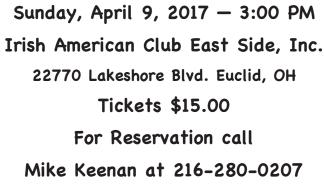


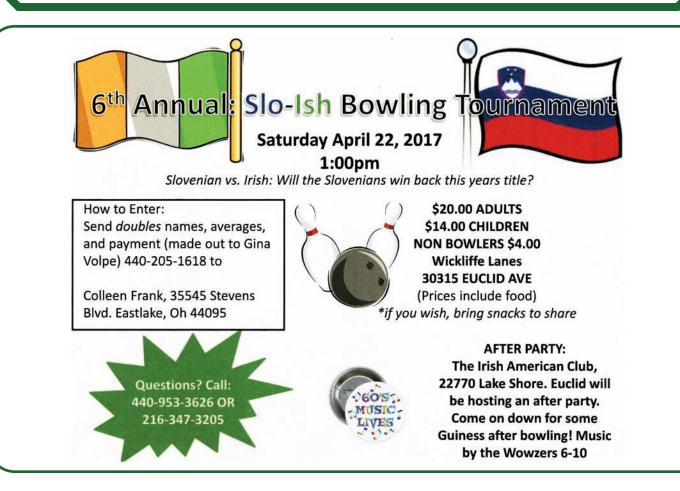
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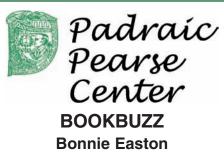
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# Parade Awards Banquet



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The new month brings some good reading choices that I hope you will enjoy.

**Days Without End:** A Novel by Sebastian Barry is the love story of Irish immigrants John Cole and Thomas McNulty as they travel through the United States. In this historical novel, they join the army and fight Indians out West, join the Union Army during the Civil War, spend time in Andersonville Prison Camp, and informally adopt an Indian daughter. Barry draws pictures in words of the beautiful American landscape against the carnage of war.

Lydia Peelle's debut novel *The Midnight Cool: A Novel* is the story of an Irish immigrant, Billy Monday, and his young friend, Charles McLaughlin. They are grifters in Tennessee who are selling mules to the British Expeditionary Force in 1916. The con men are swindled themselves when they buy a killer horse named Midnight Cool that cannot be tamed. Of course, there is a love story with Charlie falling in love with the beautiful daughter of the landowner who sold them the horse.

In *Nine Folds Make a Paper Swan*, author Ruth Gilligan ties together three stories from three different time periods to tell the story of the Jewish community in Ireland. The first is the story of a Lithuanian family bound for the United States in the early 1900s, but they land in Ireland instead. The second relates the story of a traumatized mute boy in a mental institution in 1958 who befriends his roommate, a Jewish war hero. The third story takes place in present day as a young journalist who wants to marry her Jewish boyfriend must consider his ultimatum: first she must convert to his religion.

Asking for It by Louise O'Neill tells the story of 18 year-old Emma who is on the verge of taking on the world when she attends a party in her small Irish town. Emma takes a pill local boys give her and then can't remember the evens of the evening, but the internet is blasting pictures that the whole town sees, leaving the boys charged with rape and Emma's reputation and psyche in ruins. *Recommended by the publisher for ages 12 and over*.

Happy Reading!

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For more reading suggestions, check out www.padraicpearsecenter.weebly.com under Talking about Books.

## PADRAIC PEARSE CENTER IS ON FACEBOOK

Check out the new Padraic Pearse Center Facebook Page at <u>http://facebook.com/padraicpearsecenter</u> and click on LIKE to follow our 2017 upcoming events, photos and more fun stuff!

#### PADRAIC PEARSE BOOK DISCUSSION

Our group has enjoyed many wonderful discussions in the last few months. All we are missing is you.

Please join us at 7:15 pm on Friday, April 21 in the board room for a discussion of *Little Red Chairs: A Novel* by noted Irish author Edna O'Brien. A stranger arrives in a small Irish village and convinces the town that he is a healer and sex therapist from Eastern Europe. Vlad is charismatic and pulls the locals under his spell. A young married woman falls in love with him and begs him to give her the child that her husband cannot. He is exposed as a war criminal from Serbia where he committed atrocities during the Siege of Sarajevo. Fidelma is disgraced when her husband leaves her, so she flees to England, but she finds her courage to confront Vlad at The Hague where he is tried for war crimes.

All of you are welcome to join us in the coming months. Our meeting schedule is:

May 19: *Summer Before the War: A Novel* by Helen Simonson

June 16: *Secrets of Roscarbury Hall: A Novel* by Ann O'Laughlin

July 21: *Leaving Lucy Pear: A Novel* by Anna Solomon

August 18: *Wonder* by Emma Donoghue

September 16: *Valiant Gentlemen: A Novel* by Sabina Murray

Check out <u>www.padraicpearsecenter.weebly.com/talk-ing-about-books.html</u> for the current schedule of the Padraic Pearse Book Discussion.

#### ONCE AGAIN IT'S TIME FOR "STEAK SHOOT"! Pat Dowd

We begin our ninth series of "Steak Shoots" - the fun game that has everyone coming back for more - at 7:30 pm on Thursday, April 20!

What a fun time so many people have had playing this simple game and socializing with many new and old friends and acquaintances. And all the while, lots of delicious steaks are won by many lucky people.

We'll also start a new "Holiday Cash" jackpot again which means in addition to building up this jackpot, you'll also be eligible to win the monthly cash drawings if you purchase at least one ticket for a dollar.

Cost for 1 "rack" of 3 cards is only \$8 and you play 24 games plus the bonus rounds with that rack. You're welcome to purchase additional racks or exchange your racks at the end of every set of four games.

Get your group together or come alone – you'll be glad you did, especially if you're a winner of those great steaks!

## "RUN FOR THE ROSES" LADIES LUNCHEON & RAFFLE

#### Pat Dowd

Once again, before the tickets were even printed, women of all ages were clamoring for them! While our Main Board tickets are completely **sold out**, the committee has made available **Luncheon Tickets** for those who didn't get their tickets reserved early.

This year's event, "Run for the Roses" will take place on **Sunday afternoon, April 30**. Doors will open at 1 pm, luncheon at 2 pm, and all of the raffles and drawings will follow at 3 pm. So ladies, plan on spending the entire afternoon with us, relaxing and enjoying the day out, but also plan on being a winner, because we will have many. The committee has a great day planned for you!

In addition to your main board ticket and a chance to win \$1500, you'll also have an opportunity to purchase side board tickets, silent auction tickets, and tickets for a special drawing just for this year's event.

We'll have two specialty drinks flowing from the lighted fountains- the ever-popular "Mimosa" and this year's featured drink – "The Derby Delight". There will also be a selection of wines and mixed drinks available at the open bar.

Our photographers will be happy to take your picture, or one with your group, as you enter the Winner's Circle! And don't forget, even though **hats are optional**, we will have special prizes for the prettiest, most creative, and most unusual hats of the day.

Main board tickets are \$40 and include your main board raffle ticket, delicious luncheon, and open bar. Luncheon Only tickets are \$25 and include everything but the main board raffle. Whether you come with a group, with a friend, or by yourself, we promise you an enjoyable day.

Yes, it's going to be a fantastic afternoon to remember, so if you don't have your tickets yet, call Pat Dowd at 440-429-5151 for tickets.

The Padraic Pearse committee can't wait to see you and help you have a memorable time, but don't wait to get your Luncheon tickets –sellouts are the norm for the ladies!

## ENTERTAINMENT APRIL 7 - POP THE CORK (6:30) APRIL 14 - FLASHBAXX (7:30) APRIL 28 - BALLINLOCH (7:30)

## HE SAID....SHE SAID....

By Rosemary Nugent and the Membership

What is a birthday? It's a time to celebrate the year gone by and to look forward to the year ahead. This April we have many forward-looking friends who will celebrate. May your dreams be big and your worries small and may you have the best birthdays of all!

Before we move into April we send belated birthday wishes to good sport, **Jimmy Hanratty** who celebrated March 10.

**Karoline Ferencak** will be foolin' around on April 1. **Kevin McCluskey** celebrates a presidential birthday on April 3. Any volunteers to cook him dinner? See Kevin for the sign-up sheet.

Ron McGill's daughter, **Lindsay**, will don the party hat April 4. We wish her a year of sunshine and rainbows.

Here's hoping **Bridget Caffrey Piotrowski** has a popping good time on April 6, as it's also National Caramel Popcorn Day.

We wish **Sean Fitzgerald** a happy birthday on April 15. Clearly it won't be taxing since this year's deadline for filing is Tuesday, April 18. We wish him a little green in his wallet for a nice piece of cake, before the government takes a big slice of it.

Kelly Pingstock's daughter **Michaella** will have nine fine candles on her cake this April 17, which is also her parents' seventh wedding anniversary.

As we noted, April 18 is time to pay the piper. Celebrating another year around the sun are **Sue Guzik** and **Erin Homan**, who turns 26. These ladies share their birthdays with boxer Johnny Kilbane so we are certain their days will be knockouts!

Wait, there's a word for it: dodranscentennial and **Judy Sullivan** will be celebrating it on April 25. Happy 75th birthday, Judy! **John Homan** will celebrate the last year of his twentieth decade on April 26.

Line up, shoulders back, arms straight, eyes forward and you'll surely spot the cake and ice cream as **Heather O'Brien** marches into another year on April 28.

We send 10 big birthday wishes to Liam Piotrowski on his special day, April 29.

*Marry in April if you can, joy for maiden and for man*...**Erica and Matt Drew** will celebrate their 11th anniversary on April 22. Happy Anniversary to **Erin and JJ Behm** who are celebrating one year of splendid blended married life with three amazing children on April 30. **Sue and Bruce McGill** will celebrate their red-letter day (Ruby is the symbol for a 40th anniversary) on April 30.

No more books and studies, she can stay out late with her buddies... Sharon Spinks retired from the Shaker Heights City School District and will now administer her hobbies and study her precious grandchildren.

And besides birthdays, remember we have other fish to fry—every Friday, in fact, until April 14. Dinner is served between 5:30-7:30 pm with live music at 7 pm.

To have your important events included in this column, please jot them down on the flyers found on the tables at the membership meetings or email me at barbcomiskey@gmail.com.

#### Membership Has Its Privileges By Linda Walsh

YOUR vote counts! Vote on action at the monthly membership meetings. You must sign the attendance sheet to earn credit. Please don't sign in for anyone but yourself.

If you attend three meetings between July and May, you can vote in the June election for Board members.

Card carrying members pay the member price for Club events.

Receive our monthly newsletter, The Schanachie, delivered to your home.

New members will receive a Club Pin and a copy of our bylaws by attending a membership meeting.

There were 138 members signed in at the March meeting.

If you paid your dues, but are not receiving The Schanachie, contact Membership Secretary, Linda Walsh. The Schanachie is available online on the Club website (eastsideirish.org) and on our Facebook page (IACES).

If you have a child 18 years of age who has come off your Family Membership, we have a membership rate of \$20 per year until s/he reaches age 21.

New members this month: Jennifer & Anthony Cook

Heather and Dr. Patrick	Regina Matthews
O'Brien	Elizabeth & Steve Guyton
Kelly Quinn	Julia Breslin & Graton Nunes
Nicole & Dell Allen	Kim Goldsberry
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#### Note from the Editor

All articles must be submitted to me by e-mail at: schanachie@gmail.com

They can be typed in Word and do not have to have any limit on the width. No spaces before new paragraphs, no returns at the end of each line and if you use tabs do not use multiple tabs. The printer will fix the tabs. Pictures must be jpeg (jpg). Send to me as an attachment in your e-mail. Staff meet Wednesday, April 12 for proofreading at 7 pm Thank you in advance, Ann Turk.

#### **HEADLINES and DEADLINES**

If you would like to submit an article for the Schanachie, the deadline for the May issue is April 3. You mav continue to send your articles Club you may email them to the or to Schanachie@gmail.com. Submission time is not the only criteria for inclusion and we reserve the right to edit due to content and space. If you have any questions call Ann at 440-943-3088 or Kevin McCluskey at 216-956-2653.

#### Monthly Membership Meetings

Members last names beginning with the following letters please bring a dessert for that month's meeting. Any questions please call Dolly Luskin at 216-261-0967.

Month	Letter	Month	Letter
JANUARY	A & B	JULY	N & O
FEBRUARY	C & D	AUGUST	P, Q & R
MAR.	E & F	SEPTEMBER	S
APRIL	G, H & I	OCTOBER	T, U & V
MAY	J, K & L	NOVEMBER	W, X, Y & Z
JUNE	М	DECEMBER	All Members

Keep up to date with weekly email blasts from the **IACES**!

Do you know that the **IACES** sends out weekly email blasts with information on upcoming events at the **IACES**, Padraic Pearse and the greater Irish community? If you would like your email address added to this list, please contact Sarah Dirk at <u>obriendirk@gmail.com</u> or 216-337-9004

#### **Cleveland Ceili Club – IACES**

Happy Spring!

Join us for FREE dance lessons every Wednesday evening 7-9 pm downstairs

Mark your calendar: Spring Ceili on Friday, April 21<sup>st</sup> Traditional Music by the Portersharks

For more info contact us

CeiliClubCleveland@gmail.com Or look for Cleveland Ceili Club on Facebook!

### "In Memoriam" Plaque

In the lower hall there is an "In Memoriam" Plaque with the names of deceased members of the Club listed. If you have a friend or loved one that was a member of the Club and has passed away and you would like their name to be included on this Plaque, you can send their name and a check for \$50.00 made out to the Irish American Club or you can contact Jean Walsh at 440-942-3207

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Sunday	6 PM- 11 PM	
Closing time at the Pub is at the bartender's discretion		

#### SUNSHINE CLUB

If you know of a member who is sick or if there has been a death in the family, Mary Kay Malone, Chairperson of the Sunshine Club, will try and send a card on behalf of the Club. You can contact Mary Kay at 216-337-4356 or send her an e-mail mkm1159@yahoo.com with the member's information

## TICKET POLICY

Tickets for any event at the Irish American Club East Side can be obtained by phone or mail. When mailing your ticket request, please be sure to include a self-addressed, stamped envelope and a check made payable to: Irish American Club East Side. If you pre-order a dinner for an event and do not show up or you do not cancel within 48 hours of the dinner, you will be billed by the Club for the price of the meal

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#### **Club Rental Information**

The Irish American Club is available for rentals of all sizes. We can accommodate showers, graduations, banquets, receptions of all kinds, and of course, weddings. We have two facilities available, the upper hall for larger parties and the Phil Walsh Cabaret room for smaller parties. Koumbaros is the exclusive caterer for the upper hall. If you wish to rent the lower hall you may bring in your own homemade food but you also have the option of using our club caterer. To reserve either the upper hall or the Phil Walsh Cabaret room, please call Rick Eberhard, 216-338-3774 or Joe Capuozzo, 216-376-0599.

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#### <u>Sunday</u>

7am - 9am: Sweeney Astray WCBS FM 89.3 & on wesb.org

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1pm - 3 pm: Echoes of Erin WCWA AM 1230 w/John Connolly

6pm - 7 pm: Song of Britain & Ireland WCPN FM 90.3 w/Joe Nichols & Kevin McGinty

4pm - 6pm: Beyond the Pale WRUW FM 91.1 w/Roger Weist

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