**SUGGESTED DRIVING ROUTE FROM BLAIRGOWRIE**

**Circuit of Loch Earn**

Head South out of Blairgowrie on A93 (Perth Road), go through Carsie and take **Right turn** at end of Beech Hedge toward Kinclaven/Murthly/Stanley and cross River Tay.

Take **Left turn** towards Ballathie (Sign to Ballathie House Hotel)

Continue to T-Junction with B9099, **turn Left** towards Stanley.

Continue through Stanley (Beware zebra crossing disguises speed bump!) on B9099 to Luncarty and cross A9-**Immediately Turn Right** coming off flyover onto B8063 toward Redgorton.

At crossroads continue straight ahead towards Pitcairngreen.

At Pitcairngreen, continue through village to junction and "**turn right to go straight on**"(!) towards Methven.

Continue on this road and cross River Almond.

At the crossroads, **turn Right** towards Glenalmond.

Continue approximately 2.2 miles. Take **Left turn** towards Glenalmond & Buchanty.

At Buchanty, rejoin the B8063 at the junction this time "**turning Left to go straight on**".

Follow B8063 to junction with A822, **turn Left** towards Gilmerton.

At Gilmerton, **turn Right** on A85 to Crieff.

*\*\* Optional Stop in Crieff for Famous Grouse Experience – look for signs! \*\**

Continue on A85 through Comrie & St. Fillans, along North shore of Loch Earn to Lochearnhead.

**The Lochearnhead Hotel, which makes a good lunch stop, is on the Right just beyond the white picket fence on left and Auchraw Brae on right.**

Following lunch, **Turn Right** out of Hotel and continue to T-junction, **turn Left** onto A84.

Continue past Loch Lubnaig and through the Pass of Leny to Callander.

*\*\* Possible shopping stop \*\**

Continue to Doune, and at junction with A820 **turn Left** towards Dunblane.

At A9 Junction, **Join A9** North towards Perth.

**Leave A9 at next junction** B8033 signed Dunblane/Kinbuck. At T junction, **turn Right** towards Kinbuck.

Continue through Kinbuck to Braco.(Roman Camps) **Turn Left** on A822 to Crieff.

*\*\* potential stop\*\**

*Arriving at Crieff you pass the Waterford & Stuart Crystal Factory Shop on the Right.*

Continue into Crieff and at A85, **turn Right** towards Perth.

2 miles along at Gilmerton, **turn Left** on A822 towards Dunkeld/Aberfeldy.

Continue on this road through the Sma' Glen *\*\*Scenic Highlight!\*\**

*...*and go through Amulree *\*\*Nice tearoom\*\** all the way to the A9.

**Turn Right** onto A9 and **immediately Left** into Dunkeld. (Note 20 mph speed limit in village)

*\*\* Potential stop to see Dunkeld Cathedral (Off square to Left just after bridge) and shops \*\**

Continue through Dunkeld past Hilton Hotel and **turn Right** on A923 to reach Blairgowrie via Loch of the Lowes, Craiglush and Butterstone Loch.

At Blairgowrie **turn Left** on A93 to complete the circuit.