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"A Hundred Thousand Welcomes"

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# ACC IRISH BOUTIQUE

Rocky River Memorial Hall 21016 Hilliard Blvd.

Friday, March 4<sup>th</sup> 10 AM-7 PM Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup> 10 AM-6 PM Sunday, March 6<sup>th</sup> 11 AM-4 PM



Unique Irish gifts, clothing, and jewelry, Irish entertainment, food, and fun!

Admission is Free!

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# The West Side Irish-American Club

The McNeeley Library Foundation, Inc.

Founded 1931

MARCH 2016

# **HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY!**

Visit Our WEB SITE at www.wsia-club.org

# The Guinness Pouroff

Sunday, March 6

Cheer on your favorite Irish bar in Cleveland. Twenty-five (25) bars to participate against each other. Who really pours the perfect pint?

Doors open at 4 pm. Contest begins at 6:30 pm. There will be door prizes, samplings, light food and fun for everyone all night long! Check our Website or Facebook for more info.

Come Join us for the St. Patrick's Countdown Wednesday, March 16

**Boxty and Irish Sausage Night** 

Serving from 6 PM-7:30 PM Irish coffee served all evening Entertainment: **The Roundabouts** 

# ST. PATRICK'S DAY

On Thursday, March 17, mass begins promptly at 10:00 AM

at St. Colman Church

2027 West 65th Street, Cleveland, OH 44102.

The main celebrant will be Fr. Thomas Weber.

The practice of holding/saving full pews and/or seats is strictly prohibited! First come, first served!
One seat per person. Plan to arrive early as all seats will be filled by 9:30 am.

# Come back to your club after the parade.

Enjoy good company, good food by **O'Malley Catering**, and good music at 6:30 pm by **Canyon Wind**. No cover charge.

Check the inside of this month's bulletin for all of the information about our upcoming

> Pre-St. Patrick's Day Dance on Saturday, March 5 and Claddagh Ball on March 12.

# Pub Quiz Friday, March 11 8 PM start time

Quiz Master is Patty Jurecko Bring your friends, test your knowledge, and have a good time.





# GENERAL MEETING • Thursday, March 10th • 7:00 PM

<u>OUR ADVERTISERS</u> help with the cost of printing & mailing our Bulletin. Please patronize them and let them know you appreciate their support of the Club bulletin. That's the best way to thank them for YOUR bulletin.

Brona O'Donnell is the oldest daughter of John and Eileen (Joyce) O'Donnell of Westlake. She is the second generation of Joyces to have the honor of representing the West Side Irish-American Club as Queen. She follows her mother, Eileen, in 1990 and her Aunt Maureen in 1985.

Her involvement in the West Side Irish-American Club started when she began marching with the Majorettes at age six. As she got older, she spent a year marching with the Flag Unit and then spent two years marching with the Pom-Pom Unit, and was last seen leading the Majorettes down the Avenue until she graduated from Westlake High School in 2013. Still making appearances at the first practice of the year, she misses her Sundays with all the kids as she is in her junior year at Ohio University pursuing a degree in Marketing and Finance.

Brona has always been heavily involved in her Irish heritage. She started Irish dancing when she was five at the Leneghan Academy of Irish Dance, and later continued at Burke School of Irish Dance, competing in many Feiseanna over the years. She also spent many weekends participating in numerous activities at the West Side Irish-American Club with her grandparents Terry and Bridie Joyce. Brona has also made many trips to Ireland, staying very connected with her O'Donnell and Joyce families.

Halfway through her junior year, Brona plans to graduate with a major in Marketing, a minor in Finance, and a certificate in International Business hoping to utilize her skills to become a digital marketer. This summer she eagerly accepted a spot on a month long internship through Ohio University in Thessaloniki, Greece. She remains an active member of Ohio Women in Business on their Marketing team along with taking the Business Cluster this semester, enhancing her business skills for the future.

Brona has two brothers, Eoin, a 2nd year student at Ohio University majoring in Mechanical Engineering, and Cormac, a sophomore at Westlake High School. Brona is a proud member of both the O'Donnell and Joyce families and follows in very proud footsteps.

In her court this year, Brona is happy to have Mackenzie Hurd and Natalie Calabrese. Mackenzie and Natalie have been lifelong friends throughout her years growing up. Though Mackenzie and Natalie attend different schools, their friendship has never been questioned. Brona wishes everyone a blessed and happy St. Patrick's holiday this year and is honored and thrilled to represent the West Side Irish American-Club as our 2016 Queen.



2016 W.S.I.A. CLUB QUEEN BRONA O'DONNELL



2016 W.S.I.A. CLUB WOMAN of the YEAR LINDA JEAN CLARK

Linda was born on July 9, 1951 in Cleveland, Ohio, and was raised on the west side of Cleveland. In December, 1967, she married Nicholas Pinardo. They were blessed with two sons, Nicholas and Michael. They were also foster parents to nine children. Nicholas died in 1991. During twenty-four years of marriage, Linda held several jobs. She began as an aide at St. Augustine Manor on Detroit Ave, and during her 7 years there she became a Licensed Practical Nurse. Linda and Nicholas also ran souvenir stands at Cleveland Stadium for 17 years. She became a manager at Sears Southland by day and a sales vendor at the Stadium by night.

In 1994, Linda married John Clark. John had 6 sons: Anthony, John Jr., Vincent, Colin, Keith, and Jody. Together they have 8 sons, 25 grandchildren and - at the moment - 15 great-grandchildren. Linda is a school bus driver of 18 years, for Columbia School District. She is also a 4th grade PSR Catechist at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, located in Columbia Station. In 2007, John and Linda lost their son Vincent Clark. They took on guardianship of his son Jonathan Clark, who is currently in the WSIA Senior Fife and Drum Corp, and his daughter, Katherine (Katie) Clark. Katie was on the WSIA Pom-Pom squad for 4 years, and she is currently working at Murray Ridge Vocational Center in Elyria for the handicapped. She keeps Linda's life very busy. Some of Linda's hobbies include sewing, camping, traveling, and especially fishing at her family's home in Louisiana.

Linda and John joined the WSIA club in 1995. They went to Ireland with a group from the Club in 1997. Linda truly loved Ireland and all the culture. She started volunteering at the Club and worked as a bartender, on the cleaning crew, on the entertainment committee, and even in the library. When the Ohio Irish Festival was on the WSIA grounds, she was in charge of the Tea House. Then she worked the WSIA Club store, which she has enjoyed managing for the past 9 years. She has represented the store at the Irish Boutique in Rocky River and The Irish Cultural Festival in Berea.

Tom was born November 3, 1948, the eleventh of thirteen children, to Slovak parents in a small town in western Pennsylvania. Tom's grandparents emigrated from Czechoslovakia in the late 1880s. Tom married Marilyn Schmiedl in Our Lady of Good Council Church in 1971. They have one daughter, Carissa. Tom worked for General Motors in Parma for 38 years, retiring in 2006. Tom and Marilyn are active members of St. Clarence Church. Tom is a Trustee of the Parma American Slovak Club.

Tom and his family moved from Olmsted Township after 21 years to the Del Webb Community in North Ridgeville in 2006. There they met Tom and Kathleen Egan who introduced them to the WSIA Club. Tom and Marilyn were recruited by Kathleen for one of the volunteer cleaning teams. Since then, Tom has also become a regular on the Tuesday maintenance team, member of McDonough's Brigade, flag bearer in the St. Patrick's Day parade, and committee member for New Year's Eve and other events. In 2011, Tom joined neighbors Bill and Maureen Rice on the WSIA Board of Trustees and still serves.

Tom is an avid golfer, and enjoys bowling, playing cards and traveling. Tom and Marilyn hope to make their first trip to Ireland and Scotland in 2017.

Tom is proud to be an "adopted" Irishman and enjoys working and socializing with the great group of dedicated Irish people at the West Side Irish-American Club. Tom is honored and humbled to have been selected as the 2017 WSIA Man of the Year and sincerely thanks everyone for this great honor!



2016 W.S.I.A. CLUB MAN of the YEAR TOM LUCAS





# Exhibitions by

# Ladies Drill Team and Senior Fife & Drum Corps

<u>Presentations of the Year 2016 Honorees</u>

Woman of the Year - Linda Clark

Man of the Year - Tom Lucas

Queen - Brona O'Donnell

Saturday, March 5, 2016

7:00 p.m. to Midnight – Music at 8:00 p.m.

at the West Side I-A Club

8559 Jennings Rd., Olmsted Twp. OH 440-235-5868

(BRING IN YOUR OWN SNACKS/HORS D'OEUVRES)

**TICKET Donation \$20.00 Each** 

Cash Bar

For Tickets call John Lally 440-808-1729

Or SEND CHECK MADE OUT TO: WSIA

MAIL TO: JOHN LALLY, 505 SHERWOOD DRIVE, BAY VILLAGE, OHIO 44140



# 12th Annual Claddagh Ball Saturday, March 12, 2016





Guest Speaker—Terrence Kenneally
President/Owner at Terrence J. Kenneally & Associates
Irish Historian and Writer

Cocktails and hors d'oeuvres from 6:00-7:00 PM Followed by dinner served by O'Malley Catering

The Sean Fleming Show Band from New York will provide the music from 8:30 PM to Midnight—Main Hall and Rock & Roll music in the Pub

Open Bar all evening Donation \$75.00

Please contact Kathleen Chambers for reservations at 440-427-0858

This will be "A Night to Remember"



# The IA's 2016 Honorees will be recognized at this elegant event.

Linda Clark



Woman of the Year

Brona O'Donnell



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Man of the Year



# West Side Irish-American Club Upcoming Events

Join us for Lenten Fish Fries presented by O'Malley Catering every Friday through March 25, 2016 Dinner Served from 5:00—7:30 PM

# **MARCH**

# SENIOR MARCHING UNITS EXHIBITION

Saturday, March 5, 2016 Info Call John Lally at 440-808-1729

## **GUINNESS POUROFF**

Sunday, March 6, 2016 4:00 PM Main Hall

# ANNUAL CLADDAGH BALL "A Night to Remember"

Saturday, March 12, 2016 Info Call Kathleen Chambers at 440-427-0858

# **BOXTY, IRISH SAUSAGE NITE**

Wednesday, March 16, 2016 Serving 6:00 - 7:30 PM

# ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Thursday, March 17, 2016

Mass 10:00 AM • Parade at 1:05 PM • Food & Music at the Club at 3:30 PM

Canyon Wind at 6:30 PM

# **EMMITT CAHILL (Celtic Thunder) in Concert**

Sunday, March 20, 2016 at 5:00 PM

# **APRIL**

# STEAK SHOOT

Saturday, April 16, 2016 7:30 PM Info Call Ann Murphy at 440-238-4295 or Helen Malloy at 216-251-4075

# 1916 EASTER RISING CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

Saturday, April 23, 2016 Info Call John O'Brien at 216-375-2890

# ANNUAL STYLE SHOW

Sunday, April 24, 2016 Info Call Maureen Rice at 440-366-5748 -5868 E-mail: info@wsia-club.org Sunday 1:00 PM-9:00 PM Tel: 440-235-5868 West Side Irish-American Club, 8559 Jennings Road, Olmsted Twp, 44138
PUB HOURS: Friday 6:00 PM-Midnight Saturday 1:00 PM-N

Saturday 1:00 PM-Midnight

**MARCH 2016** 

Saturday	ഹ	Pre-St. Patrick's Day Dance 7pm	12	Claddagh Ball 6pm April Bulletin Deadline	19		26	Saturday, April 16 ~ Steak Shoot Saturday, April 16 ~ Steak Shoot Sunday, April 23 ~ Easter Rising Centennial Celebration Sunday, April 24 ~ Fashion Show & Luncheon Friday, May 27 ~ Reverse Raffle
Friday	4	FISH FRY served 5:00-7:30 p.m Library open 6:30-8:30 p.m. Top Rail, 7:30 p.m.	11	FISH FRY served 5:00-7:30 p.m Library open 6:30-8:30 p.m. Pub Quiz, 8:00 p.m.	18	FISH FRY served 5:00-7:30 p.m Library open 6:30-8:30 p.m. Canyon Wind, 7:30 p.m.	25 FISH FRY Served 5:00-7:30 p.m Library open 6:30-8:30 p.m NO MUSIC	Saturday, April 13 ~ Easter Sunday, April 123 ~ Easter Sunday, April 24 ~ Fas Friday, May 27 ~
Thursday	3	Ceili Dancing 7 p.m.	10	Forever Young, 1 p.m. General Meeting, 7 p.m. Library Open Before & After General Meeting I-A Store Open 7-9 p.m	17	Mass at St. Colman's - 10:00am Parade - 1:05pm Food/Music at Club - 3:30pm Canyon Wind - 6:30pm	24	31 Ceili Dancing 7 p.m.
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	Don't miss this visit from the EASTER BUNNY!				
	ave a Basket Raffle, Guessing Games, an Easter Egg Hunt and a delicious breakfast too!				
	Don't forget to bring your camera to take pictures.				
The breakfast is always a SELL OUT, so make your reservations today!					
	*All adults must be members.*				
Children under 12: \$3.00 each Children 12 & over & Adults: \$6.00 each					
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# **WORD HAS IT...FROM YOUR LIBRARY**

Happy St. Patrick's Day to all; congratulations to all the honorees from McNeeley Library.

Two book reviews from Brendan Gannon:

"Me Grandfather" by Brother Kilian Beirne, C.S.C. A wonderful tale of life in rural Ireland in the early part of the 20th century. For anybody raised in the country in the 30's to the 50's, you will identify with many of the characters, stories and myths we all heard as children. The main character lived during the potato famine. He was a rugged man, like the land around him. A great read!

"Raid on the Wind" by Walter Macken. A riviting account of the lives, loves and tragedies of the families living on the Irish coasts and who depend on the sea for their survival. Cuts through the romance and shows the sea in its total indifference to humans. A story of the ordinary people of the West of Ireland as they struggle with the sea, poverty and political conservatism of post independent Ireland.

<u>REMINDER</u>; don't forget to submit those recipes for the <u>McNeeley Meals</u> & <u>Memories Cookbook</u>. You can give them to a librarian, drop in the box outside the library door, mail them to the Club or send to our email address: McNeeley.Recipes@gmail.com.

# **FOREVER YOUNG**

Thank you Marge Lavelle and Mary Napier for the great job you do in decorating for our meetings.

Tickets for the St. Patrick's Day Party are \$12.00 for a great meal catered by O'Malley catering. Please call either Marge Lavelle @ 216-671-1670 or Mary Ellen Grealis @440-316-6145, please invite your friends.

Tickets for Lolley the Trolley for St. Patrick's Day are \$15.00 leaving and returning to the club, \$10.00 for pick up and returning to St. Colman's. Tickets must be pre-paid; call Mary Ellen Grealis @440-316-6145.

Marilyn Farone has some great trips coming up in June and August; stayed tuned for further information.

Maureen Lavelle would have taken home \$50.00 had she been at the meeting.

## SUNSHINE AND SHAMROCKS ON ST.PATRICK'S DAY

Mary Ellen Grealis, Chairperson 440-316-6145

Janet Saringer, Vice-Chairperson; Mary Ellen McFarland,
Secretary/Treasurer; Sam Tacchite, Sergeant-at-Arms

Please contact Marge Lavelle, Health and Welfare Chairperson, at 216-671-1670, to send a card to Forever Young Members who are sick or have lost an immediate family member.

# BLACKSOD BAY ASSISTED EMIGRATION SAILINGS



On October 1, 2015, representatives of Ionad Deirbhile, who were visiting from Achill, County Mayo, were at our club and made a presentation about "The Tuke Assisted Emigration Scheme". Materials from the presentation included posters which will be on display at the club in the Madison Room from February 27<sup>th</sup> through the month of March, 2016.

If you had ancestors who had their passage paid to North American or Canada between 1883 and 1884, you may have an interest in viewing this display. There is a database set up and it is hoped to help the descendants of the emigrants in North America to engage with their relations and the community in the west of Ireland. This is the start of a process which will strengthen the connection between the descendants of the emigrants and the home place of their ancestors.

The Annual Memorial Mass for the Deceased Members of the Building Trades is on March 5th at 12pm at St. Paul Shrine (E. 40th & Euclid Avenue). Bishop Roger Gries, OSB will be celebrating the Mass. To add a name to the list of intentions, please contact Mary Setta at (216) 548-3132 or Margaret McIntyre-Stacy at mcintyma@hotmail.com by February 29th.

"The Quiet Man" at the Capitol Theater, on Sunday, March 13, 2016 at 10am, Tickets \$6: Here is your chance to start your St. Patrick Day celebration early, by watching this classic film starring John Wayne and Maureen O'Hara. This is a special 10:00 am. Matinee on the Big Screen at the beautifully restored Capitol Theater, at West 65th and Detroit, in the heart of the Gordon Square Arts District.

Welcome New Members: Larry Ashworth, Ellen Marie Becks, Patrick Conway, Tara Coyne, Stephen Coyne, Mark Cunningham, Andrew Fowler, Maureen Rose Ginley, Timothy Hall, Peggy Hart, Bradley Hart, Devin Healey, Louise Kilbane, Kevin Kilbane, Kate Killeen, Chris Killeen, Margaret Kilroy, Dominic Kilroy, Courtney Kuntz, Taylor Lockhart, Kathy Malik, Mary Masterson, Adam McCutcheon, Megan McCutcheon, Dar McGeady, Michael Petit, Kathleen Petit, Donal Ross, Annie Ross, Brian Wopershall, and Moira Wophershall.

Lest We Forget **Kathleen O'Grady** who was inadvertently omitted in last month's bulletin. May she rest in peace.

# The West Side Irish American Club presents its 1916 Easter Rising Centennial Celebration



Saturday, April 23, 2016

Doors open at 5:30,
program begins at 6pm

8559 Jennings Rd Olmsted Township, OH 44138 Contact: John O'Brien at 216-375-2890

Historical visual displays on the men and women of 1916
"Easter 1916 through Song and Story," a musical drama set in Dublin at Easter 1916
Dinner catered by the McDonough Brigade

Guest Speaker – (to be announced) thought provoking insights on the watershed event in Irish history.

Music by the New Barleycorn – the popular local duo deeply rooted in Ireland performing songs of Irish freedom and popular Irish songs with passion, vitality and humor

Tickets \$25 each - Reserved Tables of 8 - \$200

Steak Shoot to Resume Saturday, April 16, 2016 Time: 7:30 p.m.

SAVE THE DATE
Fashion Show
and
Luncheon
Sunday, April 24, 2016

\$20.00

For more information contact Maureen Rice, 440-366-5748

Stephen L. Mulloy Sr. 8th Annual Reverse Raffle Friday, May 27, 2016

**Grand Prize \$2000.00 Music by The Portersharks** 

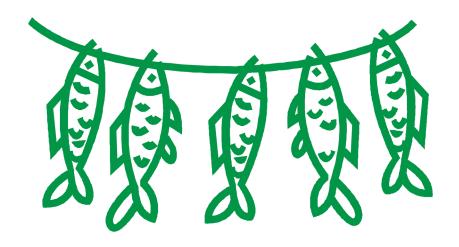
PRIME RIB DINNER

Refreshments – Sideboards

Doors open 6:30 pm - Dinner 7:30 pm

Donation \$50.00 Dinner Only \$25.00

Info or Tickets: Tim Sheehan – (216) 970-8296; Brendan Mulloy (216) 262-6496; Tom Mulloy (216) 533-2203



# O'Malley Catering Presents

# **Lenten Fish Fries**

At the West Side Irish-American Club 8559 Jennings Road Olmsted Township, OH 44138

Starting February 12, 2016 Every Friday Ending Good Friday, March 25, 2016 5:00-7:30 PM

Come join us for the best fish fry on the west side!
Go to <a href="www.omalleycatering.com">www.omalleycatering.com</a>, click on our Event tab, click the Friday of your choice to view our weekly seafood special!



# The Travel Connection Presents... West Side Irish American Club Tour of Ireland June 12, 2016 - Jun 23, 2016

Land & RT Air Price: \$3350 per person, based on twin occupancy

Single Room Supplement: \$450 Air provided by: The

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Air departure tax, fuel and surcharges are subject to change until entire group is confirmed and ticketed.

Only a \$250 deposit required to hold your place for this tour. Call today!

# Tour Includes:

- Exclusive transport by luxury motorcoach with a driver/ guide
- Meet and greet service with one group transfer upon arrival and departure at the airport
- Hotel accommodation based on twin bedded rooms with private bath for 10 nights
- Full breakfasts (11) including breakfast upon arrival at the Inn at Dromoland
- Lunch at Leo's Tavern
- Dinners (9):

Table d'hôte dinners (6) Kate Kearney's Cottage with Irish Night Merry Ploughboy Pub traditional Irish show Medieval banquet at Bunratty Castle

Tour of Dublin with a local guide

- Guided walking tour of Derry
- Visits and admission fees to:

King John's Castle
Cobh Heritage Centre
English Market
Rock of Cashel
Guinness Storehouse
Glasnevin Museum (in-depth tour)
Kilmainham Jail
Ulster American Folk Park
Triona Designs
Drumcliffe Churchyard
Knock Shrine
Cliffs of Moher

- Hotel porterage, service charges and government taxes
- Flight bags, ticket wallets, baggage tags and identifying strap

# For more information Contact: Marge Flynn

The Travel Connection 199 South Chillicothe Road Aurora, OH 44202 Tel: (330) 562-3178

Email: tlmflynn@yahoo.com

This tour is subject to CIE Tours' booking guidelines and cancellation penalties. Refer to General Conditions on website (cietours.com) or back cover of current brochure CST# 2021285-20.

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# Learn the Social Dances of Ireland Come for fun, culture, & exercise No experience or partner needed. 2016 CEILI DANCING 7:00-9:00 PM at the WSIA CLUB March 3, 31 ~ April 7, 14, 28 May 5, 12 ~ June 2, 9 \*\*No classes on I-A Meeting Nights\*\* Maire Manning, TCRG / An Coimisiun le Rinci Gaelacha. For more information call: 216.456.5395 Cost is \$10 per month

Cleveland Ceili Club

Start celebrating St. Patrick's Day with set dancing lessons every Tuesday from 8-10 pm at St. Clarence and ceili dancing lessons on Thursdays, March 3rd and 31st from 7-9 pm here at the WSIA. Great exercise and great fun! The Cleveland Ceili Club promotes the musical traditions of Ireland by providing opportunities for adults to enjoy traditional Irish music and dance. Come join us!

For more information on future events contact:

CeiliClubCleveland@gmail.com
or find us on Facebook



Reclaiming the day through the best in Irish music, culture and entertainment in a family-friendly alcohol free celebration.

> Thursday, March 17, 2015 - 5 pm - 8 pm Ahern's Banquet Center 726 Avon Belden Road, Avon Lake, OH 44012

\$20 per person - \$15 for students and seniors - \$5 for kids 10 & under buy tickets here; sober17th.brownpapertickets.com

Hearty hors d'oeuvres, coffee, tea, and soft drinks

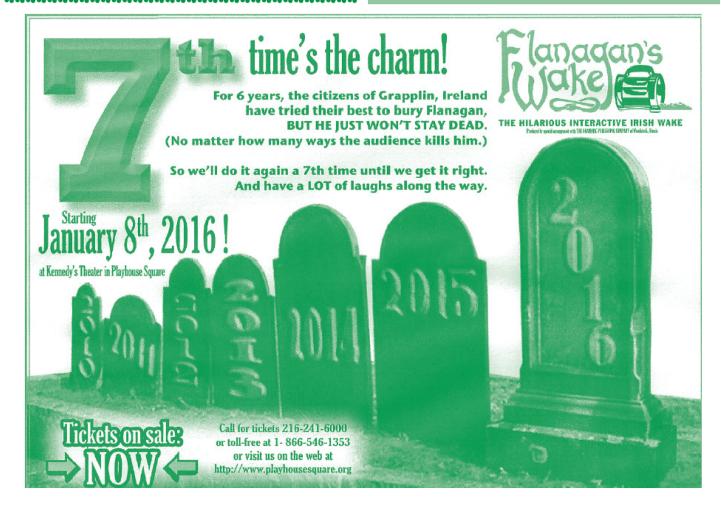
# PERFORMANCES BY:







Mary Agnes Kennedy The Brady-Campbell School of Irish Dance The St. Ignatius Circus Company



# **BULLETIN DEADLINE**

# The deadline for the APRIL bulletin is SATURDAY, MARCH 12th.

To ensure that the bulletin is mailed on-time, there are no exceptions to the deadline. Please EMAIL copy ready (Word or Publisher file preferred) information by the deadline to BULLETIN@WSIA-CLUB.ORG. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

# ~ ~ ADVERTISE ~ ~

If you would like to advertise your services or products on the back pages of the WSIA bulletin, *call Dianne Luther at 440-360-7151* for Prices and Sizes Available. To Advertise using a Flyer you supply to us, the charge is: Full Page-\$150.00 ~ 1/2 Page-\$100.00. We Do Not Print Political Flyers.

# **GOOD & WELFARE**

When a member is sick or there is a death in the family, Mary Flannery, Good & Welfare Chairperson, tries to send a card from the Club. If you know of a member who should be receiving a card, please call her at (216) 403-3637 or send an e-mail to MBFlannery@hotmail.com.

# GET INVOLVED: SUPPORT YOUR CLUB: VOLUNTEERS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED!

Entertainment Committee—Helen Malloy, 216-251-4075
Tuesday Maintenance—John O'Brien, 440-331-4233
McDonough's Brigade—Kevin McDonough, 216-226-8994
Bartending—Mary Cunningham, 440-725-0461
Cleaning Teams—Kathleen Egan, 440-327-8196
Library—Midge Gannon, 440-686-0690
I.A Store—Linda Clark, 440-236-3165
Pipe Band — Nicole Hulec, nicki.hulec@gmail.com



## TUNE IN TO IRISH RADIO

WKTL FM 90.7 - Johnson Bros. Irish Hour, <u>Saturday 10 - 11 AM</u>
WCBS FM 89.3 - Sweeney Astray with Bill Kennedy, <u>Sunday 7 - 9 AM</u>
WHK AM 1420 - Jerry Quinn's Irish Hours, <u>Sunday 10 AM - Noon</u>
WCWA AM 1230 - Echoes of Ireland with John Connolly, <u>Sunday 1 - 3 PM</u>
WCPN FM 90.3 - Songs of Britain & Ireland, Joe Nichols & Kevin McGinty, <u>Sunday, 4 - 5 PM</u>
WRUW FM 91.1 - Beyond the Pale with Roger Weist, <u>Sunday 4 - 6 PM</u>

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Find us on Facebook: West Side Irish American Club

To be added to our e-mail list and receive updates on Club events, please email your name and membership number to INFO@WSIA-CLUB.ORG.

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The Board of Trustees would like remind members and guests that the selling of raffle tickets, event tickets, fundraising items, and any other items not related to a Club sponsored event or raffle is strictly prohibited. We have had a long-standing policy against this. Thank you for your cooperation.

**GERRY LAVELLE 300 CLUB:** There was no drawing at the January meeting, because all the tickets had not been paid for yet. There will be two drawings at the February meeting, and the results will be published in the April bulletin.

<u>50/50 DRAWING:</u> Bridie Joyce won \$275.00 in the January drawing. The bulletin went to press prior to the February drawing. Results will be published n the April bulletin.

## **MEMBERSHIP DRAWING**

The **January** membership drawing *would have been won* by **David Welsh** of **North Olmsted**. However, David was not present at the meeting. The February drawing will be worth \$1,500.00, and the result will be published in the April bulletin.

Remember you must register & be present to win.

Let us all be mindful that the richness of our Irish heritage can only be preserved by fostering a family friendly environment in the club and pub. If our (or our guest's) actions, language, and apparel are not appropriate for our own families, then they are also not appropriate in the presence of our extended family of members and guests at the club.

## **Carry your 2016 Membership Card with You!!**

You must be a current member to attend the General Meeting; please have your membership card with you.

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