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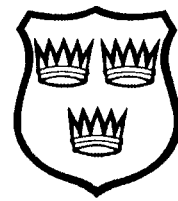
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BOARD MESSAGE

"Daddy are you really going to Build a new Irish Center?"



My daughter Roisín turned 7 years old on Sept 19th and I brought her along with me to the Center as I popped in to take some photos at Katherine Scanlon's 90th Birthday celebration for the bulletin. As we entered the elevator from Wawona Gates, Roisín watched as the door closed behind us and then gazed up at the large posters showing the renderings of the proposed new Irish Center - now known as the 2025 Project. She turned to me and said "Daddy are you really going to build a new Irish Center?" It was at that moment I found inspiration for this month's bulletin message.

There is no doubt that this same question is playing out in households throughout the city, the Bay Area and well beyond the California state line. The word has spread to the congregations, building sites, and hostelrys about the eyebrow raising new direction that the 2025 Project Committee is now firmly focused on. The Center's website traffic, social media platforms and the dedicated new 2025 project site (www.irishcenter2025.org) confirm that interest from the community is gathering momentum, and people are eager to find out as much as they can about the project.

People are now beginning to understand what the 2025 Project Committee has been working towards for the past five months. This new building is going to be built. Why shouldn't Irish Americans throughout the Bay Area put our own Irish Center firmly on the map as an iconic building that will secure the future gathering space for generations to come to celebrate all of our Irishness.

I was in downtown San Diego in early August and a restaurant manager upon hearing I was from San Francisco said to me "Do you know that they are going to rebuild the Irish Center up there!" I replied "Yes I did hear that and said won't it be great if they can pull it off!". She replied "it sure would be amazing!" To answer Roisín's question, I turned to her and said "Yes, we are going to build a new Irish Center but I am not going to do it on my own." It will take an extraordinary effort from the community to get what has been proposed and hailed as a bold ambitious plan executed. Everyone is welcome to participate and help us out. What has amazed me in this entire process to date is the generosity of people to financially support what we have proposed. Thank you to all the who have pledged support up to now. As we move down the road on this journey, we will need even more help from the community. We are going to need everyone to chip in with their time, talent and treasure and everyone to participate in this once in a generation legacy project for the current population of Irish Americans, Irish residing in the Bay Area and those from the Emerald Isle yet to arrive on our shores.

2025 Project Updates

The 2025 Project Executive Committee (PEC) recruited Mark Conroe last month. Mark is an expert in commercial real estate construction and finance with almost four decades of experience here in San Francisco and the Peninsula. Currently living in Marin, Mark served on the Building and Finance committee at SFJAZZ during the construction of its new home at 201 Franklin Street. We also welcome Tony Bucher to the UICC Board, who will guide the effort to build out the content and exhibitions

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that will be the crown jewels of the new Library, Museum and History Center housed on the building's 4th floor. Tony is a 5th generation Bay Area native who has written extensively about the contributions of the Irish to the city by the Bay. When I invited Tony to participate to be part of this amazing journey his response was "It would be an honor". Welcome aboard Tony. I also welcome Jeanne Connolly and Seamus Canning who have stepped up to take roles specifically related to the 2025 Project. We have also commenced the much awaited feasibility study of the proposed new building and have retained Elena Kazlas (Boston, MA) as the Executive Consultant responsible for developing the technical report which will guide the future economics of the new building.

Around the Center

It's been another busy month in and around the Center. Our Events Manager Aileen Dulohrey has been kept busy since she came on board last July, and I think it's safe to say September was one of our busiest months this year. We now have five local Irish dancing schools teaching at the Center. What a year it's been for Irish dance schools and the Center. Long may it continue! We have ballroom dancing classes taking place during the weekday in the St. Patricks room. We host Sunday church for Branches- a new Baptist church group in the Sunset, and also recently hosted services for Beth Israel Judea & B'nai Emonah Congregations.

Wawona Gates Closes Oct 30th

Wawona Gates will close for the season on Saturday Oct 30th but there are several more chances to come out on Saturday afternoons and listen to some live music from several locals including Dan Dectis, Paul Espinoza, rebel Irish band Sean Daly and the Shams and local Bay area group Menagerie Bay.

Save the Date!

The San Francisco Bay Area Law Enforcement Society (Emerald Society) hosts their annual dinner at the Center on Saturday Oct 23rd where our own UICC Board member Josephine Brogan is honored as Citizen of the Year. Congratulations Josephine! Derek Warfield and the young Wolfe Tones are back live at the Center on November 13th and 14th. On Saturday Dec 11th, The Rebel Cork Annual Dinner will take place with 60 Year Rebel Cork Benevolent Association member Tim Murphy being honored as the Corkman of the Year. Turning the page to 2022, we are delighted to have Phil Coulter come back to perform on Saturday February 5th. The St. Patrick's Grand Marshal Dinner is scheduled for Feb 25th hosted by the United Irish Societies. So much more coming in 2022.

That's it for this month!

Liam Reidy, *President*

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OCTOBER CALENDAR

■ OCTOBER 9, SATURDAY

- **Irish Genealogy Club ~ 11:00am-1:00pm**
A discussion on using government documents, and Pati Traktman presents on the Irish Petty Sessions.
Contacts: Pati Traktman patitraktman@gmail.com and Kevin Dineen, dineen5@att.net

- **Irish Marvels, Past and Present ~ 2:30-4:30pm**
Valerie McGrew presents on Non-violent protest and the Irish hunger strikers of the 1920s.
Contact: Lisa Hilmoe, hilmoe.gleason@gmail.com

■ OCTOBER 16, SATURDAY

- **Octoberfest**

■ OCTOBER 23, SATURDAY

- **Emerald Society Annual Dinner**

■ OCTOBER 28, THURSDAY

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



WAWONA GATES DATES FOR MUSIC IN OCTOBER

OCTOBER 2 ~ EAMONN FLYNN

OCTOBER 9 ~ DAN DECTIS
Star of the hit Sunset Sing-along Show on You Tube

OCTOBER 16 ~ PAUL ESPINOZA
(from Golden Bough)
Singer, songwriter, poet

OCTOBER 23 ~ SEAN DALY & THE SHAMS
AND IRISH REBEL & FOLK BAND

OCTOBER 30 ~ MENAGERIE BAY
*Playing original soul, r&b, funk, and rock, adding covers
ranging from Dusty Springfield to Prince!*

SAVE THE DATE

•
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 4 & 18, 2021
The Great Irish & American Sing-Along

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Saturday December 11, 2021
Rebel Cork Club Dinner

• **2022** •

Saturday February 5, 2022
Phil Coulter in Concert

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Friday February 25, 2022
2022 St. Patrick's Grand Marshal Dinner
Hosted by the United Irish Societies

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Friday March 11, 2022
Eileen Ivers in Concert

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Coming in April 2022
Sharon Mannion,
One Woman Play,
the Curse of the Button Accordion

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Friday September 9, 2022
Ardal O'Hanlon
Comedian (Fr. Ted Fame)

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Returning in late 2022
JigJam

COMING SOON!

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LEO T. WALSH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM.

Details to follow.

Save the Planet Feis Scores Big for the Environment

There were no wigs, no makeup, no plastic or colorful dresses at the “Save the Planet Feis” on the weekend of Sept 17th and 18th hosted by the Michael Dillon School of Irish Dancing at the Center. Just over 200 dancers came from as far away as the states of Colorado, Washington, Nevada and Philadelphia to participate. Old dance socks were collected throughout the weekend (40 lbs) and will be recycled as dog beds. The judges for the weekend were: Máire Clerkin (Los Angeles), Maureen Golden (San Jose) and Jeannie Thornton from San Diego.



Feis Dad, John O'Kane, and daughter Sammie.



Maura Moylan, with daughter Olivia and Anne Moriarty.



Alyse Kabrimanian, Fairfield, and Abigail Foy, Dixon (Roban Murphy School of Irish Dancing).



Computer data analysts Ramona Rollins, Sonoma and Mallory Brown, Millbrae.



Feis musicians Eamonn Flynn (San Francisco) with Chris McLoughlin (New Jersey).

Save the Earth Feis Photo Gallery



*Roisín Reidy, Kennedy
O'Connor School*



*Lexi Melton, Tara School
Seattle, Washington*



*Bernedette Dineen, Abi Van Middlesworth
and Shannon Whyte.*



Fionnuala McEvoy-Pecko with Shane Pecko



*Sarah Van Middlesworth
and Mallory Brown*



Karen Steen and Cheryl Cain



Judge Máire Clerkin, Los Angeles



Judge Maureen Golden, San Jose



Judge Jeannie Thornton, San Diego

SAN PATRICIO CELEBRATION SEPT 12TH AT THE IRISH CENTER

By Catherine John

In 1846-1847, an idealistic group of conscripted Irish soldiers deserted the U.S. army to fight for Mexico in the Mexican-American War. These brave soldiers were known as the St. Patrick's Battalion, or El Batallón de San Patricio. They fought valiantly in Mexico's defense up until the Battle of Chapultepec, when U.S. forces overtook Chapultepec Castle in Mexico City and tried the San Patricios as traitors. On September 12, 1847, a great number of these soldiers were executed for desertion.

One hundred seventy four years later to the day, a commemoration of the San Patricios was held at Wawona Gates at the United Irish Cultural Center in San Francisco. Sponsoring organizations the UICC, The Patrick J. Dowling Library, The San Francisco Irish Mexican Association, Irish Culture Bay Area, AmeriCeltic, and the Consulates of Ireland and Mexico in San Francisco put on a fun and festive afternoon of Irish and Mexican culture and historical programming that was informative and uplifting for all in attendance.

The Irish Pipers Band of San Francisco rang in the celebration shortly after 1 pm, as community members entered Wawona Gates, settled into their seats, and enjoyed Irish and Mexican beverages and delicious tacos and burritos from Carlos Mora's taco truck. Secretary of the San Francisco Irish Mexican Association Catherine John welcomed attendees and shared a brief history of the St. Patrick's Battalion, their values and their legacy. President Emeritus of the Association Patrick Goggins spoke about the long history of Irish-Mexican representation and advocacy here in the Bay Area, in the name of values of fairness and justice shared with the San Patricios.



Patrick Goggins

Next, the crowd received a special video greeting direct from Mexico City, featuring Dr. Stephen Murray, Grand Master of the Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, and the Irish Pipe Band of Mexico City. In lieu of a video greeting from Clifden, County Galway, there was a surprise appearance by Noel Laffey, a Clifden native and a possible relation of John Riley, leader of the St. Patrick's Battalion. Clifden being the birthplace of John Riley, Laffey had heard tales of the bravery of the San Patricios since boyhood.

The following portion of the program was dedicated to Irish and Mexican cultural performances. The Boyle and Dillon Schools of Irish Dance, Grupo Danza Colibrí, Son de la Bahía, and Irish traditional musicians Darcy Noonan, Hector Bragado and Tedd Colt regaled the audience with lively music and dance, including a bit of crossover between the groups, demonstrating the resonance between Irish and Mexican art forms. Catherine John also shared a couple of Irish-Mexican musical mashups from her album, ¡Fandango Bragh!

The Honorable Consuls General Remedios Gómez of Mexico and Robert O'Driscoll of Ireland joined the program to give their own remarks on the St. Patrick's Battalion and how the lessons learned from their story and shared Irish and Mexican cultural values influence the culture-bridging work that the Consulates and our communities continue to do today.



Robert O'Driscoll and Remedios Gomez

Consuls Gómez and O'Driscoll then joined event attendees in the St. Francis Room for a live-streamed talk by Mark Day, San Patricios scholar and producer of the 1996 documentary "The San Patricios", followed by a Q&A session and a lively discussion among those present.

Also participating in the day's activities was the Patrick J. Dowling library, which displayed titles such as Shamrock and Sword by Robert Ryal Miller and The Irish Soldiers of Mexico by Michael Hogan, for those interested in learning more about the San Patricios.

Remembering and commemorating the St. Patrick's Battalion reminds us of the commonalities that bring us together rather than divide us, and bears evidence to how Irish and Mexican communities have held similar roles, spaces, and identities throughout the history of San Francisco, California and the United States. Nowadays, it is very common for Americans to claim shared Irish and Mexican/Latinx heritage. This event honored and celebrated all those with such mixed heritage, as well as those with an affinity for both cultures or a special interest in the San Patricios story and legacy. A wonderfully enthusiastic response from attendees left everyone with a desire to repeat our San Patricios commemoration next year in San Francisco.



Performers from the Grupo Danza Colibrí and Son de la Babía (traditional jarocho music from Veracruz) groups entertain the crowd at the annual St. Patricio's Battalion celebration at the Irish Center in San Francisco



Dowling Library display



Robert O'Driscoll, Consul General of Ireland in San Francisco, Jennifer Drennan, Remedios Gómez Arnau Consul General of Mexico in San Francisco in the Dowling Library



Catherine John, Remedios Gómez Arnau, Consul General of Mexico in San Francisco, California, Patrick Goggins, Robert O'Driscoll, Consul General of Ireland in San Francisco, Anne Cassidy Carew

Photos by Serena Nash

90 Years Young Celebration for Katherine Scanlon at the Irish Center

Katherine Scanlon celebrated her 90th birthday party at the Center on September 19th and it was a testament of the love and high regard she is held in by her family and friends. Rousing video greetings from Ireland and the U.K. were shown as a surprise to Katherine and a grand time was had by all!



*Katherine and Mike Scanlon
on their wedding day in 1951*

A little trip down memory lane....

Katherine Scanlon's mother and father, May and Paddy Mahoney were from Enniscrone, Co. Sligo and Inchigeelagh, Co. Cork, respectively.

Katherine was born in St. Mary's Hospital on Stanyan Street on September 19, 1931.

Katherine and her sister, Mary Ellen Manley (RIP) grew up in the close-knit San Francisco Irish community, first living in Noe Valley and then moving to the Haight-Ashbury where she has lived for the past 85 years.

The girls attended St. Agnes Primary School and Presentation High School. As was the custom of those days they attended the Irish dances with their parents and spent most weekends with family and other Irish immigrant friends. Most Sundays were spent at Beach Chalet for the Hurling and Football matches.

Katherine was a proud member of the Cork Ladies Drill Team.

In 1949, Katherine met the love of her life, Michael Scanlon, newly arrived with his sister, Mary from Donoughmore, Co Cork. They married at St. Agnes Church, San Francisco on January 27, 1951. The house on Cole Street was a revolving door over the years for innumerable family and friends "from home" who were always made welcome.

It was there that Katherine and Mike raised their three children, Joannie, Patricia and Michael. In addition, Katherine's love of children, particularly babies resulted in her own full-time babysitting service.



*From left to right: Patricia Culbane, Angie Palce,
Michael Culbane, Joannie O'Leary, Nick Culbane, Katherine Scanlon,
Pat Hanley, Francie O'Leary, Jennifer Culbane, and Danielle Miller*

Throughout their children's school years, Katherine and Mike were active in the Mothers' and Fathers' Clubs at St. Agnes and Katherine remains a devoted member of the St. Agnes Altar Society. The annual parish St. Patrick's Dinner found Mike and Katherine happily working side-by-side with a multi-cultural committee, making it a tremendous success for many years. They were both extremely proud to be involved in the building and supporting of the United Irish Cultural Center and Mike served on the UICC Board.

In 1978, Katherine made her first trip to Ireland with Mike, who was returning after 30 years. It was a brilliant reunion with family and with friends, some of whom had visited San Francisco previously. Katherine made a solo trip after Mike passed away in 1991, and subsequent trips to Ireland and England with her grandchildren to visit more cousins and friends. She particularly enjoyed a reunion with her niece, Nora (Manley) Fox and family who had settled in Longford.

Katherine is a long-time member of the SF Cooley-Keegan Branch of Comhaltas Ceoltóirí Éireann from whom she received a "Service Award" in 2014 at the New Jersey Convention. She also enjoys attending the activities of the Irish Immigration Pastoral Center and organizes the "Cousins' Luncheons" for the Mahoney Clan.

A hearty congratulations from all the Board at the UICC!



Katherine Scanlon, with her daughters Patricia Culbane, Pacifica and Joannie O'Leary, San Francisco.



Margaret McAuliffe and Patrick Linehan



Susan Keith and Kasey Curtin



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Greetings from the Library, aka the Room of Requirement!

I hope this fall season finds everyone keeping well. It is exciting days in the library. Volunteers continue to work through the lovely donations we've received from our community recently. You'll notice that Cuchulain has acquired an anvil. The anvil was used in Wexford-born James Doran's smithy located at 722 Bryant in 1907. The Doran/McPeake family donated it along with a 19th century maid's key to the Hotel St. Francis' attic. We also received a large number of Irish language books from the McPeakes.

The San Patricios Day was a brilliant success. Wonderful presentations, dance, food and music. There were many new visitors to our library. Thank you to everyone who volunteered, performed and attended! We were honored to welcome both Mrs. Remedios Gómez Arnau, Consul General of Mexico and Robert O'Driscoll, Consul General of Ireland into the library. In a brilliant stroke of synchronicity, a book Catherine John, who spoke on behalf of the SF Irish Mexican Association, loaned on the morning of the event for display, Michael Hogan's "The Irish Soldiers of Mexico", was donated to the library later that very afternoon by a patron who was making their first visit in nearly 2 years! To all who put so much love and time in behind the scenes, performed, and attended, making the day a success: Thank you! Go raibh maith agat! Gracias!

As a reminder when visiting the library on Thursday and Saturday: appointments are encouraged, and masks and proof of vaccination are required indoors.

Irish Genealogy Club - Zoom Meeting

Saturday, October 9 — 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

A discussion on using government documents, and Pati Traktman presents on the Irish Petty Sessions.

Irish Genealogy Club contacts: Pati Traktman patitraktman@gmail.com & Kevin Dineen, dineen5@att.net

Irish Marvels Past & Present Zoom

Saturday, October 9 — 2:30 - 4:30 pm

Valerie McGrew presents on Non-violent protest and the Irish hunger strikers of the 1920s.

Irish Marvels Contact: Lisa Hilmoe, hilmoe.gleason@gmail.com

Biscuits & Books - Live Zoom Chat with Anne & Jennifer

Thursday, October 28 — 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Grab a cuppa and join in on Zoom where we explore the Library's Book Sale opportunities. See a title you're interested in? if you want to participate pre-register for the Zoom. Let us know!

Fáilte! Welcome! To attend the Zooms: Pre-register from anywhere the links are published.

Follow the Library's progress and join in the conversations on social media:

Facebook: @dowlinglibraryattheuicc

YouTube: Librarian P.J. Dowling Library

Instagram: pjdowlinglibrary

Support the Library's modernization, preservation and programming efforts: <https://irishcentersf.org/donations/>

Keep well. Sláinte!

Jennifer Drennan, Librarian

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FRANK SINATRA TRIBUTE EVENING



Sunset resident
Perry D'Andrea
aka Frank Sinatra
entertained the large
appreciative crowd at
Wawona Gates on
Saturday September 18
for the
Sinatra Tribute evening.



Renee Lazear and Lynn Buckbart.



Diarmuid Philpott and Cyril Hackett.



*Michael O'Donoghue, Sheila Brosnan
and Anne Cassidy Carew.*

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Join us at Stow Lake in Golden Gate Park for this month's walk as we enjoy the lake, the paddle boats and the Chinese Pavilion.

We really enjoyed our time with everyone who joined us at Ocean Beach last month – we hope you can join us again!

Wednesday, October 13 at 11:00 a.m.

Tuesday, October 27 at 5:00 p.m.

To sign up, please call Shannon at 415.432.2552
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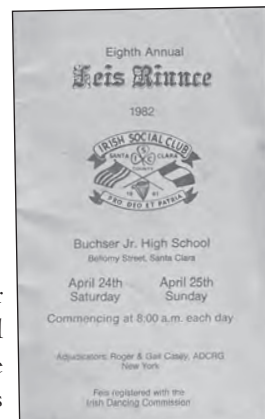
KEEPERS OF THE STEPS 150 YEARS OF IRISH DANCE IN THE SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA

Coming to the United Irish Cultural Center in January 2022! Don't miss this special exhibit exploring the roots, rhythms, and rituals of one of the most enduring traditions of our Irish Heritage—Irish Dance.

There most certainly was green among the gold in the hills of California in the mid-1800s. The prospect of striking it rich during the Gold Rush was the hook needed to drive people to the west coast of a young nation—including the Irish! With their hopes of fortune, they brought their culture too. The centuries old oral traditions of Irish music and dance made its way to California and took root in growing communities.

Irish dancing is a centuries-old tradition that continues to capture the hearts of dancers and onlookers alike. Long before gold was found in the hills of California—a couple of centuries to be precise—the Dancing Masters of Ireland were promoting the rich tradition of Irish Dance by traveling around Ireland, teaching their steps, and sharing their stories. This critical piece of our Irish heritage and history has evolved over the years into local dance schools in various regions around Ireland—and eventually around the world. Casual dance-offs or competitions at the crossroads of Ireland in the days of yore gave way to feisanna (Irish dance competitions). The entertainment industry has broadened the reach of the art form through massive stage shows like Riverdance and Lord of the Dance as well as through film and music.

Our special exhibit aims to explore the people, places, and things that have sustained Irish dancing in the San Francisco Bay Area. We are ever grateful to the Dancing Masters who brought Irish Dancing to San Francisco and the Bay Area more than 150 years ago and created a rich legacy which thrives today through dance classes, competition, and cultural opportunities. To all the dancers who share in the joy of Irish Dancing, know that you are part of a long and storied tradition. And not unlike those Dancing Masters in 16th century Ireland you, along with your dance teacher, are the “Keepers of the Steps”. #keepersofthesteps



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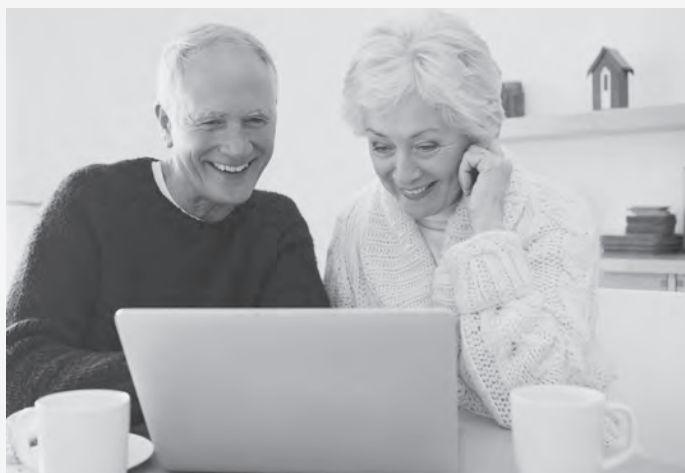
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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

11:00 A.M.

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ACTIVE RETIREMENT CLUB OUTREACH PROGRAM



Tuesday, October 14, 2021

Wawona Gates, United Irish Cultural Center, 2700 45th Avenue

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

We are delighted to invite you all to join us on Tuesday, October 14 for 12 noon Mass and 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.

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You, Me & A Cup of Tea

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



Our **weekly virtual coffee morning** is on every Tuesday morning! *You, Me, and a Cup of Tea*

Grab a cuppa and join Joan for a catch up

TRIVIA AFTERNOON

Wednesdays from 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.



Get those wits sharpened and join Joan for our **weekly Trivia Afternoon**
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BINGO with Joan & Friends

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Joan will be calling the numbers every Thursday morning!

Please contact Joan by **noon on Wednesday** by calling her at 415.432.2551 or
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To join any of our virtual events, to go <https://linktr.ee/sfiipc> at the event time
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If you would like to join by phone, call Joan at 415.432.2551 for dial in details.

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Peer Support for Parents/Guardians
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MOVING AHEAD is a monthly peer support group with
a focus on how you can change your child's learning
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Our co-leads are parents with a wealth of
knowledge and experience of helping their children
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Join us every fourth Tuesday at 7:00 p.m. and meet
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Tuesday, October 26, 2021 | 7:00 p.m.

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