

The Official Newsletter of the Irish-American Club of Tulsa



A Note from the IACT VP – John Dolan

Slainte to all our Irish American Club members. It's an exciting time to be Irish with great spring time events coming our way. We are starting with a Yeats Appreciation day February 25th which leads us right into the Tulsa IrishFest in March followed by our own St. Patricks Dinner Show in April. We had to change the date due to a scheduling conflict at the Hall so please note the new date of April 14. We hope to see all of you at each event! Don't forget to renew your membership!!

<u>Call for a New Treasurer</u> – as a reminder, our treasurer Rhonda Tyler had to resign. We are very grateful to Rhonda for the time that she was able to give the club but now we need to find a new treasurer. If you are interested or know of someone who may be able to take on this role, please let us know by email (IrishAC.Tulsa@gmail.com).

Upcoming Events:

Time to Renew Your Membership

Yes, it's that time again. We hope that you have all enjoyed the club this last year and will renew your membership for another year. The Tulsa IrishFest is offering free admission for IACT members with a small catch (see below). You can renew electronically on the website or mail in a check. Dues are still \$30 for a family and \$20 for an individual. Dues will be going up at the end of February so act quickly.

February – W.B Yeats, Irish Poet Appreciation Day

Date and Time:February 25 – Starting at 4 pmLocation:Coffee House on Cherry Street - Kilkenny's

This will be a day to learn about William Butler Yeats and his poetry. Yeats was an Irish poet, dramatist and writer, and one of the foremost figures of 20th-century literature. He was a driving force behind the Irish Literary Revival. We'll start at 4pm the Coffee House on Cherry Street with readings and then move to Kilkenny's for drinks and/or dinner.





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March – Tulsa IrishFest 2024

Date and Time:March 8-10 (for full schedule visit Tulsa Irish Fest)Location:River West Festival Park

IACT will have a 10' by 20' tent at the Festival to let us showcase our club and Irish Culture and Heritage. We will be looking for volunteers to help at the booth. Members of IACT will get free entry to the Festival for all three days, but you must be an active member with 2024 dues paid and volunteer for at least one time slot for either the IACT booth or with the Festival itself.

April – St. Patrick's Dinner Show

Date and Time:	April 14 th – times to follow
Location:	American Legion Hall – 11328 E Admiral.

We didn't want to overload everyone in March and want to encourage all our members to make it to IrishFest so we're having our St. Patrick's Dinner Show in April. Just another opportunity to enjoy live dancing and music. We plan to have dancers and live music and great food. We will also have our annual elections for Board Members. Interested? Let us know and we'll put you on the ballot.

IACT Board of Directors Meetings

Board Meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month at 6 pm. Location for the meetings is the American Legion Hall - 11328 E Admiral. All Board Meetings are open to the membership and guest unless an executive session is required. The next meeting is February 19, 2024.

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IRISH FUN

Have you heard of "Foil Arms and Hog"? They are an Irish comedy team that put out a short video every Thursday. You can follow them on Facebook to get the very latest video. You can also see them on YouTube - <u>Foil Arms and Hog - YouTube</u> Great comedy!! You can still see the compilation of the "Top Ten" skits of 2023.

Did you know that Spotify has an incredible library of Irish music. Try any Irish group you've ever heard of and enjoy.

