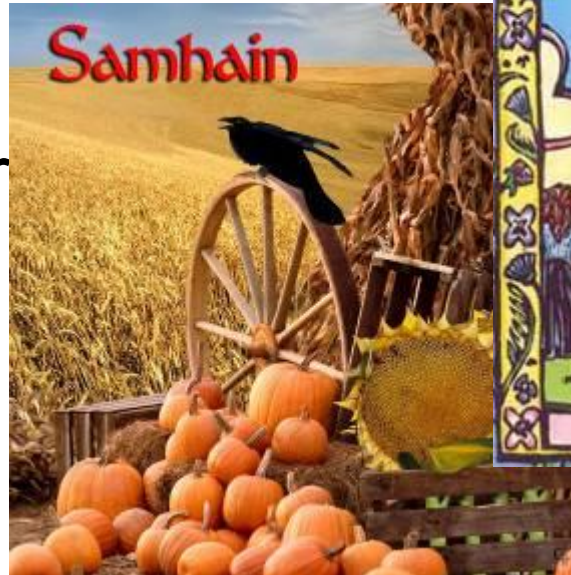


- 1440s – was incorporated into the Khanate of Kazan
- 1552 after the fall of Kazan was occupied by Russia



Scottish Celebrations

- Samhain /'sɑ:wɪn/
 - a Gaelic festival marking the end of the harvest season and the beginning of winter or the "darker half" of the year.
 - It is celebrated from sunset on 31 October to sunset on 1 November
- Beltane or Beltain /'bɛlteɪn/
 - 30 April–1 May
 - It marked the beginning of summer



Mari Celebrations

- Shyzhe Pazar (Шыже Пазар)
- To mark the end of the harvest season
- 21 November
- Agavairem (Агавайрем)
- To mark the end of the spring work in the field
- 5 June



Musical instruments

- Bagpipes
- Drums
- Harps
- Gusli



Scottish National Cuisine

- Haggis
- Scotch Pie
- Porridge
- Cock-a-leekie soup
- Whisky
- Ale



Mari National Cuisine

- Soup with dumplings (лашка)
- Подкогыльо
- Sausage with fat and blood (сокта)
- Flacky dumplings (команмелна),
- Cheesecakes (туара)
- Porridge
- Beer (пура)
- Strong honey drink (пӱрӧ)



Conclusion

Resources

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