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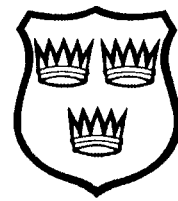
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BOARD MESSAGE

Visionary Redevelopment Proposal Reveals New Look for Irish Center



Liam Reidy

What an exciting month we have had at the Center! The whole Irish American community is buzzing with optimism since the public meeting on May 7th during which we revealed a bold new visionary proposal to rebuild the Center. While the Building Working Group committee explored several options this past spring, the option to redevelop the existing site was the concept that made most sense. A new building provides the community with a greater variety of spaces devoted to cultural programming uses that is currently not available. One of the options during the period of discovery and brainstorming was to sell the existing building and move elsewhere in the city or develop a new center outside the city. This option did not enthruse or energize the group.

Neither did the idea of remodeling the center or adding couple of more floors to the existing structure. The reasoning was the high cost of rehabbing the building and tearing everything back to the studs to structurally support the addition of any new floors on top of the existing structure.

Pre-construction cost analysis for the new building comes in at \$45-50 million dollars. The grand redevelopment plan proposed by Redmond Lyons and his committee calls on the entire community to contribute and participate with their **Time, Talent or Treasure**. Many in the community will be able to donate money to help rebuild, but there are others who have graciously already offered their time and talents to the committee to rebuild the Center.

Whatever happens, there is a mountain of work to be done in the meantime, so roll up your sleeves!

The conceptual plan to redevelop the Irish Center was developed by Dane Bunton and Nastaran Mousavi, Principal Architects at Studio BANAA, San Francisco. Both architects had provided some "pro-bono" work last year to the Board as part of an effort to repurpose some of the spaces at the Center, when we explored the concept of a remodel to the existing structure. Earlier this year we reached back out to the firm to get their input on a new building redesign.

The new conceptual building provides almost 100,000 square feet of space. Our current building is a 20,000 square feet facility. However, nothing is set in stone yet as to what will eventually be built, and the next step is a meeting with the San Francisco Department of City Planning.

The new building will consist of two floors underground and six floors above ground level. The subterranean areas are made up of one floor of dedicated parking with room for 30 vehicles, while the second floor houses an aquatics center with a 5 lane pool, saunas, kiddies pool and locker rooms.

The above ground structure will house a dedicated museum on the ground floor at street level, with a bar, restaurant and gallery or entertainment venue. On the second floor, the St. Patricks room occupies the entire footprint of the building with a stage, bar, and kitchen. The third floor consists of a dedicated library and genealogy center. The fourth floor consists of Irish dance studios, music, language and conference rooms, administration and office space. The fifth floor consists of a gym and exercise studio and sports hall. The sixth floor houses the rooftop restaurant, garden and observation deck. The new building provides for more space dedicated to cultural programming, the library and Irish arts.

The May 7th meeting was well attended by a large cross section of the community, and the message about a proposed new building well received overall.

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The same sentiment was present at the General Members meeting on May 13th, during which the membership voted unanimously to proceed with the rebuild concept and to take it through to the next phase. For more information about the plan for the future of the Irish Center go to www.irishcenter2025.org

A capital campaign committee is being currently being established to help fundraise for the project. If you would like to get involved email: campaign@irishcentersf.org

Around the Center

After an absence of the more than two decades, an Irish dance Feis returns to the Center on Sunday June 27th, as we host the 2021 John and Maureen Kennelly Memorial Feis. Competitions start at 8am and will run throughout the day. We celebrate the one year anniversary of Wawona Gates on Saturday June 19th and all local Irish dance schools are invited to participate to dance on the outside dance stage from 2.00-3.45pm

Our Irish Summer camp starts June 7th at the Collins Center, St. Cecilia's Church. Kids will have a chance to learn how to play the drums, tin whistle or keyboards, speak Irish, participate in drama, storytelling, multi-media production, art classes, and even hip hop! On Friday June 25th there will be a concert featuring all the campers at the Irish Center.

The Irish Dance exhibition organizing group spearheaded by Anne Cassidy Carew is busy collecting memorabilia and documenting Irish dance stories at the moment. The group will continue their efforts through the summer in time for the fall

presentation. If you have a story to tell or something to contribute you can reach her at acarew@irishcentersf.org

We have great music lined up for Wawona Gates in June. Kevin Roche trio play on June 5th. On June 12th we host Ivor Collins, Bryan Lynch and Eoin O'Sullivan. The first year anniversary of Wawona Gates occurs on June 19th and sees the return of Fret & Fiddle from Pacifica. On June 26th, we welcome back the Boys of Malin, Felim Egan (accordion), Darcy Noonan (fiddle) and Eamonn Flynn (keyboards) on June 26th.

Many thanks to all those who came out to Wawona Gates and volunteered or participated in the Dowling Library Fundraiser during the Kentucky Derby on May 1st. There was plenty of colorful fascinators, and style on display during the afternoon of fun. The big winner on the day was the Library.

A special word of congratulations to all the students who received Leo T Walsh scholarships last month. A combined total of \$40,000 was disbursed by the committee to graduating 8th Grade students and High School Seniors heading off to college in the fall. Special thanks to Peggy Nevin and Carmelle Reiser for co-ordinating this years efforts. Many thanks to all the donors and sponsors of the Awards-without you there would be no cause for celebration!

Safe travels to all those who are traveling this summer! Stay Safe!

Liam Reidy, *President*

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JUNE-JULY CALENDAR

■ JUNE 5, SATURDAY ~ 1:00-8:00pm

- Music with Kevin Roche Trio

■ JUNE 12, SATURDAY

- Irish Genealogy Club ~ 11:00am-1:00pm
via Zoom Meeting
- Irish Marvels, Past and Present ~ 2:00pm
Kate Kennedy Remembrance
at Cypress Lawn Memorial Park Cemetery
- Wawona Gates 1:00-8:00pm
- Music with Ivor Collins ~ 3:00-5:00pm
- Bryan Lynch and Eoin O'Sullivan ~ 5:00-7:00pm
- Emerald Society Volunteer Day
- Kids Art Competition Winners Announced

■ JUNE 19, SATURDAY

- First Anniversary of Wawona Gates ~ 1:00-8:00PM
- Irish Dance Schools Exhibition ~ 2:00-3:45pm
- Music with Fret and Fiddle ~ 4:00-6:00pm

■ JUNE 24, THURSDAY

- Biscuits & Books ~ 4:00-5:00pm
Live Zoom chat with Anne & Jennifer

■ JUNE 25, FRIDAY

- Wawona Gates ~ 6:00-9:00PM
- UICC Irish Summer Camp Youth Concert 7pm

■ JUNE 26, SATURDAY

- Wawona Gates ~ 1:00-8:00pm
- Grab and Go Lasagna for 4
Homemade Lasagna from Vittorios Restaurant on West Portal. Pick up between 4.00-5.30pm
Order online at <http://www.irishcentersf.org>
- Music with the Boys of Malin 4-6pm

■ JUNE 27, SUNDAY ~ 12:00- 6:00PM

- Wawona Gates ~ 12:00-6:00pm
- Kennelly Memorial Feis ~ 8:00am-6pm

■ JULY 3, SATURDAY

- Wawona Gates ~ 1:00-8:00PM
- Music with Dan Dectis ~ 4-6pm

■ JULY 4, SUNDAY ~ CLOSED

Happy 4th of July!

■ JULY 10, SATURDAY

- Wawona Gates ~ 1:00-8:00PM
- Music with the Gas Men

SAVE THE DATE

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Sunday August 22, 2021
Ulster Social Club Get Together

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Saturday October 9, 2021
Connaught Club Dinner

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Saturday October 16, 2021
Octoberfest

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Saturday October 23, 2021
Emerald Society Annual Dinner

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Saturday November 13, 2021
Derek Warfield and the Young Wolfe Tones

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Sunday November 14, 2021
Derek Warfield and the Young Wolfe Tones,
Unplugged

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Saturday December 11, 2021
Rebel Cork Club Dinner

Grab and Go!
Saturday June 26th
Homemade Lasagna for 4

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Greetings from the Library, and sure June is Bustin' Out All Over!

And we're bustin' out the Welcome, Fáilte mat beginning on Saturdays in June. Are you double vaccinated? Or, have a negative covid test result within the last 3 days? Bring your docs and c'mon in during your appointment times!

Email your appointment request to library@irishcentersf.org.

Include your title list, and/or research subject request and preferred date/time.

Use our OPAC <https://19552.rmwebopac.com/> to find your books, up to 3 titles.

Reading room appointments are Saturdays, 2:00 - 3:00pm or 3:15 - 4:15pm.

Requests received by Noon on Thursdays will be confirmed or an alternate date/time offered by 3:00pm on Fridays.

Library capacity is two [2] guests at a time, for an hour, to read, research and relax.

Walk-ins welcome as appointments allow.

Thank you from Derby Day! - A Benefit for the Patrick J. Dowling Library

Thank you to all who volunteered their talents, time and treasure to make our first Derby Day Library Fundraiser a success!

Congratulations to all our drawing winners, too! What a fun afternoon! Your generosity is so deeply appreciated by myself and all the library volunteers. We are working hard to expand, preserve and modernize the presentation of our unique library's holdings. You all make it possible.

Irish Genealogy Club - Celebrating its 1st year - Zoom Meeting

Saturday, June 12 — 11:00am - 1:00pm

Characters! Eccentrics! Come prepared to share a few words about a colourful ancestor and how you were able to document them and their story. ~ Irish Genealogy Club contacts: Pati Traktman patitraktman@gmail.com & Kevin Dineen, dineen5@att.net

Irish Marvels, Past and Present - Special In-person Event

Saturday, June 12 — 2:00pm

Cypress Lawn Memorial Park cemetery at 1370 El Camino Real, EAST CAMPUS, Colma.

"Kate Kennedy Remembrance" On May 31, 1887, Kate Kennedy went to court. A timely recognition of San Francisco's pioneering Irish immigrant, educator and activist who among other things challenged the city of San Francisco in California's Supreme Court on equal pay. And won. Afterwards the Celebration will continue at Wawona Gates with no-host food and drinks. The plan is for viewing a partial video of the ambassador's comment about Kate Kennedy then. Please observe all mask and distancing protocols. Thank you. ~ Lisa Hilmoie, Irish Marvel contact: hilmoiegleason@gmail.com

Biscuits & Books - Live Zoom chat with Anne & Jennifer

Thursday, June 24 — 4:00pm - 5:00pm - Pacific time.

Our next episode of Biscuits & Books. Grab a cuppa and join in while we explore the Library's Book Sale antiquarian and rare book opportunities. See a title you're interested in? Please reach out: library@irishcentersf.org. We're happy to rehome all the wonderful titles off the book cart and antiquarian shelf.

Book Club - Live Zoom chat with Dublin based author Patricia O'Reilly in July

Patricia will host a book club discussion with us about her latest novel. 'The First Rose of Tralee' is the story of Mary O'Connor (182?-1845) the servant girl who captured the heart of William Pembroke Mulchinock, the master of West Villa and a poet who wrote The Ballad of the Rose of Tralee. Get your copy now, enjoy early summer reading, then meet the author and discuss the book with her and other readers in late July.

Want to join in on the Zoom fun? Fáilte! Welcome! Zoom pre-registration links will be published on the Library's Facebook and Instagram accounts as well as the UICC Event Calendar. Pre-register from anywhere the link is published.

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KENTUCKY DERBY AT WAWONA GATES

Medina Spirit may have won the 147th running of the Kentucky Derby, but the local San Francisco winner was the Patrick J Dowling Library at the UICC on May 1. Several library volunteers came out to help at Wawona Gates, while there were dozens of library supporters who participated in the fascinator competition. Celebrity bartenders included Anne Cassidy-Carew, Joanne Hayes-White and Renee Lazear. Congratulations to Maureen Loftus and Jessica Ruiz who were among the prizewinners in the fascinator competition. All proceeds collected go to the Library Fund.



Maureen Loftus, winner of the fascinator competition on May 1



Patty Hayes, Joanne Hayes-White, Nora Mullane and Eileen Collins



Patty Dowling and Jennifer Murphy



Anne Cassidy Carew with Kathleen McDonough



Anne Cassidy Carew with Jennifer Drennan



Celebrity Bartenders, Anne Cassidy Carew with Joanne Hayes-White and Renee Lazear

UICC MEETING MAY, 7, 2021

Visionary Redevelopment Proposal for Our Irish Center

Jim Fogarty, Rose O'Connor, Martin Falvey



UICC President Liam Reidy

Exterior from Sloat Boulevard looking to the north-east



Marty Halloran

Interior of the St. Patricks' room on the 2nd floor



Interior of the Library



UICCVP Mark Burke



Redmond Lyons

Interior of the Gym on the 5th Floor



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ST. CECILIA'S MOTHERS CLUB INSTALLATION AT WAWONA GATES

The Center continues to host private events now that public health restrictions are being lifted state wide. On Sunday May 22nd we hosted the annual St. Cecilia's Mothers club installation. St. Cecilia's Men's club provided the volunteers to serve the Brunch catered by the Millbrae Pancake House. Here are some photos of the attendees.



*Melanie Manning, Janice Calonico, Ailish McVeigh,
and Maureen Faherty.*



Chris Uskert, Principal, with Akuavi Cigavic and Katie Talbot



Ryan Klinefelter, Will Lucey and Tom McKeon



Jamie Haugh, Danny Manning and Brian Wachowicz



Kathleen Greene, Melissa Lewis, and Erin Burke.



Sherri Duffy and Maureen McGuire



Danielle Keenan, and Susie McKeon



Yen Hui, Rachel Considine and Teresa McLoughlin



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With gratitude, Peggy Nevin & Carmelle Reiser, UICC LTW Scholarship Co-Chairs

ACTIVE RETIREMENT CLUB OUTREACH PROGRAM

** SPECIAL EVENTS **

As our City & State reopens, we are delighted to host our first in-person events since February 2020! We invite you all to join us on either Tuesday, June 15 or Wednesday, June 16 for 12 noon Mass and a boxed luncheon at Wawona Gates, the United Irish Cultural Center's outdoor space on Wawona Street at 45th Avenue in San Francisco.

To ensure the health and safety of all our guests, staff and volunteers everyone will be required to wear a mask at all times, except when seated. At check-in, volunteers will take guests' temperatures and dispense hand sanitizer. Guests will also be asked to sign a Liability Waiver similar to that used for attendance at Mass.



Tuesday, June 15, 2021

Wednesday, June 16, 2021

Wawona Gates

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

12 noon Mass Celebrated by Fr. Brendan McBride
followed by luncheon

Tickets - \$20

***** ADVANCE BOOKING & PAYMENT MUST BE MADE BY TUESDAY, JUNE 8 *****

RSVP to Joan at 415.432.2551 or email joan@sfiipc.org - select your date!

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WELCOME TO THE READING ROOM

We are excited to feature award winning Irish author, **Anne Enright** at our Reading Room on **June 17**.

Winner of the Man Booker Prize 2007 *The Gathering*, is a moving, evocative portrait of a large Irish family and a shot of fresh blood into the Irish literary tradition, combining the lyricism of the old with the shock of the new.

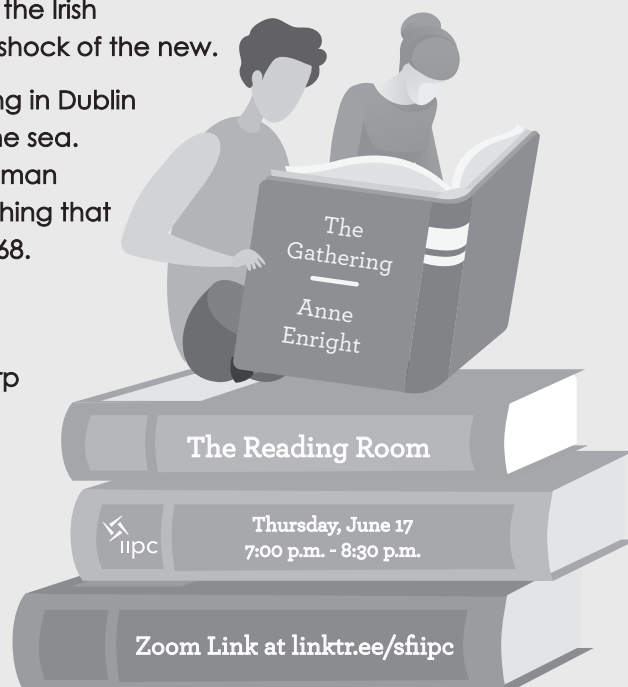
The nine surviving children of the Hegarty clan are gathering in Dublin for the wake of their wayward brother, Liam, drowned in the sea. His sister, Veronica, collects the body and keeps the dead man company, guarding the secret she shares with him—something that happened in their grandmother's house in the winter of 1968.

The Gathering is a daring, witty, and insightful family epic, clarified through Anne Enright's unblinking eye. It is a novel about love and disappointment, about how memories warp and secrets fester, and how fate is written in the body, not in the stars.

Join us on **Thursday, June 17** at **7:00 p.m.** for another lively and entertaining discussion!

Go to linktr.ee/sfiipc to find the link! See you there!

Questions? Call Joan at 415.432.2551
or email joan@sfiipc.org



TRIVIA AFTERNOONS

A COMMUNITY OUTREACH EVENT FROM THE IRISH IMMIGRATION
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EVERY WEDNESDAY | 2:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M.

DO YOU KNOW THE ANSWER?!

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What is a Howdah?

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join us on linktr.ee/sfiipc to participate in our fun weekly quiz.

By phone, contact Joan at 415.432.2551 for dial-in details



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You, Me & A Cup of Tea

Tuesdays from 10.30 a.m. - 11.30 a.m.



Why not put the kettle on, make a cup of tea and join us every
Tuesday morning for an hour of lively conversation and a bit of craic ?

Moderated by Joan Cuddihy, who will occasionally be joined by a guest speaker,
this morning's get together provides a warm and cozy environment for a bit of
lively banter!

Join us on Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m at <https://linktr.ee/sfiipc>

If you would like to join by phone, call Joan at 415.432.2551 for dial in details.

BINGO with Janette & Friends

Thursdays from 10.30 a.m. – 11.30 a.m.

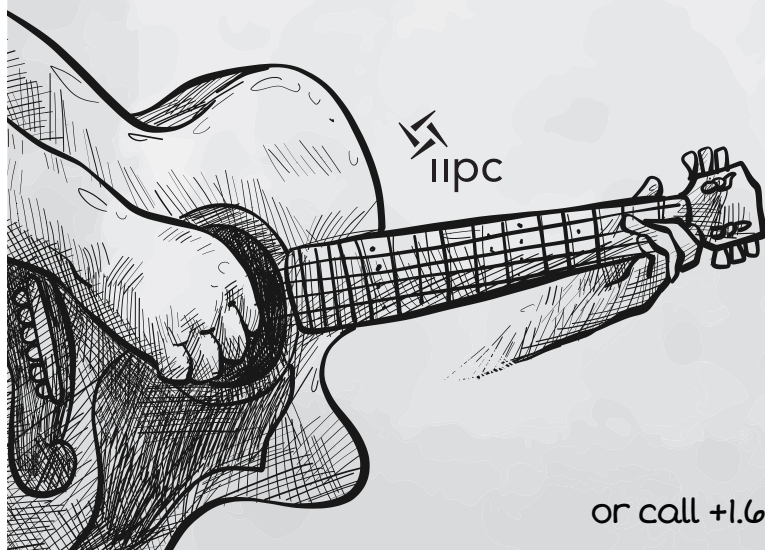


To join Bingo with Janette & Friends, please contact Joan by
noon on Wednesdays by calling her at 415.432.2551 or
emailing Joan@sfiipc.org to get your bingo cards. You can now also play online!

Join us on Thursdays at 10:30 a.m at <https://linktr.ee/sfiipc>

Participants will be entered into a draw for a gift card from a local small business!

MUSIC HOUR WITH BEN & CHRISTY



We have hit the jackpot for our June Music Hour!
It gives us great pleasure to bring to you, for one
afternoon only, Ben & Christy!!!

Ben Hunter, a proud Co. Tyrone native and Christy
O'Connell, an equally proud Corkman have been
entertaining the San Francisco Irish community for
decades with their mix of Irish & American Country
Music and classic ballads.

They will be joined by special guests Kate Bannon
and Paddy Brogan for what promises to be an
unforgettable afternoon!

Send your song requests to Joan@sfiipc.org or
call 415.432.2551 by Thursday, June 17

Sunday, June 20, 2021

4:00 p.m. PST

Join us at <https://linktr.ee/sfiipc>
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