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FESTIVAL BOOKLET

THE RIESENRAD GOES GREEN

Over 240 iconic landmarks across the world will go green for St Patrick's Day, as part of Tourism Ireland's 2017 Global Greening initiative, putting the island of Ireland centre stage and kick-starting the tourism season. Across 45 countries from Rome to Rio, London to Las Vegas, Vienna to Addis Ababa, prominent sites and icons will light up in green.

This year the One World Trade Center in New York – the main building of the re-built World Trade Center complex in

New York and the tallest building in the Western Hemisphere – will join Tourism Ireland's Global Greening initiative for the first time. It will be joined in this the eight year of the Global Greening by some old favourites like the Colosseum in Rome, the Sacré Coeur basilica in Paris, the Great Wall of China, Niagara Falls and the Christ the Redeemer statue in Rio de Janeiro and of course the Riesenrad in Vienna, which will turn green on the 7th of March.



Riesenrad goes Green, © Andreas Svirak, Tourism Ireland 2015.



Skislope, SkiweltSöll, Tirol © Tourism Ireland, 2014.

AMBASSADOR ADDRESS (EMBASSY)



Ambasáid na hÉireann
Embassy of Ireland



I am delighted that in my first year in Vienna I can welcome such a large festival of Irish music, dancing and culture to celebrate our national day. The relationship between Ireland and Austria has deep roots in history that have remained vibrant down to the present day. In the 12th century Irish monks founded the Schottenstift abbey in Vienna, which remains a prominent part of the centre of the city. This link is kept alive through the celebration of our culture at events such as our St Patrick's Festival.

In my short time here I have been very impressed with the enthusiasm for all things Irish, both within our own ex-pat circle and the wider Austrian community. The festival aims to cover the broad spectrum of Irish culture combining a celebration of Irish music and dancing, with presentations on Irish literature, history, and a

live demonstration of Irish cuisine. The festivities will appeal to a wide audience and we welcome you all to come and celebrate our national day with us.

It is a source of great pride to our country that St Patrick's Day generates such celebration across the globe. Each year we see images of parades and festivals from around the world. We are proud that this tradition continues here in Austria and we hope to bring as much Green as we can to the heart of Vienna.

I look forward to seeing you all there.

LáFhéilePádraigsonadaoibh!

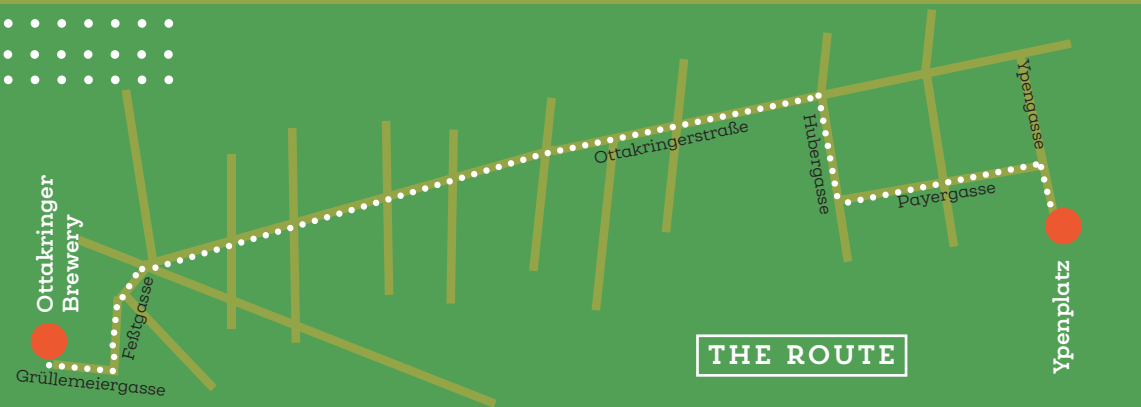
Ambassador Tom Hanney



**Happy St. Patrick's Day from
all the Irish Embassy in Vienna.**

ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE 2017

Vienna's St. Patrick's Day Parade will begin Saturday, 18 March, assembling at Yppenplatz at 11:15, starting at 11:30. The route will proceed from Yppenplatz along Yppengasse, turning left along Ottakringerstrasse to the Ottakringer Brewery. Trams: No. 2 & 44 U-Bahn: U6 Josefstädter Strasse



PARADE PARTICIPANTS

Olympic Sailing Medallist

Leading the parade, carrying the Austrian Flag, will be Thomas Zajac, who along with Tanja Frank, won bronze at the 2016 Summer Olympics in Rio de Janeiro, in the mixed Nacra 17. The Nacra 17 is a series of thirteen races and is one of the very few competitions where both men and women compete on the same team together. The races are conducted in a Nacra 17 catamaran. As an island nation, it is a real honour to have an Austrian Olympic sailor leading our parade.



Blasorchester der Wiener Netze

The Blasorchester der Wiener Netze has long history which began at the end of the First World War. Today, under the management of Mr. Guenter Rudolf and conducted by Mr. Michael Holzer, the orchestra has gone from strength to strength, expanding its repertoire, developing into the top-quality brass band you will see today.

www.gaswerkmusik.at



Vienna Pipes and Drums

Performing in traditional Highland dress, the "Loch Lomond Millenium" tartan are the Vienna Pipes and Drums. They are a Scottish bagpipe band based in Vienna, Austria. The band was formed in 1997, and is made up of musicians from Austria and Scotland. They play regularly at events in Vienna and Austria, and have performed and competed further afield in Italy, Czech Republic, Germany, and Scotland.

www.viennapires.com



Vienna Gaels

The Vienna Gaels are Austria's representative in an ever-growing and popular European Gaelic Games scene. The club was founded in 2004 by a small number of die-hard advocates of the sport alongside curious and driven locals. Both men's and women's teams were developed and began to compete in regional and European competition. The club gained significant international recognition in 2012 after hosting the Pan-European championships in Vienna with 23 teams and over 350 players taking part.

Vienna Gaels GAA club will be an active part of the event, giving everyone an opportunity to experience Gaelic games with demonstrations throughout the afternoon. Try your hand at the sports of Gaelic football, hurling and GAA handball in the courtyard and learn more about the Vienna Gaels and how you can get involved with one of the city's most welcoming and diverse clubs at the information table upstairs.

Irish Setters & Wolfhounds

The Irish Setter Club Austria, was founded in 1995 and is a member of the Irish Red Setter Club in Ireland. They seek to promote the healthy breeding of setters in Austria. under the motto "if it looks like an Irish setter, if its behaviour is the same as an Irish setter, then we consider it an Irish setter, regardless of whether it is declared pedigree or not." More information on the club and breeders can be found here: <http://www.irishsetter.at/>

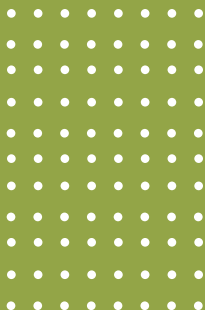
The Windhundhilfe E.V. is a rescue organisation that takes care of Wolfhounds & Sighthounds looking for a new home.

www.windhundhilfe.de



Other participants of the parade include;

Dodo Academy of Irish Dance, Irish Dance Centre, Shamrock Dance Company, Irish Dance Academy, Irish Fire



FESTIVAL PROGRAMME

time	programme
11:30	Parade Start from Yppenplatz
12:00	Parade Arrives at Brewery
	Ottakringer Brewery Moderator: Stuart Freeman (FM4 Morningshow)
12:00	Blasorchester der Wiener Netze
12:10	Ambassador Speech
12:20	Vienna Pipes & Drums
12:30	Pat McMullan & The Sweaty Socks
13:30	Shamrock Dance Academy + Dodo Academy
14:10	Shane O'Fearghail
15:00	Irish Food Talk with Jess Murphy (Chef Kai Restaurant Galway)
15:30	Shannon Irish Music
17:00	Oyster Opening Competition
17:15	Irish Fire + Irish Dance Centre
17:35	Irish Pub Quiz Prize: 2 Return Flights Vienna-Dublin
18:00	Pat McMullan & The Sweaty Socks
20:00	Wyvern Lingo
21:00	We Cut Corners
22:00	Curfew
	NUA Contemporary Electronic Music
23:30	Anna Leiser (Bebop Rodeo)
02:00	Ejeca (BPitch Control / 2020 Vision)
03:30	Shit Robot (DFA Records)
05:00	Curfew

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	Goldfassl Room
13:30	Michael McCaughan Irish Author and Journalist gives a quirky take on learning the Irish Language
14:10	Dr. Diarmuid O'Riain gives a fascinating talk on Irish connections with Vienna through the Schottenstift
15:00	Irish Dance Academy
15:30	Lisa McInerney Irish Writer
17:00	Children's Film: The Secret of Kells



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We Cut Corners

Irish duo We Cut Corners released their third album 'The Cadences of Others' in November 2016. As was the case for both their debut and sophomore releases, this album has been nominated for the Choice Music Prize for Irish album of the year.

John Duignan and Conall O'Breachain have carved out a unique place in the Irish music scene with their eclectic mix of songs, from angular pop and garage rock to wistful indie-folk, always coupled with their unique lyrical deftness. The band have toured and performed at festivals extensively in Ireland, and had the opportunity to play many shows outside Ireland, including in London, Moscow, Berlin, New York, Madrid and Barcelona. The latest album was self-produced and recorded in a church in the Dublin suburbs and was mastered by Josh Bonati and features contributions from Villagers' Conor O'Brien on bass, members of Booka Brass and the Fratres String Quintet.

Wyvern Lingo

Wyvern Lingo are a three-piece from County Wicklow, Ireland. Friends and band mates since school days, Wyvern Lingo share a gift for close harmony, keen songcraft and effervescent live performance which belies their tender years. Drawing on a diverse range of influences from pop, rock and R'n'B, their voices interweave to create a fresh, forward-looking sound.

A self-released EP caught the ear of Irish label Rubyworks, and the band toured with Hozier in the UK and at home; Karen and Caoimhe both putting in a double shift by singing backing vocals for their Wicklow friend. Karen also duets with Hozier on the haunting 'In A Week' on his multi-platinum debut album.

Wyvern Lingo released their first EP for Rubyworks - called 'Letter To Willow' - in 2016.

Early 2017 has seen the band touring in Holland, Germany and Sweden. The band are currently recording their debut album for Rubyworks, which will be released later this year.





Pat McMullan & The Sweaty Socks

Patrick McMullan was born in Belfast in 1952. After his education he lived in London where he played with many famous names including Doctor Feelgood, Screaming Lord Sutch and The Count Bishops. He has also played with Gary Moore, Randy California and Julian Lennon. During this time he composed and jammed with many other names in the music business. He also taught music at Merton College and Gypsy Hill College which is now part of London University under Dr John Howard and Prof. Edward Ho.



Shane Ó Fearghail

Shane Ó Fearghail is an Irish singer-songwriter from Dublin. The man with the velvet voice and acoustic guitar makes Irish indie folk with a special modern Celtic touch. His songs are original and his music deals with modern issues. His inspiration - Irish stories, myths and legends from the past.



Shannon Irish Music

"Shannon Irish Music" are a traditional Irish music band from Prague. They have toured Europe since 1999 performing over 700 gigs, making them one of the most hard working bands out there. Their biggest gig was in 2007 when they supported the legendary Irish band "Altan" in the T-Mobile Arena in Prague. Shannon bring a lot of energy to the table and honour the heritage of this music with their precision, emotion and drive.

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Michael McCaughan

Michael McCaughan is a writer, researcher and broadcaster who has lived and worked in Latin America for almost three decades. He has published regularly with the Irish Times, the Guardian and other media and is a frequent contributor to RTE, Ireland's national radio station. McCaughan has lived in Mexico, Colombia, Argentina and Venezuela, focusing on punk rock, memory, resistance and rebellion with a particular interest in the Zapatista movement in south-east Mexico. He offers workshops to trainee journalists and has delivered media training to activist groups. He is currently completing an MSc in Irish translation skills in Connemara, Co Galway.



Dr. Diarmuid Ó Riain

Dr. Diarmuid Ó Riain is a lecturer at the University of Vienna specialising in the history of Irish monastic activity in Europe, the transmission of Irish texts on the Continent, and hagiographical studies in general. He is part of the SFB-Project "Visions of Community: Comparative Approaches to Ethnicity, Region and Empire in Christianity, Islam and Buddhism (400-1600 CE)". His doctoral research concerned the history and architecture of the Irish Benedictine monasteries of medieval Germany ("Schottenklöster").



Lisa McInerney

Lisa McInerney has had a meteoric rise to the top of modern Irish literature. Formerly an award-winning blogger, her debut novel "The Glorious Heresies" won the 2016 Baileys Women's Prize for Fiction and the 2016 Desmond Elliott Prize. It was shortlisted for an Irish Book Award, longlisted for the 2016 Dylan Thomas Award, and named as a book of the year by The Irish Times, Sunday Independent and Sunday Business Post. In 2016, it was announced that the book will be adapted into a television series, with Lisa attached to adapt her novel for the screen.

Her second novel, *The Blood Miracles*, will be published in April 2017.



Many thanks to our wonderful Irish Dancers from Irish Fire, Irish Dance Centre, Shamrock Dance Academy, Dodo Academy and Irish Dance Academy.



Children's Facepainting

And of course during the day, there will be a makeup artist from kinderschminken.co.at on site to paint your children's faces.



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