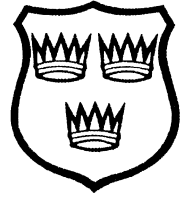




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BOARD MESSAGE

Dear Members,

Your Board has been busy evaluating our organizational structure and the need for new additions to our Irish Center management leadership team.

We have a great team of managers in place, Teresa Moore and Ligia Torres, and they share and support the Board's vision for the need to hire a senior leadership professional to realize our goals for the future.

We will keep you informed about our progress.

We will not have a Members Meeting in June, since we will use that evening for Committee meetings simultaneously at the Center. Please let us know if you'd like to be on a committee!

All the best,

Michael Barnacle
Board President

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THERE WILL BE NO JUNE GENERAL MEETING

SILVER GAELS

Silver Gaels luncheon & card playing ~ Friday, June 9, 2017 at 12:30 pm.
All card Players welcome! Come for the craic!!

TRIVIA TUESDAY

Trivia Tuesdays in the main bar at 8pm Hosted by: Donagh McKeown

32/50 CLUB

32/50 Drawings May 2016 through April 2017

The winning combination was Kentucky and Roscommon
held by Sean Heath/Maureen Hickey for \$3,250

32/50 Club	Margaret Gavney	Peggy Nevin/John Walsh	Stephen McEntee & Mary McNally
32/50 Club	Marge Hagan	John S. O'Keeffe	Thomas & Patricia Malone
32/50 Club	Grace Loftus	John S. O'Keeffe	Peggy Nevin/Janet Ruffoni Lucey
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Congratulations to all the others winning \$50

32/50 Drawings May 2017

The winning combination was North Dakota and Leitrim
held by William L. Luqué for \$3,250

32/50 Club	32/50 Club	Margaret Gavney	Peter McDonagh
32/50 Club	32/50 Club	RoseMary Kennedy	Monica Duffy
32/50 Club	32/50 Club	Mary J. Mahoney	Dave Enos
32/50 Club	32/50 Club	Mary McLoughlin	Joseph O'Leary/Teresa Moore
32/50 Club	32/50 Club	John S. O'Keeffe	John & Margaret Duffy
32/50 Club	32/50 Club	Rosemary Shanahan	Pat & Michael Bowler
32/50 Club	32/50 Club	Pat Barnard	James & Maryann Barry
32/50 Club	32/50 Club	Jean Bullentin	

Congratulations to all the others winning \$50

JUNE CALENDAR



MUSIC AT THE BAR

EVERY FRIDAY & SATURDAY 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM

- FRIDAY, JUNE 2 ~ TONY McMAHON
- SATURDAY, JUNE 3 ~ TRADITIONAL IRISH SESSION
7:30 PM - 11:00 PM
- FRIDAY, JUNE 9 ~ CHARMIS
- SATURDAY, JUNE 10 ~ PAUL ESPINOZA
- FRIDAY, JUNE 16 ~ EMILY HAYES BAND
- SATURDAY, JUNE 17 ~ 7:30 PM - 11:00 PM
COMHALTAS - TRADITIONAL IRISH DANCING
- FRIDAY, JUNE 23 ~ NEIL O'NEIL
- SATURDAY, JUNE 24 ~ RING OF TRUTH &
RORY McNAMARA
- FRIDAY, JUNE 30 ~ CROOKED ROAD CEILI BAND &
ERIN RUTH THOMPSON



- JUNE 3, SATURDAY
 - Celtic Culture at the UICC ~ 2:30pm - 4:30pm
The works of James Joyce
- JUNE 8, THURSDAY
 - IIPC Mass & Luncheon ~ *See Ad*
Call Joan 415/752-6006
 - Set Dancing Classes ~ 7:30pm - 9:30pm
For info call Josephine Brogan 415/681-4803
- JUNE 10, SATURDAY
 - Irish Marvels, Past & Present ~ 2:30pm - 4:30pm
Vikings! presented by Lisa Hilmoe
Everyone welcome. Lisa Hilmoe 707/364-5484
- JUNE 11, SUNDAY
 - Music, Dance and Irish Language Workshop
for Children 3:00pm - 6:00pm
For info call Josephine Brogan 415/681-4803

- JUNE 14, WEDNESDAY
 - Open Poetry Night ~ 7:30pm - 10:00pm
Poetry readings and discussion group
- JUNE 15, THURSDAY
 - Set Dancing Classes ~ 7:30pm - 9:30pm
For info call Josephine Brogan 415/681-4803
- JUNE 17, SATURDAY
 - Celtic Culture at the UICC ~ 2:30pm - 4:30pm
The Irish in the US Civil War
Talk by Patrick Sullivan
- JUNE 18, SUNDAY
 - Father's Day at the Center
Brunch is from 10:00am to 2:00pm
Dinner starts at 5:00pm
- JUNE 22, THURSDAY
 - Set Dancing Classes ~ 7:30pm - 9:30pm
For info call Josephine Brogan 415/681-4803
- JUNE 25, SUNDAY
 - ICC 6th Annual Mad Hatter Tea Party
See Library section
- JUNE 27, TUESDAY
 - Cairde Café /Coffee Morning ~ *See Ad*
10:00am - 12:30pm
For info call Joan at the IIPC 415/752-6006
- JUNE 29, THURSDAY
 - Set Dancing Classes ~ 7:30pm - 9:30pm
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NOTE:

The Irish Literary & Historical Society
will resume in September.

For information visit - www.ILHSsf.org
Have a wonderful summer!

DEADLINE for JULY 2017 BULLETIN is JUNE 15

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1PM - 3PM

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Anne Carew — 1082 Rio Vista Dr., Pacifica, CA 94044

or

Sally Cassidy — 4521 Irving St., San Francisco, CA 94122

For more information contact Anne Carew at 650-359-5268 or Sally Cassidy at 415-665-0689.

Proceeds from the Mad Hatter Tea Party support the activities of the library.



A Place for All Things Irish

SATURDAY JULY 8, 2017 2:30 PM

Last year the Patrick J. Dowling library at the Irish Center received a copy of the program from the Irish Fair of 1898 – It was very exciting since according to the online catalog World Cat there are only two other programs in libraries throughout the world. The purpose of the Irish Fair was to raise money for the construction of an Irish hall. On July 8 at 2:30 pm at the Center, please join the Irish Marvels, Past & Present for a presentation by Valerie McGrew about the Irish societies in San Francisco at the turn of the (20th) century and their efforts to build an Irish Center, ***A Place for All Things Irish***

ACTIVE RETIREMENT CLUB OUTREACH PROGRAM

Thursday, June 8, 2017

United Irish Cultural Center, 2700 45th Avenue, San Francisco



12.15 p.m. Mass celebrated by Fr. Brendan McBride

followed by lunch and special guest speaker

Irish Vice-Consul Colum Hatchell

Consulate General of Ireland's Vice-Consul Colum Hatchell will discuss the new online Passport Application process. This initiative was recently launched by the Department of Foreign Affairs and has significantly decreased waiting times for passports.

If you need to renew or replace your Irish Passport, we can help you with this at the IIPC office or at any of our ARC events. For more information call Joan!

Tickets - \$20

RSVP to Joan at 415.752.6006

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ACTIVE RETIREMENT CLUB OUTREACH PROGRAM

CAIRDE CAFÉ COFFEE MORNING

Tuesday, June 27, 2017

10.00 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.

United Irish Cultural Center

The Restaurant - 2700 45th Avenue, San Francisco



10.00 a.m. - 10.30 a.m. Tea/Coffee & Chat

Grab a cup of tea/coffee, relax and get acquainted.

10.30 a.m. - 12.00 p.m. Activities!

CARDS: Try your luck and enjoy a game of 25s

BINGO: hosted by Janette

QUIZ: hosted by Joan

12.00 p.m. - 12.30 p.m. Wrap up and goodbyes

We will wrap up the afternoon's conversation and adjourn.

The IIPC is delighted to offer a monthly coffee morning get-together. The coffee morning is designed to be an informal gathering of friends, old and new. Come along to play cards or BINGO, read the Irish newspapers or just have a chat.

Every month, we will have a different range of activities, including cards, bingo and our newest and most popular addition - an inter-county table quiz!

This is a relaxed and enjoyable social opportunity to get out of the house for a few hours and spend it in the company of friends.

For more info contact Joan at 415.752.6006

Event Donation: \$5

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Farewell Reception

— for the Honorable Philip Grant,

Consul General of Ireland, Western United States

It was a bittersweet evening at the UICC on May 21 as community members gathered to enjoy good company, good food and good wine and to honor and bid farewell to someone who has become a pivotal part of our broad and diverse Irish community in the short four years that he has been here, our Consul General, Philip Grant.

Philip has been the most involved Consul General in most of our time in San Francisco. As soon as he arrived, he immediately immersed himself in the community, attending GAA games, community events, business and networking events and in all cases, providing support, encouragement, introductions, connections and the full support of the Irish government for the Irish and Irish American communities in the Western United States. He will be greatly missed.

The event was co-hosted by Consulate General of Ireland, United Irish Cultural Center, United Irish Societies, Irish Network Bay Area, Irish Culture Bay Area and the Irish Immigration Pastoral Center

Thank you to those who sponsored the event: Consulate General of Ireland, United Irish Cultural Center, Residential Builders Association, Enterprise Ireland, IDA Ireland, VoxPro, Barry O'Brien, Bart Murphy, United Irish Societies, San Francisco GAA, Irish Network Bay Area, and the Irish Immigration Pastoral Center

Go n-éirí an bóthar leat, a Philip!



Cathy Mibach, Philip, Don Mibach



Fr. John Ryan, Attie Carolan



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Philip, Paraic Hayes (IDA)



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