



Boherbuoy Band Newsletter

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Celebrating 160 years 1850 - 2010



ST PATRICKS DAY



Arrangements for St Patricks Day (Wednesday 17th March) are as follows: Meet in band hall at 10.30. We will march up to Barracks for 11.15 and will be leading the parade.

to the band hall and then anyone who wants to can go to Reddans to warm up, or cool down depending on the weather!

Diamond Limousines have very kindly lent us one of their cars so that we can bring some of the older members of the band with us on the parade to help celebrate our 160th year. We are hoping that Frank, Pa, Jimmy and Declan will be able to ride in the car (unfortunately there is only room for 4).



Dom and Frank helping us practice for St Patricks Day (Sunday 7th March)

When the parade is over we will have some lunch (bring your own sandwiches - tea will be provided) in the band hall and then travel by bus into Shannon. Their parade starts at 2.00. After the Shannon parade we will return by bus

REHEARSALS FOR NATIONALS

NATIONAL BAND CHAMPIONSHIPS

This year the Championships will take place in UL on 17th & 18th April. We are playing on Saturday 17th, so please make sure to keep the day free.

As Derbhile mentioned last week we only have about 8 or 9 rehearsals left before the Nationals so it would be great if as many people as possible could attend as many practices as they can.

The Dance Band will be playing on the Saturday night at Punches Hotel - any support would be greatly appreciated! Come along and bring your friends.

Derbhile is putting a lot of effort into every rehearsal - she has yet to miss a rehearsal, and she also puts a lot of effort into preparation before every rehearsal. So, if we could all just put an extra effort to attend rehearsals for the next month, we will all benefit from knowing that we did our best on the day.

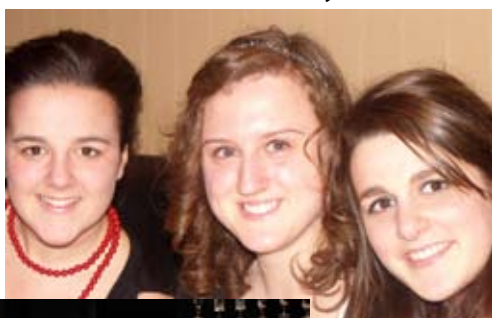
WHO'S WHO OUTSIDE BANDROOM IN 1976



Can you name the people in this picture?

GIRLS NIGHT OUT

The ladies of the band had a great night out at Chocolat restaurant on Friday 26th Feb.



JUNIOR BAND NEWS

Junior band is in full swing. Since January we have had some new members, bringing the number in junior band up to 25! The band are currently rehearsing Crocodile Rock, My Heart Will Go On and The Pirates of the Caribbean and are looking forward to performing these. Aside from teaching new members music the junior band is serving the formation of new friendships among members. Junior band members are looking forward to marching with senior band on St. Patrick's Day. If you know anyone who would like to join the junior band, young or old.....contact Andrew. Also, as the band have a limited number of instruments for junior band members if anyone has any old instruments that they would like to donate please contact a committee member.

REDEMPTORIST ORCHESTRA

Some band members are already playing with the orchestra but they are still looking for more members. If anyone is interested in playing with them please get in contact with Andrew on 085 7744050.

BAND ENGAGEMENTS

March 17th

St Patricks Day Parades in Limerick and Shannon.

April 17th & 18th

National Band Championships in Limerick

May 1st (tbc)

Band Social - BBQ

May 8th

Recital Arthurs Quay

June 11th

Gala Concert in Redemptorist

July 3rd

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