



St. PATRICK'S SOCIETY OF HONG KONG LIMITED

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St Patrick's Mi Na Nollaig (December) Newsletter

A Chairde,

The festive season is virtually on us, and HK has put on it's finery, Christmas Trees, decorations and lighting displays all trying to break through the murky air! Let's hope the weather improves so we can enjoy them.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Society Related:

1. Heritage Walk (Happy Valley/Wan Chai)
On Saturday, 7th December 2002 meeting at 2:30pm outside St Margaret's Church, Broadwood Road, Happy Valley.
2. HKGAGA (Golf) & St Patrick's Christmas Toucan/Turkey Shoot, Friday 13th December 2002, Contact Fergal Power at ferghongkong@hotmail.com for details.
3. St Patrick's Christmas Party, Wednesday 18th December 2002, back at our old venue, the Dublin Jack "Writers Bar" (downstairs) from 7:30pm until you leave. {Note: this is a change in venue, to introduce some variety (**see below**)}.

Other Events:

1. HKRFU Bali Fund Charity Dinner Saturday evening, the 7th December 2002 at Hong Kong Football Club. Refer to web site: www.hkfcrugby.com/news/index.html or contact them at bali@hkfc.com. There will be auctions of rugby memorabilia (some with Irish links) so try to

get along to support the Bali Fund.

2. HKGAA Christmas Party. Friday 13th December 2002 (after the Turkey/Toucan Shoot/Golf day) at Delaney's Wanchai, tickets on the door HK\$400 each, which covers your beer and food for the night. Contact Ronan Collins at 9238-9072 for more information.
3. IBF/Enterprise Ireland Christmas Party again at Delaney's Wan Chai on Monday 16th December 2002. (Details to follow).

I'm sure there are many other Christmas/New Year Parties that I have missed. I hope you all have a great time, wherever you will be. In the New Year we will be arranging a Night at the Races (Mid-January) and a Quiz Night (Mid-February), more on these and other events next month.

Hope to see you all on the 18th December at the Dublin Jack.

Nollaig Shona agus Athblían Shona duit,

Ronan Delaney

President of the St Patrick's Society of Hong Kong 2002/2003

P.S. If you still have not paid your annual subscriptions, please do so as soon as possible. This will be the last "to all" mail and from now on we will restrict it to the "Life" and "Paid-up" membership.