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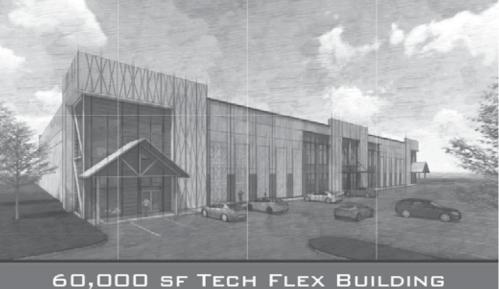




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EVENTS & ACTIVITIES • *Events and Activities subject to change

NEW! Carrie Furnace Tours

Our new location, The National Historic Landmark Carrie Blast Furnaces #6 & #7, opened in 1907 and taken offline in 1978, are extremely rare examples of pre-World War II ironmaking technology. The site is managed by the Rivers of Steel. For a small fee, Rivers of Steel will present mini tours of the site during the Festival. During the tour, you'll learn about the ironmaking process and the men and women who worked there. Many of the workers were of Irish origin or descent and played a large part in the development of the industry and the region. Visit their booth to register for a tour. Space is limited.

NEW! Rivers Of Steel Metal Arts

Blade Smith Jared Ondovchik, owner of Artifact Metalworks, will showcase various forging techniques during this year's Festival. Born in Western Pennsylvania, Ondovchik has honed his craft into a successful business, hand-making beautiful and functional knives for chefs, outdoorsmen, farmers, adventurers, home cooks, artisans and anyone who seeks a good-quality blade. *See the entertainment schedule page for demonstration times.

NEW! Five Farms Irish Cream Celtic Kitchen

Presented by Five Farms Irish Cream, watch both professional and amateur bakers and chefs demonstrate cooking and baking some delightful treats!
Celtic cooking is hearty, simple, and tasty – enjoy this hands-on look of the preparation of old-world recipes with new world adaptations. Visit the schedule page for a complete list of what dishes will be presented when.

Irish Comedy

Get ready to laugh your arse off!
See Irish comedy on Friday, 9/9 and
Saturday, 9/10. The Real Irish Comedy
Tour presentation will feature David
Nihill, the first ever-Irish winner of the
prestigious San Francisco International
Comedy Competition, Adam Burke,
a regular panelist on NPR's popular
comedy quiz show Wait Wait Don't Tell
Me and the winner of Second City's Up
Next Comedy Competition, and Mick
Thomas, one of the most sought after
acts in Clubs and Casinos up and down
the East Coast. *Parental Advisory

A Taste Of Ireland

Festival visitors can sample and purchase foods and snacks made in Ireland! Take home items like Guinness chocolate, Keogh's potato chips, Mileeven Honey with Jameson, soda bread & scone mixes, Butlers candy bars, Irish teas & coffees, and so much more! *Plus, gluten free, plant-based, and organic items!*

Ancient Celtic Axe Throwing

We are partnering with Ace Axe Throwing to bring you the sport of Ancient Celtic Axe Throwing! Guests 16+ wearing **closed-toe shoes** will get to try their hand at axe throwing for free with festival admission!





Session Tent

Musicians who brought your instrument to get into the Fest for free, join other musicians and play your favorite Irish songs throughout the weekend in our session tent!

Irish Authors' Corner

Learn about Ireland and its lore while meeting visiting authors at this year's Irish Festival. Buy a book and get it autographed. Hear the authors' tales during the weekend at the Hedge School.

Delight in Dance and **Music Performances**

View continuous entertainment in 4 performance areas, presented by adult and children's dance ensembles. all colorfully costumed and skillfully choreographed. In addition, our contemporary and traditional Irish musicians will bring you to your feet as they continue the party as only the Irish can!

Feast on Irish Cuisine and Celtic Beverages

Relish the mouthwatering sights. aromas and tastes coming from our Irish kitchens! From a bite to a hearty meal, we serve Irish sausage, Irish stew, boxty pancakes, corned beef and cabbage, Shepherd's Pie, fish, colcannon, ham and cabbage, and much more! Our desserts are plentiful and delicious. While you are there, enjoy a wide variety of Celtic beverages at Tara Tea and numerous pubs!



Discover Your Irish Family Tree

Trace that elusive Irish ancestor by visiting the Genealogy Pavilion. Learn how to search locally and online for long-lost family here and on the Auld Sod. Forms and reference books are on-site to guide you as you begin or restart the process of climbing your Family Tree. If you are looking for an ancestor that may have worked at Carrie Furnaces, the volunteers in the Genealogy Pavilion can point you in the right direction!

Irish Dog Area

Visit with the dogs native to Ireland! Meet Irish breeds: Irish Setter, Irish Wolfhounds, Irish Water Spaniel, Irish Terrier, Glen of Imaal, Irish Red and White Setter, Kerry Beagle, Kerry Blue Terrier, and the Soft-coated Wheaten Terrier. *Breeds and dog lengths of stay are subject to change and may be limited due to the COVID-19 pandemic

Cultural Hedge School Stage

One of the most popular areas at the festival is the Hedge School. Based on the infamous Penal Laws, hedge schools developed in Ireland in response to the bans placed on educating Irish natives about their history, traditions, and culture. As a result, lessons were taught in secret in a barn or in the shadow of a hedge. We are proud to offer on-going educational sessions in the areas of history, legends, music, language, dance, sports, and symbols of Ireland.

Shop at the Irish Marketplace

A favorite area of the Festival is the Irish Marketplace where unique shopping booths display a panorama of Irish items for sale. Take home a specialized clothing article, piece of art, interesting trinket or souvenir. Guaranteed Irish, we feature over 50 specialty booths. Don't forget to visit our Festival's award-winning merchandise booth!

Meet Pittsburgh's Irish **Organizations**

Members will be on hand with lots of information and an invitation to join them!

Cultural Beverage Tastings

For our guests 21+, beverage tasting is included in the price of vour Festival admission ticket! Visit our Cultural Beverage Tasting area as you experience the charm, depth and diversity of flavor found in Irish whiskeys, mead, and more. Each booth will feature professionally curated tastings conducted by a whiskey master, Protector of the Peat, or mead maker. You will get to compare and contrast the unique qualities of legendary brands. This area is brought to you by Kingview Mead, Jameson Irish Whiskey, and Five Farms Irish Cream. Visit pghirishfest.org for a complete list of featured brands.

Raffle

Stop by our Festival Raffle Booth for your chance to win Irish gift items, Festival merchandise, tickets to local events, gift cards, and more! We are also raffling off a private tour of Ireland* thanks to our tourism partner, Little Gem Tours. *Visit pghirishfest.org for details, rules, and regulations.

Other Festival Highlights

Storytelling from Alan Irvine, Celtic Harper - Dennis Doyle, traditional step and ceili dance workshops and performances. Irish instrument and cultural area demonstrations, strolling bagpipers, Gaelic sports demonstrations, and Gaelic names with Sean. You'll never know what's around each corner at the Pittsburgh Irish Festival!

Watch the Game

The Pittsburgh Irish Festival usually means it is time for football season! Watch the Steelers. Pirates. Pitt Panthers, and more on our big screen in the Ya Jagoff! Sports Lounge while you enjoy a Guinness and some Irish Stew!

Irish Mass - Sunday, September 11 at 10 a.m.

Join us for our annual Irish Mass on Sunday, September 11 at 10 a.m. at our Celtic Spirit Stage. The Irish Mass is sponsored by Duquesne University, Central Catholic High School, and Oakland Catholic High School.



LEPRECHAUN'S LANDING

(CHILDREN'S AREA/IRISH ARTS, CRAFTS, & GAMES)

For our wee folk! Take home a hand-made souvenir, enjoy an Irish story, sing-along, and even dance an Irish jig! Play a round of mini golf on our Royal County Down course, hop around on "Nessie" our Loch Ness Monster and The Irish Castle bounce houses, and try your luck at one of our custom games! Get a caricature created by artist, Martina Revilak!

Turn the page for a surprise for every wee one in our Festival program book. Flip through the next pages for fun activities!

HELP THE LEPRECHAUN FIND THE POT OF GOLD!

MAP OF IRELAND



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Did you know that about one in six Pittsburghers claims Irish ancestry? Its the second-largest nationality behind Germans and while our Irish neighborhoods are long gone, we still boast one of the largest St. Patrick's Day Parades in the country. And well, ask anyone, and they all claim a wee bit of Irish.

We're fortunate that this region consistently ranks as one of the best places to live and visit in the country. We have an emerging food scene, a strong cultural presence, an appreciation for all types of art, a fan base that is rabid about its professional sports teams (including the Rooney's Pittsburgh Steelers), outdoor adventures for thrill-seekers as well as the newly intrepid, a rich historical story, an appreciation for architectural genius, a commitment to living green and embracing sustainability, and a true recognition of all amenities that our region boasts. The Irish Festival is just one of the pieces in this county's strong quality of life tapestry. Just as importantly, we've become that new Pittsburgh because of the people who call this region home. Our residents are known for their friendliness, welcoming spirit and their acceptance of everyone.

Whether you call Pittsburgh home, or are visiting to enjoy the festival, we're thrilled to have you in Allegheny County. We are proud of a Pittsburgh that pays homage to our history while celebrating how green and modern we are today.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY



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Kells Bay

Fish Sandwich
Fish & Chips
Crab Cakes & Chips
Chicken Tenders & Chips
Shrimp
Boxty Potato Pancakes
Bay Fries
Shamrockin' Shake
Hush Puppies
Seafood Sampler: Fish, Shrimp,
Crab Cake, & Hush Puppies
Assorted Soft Drinks
Bottled Water

Mairin's Irish Kitchen

Irish Stew Bread Bowl
Irish Stew in a Bowl
Irish Stew on a Baked or Sweet Potato
Stew-tine Poutine
Irish Baked Potato
Irish Sweet Potato
Pizza
Salad in a Bread Bowl
Pulled Pork Sandwich
Pierogies
Bread Pudding
Bread Pudding with Five Farms Irish Cream
Irish Soda Bread
Assorted Soft Drinks
Bottled Water

McCarrick's

Shepherd's Pie
Bangers and Mash
Corned Beef & Cabbage
Dublin Coddle
Ham and Cabbage
Irish Sampler
Irish Sausage Sandwich
Corned Beef Sandwich
Hot Ham Sandwich
Ham Barbecue Sandwich
Sloppy Seamus Sandwich
Colcannon
Assorted Soft Drinks
Bottled Water

Chocolate Moonshine Co.

Assorted Flavors of Fudge Gourmet Chocolates

Custard's Crossing

Shamrockin' Shake Irish Creme Ice Cream (non-alcoholic) Irish Whiskey Ice Cream (non-alcoholic) Assorted Ice Cream Flavors Root Beer Floats Assorted Flavors of Italian Ice Chocolate Ice Cream Sundaes

Everest Eats (*Vegan, ***Gluten Free)

Potato & Leek Soup*,***
Crabless Cakes
(plain with sauce or over salad)*,***
Guinness Taco*
Reuben Totchos*
Chocolate Cake*
Whiskey Glazed Burger*

Paul's Kettle Corn

Kettle Corn Cinnamon Glazed Nuts

Le's

Chicken on a Stick Eggrolls Fried rice Corn Dogs Chicken Tenders Fries Funnel Cake Fresh Lemonade

Simon's

Gyros Chicken Sandwich Salad Baklava Grape Leaves

Tara Tea

Irish Coffee
Irish Coffee with Five Farms Irish Cream
Irish Tea
Irish Tea with Five Farms Irish Cream
Irish Iced Lemonade Tea
Assorted Soft Drinks
Bottled Water
Shortbread
Scones
Tipsy Cake
Tipsy Cake with Jameson Irish Whiskey

SMOKING POLICY

Smoking is prohibited under tents or in any buildings at the Festival. This includes e-cigarettes.

BEVERAGES

Beverage stands will accept cash or card. Card or electronic payment preferred.

On Tap

Guinness - \$9
Harp - \$9
Smithwick's - \$9
Guinness Blonde - \$8
Guinness Nitro Cold Brew - \$9
Guinness Zero (non-alcoholic) - \$8
Magners Original Cider* - \$9
Magners Pear Cider* - \$8
Magners Berry Cider* - \$8
Mead - \$10

- Shamrockin' Mead* (Made Special for the Pittsburgh Irish Festival)
- Viking Grog*
- Happy Apple Pie*
- Fruit Moon*

Cans

Smirnoff Seltzer* – Various Flavors - **\$8** Ranch Water* – Various Flavors - **\$8** Dogfish Head – Various Flavors - **\$8**

By The Glass

KingView Wine - \$9

- Dry Red Offering* Cabernet Franc
- Dry White Offering* Pinot Grigio

Cocktails

Jameson Orange Creamsicle - \$12

Jameson Orange and Five Farms

Jameson Orange Crush - \$12

• Jameson Orange and Sierra Mist

Irish Chocolate Truffle - \$12

• Five Farms Irish Cream & 360 Double Chocolate Flavored Vodka

The Irish Toast - \$12

Five Farms Irish Cream
 Jameson Irish Whiskey

Nutty Cow - \$12

• Five Farms Irish Cream & Amaretto

Gin & Tonic - \$12

• Drumshanbo Gunpowder Irish Gin and Tonic

Baby Guinness - \$11

• Five Farms Irish Cream & Kahlua

*Gluten Free

Soft Drinks

Pepsi - \$4
Diet Pepsi - \$4
Sierra Mist - \$4
Mountain Dew - \$4
Bubly - \$4
Aquafina Water - \$3

Specialty Drinks (various pricing)

Five Farms Irish Cream - \$9 Drumshanbo Gunpowder Irish Gin - \$9 360 Double Chocolate Vodka - \$9

Glenfiddich - \$11 Jameson - \$9

Jameson Orange - \$10

Jameson Black Barrel - \$10

Jameson Cold Brew - \$10

Jameson Caskmates IPA - \$10

Jameson Caskmates Stout - \$10

Jameson 18 yr - **\$30**

Redbreast Single Pot Still Irish Whiskey 12 yr - \$17 Redbreast Single Pot Still Irish Whiskey 15 yr - \$22

Redbreast Single Pot Still Irish Whiskey 21 yr - **\$60**

(comes with a limited-edition glass, while supplies lasts)

Redbreast Single Pot Still Irish Whiskey 27 yr - **\$100** (comes with a limited-edition glass, while supplies lasts)

Green Spot Single Pot Still Irish Whiskey - **\$17** Yellow Spot Single Pot Still Irish Whiskey - **\$22** Straw Boys Vodka - **\$9**

LAST CALL

Fri. & Sat. 10:30 pm | Sun. 4:30 pm

- Wristbands are required for guests age 40 and under
- Two drink maximum per person for each order
- Beverage offering subject to change

ALCOHOL POLICY

The Pittsburgh Irish Festival's alcohol philosophy is consumption in moderation. If you are taking medication or are pregnant, do not drink alcohol. We reserve the right to limit drinks served per person. We will not knowingly serve someone who is intoxicated. If you feel you or someone you are with has consumed too much, please inform us and we will make sure that you or they get home safely. Only quests 21+ will be served alcoholic beverages.

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We encourage anyone 21 years or over, with a valid driver's license, to register as a Pittsburgh Irish

Festival Designated Driver. Participants will receive two free non-alcoholic beverages upon registering at the Law Office of Casey P. Mullen booth near volunteer HQ at the Main Entrance.





2022 Festival SITE MAP

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MAP KEY:







Accessible Parking











Marketplace



Axe Throwing



Mini Golf

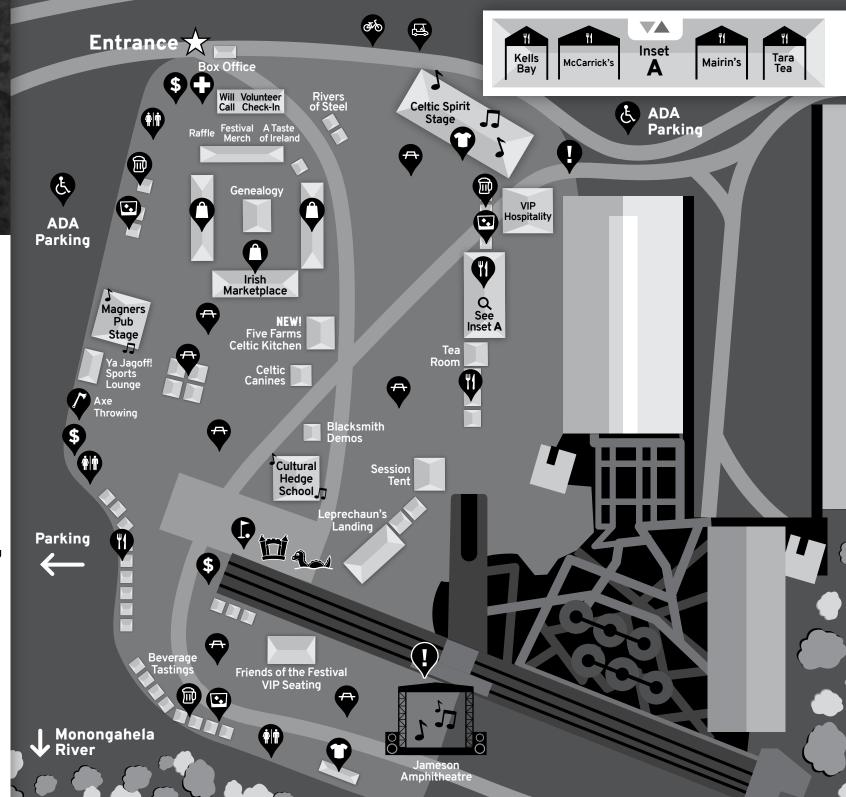


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GOLF OUTING

Join us as we play a round to support our mission of preserving and promoting the Irish culture in our area.

WHERE:

Rolling Fields Golf Course 4138 Hankey Church Rd. Murrysville, PA 15668

WHEN:

Saturday, Oct. 1, 2022 at 1 p.m. (Shotgun start, scramble)

WHAT:

18-hole golf outing including dinner, snack at the turn, drinks on the course, raffle, Pgh Irish Fest tickets, and more!

REGISTRATION:

\$100/golfer, \$380/foursome

Visit **pghirishfest.org/golf-outing** to sign-up!



2022 IRISH ENTERTAINMENT SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2022

4:00 pm MacDonald Pipe Band (MPS)

Donnie Irish (CSS)

5:00 pm Weekend at Blarney's (MPS)

5:15 pm Irish Tiramisu, Mary McAnallen

of Mary Mac Bakehouse (FF)

5:45 pm The Bow Tides (CSS)

6:00 pm Screaming Orphans (JA)

Gluten Free-Five Farms Irish Cream

Pound Cake with Glaze, Erin McKenna (FF)

Tales of Irish Rogues and Rascals - Alan Irvine (HS)

6:15 pm Mike Gallagher (MPS)

6:30 pm Hurling 101 – Pittsburgh Hurling Club (HS)
6:45 pm Five Farms Irish Cream Cocktail Demo (FF)
7:00 pm The Evolution of Premium Irish Cream Liqueur –

Johnny Harte, Founder of Five Farms Irish Cream (HS)

7:15 pm The Friel Sisters (CSS)

7:30 pm RUNA (JA)

*Real Irish Comedy Tour (MPS)

8:45 pm Bastard Bearded Irishmen (CSS)

9:15 pm Gaelic Storm (JA)



Genealogy

What You Are NOT Going to Learn From a DNA Test.

Friday, September 9 at 7:00 pm Saturday, September 10 at 5:00 pm Sunday, September 11 at 3:00 pm

Leprechaun's Landing:

Children's Activities Area/ Royal County Down Mini Golf/ Nessie/The Irish Castle

> Friday 4:00 pm - 8:00 pm Saturday 11:00 am - 8:00 pm Sunday 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Blacksmith Demonstrations from Rivers of Steel

STAGE KEY

JA - Jameson Amphitheatre

CS - Celtic Spirit Stage

(*Parental Advisory)

MPS - Magners Pub Stage

HS - Cultural Hedge School Stage

FF - Five Farms Celtic Kitchen

Program Subject to Change

Friday, September 9

at 5:30 - 6:30 pm • 7:00 - 8:00 pm

Saturday, September 10

at 1:00 - 3:00 pm • 5:00 - 7:00 pm

Sunday, September 11

at 12:00 - 1:00 pm • 2:00 - 3:00 pm

Celtic Canines

Friday 4:00 pm - 8:30 pm Saturday 11:00 am - 8:30 pm Sunday 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

2022 IRISH ENTERTAINMENT SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2022

11:00 am Abbots Cross (CSS) 11:15 am Devilish Merry (MPS) 12:00 pm Mark Guiser (CSS) 12:15 pm County Mayo (JA)

12:30 pm Irish Names and Origins - Sean Webber (HS)

12:45 pm Dennis Doyle (MPS)

Gluten Free Five Farms Irish Cream Pound Cake with Glaze, Erin McKenna (FF)

1:00 pm Bell School of Irish Dance (CSS)

Tales of Irish Rogues and Rascals - Alan Irvine (HS)

The Trouble: The Fight to Unite Ireland - Bill Harnett (HS) 1:30 pm

Bread Pudding with Five Farms Irish Cream, Aunt Linda Glauben (FF)

1:45 pm Rust Town Rounders (JA)

Shovlin School of Irish Dance (CSS)

2:00 pm Mike Gallagher (MPS)

Beginning Irish Language - Marie Young (HS)

2:15 pm Welsh Cakes, Shannon Lambert - Ryan of RUNA (FF)

2:30 pm Cahal Dunne, Book Reading (HS)

2:45 pm The Low Kings (CSS)

3:00 pm Dulcimers in Irish Music - Jeff Berman and Burr Beard (HS)

3:15 pm Bealtaine (JA) Abbots Cross (MPS) 3:30 pm

Tin Whistle Workshop - L.E. McCullough (HS)

Irish Tiramisu, Mary McAnallen of Mary Mac Bakehouse (FF)

Screaming Orphans (CSS) 4:00 pm

Dwarven Fairy Tales - Ben Anderson (HS)

4:30 pm Enda Reilly (MPS) Brian O'Neill (HS)

4:45 pm The Bow Tides (JA)

5:00 pm More Tales of Irish Rogues and Rascals - Alan Irvine (HS)

Dublin Coddle, Aunt Norinne Fitchwell (FF)

The Friel Sisters (CSS) 5:30 pm

Irish Harp - Dennis Doyle (HS)

6:00 pm Pittsburgh Irish Festival Ceili (MPS)

Bodhran Techniques - Kip Ruefle (HS)

6:15 pm

6:30 pm To the Waters and The Wild - Poetry of W.B. Yeats sung by Enda Reilly (HS)

Five Farms Irish Cream Cocktail Demo (FF)

Wild Geese Reunion Show (CSS) 7:00 pm

Irish Ghost Stories - Alan Irvine (HS)

7:30 pm *Real Irish Comedy Tour (MPS)

The Evolution of Premium Irish Cream Liqueur -

Johnny Harte, Founder of Five Farms Irish Cream (HS)

Screaming Orphans (JA) 7:45 pm 8:30 pm Donnie Irish (CSS) Gaelic Storm (JA) 9:30 pm

10:00 pm Bastard Bearded Irishmen (CSS)

SUNDAY. SEPTEMBER 11. 2022

10:00 am Irish Mass with Father Sean Hogan, C.S.Sp. and Fr. Bill O'Leary C.S.Sp. (CSS)

11:15 am Mike Flaherty (MPS)

11:45 am Piper Sean Patrick Regan (CSS)

Irish Names and Origins - Sean Webber (HS) 12:00 pm

12:30 pm Pittsburgh Ceili Club (CSS)

Dennis Doyle (MPS)

Donnie Irish (JA)

To the Waters and The Wild - Poetry of W.B. Yeats sung by Enda Reilly (HS)

1:00 pm Irish Myths and Legends - Bill Hartnett (HS)

Shortbread, Shannon Lambert - Ryan of RUNA (FF)

1:15 pm Enda Reilly (CSS)

1:30 pm What Does Your Family Name Tell You About Your Ancestors - Rebecca Miller (HS)

1:45 pm Pittsburgh Irish Festival Ceili (MPS)

2:00 pm Screaming Orphans (JA)

More Dwarven Fairy Tales - Ben Anderson (HS)

2:15 pm Irish Stew, Chef Tom (FF)

2:30 pm JaQuay Edward Carter, Historian, Rivers of Steel (HS)

2:45 pm RUNA (CSS) 3:00 pm Brian O'Neill (HS) 3:30 pm Gaelic Storm (JA)

3:45 pm Five Farms Cocktail Demo with Five Farms Founder, Johnny Harte (FF)

4:00 pm Mike Flaherty (MPS) 4:15 pm The Low Kings (CSS)

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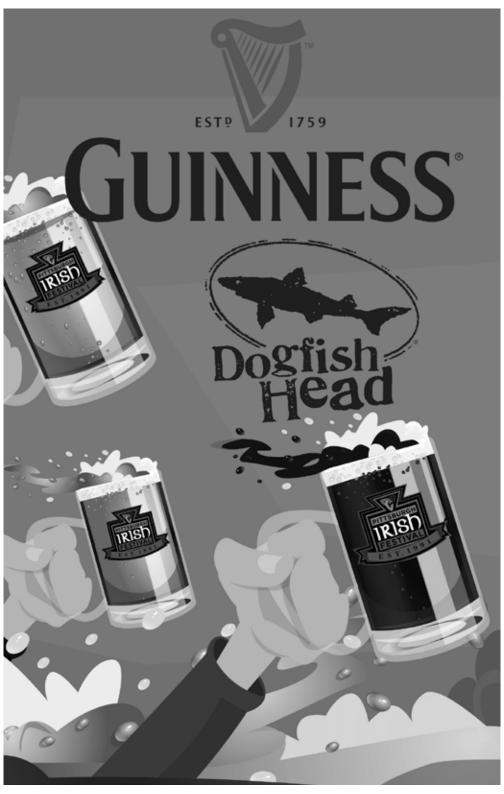


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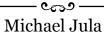
In Memoriam 2022



"...and until we meet again, may God hold you in the hollow of His hand."

May the road rise to meet them...







Keith Polick



Marianne Flanagan

Victims of COVID-19 and their families

Susan Baker

Steve Bell

Don Berry

Alexander Bodnar

George Borszcz

Scott Broussard

Dennis Cahill

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The Program's primary objective is to create a higher awareness of the ethnic richness and significance of the Irish and Irish-American culture and presence, from both an historic and contemporary perspective.

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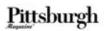




































































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