

March 2010 - Update

Hi all,

Hope you are all keeping well.

This is just a brief update between newsletters; we'll have a fuller newsletter at the end of March covering what happened over St Patrick's weekend. In this update we'll reveal this year's St Patrick's Day events and details on a visit from Mary Harney to the Irish Club.

For more, please read on

Rgds Dave Rynne

<u> Annual Picnic – Replacement – 7th March</u>

Instead of the cancelled Annual picnic, we're having a BBQ in the club this Sunday. If you'd like to bring a plate, it'd be much appreciated and the BBQ will be going all day. **Doors open from 1pm thru to 5pm**

If attending, please leave a message on 04-3848535 with names and numbers please.

Mary Harney Visit - 14th March

On Sunday 14th March, Mary Harney, Ireland's Minister for Health and former Tánaiste will be in Wellington to celebrate St Patrick's Day. She will be in the club from 6.30pm until 8.00pm so please come in and show her your support.

Saint Patrick's Day Golf - Wednesday 17th March

Te Marua Golf Club Shot Gun start 9 30 am Cost \$35 a player This includes a drink at the start, light meal, prizes, and a lucky draw. If interested in playing, can you contact Bernie early as he has to do the competition schedule.

Also if there are people who would like to sponsor this event can you please contact Bernie at your earliest convenience.

Phone Bernie Breslin on 5269835

St Patrick's Day Public Debate – Irish Club 21st March 07:30pm

The St Patrick's debate is back on again this year and John Whitty has agreed to take charge of the event.

We're hosting the event on the Sunday after St Patrick's Day at the club so make a date in your diary.

Topic is "Nobody loves like an Irishman"

We're looking for debaters and adjudicators so if you're interested in taking part please let us know at the club or drop us an email at wellingtonirishclub@gmail.com.

We've already enlisted Peter Dunne MP and Sue Moroney MP for the night so if you'd like to get involved, let us know. FREE ENTRY on the night.

There will also be a Trad Session downstairs all afternoon so feel free to drop in.

Subscriptions

Subscriptions are due on the April 1st, please use the enclosed form to renew your membership.

Committee Nomination Forms

Enclosed are nomination forms for the committee 2010-2011. Please note that they have to be returned to the club at PO Box 449, Wellington

First Friday Afternoon Tea's

This Friday 5th March is the next installment of the 1st Friday afternoon teas. Please join Colleen and the rest of the members to enjoy the afternoon and catch up on events.

That's all from this update at present

I look forward to talking to you again at the end of the month with a fuller update.

Rgds

Dave