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REGULAR BRANCH ACTIVITIES

Monthly Seisiún ~ The first Sunday of each month, October thru June, 3:00 - 7:00 pm at the Canadian-American Club, 202 Arlington Street, Watertown. Musicians are invited to join in. There is set, céilí, old-time waltz and other dancing. Admission \$10 members/\$15 non-members. Refreshments served. Remember to bring along your own tea/coffee mug to help save our planet!

Set/Céilí Dance Workshops ~ With Barbara Boyd are held each Tuesday, September - May, at the Canadian-American Club, 106 Arlington Street, Watertown at 7:30 pm. \$7. *All levels welcome.*

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Δ Chairde,

Welcome autumn and the recommencing of our monthly seisiúns and céilís. We begin on Sunday, October 6th. Please note, however, that November's event will be held the second Sunday of the month, 11/10, as the Canadian American Club will be holding its annual gala fundraiser on the first Sunday, 11/3. The gala is always a grand event with a full schedule of performers. Please consider attending and supporting our home club.

Sally & Joe Harney have asked us to pass along a "big-hearted thank you" to all the friends that attended their tribute event, as well as to all dancers past and present. They enjoyed themselves immensely and everyone present had an equally entertaining afternoon. Thank you to the 230+ attendees as well as to those who donated to the event but were unable to attend.

As mentioned on page two, our RHC Annual General Meeting will be held on Monday, October 7th via Zoom. All members are encouraged to attend. We value your input and ideas. Please contact me at mo.woods@comcast.net or 978-518-0436 for the Zoom link.

Our branch will be hosting the Annual General Meeting for the CCE North East Region as well (see page two). Following the meeting at the Irish Cultural Centre, there will be a ceili and Hall of Fame induction. Please join us!!

MAy 500 bLess everyone...MAUREEN WOODS, P.R.O

PS. My apologies for the lateness in delivery of this newsletter; a number of extenuating circumstances were at play.

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EVENTS/NOTICES

RHC Annual General Meeting ~ Please join us for our annual branch meeting on Monday, October 7th, 7:30 pm, via Zoom. Your attendance and input are welcome, wanted and appreciated! Please contact Maureen Woods for the Zoom link.

North East Region Annual General Meeting ~ Our branch will be hosting the AGM for our region at the Irish Cultural Center, Saturday October 26th, from 10:00 am – 3:00 pm.

There will be a céilí following the meeting, 7:00 - 11:00 pm.

Monthly Seisiún/Céilí ~ Sunday, October 6th, 3:00-7:00 pm at the Canadian American Club, 106 Arlington St., Watertown. Don't forget your cup to help save the planet. Thank you for your generous donations of baked goods and raffle prizes.

Our next seisiún/céilí will be held the 2nd Sunday in November, the 10th. Please note the change in schedule!

Weekly Set Dance Workshops ~ Every Tuesday with Barbara Boyd & Alanna Callendrello. 7:30 pm at the Canadian American Club. Come join the fun!

CONDOLENCES & SYMPATHY

* To Paul & Patricia Horrigan on the unexpected passing of their son Sean on September 25th at age 58. Sean was also the nephew of Barbara & Bob Davis.

* To Cait Bracken on the loss of her dear brother Danny in County Offaly on September 24th.

* To the family and friends of Alanna Keohane Maida, especially her five children, on her untimely death at age 54 on September 18th.

* To Liz Raymond on the passing of her beloved husband Roger on August 31st.

We send our sincere condolences to the above families and all our bereaved members. May your loved ones rest in peace.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Irish Cultural Centre, 200 New Boston Drive, Canton

Check the ICC website for more events:

<https://www.irishculture.org/whats-on/events/>

The Friday Night Session Group holds an open session every week starting at 7:00 pm; all musicians, singers and toe-tappers are welcome.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR (continued)

Set dance workshop with Cait Bracken, Mondays, 7:00pm.

Pop-up Gaeltacht in the pub, Saturday, October 19th, 5:00 -8:00 pm.

Irish History Courses ~ Sean Murphy will present the history of County Galway and United Irishmen Rebellion 1789 & 1803, via zoom. <https://www.irishhistory.online/>. Sean's set dance class is held at O'Shea's Old Inn, West Dennis. Tuesdays, 5:30 pm.

Boston College Gaelic Roots Concert ~ John Carty with Alan Murray on Thursday, October 17th at Connolly House, Andover Room. 6:30 - 8:30 pm. Free & open to the public.

Cork Club ~ celebrates its **120th Anniversary** at the Irish Social Club, West Roxbury. Saturday, October 12th. 7:00 pm. Music by Fintan Stanley. \$10.

Bill Black & Golden Lane ~ at Plymouth Library, Wednesday October 9th at 6:30 pm. Cat's Melodeon session at The Auld Triangle, 412 Main Street, Hyannis. Saturdays, 3:00-5:00 pm. For more events on the Cape & south shore, visit www.capeirish.com.

New England Irish Harp Orchestra ~ in concert twice: Newton Free Library, Newton. Sunday Oct 27th. 2:00-3:00 pm. <https://newtonfreelibrary.net/> Gore Place, Waltham. Wednesday Oct 30th. 7:30 pm <https://goreplace.org/>.

Fall Céilí Weekend in the Catskills ~ Shamrock House, East Durham, NY. Nov 1st - 3rd. Contact Attracta Lyndon for details & lodging options: 732-991-5633 attractalyndon@gmail.com

Tigh na Coille ~ a group of young musicians from County Clare present an evening of music, song & dance. Friday Oct 25th. 7:00-10:00 pm. The Scout House, 74 Walden St., Concord. \$10-\$20.

A Family Ceili ~ will be held Saturday, October 12th at the Canadian American Club in Watertown, 6:30-8:30 pm. \$10 child/\$20 adult. Contact orileyirishdance@gmail.com

Canadian American Club Annual Gala/Fundraiser ~ Sunday November 3rd, 1:00 – 7:00 pm. \$20. Please support our home club by attending this annual event. For more info: <https://www.facebook.com/canadianamericanclub>

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[27] BILL McEVOY'S FANCY (hornpipe)

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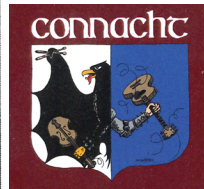
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