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You will find the newsletter and updated information on our website at [www.irishcenter.org](http://www.irishcenter.org) It is not always possible to distribute information regarding death notices and events timely. However, if you have access to a computer chances are you can find the website. Check it a few times a week for updates and for the newsletter.

If you know someone who would like to receive this newsletter and who does not have a computer we will send a copy by U.S. mail. Let us know. This distribution is over 2800 e-mail addresses. We would like to thank those people who donated to the Irish Center to help us with expenses (including ink and postage for this newsletter)

**MONTHLY EVENTS**

**IRISH CENTER OF SO. CALIFORNIA** “get-together” (first Sunday of the month) at 1 p.m. lunch at Hill Street Café, 3301 N. Glenoaks Blvd., Burbank. Easy to find, between Hollywood Way and Buena

Vista on Glenoaks (right next to St. Leon’s Cathedral). Hill Street Café telephone number is 818-845-0046.

Order what you want – a cup of coffee to full breakfast or lunch – and pay separately. **AUGUST MEETING CANCELED**

**FRIENDS OF IRELAND** Breakfast meeting (1st Tuesday of the month) Tuesday, at 9:00 a.m. at Katella Restaurant, 4470 Katella Avenue, Los Alamitos, CA 90720. RSVP (Pete Walsh, 714-200-7365) [pbeireanua@att.net](mailto:pbeireanua@att.net) CA. **AUGUST MEETING CANCELED**

**ST. CORNELIUS CHURCH HALL, IRISH SOCIAL, from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.** at 5500 E. Wardlow, Long Beach, CA 90808. Good food, good music, good conversation, singing and dancing. Music by Dennis Murray. Thanks to the organizer, Sister Alicia from Castleblaney, who says “Please come and bring a friend and a dish.” **CHECK W/ SR ALICIA**

***DRAWING FOR TRIP TO IRELAND FOR TWO OR \$2,000***

**The Drawing for the Trip to Ireland for two, or \$2,000, will be held at a public event later in the year. An announcement will be distributed regarding the event.**

**CAREGIVER NEEDED:** I am looking for a weekend caregiver for my mother. She lives in Encino. She requires assistance with preparing meals and light conversation. Please contact me if interested and have experience. Stacey Nicklas (310) 271-8787----8 hours a day/\$18 hour

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**BINGO** every  
Tuesday at 6.30  
p.m. in St. Robert  
Bellarmine Church,

143 N. 5th Street, Burbank. CA 91501.

Info: 818 846 3443. [Check the schedule.](#)

**CELTIC ARTS CENTER**, Mondays Celtic Irish  
Dance and workshop at the Mayflower Club,  
11110 Victory Boulevard, North Hollywood, CA  
91606. **CANCELED UNTIL FURTHER  
NOTICE**

## ENJOY

**FACEBOOK CONCERTS BY YOUR  
FAVORITE IRISH ARTISTS**  
On their facebook page

[Andy Cooney](#) Live Concert Monday night  
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Andy Cooney and his Band FB page.:

<http://Facebook.com/Andy.cooney.band/>

Patrick D'Arcy

John Whelan, Irish Button Accordion  
(facebook Mondays)

Ken O'Malley, facebook Sundays at 2 p.m. .

<http://kenomalley.com>

John McKenna, Accordion

Terry Casey (The Fenians)

Dennis McNeil, facebook  
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You can support your favorite  
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Coronavirus.

## KEN O'MALLEY



**calendar:**<https://kenomalley.com/shows>

### WEBSITE:

The home page <http://kenomalley.com> shows all  
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updates, "Like" Ken O'Malley's Artist Page  
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More great online events coming  
our way!

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platforms** <https://www.facebook.com/newryarmagh.sinnfein/>

# LA Cougars GAA Irish Community COVID-19 Support



With a relatively young, fit and healthy community, the Cougars are in a privileged position of being at low risk to COVID-19. In line with the GAA's and our own club's culture, we are committed to being a force for good during this extraordinary (and stressful) time!

If you are a vulnerable member of the Irish in LA community, Cougars GAA is here for you! With members spread out all over Los Angeles, we will work to match anyone who needs help with one of our volunteer members who can support you.





We can:

- Do grocery runs for you helping you stay safely isolated at home
- Pick up any prescriptions and run other essential errands
- Make a socially distant visit to your home just to give you some company
- Help you connect with family back in Ireland via video technology
- Connect you with other Irish community members for more social support

And we'll consider helping in other ways just let us know!

## How to Contact Us:

(Make sure to tell us your name, contact info, what you need and whereabouts in LA you're located!)

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

**HARRY DUNLEAVY** <hdunleavy@embarqmail.com>

To: eirebt@yahoo.com

Wed, Jul 1 at 4:51 PM

Attention: Irish American Society of Southern California:

Dear Sir/Madam:

I have recently published a book on Irish Immigration to Latin America. It's available on Amazon & Barnes and Noble plus 1 or 2 others. I would be grateful if you would be so kind as to put a line or two in your newsletter of its availability. I am attaching a page of it regarding what it covers from Ireland all the way to Argentina and Chile.

Your response will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

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### HARRY DUNLEAVY B.S., B.A., M.S. IRISH IMMIGRATION TO LATIN AMERICA

The material in the book has its genesis with Ireland's early relationship with Spain dating back to the eighteenth century when thousands of Irish emigrated from Ireland to that country. This in turn led to Irish immigration to the Spanish-Latin American colonies. The book then elucidates on the Spanish colonies of the Americas, from north to south, where the Irish travelled in significant numbers. It begins with Florida which had different Irish regiments such as the Hibernia located in Saint Augustine, Florida, and other North American States such as Louisiana and Texas, which at one point in time were all part of the Spanish colonial empire. It deals in detail with specific Irish colonies organized in certain countries such as Mexico, which had two fairly large Irish colonies, the McMullen and McGloin colony, also known as the San Patricio de Hibernia Irish colony and the Power and Hewetson colony, also known as the Refugio colony; Peru, which had an organized Irish colony and the most powerful family in the country at one point in time, the Grace family; and Brazil, which had Irish colonies on tributaries of the Amazon on both the north and south side of that mighty river. The largest immigration to all Latin American countries was to Argentina where several areas became predominately Irish. The book finally ends in the most southerly countries of South America, Argentina and Chile, where an Irish descendant became president of both countries—Edelmiro Julián Farrell in Argentina, and Bernardo O'Higgins in Chile.

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IRISH LANGUAGE  
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**HYDE INSTITUTE** <irish@hydeinstitute.com>

To: eirebt

Fri, Jul 24 at 12:34 PM

Hello,

We are recently established Irish language institute, based in Corr na Mona, Co. na Gaillimhe and with an office in Texas.

We offer bespoke online Irish language courses on a one-to-one basis, which are delivered by highly qualified Irish language tutors. We are set up to deliver these course worldwide, and we are passionate about growing the Irish language in all parts of the globe.

As part of our drive to spread the Irish language across the globe and to increase our profile, we are trying to link up with Irish organizations right across the US. We are offering a free webinar to Irish community groups on various topics such as Irish folklore, literature and language.

We wanted to reach out and ascertain if this is of any interest to your group.

We'd be happy to discuss if you wish. Thanks in advance for considering our approach!

Is mise,

Philip Ryan

Chief Operations Officer

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## FINANCIAL FOCUS

### How Can You Help Lower Your Longevity Risk?

Article 6 – Aug. 3, 2020

The investment world contains different types of risk. Your stocks or stock-based mutual funds could lose value during periods of market volatility. The price of your bonds or bond funds could also decline, if new bonds are issued at higher interest rates. But have you ever thought about *longevity risk*?

Insurance companies and pension funds view longevity risk as the risk they incur when their assumptions about life expectancies and mortality rates are incorrect, leading to higher payout levels. But for you, as an individual investor, longevity risk is less technical and more emotional: it's the risk of outliving your money.

To assess your own longevity risk, you'll first want to make an educated guess about your life span, based on your health and family history. Plus, you've got some statistics to consider: Women who turned 65 in April of this year can expect to live, on average, until age 86.5; for men, the corresponding figure is 84, according to the Social Security Administration.

Once you have a reasonable estimate of the number of years that lie ahead, you'll want to take steps to reduce your longevity risk. For starters, try to build your financial resources as much as possible, because the greater your level of assets, the lower the risk of outliving them. So, during your working years, keep contributing to your IRA and your 401(k) or similar employer-sponsored retirement plan.

Then, as you near retirement, you will need to do some planning. Specifically, you will need to compare your essential living expenses – mortgage/rent, utilities, food, clothing, etc. – with the amount of income you'll get from guaranteed sources, such as Social Security or pensions. You do have some flexibility with this guaranteed income pool. For example, you can file for Social Security benefits as early as 62, but your monthly checks will then be reduced by about 30 percent from what you'd receive if you waited until your full retirement age, which is likely between 66 and 67.

You might also consider other investments that can provide you with a steady income stream. A financial professional can help you choose the income-producing investments that are appropriate for your needs and that fit well with the rest of your portfolio.

After you've determined that your guaranteed income will be sufficient to meet your essential living expenses, have you eliminated longevity risk? Not necessarily – because "essential" expenses don't include unexpected costs, of which there may be many, such as costly home maintenance, auto repairs and so on. And during your retirement years, you'll always need to be aware of health care costs. If you have to dip into your guaranteed income sources to pay for these types of bills, you might increase the risk of outliving your money.

To avoid this scenario, you may want to establish a separate fund, possibly containing at least a year's worth of living expenses, with the money held in cash or cash equivalents. This money won't grow much, if at all, but it will be there for you when you need it.

With careful planning, adequate guaranteed income, a sufficient emergency fund and enough other investments to handle nonessential costs, you'll be doing what you can to reduce your own longevity risk. And that may lead to a more enjoyable retirement.

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# Medieval "plague" mass grave discovered in north Dublin

A 15th-century mass grave was discovered by walkers in a north county Dublin suburb this spring, now experts have answers.

## IRISH CENTRAL

IrishCentral Staff  
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Jul 22, 2020



**The skeletal remains of a 12-year-old, found in Swords, earlier this year are believed to be part of a plague burial ground.**

In April 2020, the skeletal remains of a 12-year-old were [found in River Valley Park, in Swords](#), North County Dublin. The bones, now removed from the area for analysis date back to the 15th century. Experts at the National Museum of Ireland said the bones became exposed due to the unseasonably dry weather in March and April.

Sadly, due to COVID-19 restrictions, the site could not be excavated. However, Fingal County Council told the [Irish Times](#) that with the easing of restrictions the examination has begun.

The site where the remains were found by walkers is a recorded archaeological monument, where archaeologists from the [National Monuments Service](#) excavated six skeletons in 1999.

They said the bones "were medieval in date and as the burials were deposited in an irregular fashion within a flood plain it was thought they may reflect some form of communal hasty burial of victims of plague or other trauma."

The excavation was undertaken by Maeve McCormick, of Archer Heritage Planning Ltd, under license from the Department of Culture, Heritage and the Gaeltacht in consultation with the National Museum. McCormick, an osteoarchaeologist, indicated that the latest skeleton unearthed was a juvenile, probably between ten and 12 years of age and that these remains are part of a burial site excavated in the area, in 1999.

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Radiocarbon dating of the animal and human remains will allow them to get a precise timeline for the site.

Fingal County Council's Heritage Officer Christine Baker says this analysis will "add to the story of this burial ground".

"We are also investigating the most appropriate means to suspend the erosion of the site and will continue to work with the National Monuments Service and the National Museum of Ireland to protect this archaeological monument," she said.

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## Ireland's best hotel of 2020 named

We could think of worse things than staying in this luxury hotel.

**IRISH CENTRAL**

Shane O'Brien

[@shamob96](#) Jul 23, 2020



**Anonymous inspectors from AA Ireland's Hospitality Services Team have named a Kilkenny hotel as the best hotel in Ireland for 2020.**

Mount Juliet Estate, a five-star hotel in a Georgian manor house, won the award for its exceptional service, warm welcome, and excellent food options.

The hotel sits on a stunning 530-acre estate and has gained a Michelin Star for its restaurant, Lady Helen, and added a

93-bed accommodation block, the Hunter's Yard, since it was taken over by Tetrarch Capital in 2014. It joined the Marriott's Autograph Collection of independent luxury hotels last year in a bid to boost overseas tourism.

The luxury hotel impressed a team of trained inspectors from the AA to claim the prestigious award. Inspectors noted the hospitality, services, cuisine, facilities, and staff of hotels around the country before choosing the Kilkenny hotel as their best hotel for 2020,

The inspectors additionally looked for hotels that demonstrated continued improvements over the past 18 months.

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"While much is changing in the world around us, Mount Juliet Estate will continue to be a jewel in the crown of the Irish hospitality sector," [AA Director of Consumer Affairs Conor Faughnan said in a statement.](#)

The award comes at a strange time indeed for Ireland's hospitality sector.

Hotels, holiday parks, and B&Bs only reopened on June 29 amid heavy social distancing regulations, limiting the number of guests and imposing restrictions on certain services.

Mark Dunne, General Manager of the luxury hotel, said that the award was a "little ray of sunshine" in the midst of madness and uncertainty of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Dunne said that it was difficult to operate in the current circumstances, citing that problems striking a balance between the safety of guests and the safety of his staff.

"It's been really tricky, really difficult. You have the care of the guest on one hand and the care of your colleagues on the other, and you're trying to make them both meet in the middle in a very safe manner," [he told the Independent.](#)

The hotel has installed visors and screens at customer service desks in a bid to strike that balance, while guests have to book in for breakfast or to use the swimming pool.

Mount Juliet Estate is offering rooms for €169 as part of its "welcome back" special.

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## Meet the Irish scientist behind Oxford's coronavirus vaccine

Adrian Hill is leading the team most likely to find a coronavirus vaccine.

[Shane O'Brien](#)

[@shamob96](#)

IRISH CENTRAL Jul 21, 2020

Irish scientist Adrian Hill is leading the global charge in the search for a coronavirus vaccine and his team of researchers at Oxford University is reportedly close to finding the much sought-after vaccine, but who is he? And how did he rise to a position of such prominence?



Born in Dublin, Hill was educated at Belvedere College and studied medicine at Trinity College before transferring to the University of Oxford in 1978 and completed his medical degree there in 1982.

His interest in vaccines and tropical medicine was inspired by an uncle who was a missionary priest in Africa.

He remained at Oxford for postgraduate studies thereafter and emerged with a Doctor of Philosophy degree in 1986.

From there, Hill joined the newly-created Weatherall Institute of Molecular Medicine at Oxford in 1988 and began working on immunogenetics in West Africa.

He subsequently became lead of an academic course on Human and Animal Vaccinology at Oxford and he now serves as Director of the Jenner Institute, an Oxford institute which develops vaccines and carries out clinical trials for diseases, including malaria and Ebola.

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While Hill is slowly becoming a household name as the race to find a coronavirus vaccine ramps up, he had already cemented his growing reputation in the scientific community for his work on an ebola vaccine in 2014.

Hill's team lead the first clinical trial of an Ebola vaccine, targeting the outbreak of Ebola in West Africa.

Read more: [WHO say Irish scientist's COVID vaccine is the "leading candidate"](#)

His group has also developed malaria vaccines that were tested in clinical trials. The vaccine is currently in large-scale trials in children in sub-Saharan Africa and is one of the most promising vaccines against the disease.

[Hill is an ardent believer](#) in the power of molecular medicine to deliver new healthcare interventions for some of the poorest communities on the planet.

With the outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic, however, Hill's priorities have shifted focus and he is now the leading candidate to develop a vaccine against the virus.

Early results from his team's initial trials have yielded extremely positive news and some reports speculate that the vaccine may be ready by as early as September.

The vaccine potentially offers "double protection" against the coronavirus, building up appropriate antibodies and T-cells in test subjects.

Multinational pharmaceutical company AstraZeneca has reportedly ordered over 400 million doses of the vaccine to distribute by September or October based on the results of the trials.

Hill's vaccine will now potentially head to "challenge trials", where researchers deliberately attempt to infect test subjects with the virus after they have been given a dose of the vaccine.

The Irish vaccinologist is also an accomplished writer, and his works have appeared in a variety of national media publications.

Hill has two children with his former wife, Sunetra Gupta who is also a well known Indian novelist, and professor of theoretical epidemiology at the University of Oxford with an interest in infectious disease agents.

The 61-year-old is clearly one of the brightest in his field and, right now, the world needs him to work some magic.

Read more: [Irish scientist's coronavirus vaccine could be ready by September](#)

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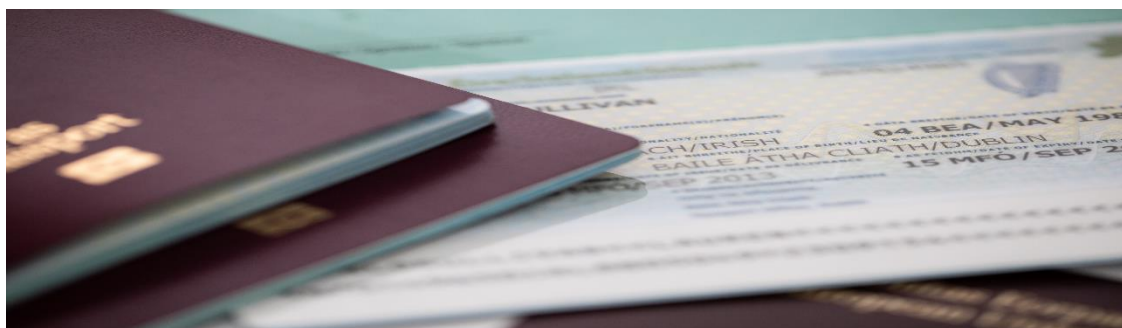


Greetings to: Tom McConville, Brendan McCoy & Tom Kennedy

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### #IrelandinSF Virtual Citizenship Presentation

#### Foreign Birth Registration

We know that during this unsure stretch of time many of you have been using the opportunity to renew your Irish passports; to help family members apply for theirs or renew documents which have long been out of date; or understand the methods through which you or friends are able to vindicate your citizenship entitlement as an Irish person.

We are happy to help and advise on all of these important questions and have been doing so during Covid- and long before!

You will see below a link directing you to an online presentation which our office has put together explaining the process through which you can obtain Foreign Birth Registration. This is the first step in the process of claiming your Irish citizenship for those whose grandparents were born in Ireland (for those of you whose parents were born in Ireland: you are entitled to apply for a passport directly and do not need to take this step).

This presentation should answer all questions you may have on this process and we would urge you to watch it through to get answers to your questions. If

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there are still questions marks, this link, given above too, gives this information in written form.

Please see our online guide to Irish citizenship and Foreign Birth registration here.

Click **HERE** to view the presentation!

Le gach dea ghuí,

Best wishes

Consulate General of Ireland - (VISIT THE WEBSITE)

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Ina Quigley, John and Mary Dempsey



(Submitted by Mary Cahill)



## THE IRISH FAIR & MUSIC FESTIVAL TEAM

### CORONA VIRUS UPDATE



We hope everybody is staying safe during this tough period for the whole country. In fact the whole world. We have been working hard to try to ensure that there will be an Irish Fair and Music Festival this year.

For the last two years the fair and music festival has successfully taken place in Irvine on Fathers Day weekend in June. This year we will be moving to the OC Fair and Event Center in Costa Mesa. The dates have also been changed, which in the present circumstances is quite lucky. The fair will take place on Saturday & Sunday 5th & 6th September

As most of you will be aware the OC Fair was recently cancelled for 2020 and we hope that given the extra time we will still be able to hold a successful Irish Fair and Music Fest in September. For the safety of our staff, Volunteers, Bands, Vendors and general public we will, of course listen and adhere to the on going guidance and updated information from State and County health care and government officials about the status of the coronavirus pandemic.

During this time we hope that you and all your family stay safe and well and we look forward to seeing you all on the other side.

**STAY SAFE**

**The Irish Fair & Music Festival Team**

*Remember wishing the weekend would last forever? Happy now?!?!*

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## Deep Sheephaven Bay

It is a sunny summer Sunday afternoon. We had been evacuated to the old red-roofed, stone-walled barn for being too rowdy and disturbing the peaceful perusal of the newspapers.

Four young girls frolic and leap to the raucous tones of Lonnie Donegan belting out from the ancient gramophone. Perspiration rolls down their eager laughing faces as they jump and leap to the beat. Now and then a mad dash to rewind the instrument and keep the rhythm flowing is required and the fun resumes. The needle needs changing as it begins to slip and slide so we search for the little tin-box of precious needles. They have to be ordered from England and are very scarce now. Some of the neighbours have even acquired the new-fangled radiogram.

The afternoon wears away and so do we as, all energy spent, alternative attractions beckon. Occasionally arguments flare up over record preferences. Mother has quite a stack of old 78s which she bought with the second-hand gramophone while working as a maid in a grand mansion in Scotland. Some of the titles of these old records are very peculiar – ‘Melody in a Monastery Garden’ or ‘Viennese Waltzes’ and such like. We didn’t think much of them, preferring a little yodelling or Slim Whitman’s ‘Red River Valley’. A particular favourite was ‘The Laughing policeman’ who could be heard regularly cackling away in the barn until his voice became slurred and distorted and benefited from a prompt rewind.

I loved the cowboy songs and had developed an almost obsessional interest in reading all about ‘The Wild West’ in the many books I borrowed from the library, imagining myself out on the prairie rounding up the steers. Then, under the starry-sky, eating beans and bacon by the camp fire while the cowboys played on their guitars and yodelled to the rising moon.

However, most of the time we aren’t in the mood for slow muted music, instinctively reacting maniacally to a faster beat – we like a bit of ‘action.’ Eventually, like the gramophone, we wound down and our legs ‘gave out.’ After a brief lull, it’s outside into the fields and to the glen and the river to explore. Not for me though, I must just listen once more to my all-time number one song; sighs and groans all round; ‘not that again!’ I pick up the 78 and hold it carefully, blowing off the dust and checking for cracks. Good! None visible. I crank up the gramophone and lie back on the straw. The others have gone, leaving me to the ‘melancholy dirge.’ I’m so happy now – I won’t have to look at their long faces. I can enjoy this in peace. The sad sonorous sound of the singer seeps out on the evening breeze. I hear his yearning for home, for family, familiar people and places and especially his longing to stand in the shadows, silently absorbing the magic of ‘Deep Sheephaven Bay.’ (Written by Maria Duffy Gaughan – Belfast)





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## AUGUST 2020 BIRTHDAYS

1. Erin Garvey, Michael Hawe, Paula Doyle, Audrey Doherty, Geraldine O'Sullivan, Anne Treacy
2. Casey Doyle, Siobhan O'Callaghan Robinson, Sister Margaret Oman
3. Francis McCaughey
4. Marie Shivna, Thomas Doyle
5. Mary Barrett, Rachel Copley.
6. Sarah Noone, Jarlath Kane, Robert Cleary
7. Betty King, Nick Jordan, Rosaleen McKenna, Frank Albert
8. Ashley Crowell, Rob Driscoll, Anne Donohue, Chuck Gildea
9. Aileen McBride, Patrick Drohan
10. Margaret Cleary, Helen Cox, Timothy O'Toole, Jimmy Curran, Tara Dilloughery,
11. Bridie McDermott, Deirdre Gibson, Aidan Stewart, Alexia Prokop
12. Niamh Kennedy, Terrance Murphy, Patrick Houser, Michael O'Sullivan, Ciaran Thornton, Ann Druffel
13. Tommy McDonagh, Ann Fallon
14. Sue Cutshaw, David Curran, Brian Dunn
15. Sean Cleary, John Evans
19. Margaret Courtney
20. Brick Price

21. Deirdre McLaughlin, Maureen Smith, Kevin Roberts
22. Maeve Shivnan, Emily Van Seggern,

- 23 Kevin Murphy
24. John Cahill, Noreen Maricich
25. Tess Cooke
26. Richard Grady, Finbar O'Brien, Eileen McHaffie, Geannine Doherty.
27. Jessica Houser, Joy Kennelly, Brendan Copley
28. Peggy O'Brien
29. Imelda McCann, Kristy Andrews
30. Annmarie McErlaine
31. Ethan Van Seggern



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## AUGUST 2020 ANNIVERSARIES

1. Jed & Siobhan O'Callaghan Robinson, Jeri & Jerry O'Keefe
2. John & Mary Dempsey
12. Finbar & Carmel Hill
23. Dennis & Paula Doyle
24. Frank & Delia Mackey-Rüdiger
28. Kevin Rüdiger & Kirsten Isaacson
30. Frank & Norah Murphy

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**A TRIP DOWN MEMORY LANE  
THE SHAMROCK BALL  
Los Angeles Hilton Hotel  
March 16<sup>th</sup>, 1969**



BACK ROW: STEVE MORAN, LEO LARKIN, TOM FLOOD, MARIE GORMAN, CHRIS O'SHEA,  
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### REMINDER

If you have an article of interest, a story, a poem, an event of interest to the Irish community please forward it to me for inclusion in the newsletter.  
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[Irishcenter.org](http://Irishcenter.org) website

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