

# Edinburgh's Hogmanay

On the 30th and 31st December, people listen to music groups and watch fireworks.



At Midnight, 4.5 tonnes of fireworks are fired out of Edinburgh Castle.



On the 1st January, there is the *Loony Dook*. People wear costumes and jump into the River Forth.



On the 30th December, in Edinburgh, people walk with torchlights. It looks like a river of fire !



On the 31st December, just before Midnight, people sing *Aul Lang Syne*.



On the 1st January, there is *First footing*. The first foot in the house after Midnight, with presents : coal, whisky, black bun or shortbread.