

August 2017 Newsletter

Irish American Day at Saratoga Race Course August 2 11AM-5PM



Join the Irish American Heritage Museum, the New

York Racing Authority, and Saratoga Race Course for its annual Irish American Day at Saratoga Race Course. The day with include traditional Irish music, dance, food, and much more. This is a fantastic annual day celebrating all of Irish American Culture that you do not want to miss. Joining us this year are Emerald Dawn, Good Things Band, Boland School of Dance, An Clar School of Dance, Bethlehem Traditional Irish Dance School, Albany Rebels Gaelic Football Team, the Albany Irish Rowing Club, Capital District Irish American Association, LAOH and AOH, the Kate Mullany House, and Irish 2000.

Of Course our Irish chefs will be on hand as well. What are they serving this year??

Harold Qualters, Peter Desmond - Irish Soda Bread

Michael Galbraith, Finn McCool Salmon Cakes

Michael Kiernan- Apple Bread Pudding

Sean McCarthy- Sausage wrapped in Puff Pasty

Andrew Ottati- Split Pea Soup

Jeane Qualters- Irish Cheese Spread

Golf Tournament Rain Date August 7

As many of you know, our golf tournament on June 19th was rained out, so we are gearing up for a great day on August 7th at Mohawk Golf Club. Join the Museum for a fantastic day of golf, Irish cheer, and excitement, at the 18th Annual Mostly Irish Golf Classic. This annual event raises money for the Museum's world class



educational programming and exhibits.

The 2017 golf tournament will be taking place on August 7 at the beautiful Mohawk Golf Club. Also featured will be Irish music, a fantastic auction and raffle, amazing food, and so much more.

There are still a few openings available. Call today at 518-427-1916 if interested!

Capital District Celtic Cruise August 16 7PM-10PM

Join the Irish American Heritage Museum and the United Irish Societies of the Capital District, Inc. for the 2017 Capital District Celtic Cruise on August 16. The cruise boards at 6:30PM at Dutch Apple Cruises and sets sail at 7PM for an evening cruise down the Hudson River. While on the boat, enjoy the fantastic music of Mike DeAngelis. Hors d'oeuvres are included in the ticket price and a cash bar is available. This event happens rain or shine. Tickets are \$35/person if purchased before August 16, and \$45/person on the day of the cruise. All ticket sales are non-refundable. Tickets can be purchased through Dutch Apple Cruises at 518-463-0220, or here . Enjoy a great night with friends supporting all things Irish in the Capital District!





Historic Horse Drawn Trolley Tour August 4 11AM & 1PM

Come out and enjoy an afternoon in Downtown Albany with the Museum and Clayhaven Farms. The trolley will pick you up in front of the Irish American Heritage Museum @ 370 Broadway Albany, NY and make it's way through Historic

Downtown Albany. A local Historian will walk you through some great points of interest. Of course there will be a bit of Irish history told as well! Come and enjoy some local history and relax as we bring you back in time all while riding on a horse drawn trolley. This ride is approximately 1 -1.5 hr long ~ bring your cameras and enjoy Albany as we bring you back in History. Call the Irish American Heritage Museum with any questions @ 518-427-1916.

August Irish American Cultural Events in the Local Region

August 2- 11AM-5PM. Irish American Day at Saratoga Race Course. 267 Union Ave, Saratoga Springs, NY 12866.

August 4- 11AM & 1PM- Horse Drawn Trolley Tours. Irish American Heritage Museum 370 Broadway Albany, NY 12207

August 5- Gaelic Football- New York Cup Final. Albany v. Syracuse 1:30 PM. Albany v. Buffalo 2:30 PM. Plumeri Sports Complex. 20 Frisbee Ave. Albany, NY 12209.

August 7 11AM- Golf Tournament- Mohawk Golf Course. 1849 Union St. Schenectady, NY 12309

August 16- 7PM-10PM Capital District Celtic Cruise- Dutch Apple Cruise.141 Broadway Albany, NY 12202.

August 21- 7PM- Friends of St. Patrick Centre Meet and Greet. CDIAA. 375 Ontario St. Albany NY.

August 30- 11AM-2PM- Open Genealogy Session. Irish American Heritage Museum 370 Broadway Albany, NY 12207

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