



## St. PATRICK'S SOCIETY OF HONG KONG LIMITED

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Dia Dhaoibh, A Chairde,

Thanks to all the members who turned out over the weekend to support the Football Clubs events. We will pass on more information when we receive it. Please check out their web site for updated, [www.hkfcrugby.com](http://www.hkfcrugby.com).

Here is a quick update for your diaries on some upcoming events:

1. British Chamber of Commerce Ceilidh on Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2002 - at the Aberdeen Marina Club. Ticket Price is HK\$ 550 a head (The ticket includes Celtic (Irish?) Stew all night and all the wine and beer you can drink. You are guaranteed a great night of craic agus ceol!) and proceeds will go towards a memorial fund for the victims of last weekends tragedy in Bali. Contact Ronan Collins at [ronan.collins@arup.com](mailto:ronan.collins@arup.com) (Tel: 9238-9072) who will be arranging tables for both the St Patrick's Society and the HKGAA, please support this very worthy cause.
2. Tentative date for BBQ is 15<sup>th</sup> November 2002 at Middle Island RHKYC, more details and booking form later! Pencil it in.
3. Golf outing with the HKGAA (Golf Society GAGA) in late November 2002, more details to follow.
4. HK Folk Society Nov Events! Festival 2002, 9-10th November at RTHK Broadcast Drive and Quarry Bay School. Check out their web site [www.hkfs.org](http://www.hkfs.org) and e-mail [enquires@hkfs.org](mailto:enquires@hkfs.org).

5. An evening with IBF (Irish Business Forum) Vice-President and prominent Hong Kong business man Mr Brian O'Connor of Quality Healthcare. At the China Club on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2002. For details contact Harry O'Neill at [ibfevents@whitney.com.hk](mailto:ibfevents@whitney.com.hk). Limited Availability at venue, so please check with Harry in advance.
6. Remembrance Day Ceremony will be on 10<sup>th</sup> November 2002 at 11:00am at the Cenotaph in Central.
7. As mentioned by Tom in his June Newsletter there is a Charity Walk on here in late November, (23-29 November) called The Debra Ireland Hong Kong Challenge, for details check out their web site [www.debraireland.org](http://www.debraireland.org).

To see more details of these and other events visit the combined St Patrick's Society, Hong Kong Gadic Athletic Association (HKGAA) and Irish Business Forum (IBF) web site at [www.irelandhk.com](http://www.irelandhk.com).

Again apologies for the late notice on some of these events. I am frantically trying to catch up with all that is coming up, hopefully it will be a little more controlled next month.

Sin a bhfuil

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**President of the St Patrick's Society of Hong Kong**