

Dear DubSoc members & friends,

Spring in the air!

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DETAILS:

- **Dubsoc Dubs Nite Out Weds April 29, 7pm-10pm**

Paddy Reilly's, 519 2nd Ave., corner of 29th Street

All DubSoc members will receive a complimentary drink: join on the night to avail of this special members-only deal!

This will be a social event where you get to meet and chat with other Dubs and people interested in Dublin!

Featuring two musical acts!

Anam Ceol, featuring Dublin Society secretary Jade Keogh on whistle, Aifric Prunty on fiddle and Shane O'Connell on guitar

Then after at 9.30pm: Fintan Warfield with Dave Browne, two proud Dubs!

Come hang with your fellow Dubs, and maybe give the band a heckle as well!

All Dubs welcome!

DubSoc President Niall O'Leary is attending!

Let us know if you can attend, and please invite your friends as well!

• DubSoc GAA Leinster Final watch party Sun May 17

The Dublin senior football team are ready to reclaim their All-Ireland crown!

The provincial final is always a great chance to have a look at the team before the bigger games come up in the Summer!

Meet at 8.45am at Ernie O'Malley's back room,

140 East 27th Street New York NY 10016

Between Lex and 3rd

We will invite some fans of our opponents as well to encourage some friendly banter!

More info when we know for certain who the teams are: Dublin play Wicklow Sunday April 19th!

Other social events of interest:

• Irish Network NYC Third Thursday April 16

Gibney's NYC, 228 W 39th St, New York, NY 10018 (7th-8th Aves)

• Mid-Atlantic Fleadh is this weekend April 17-19

Princeton, New Jersey

The regional music song and dance competitions organized by Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Eireann (CCE)

<https://ccemidatlantic.com/>

• DubSoc President Niall O'Leary's Birthday Session and Dance Party Mon April 20, 8pm-11pm

Fàilte Bar (upstairs), 531 2nd Ave, (29-30 Streets),

Featuring amazing Uilleann Piper Jerry O'Sullivan, Niall O'Leary (accordion, spoons. percussive dance), Andy Fitzpatrick (guitar & songs), and other musicians and dancers...All welcome!

• United Irish Counties Drive to Revive Sun May 3

• United Irish Counties Feis Sun Jun 14

The UIC Feis will be held on Sunday June 14, 2026 in Yonkers, NY.

We would love to get some Dubs to volunteer...either on the Saturday or the Sunday...

Please email if interested!

Other items of interest:

• Education in Ireland Fair, NYC Tues April 21

Education in Ireland will be hosting a fair in New York City on Tuesday, April 21 from 6-8 pm. If you or someone you know is interested in attending college in Ireland, this is a great opportunity to learn more. Please see more information below.

Education in Ireland is coming to the Northeast! 12 Irish universities will be hosting a Study in Ireland fair in New York City this month.

This event is free and open to students interested in undergraduate or postgraduate programs in Ireland - parents, families, and counselors are also welcome. Register at the links below!



New York City Fair - Tuesday April 21, 6-8pm at Avenues The World School (259 10th Ave, New York, NY 10001) - <https://lnkd.in/eWNbuUHh>

• Diversity Visa 2027 update

The new guidelines and details for the Diversity Visa 2027 are expected to be released in the coming weeks. There will be several new requirements this year. One of the new requirements is that applicants will need to submit a photo of their current, unexpired passport. If you or someone you know is planning to apply for the Diversity Visa 2027 and have an expired passport, they should look at updating the passport now.

For further questions, please contact the Emerald Isle Immigration Center.

<https://eic.org>

• **Membership dues reminder:**

Thanks to everyone who already paid their 2026 DubSoc Membership Dues!

If you have not yet paid your 2026 dues, we kindly ask that you do so at your earliest convenience.

Please pay \$40 membership dues (\$30 if you have been a member for 25 years or more):

by Venmo @DublinSociety-NY

or through our website:

<http://www.dublinsociety.org/>

or by Check, payable to The Dublin Society, mailed to:

Suzanne Fuller, Treasurer Dublin Society of NY

[9 Archer Ave, White Plains, NY 10603](https://www.dublinsociety.org/)

or if you have any questions send an email:

DublinSocietyTreasurer@gmail.com

We are looking to grow the Dublin Society of NY in 2026 and we need your help!

How can you help?!

1. Become a member / Renew your membership:

See above on how to join!

2. Refer others:

Make a list of all the people you know in NYC who are from Dublin, have Dublin parents, or are just interested in Dublin...you can either introduce us, or forward this email!

3. Let us know if you come across anything that would be of interest to our members, or if you are doing something yourself!

4. Help us expand our list of Dubs who do musical entertainment in NYC

5. Help us compile a list of Dublin-owned establishments and businesses in NYC

And anything else you can think of!

Benefits of membership:

March in the St Patrick's Day Parade:

The Dublin Society has to pay an annual affiliation fee!

Attend United Irish Counties (UIC) Association events:

Annual UIC Dinner Dance in January

UIC Feis: Sunday June 14 2026, 8am-5pm in Yonkers, NY

Saint Patrick's Day Parade scholarship program

Over the past 8 years different Dublin Society family members have won a scholarship on 4 separate occasions.

United Irish Counties scholarship program

Access to our curated list of events featuring Dubs in New York City and the Tri-state area!

Be a member of a growing and vibrant community of Dubs in NYC!

• **United Irish Counties Association news**