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## 2023 Member of the Year

John Joseph Ambrose Murphy was born on a warm day in September 1952. He is the third of six children born to John and Mary Jane. His siblings include Michael, Mary, Patrick, Helen, and Bridget. The family lived on East 172nd Street and Jack was baptized at St. Joseph Church in Collinwood.

In 1955, the family moved to East 211th Street in Euclid. Jack was a Holy Cross Falcon followed by a Viking at St. Joseph High School, graduating in 1970. After graduation, Jack entered the work force following his dad and older brother into the factory, Pressure Castings. Jack worked there for a few years until the opportunity arose for him to test and become a deckhand on an iron ore boat that traveled the Great Lakes.

Jack was "off" during the winter months where he was able to hone his bartending skills at area watering holes, including the Irish American Club. After painstakingly saving his money, Jack was able to purchase Tradewinds Lounge in 1983.

Jack has been an active member in the Irish American Club East Side since its inception and is charter member #131. He advertises monthly in *The Schanachie* as a corporate sponsor and supports all events

the Club hosts. He has also sponsored several Thirsty Thursdays and is famous for riding his bike every Thursday from East 200th Street to the Club for those Thirsty Thursdays. One of his favorite things to do here at the Club is serve up the carrots at the annual corned beef and cabbage dinner.

In case you did not know Jack loves gambling. He is known for his catch phrase of "just plain #" at many of our reverse raffles he has called for the Club.

Jack has made a home and shared his life with Pamela Anderson for the past 25 years. He is the favorite uncle to 10 nieces and nephews, even though there are countless other people who affectionately call him "Uncle Jack".

Jack has always been willing to donate to any type of raffle and has been known to win "a few". His contagious laugh and generous heart exemplify the true Irish spirit. The Irish American Club East Side is proud to recognize Jack Murphy as its 2023 Member of the Year.















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### **BOOK BUZZ**

Bonnie Easton

Here are a few selections for winter reading. The three new fiction choices center on strong women and their family relationships.

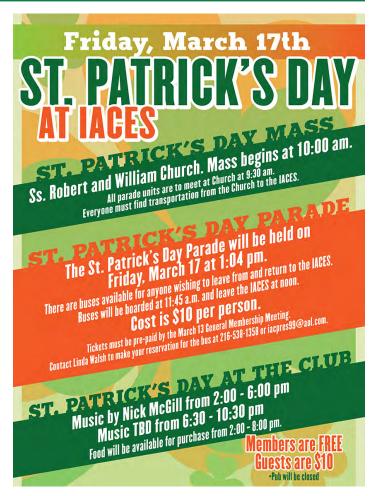
The Queen of Dirt Island by Donal Ryan is a tale of three generations of women in Tipperary. Saoirse is the daughter of a single mother whose husband died a few days after their daughter's birth. Her paternal grandmother lives nearby. The three of them share a strong bond of love. Saoirse's life is complicated by the connections her uncles have to the IRA, but her unexpected pregnancy at the age of 16 tests the bonds of family of these three women.

The Making of Her by Bernadette Jiwa starts with the marriage of Joan Quinn to Martin Egan in 1965 Dublin. On the surface, their life seems perfect. They have a daughter named Carmel. But they have a long-kept secret. Before their marriage when they were still teenagers, they gave a daughter up for adoption. In 1996, Joan and Martin are surprised by a visit from her who now needs their help in a matter of life and death. The family's secret begins to unravel.

Carlene O'Connor offers the first in her new County Kerry cozy mystery series, *No Strangers Here*. The first case for DI Cormac O'Brien is the murder of a wealthy racehorse owner, Johnny O'Reilly, in the small, picturesque town of Dingle. His body is found staged on the beach with black stones spelling out the words Last Dance, the name of a promising colt killed 27 years earlier. He was poisoned with a toxic veterinary medication. Clues point to a local veterinarian, Dr. Wilde. His daughter, also a vet, rushes to the village to help clear her father's name.

To switch to different genre, *A Guest at the Feast* is a new collection of essays by bestselling fiction author, Colm Toibin (*Brooklyn*). The three topics covered are personal essays, the power of the Catholic Church and the papacy, and literary essays. He discusses his own experience with treatment for his case of testicular cancer, his attendance at Catholic boarding school in the 1960s where he was taught by priests who were later convicted of sexual abuse, and discussions of the works of classic authors.

More reading suggestions can be found at PadraicPearseCenter.weebly.com and on the Padraic Pearse Facebook Page. Happy Reading!



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

Donna Baioni and The Membership

Happy February birthday to friends **Bill Dodd** and **Cormac Joyce**, February 2; **Owen Piotrowski**, turns 13 on February 3; **Joe Capuozzo**, February 10; **Reilly Gallagher**, February 11; **Cindy Preto**, February 13; **John Vura**, **Jimmy Peppard**, February 14; happy 80th birthday to **Ann Turk**, also on February 14; **Crystal Cosgriff**, February 18; **Rosemary Nugent**, February 20; **Colin Hatcher**, February 22; **Erin Ryant** turns 18 on February 26.

Happy 52nd wedding anniversary to **Michael & Jean Murphy** on February 3; **Tom & Margie Drew** were married on February 13; and **Johannah & Alex McMahon** celebrate their first anniversary February 22.

Nora Corrigan, Sheila Byrne, their daughters, plus Glammy Mary Joyce went to Disney on Ice. Their review - it was awesome.

Our condolences to **Lois & Michael Cellura**, on the passing of **Coletta McNamara**, who was a former longtime member of the club. Condolences also to **Maureen Conway Reich** on the death of her father, **Vincent Conway**.

Get well wishes to Marge Gross.

Congratulations to **Pat Dowd**, selected as a member of the 2023 Class of Inductees by the Cleveland International Hall of Fame. The CIHF has inducted people who have made significant and lasting contributions to our multicultural society. Induction dinner and ceremony will be held Tuesday, April 18, 2023, at Windows on the River.

To have your important events included in this column, please write them on the flyers found on the tables at the membership meetings, or call Ann Turk at 440.943.3088, or email schanachie@gmail.com.



Congratulations to one of our very own. Charter Member, **Michael F. Coyne (Mickey),** has been selected as Grand Marshal of the 2023 Cleveland St. Patrick's Day Parade!

## IRISH AMERICAN CLUB EAST SIDE, INC.

# 2023 St. Patrick's Season Schedule of Events

The Executive Board of the Irish American Club East Side wishes you and your families a wonderful and safe St. Patrick's Day season. We invite you to enjoy your Club and the quality events that we've planned. Every member is welcome to march in the St. Patrick's Day Parade. Please remember to carry your membership card with you at all times. Contact Membership Secretary, Bree Gurry, for membership information and cards. Cash will be accepted for food and drink purchases.

## **FEBRUARY**

## Sunday, February 12

Super Bowl Party in the Pub. Bring your own food.

## Monday, February 13

General Membership Meeting – Upper Hall

Doors open at 6 pm, meeting begins at 7:30 pm.

Club store will be open.

Cash bar.

## Sunday, February 26

Kick Off to St. Patrick's Day – Cabaret Room

Doors open at 4:30 pm. \$5/members; \$10/guests Tickets sold at the door.

Music by *No Strangers Here* from 5 − 8 pm

Cash bar.

## MARCH

## Friday, March 3

#### Lenten Fish Fry – Upper Hall

Perch, baked cod, beer battered cod, and shrimp dinners with french fries, Macaroni and cheese, cole slaw, and dessert. Options include a beer battered fish sandwich with fries for \$8 or a weekly special.

\$15/adults; \$8/children

Dinner will be served from 5:30 - 7:30 pm

Music by *Ballinloch* from 5:30-9 pm.

Cash bar. Pub is closed.

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## MARCH

## Sunday, March 5

#### Corned Beef and Cabbage Dinner – Upper Hall

Doors open at 12:30 pm with dinner served from 1-5 pm.

\$15/adults; \$8/children

Admittance only with dinner reservation.

#### Reservations must be made and paid by Wednesday, March 1.

For reservations, contact Ticket Chairwomen: Sue McGill at 216-386-2194 or wahoosmc@aol.com or

Mary Jo Gurry at 216-375-5468 or maryjogurry@gmail.com.

IACES units and Irish dance schools will perform throughout the day.

No food or beverages may be brought into the club.

Music by *Crawley and Sofranko* downstairs from 6 - 9:30 pm.

Cash bar.

## Friday, March 10

#### Lenten Fish Fry – Upper Hall

Perch, baked cod, beer battered cod, and shrimp dinners with french fries, Macaroni and cheese, cole slaw, and dessert. Options include a beer battered fish sandwich with fries for \$8 or a weekly special.

\$15/adults; \$8/children

Dinner will be served from 5:30 - 7:30 pm.

Music TBD

Cash bar. Pub is closed.

## Saturday, March 11

#### Harp & Guinness Night – Upper Hall

Doors Open at 7 pm Music 8 – 11 pm.

\$15/members; \$18/guests

#### Reservations needed if reserving a table.

For reservations, contact Ticket Chairwomen: Sue McGill at 216-386-2194 or wahoosmc@aol.com or Mary Jo Gurry at 216-375-5468 or maryjogurry@gmail.com.

Music by *The Fenians* 

Bring your own snacks.

Cash bar. Pub is closed.

## Sunday, March 12

#### Family Day – Upper Hall

#### This is a members only event.

Doors open at 1 pm. Entertainment by *Nick McGill* 1-5 pm.

\$5/adults: children are free. Tickets sold at the door.

NO reserved tables.

IACES units and Irish dance schools will perform throughout the day.

Family-priced food will be available for purchase. No food or beverages may be brought into the Club.

Snacks for children permitted.

Music by *Ballinloch* from 5:30-9 pm.

Cash bar.

## MARCH

## Monday, March 13

#### General Membership Meeting – Upper Hall

Doors open at 5:30 pm, meeting begins at 7:30 pm.

IACES units and Irish dance schools will begin performing at 6:30 pm.

Food will be available for purchase from 5:30 -7:30 pm.

Cash bar.

## **Tuesday, March 14**

#### Music by Screaming Orphans

Doors open at 7 pm, music at 8 pm \$20/members, \$25/guests
Cash bar

## Thursday, March 16

#### Irish Coffee Night – Upper Hall

Ladies Drill Team will perform

Doors open at 6 pm, music begins at 7 pm.

\$10/members, \$13/guests.

#### Reservations needed if reserving a table.

For reservations, contact Ticket Chairwomen: Sue McGill at 216-386-2194 or wahoosmc@aol.com or Mary Jo Gurry at 216-375-5468 or maryjogurry@gmail.com.

Music by The New Barleycorn

Food available for purchase.

Cash bar. Pub is closed.

## Friday, March 17 - Happy St. Patrick's Day!



#### St. Patrick's Day Mass

Mass begins at 10 am at Ss. Robert and William Church, East 260th Street. All parade units are to meet at Church at 9:30 am. Everyone must find transportation from the Church to the IACES.



#### Buses to the Parade

The St. Patrick's Day Parade will kick off at 1:04 pm. There are buses available for anyone wishing to leave from and return to the IACES. Buses will be boarded at 11:45 a.m. and leave the IACES at noon. Cost is \$10 per person. Tickets must be paid by the March 13 General Membership Meeting. Contact Linda Walsh to make your reservation for the bus at 216-538-1358 or iacpres99@aol.com.



#### St. Patrick's Day at the IACES

Music by *Nick McGill* from 2 - 6 pm.

Music TBD from 6:30 - 10:30 pm.

No charge for members. \$10/guests.

Food will be available for purchase from 2 - 8 pm.

Pub is closed.

#### St. Patrick's Day Raffle \$5,000 grand prize drawing

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## **General Information**

There will be no saving or holding of tables. If you leave the IACES, please take your belongings with you. The IACES is not responsible for items. No coolers or beverages of any kind may be brought into the IACES. All beverages must be purchased at the IACES.

The Pub will observe normal hours during the St. Patrick's Day Season. The Pub will be closed for Fish Fries, Irish Coffee Night, and St. Patrick's Day.

#### Fish Fries continued...

## Friday, March 24

#### Lenten Fish Fry – Upper Hall

Perch, baked cod, beer battered cod, and shrimp dinners with french fries, Macaroni and cheese, cole slaw, and dessert. Options include a beer battered fish sandwich with fries for \$8 or a weekly special.

\$15/adults; \$8/children

Dinner will be served from 5:30 - 7:30 pm.

Music TBD

Cash bar. Pub is closed.

## Friday, March 31

#### **Lenten Fish Fry** – Upper Hall

Perch, baked cod, beer battered cod, and shrimp dinners with french fries, Macaroni and cheese, cole slaw, and dessert. Options include a beer battered fish sandwich with fries for \$8 or a weekly special.

\$15/adults; \$8/children

Dinner will be served from 5:30 - 7:30 pm.

Music TBD

Cash bar. Pub is closed.

## **APRIL**

## Friday, April 7

#### Lenten Fish Fry – Upper Hall

Perch, baked cod, beer battered cod, and shrimp dinners with french fries, Macaroni and cheese, cole slaw, and dessert. Options include a beer battered fish sandwich with fries for \$8 or a weekly special.

\$15/adults; \$8/children

Dinner will be served from 5:30 - 7:30 pm.

Music TBD

Cash bar. Pub is closed.

## **Membership Has Its Privileges**

There were 139 members signed in at the Jan. 9 meeting.

If you paid your dues, but are not receiving *The Schanachie*, contact Membership Secretary, Bree Gurry 216.375.5469. *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.

Welcome New Members: Mack Flynn, Patrick Hartory, Peter & Brittainy Quinn.



## January MONTHLY DRAWING

Member John Wacther #6599 was present at the January 9 membership meeting and did win \$441. Attend the February 13 meeting for a chance to WIN \$231.

#### Club Rental Information

The Irish American Club East Side is available for gatherings of all sizes. We can host your party, shower, luncheon, wedding, banquet, or fundraiser. The upper hall can accommodate up to 500 people depending on setup. The lower level Phil Walsh Cabaret Room can seat up to 130 guests. If you wish to rent the Phil Walsh Cabaret Room you may bring in your own food or you have the option of using one of our club caterers. To reserve either the upper hall or the Phil Walsh Cabaret Room, contact Mary McCluskey at 216.978.4926, Linnea Meaney at 216.870.9404 or Eileen Laffey at 216.287.2094.

## **HEADLINES and DEADLINES**

If you would like to submit an article for *The Schanachie*, the **deadline** for the **March** issue is **February 6**. You may continue to send your articles to the Club or you may email them 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 Turk at 440.943.3088 or Linda Walsh at 216.538.1358. Proofreading staff is working from home during the Covid-19 virus.

#### **Tune In To Irish Radio**

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WOBC FM 91.5 – All Things Irish, Tues, 6:00-8:00 PM (Oberlin) https://www.wobc.org/
WCBE FM 90.5 – Toss The Feathers, Sat, 4:00-6:00 PM (Columbus) https://www.wcbe.org

## **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 preorder 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. All seats for a reserved table must be paid in advance for it to be reserved. That also includes all dinners that are included with an event.

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Tickets for sold out events must be paid for by the Thursday prior to the event.

## **Monthly Membership Meetings**

Members are allowed to bring a dessert for the monthly meetings.

Month	Letter	Month	Letter
JANUARY	A & B	JULY	N & O
FEBRUARY	C & D	AUGUST	P, Q & R
MARCH	E & F	SEPTEMBER	S
APRIL	G, H & I	OCTOBER	T, U & V
MAY	J, K & L	NOVEMBER	W, X, Y & Z
JUNE	M	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 Joe Ward at 7254@outlook.com

## "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 made out to the Irish American Club or you can contact Jean Walsh at 440.942.3207.

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## **Pub Hours for Fall & Winter**

Monday CLOSED
Tuesday CLOSED
Wednesday 6 PM - 11 PM
Thursday 6 PM - 11 PM
Friday 6 PM - 11 PM
Saturday 6 PM - 11 PM
Sunday 1 PM - 11 PM

## **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.





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Pub Closed on New Years			1	Groundhog Day Thirsty Thursday in the Pub & Drill Team 6:30	3	4
5	Schanachie March Articles Due	7	8	Thirsty Thursday in the Pub	10	11
Super Bowl LVII	IACES  Meeting 7:30 pm & Cash Drawing	Manny Manual	Love	Thirsty Thursday in the Pub	17	18
19	President's Day A.O.H. & L.A.O.H. 7:30 pm	21	22	Thirsty Thursday in the Pub	24	25
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