

# Hammersmith & Fulham Irish Centre News

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## WHAT'S ON DIARY JUNE 1997

FRIDAY JUNE 6th. £4.00

SHASKEEN IRISH THEATRE  
**'I'LL TELL ME MA'**

SATURDAY JUNE 7th. £4.00

IRISH MUSIC with WORLD RHYTHMS  
**TURNPIKE**

FRI JUNE 13th 8.30PM FREE

SESSION OF TRAD IRISH MUSIC

SATURDAY JUNE 14th £5.00

PRE BLOOMSDAY CELEBRATION

Dublin Song, Wit & Literary Readings with  
BRIAN BEHAN Plus Live Irish Music

SUNDAY JUNE 15th £6.00

**\*\*MUSIC PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHT\*\***

### THE IRON HORSE

Evocative Rivetting Acoustic Roots Band!!

FRIDAY JUNE 20th £5.00

### IRISH FOLK EXTRAVAGANZA

Tommy Keane (Uilleann Pipes)

Jacqueline Mc Carthy (Concertina)

Maggie Boyle (Flute & Vocals)

Steve Tilston (Guitar)

SATURDAY JUNE 21st £5.00

One of Scotland's Finest

**\*\*'TABACHE'\*\***

Acclaimed As The Up & Coming ALTAN

FRIDAY JUNE 27th £4.00

Ceili & Set Dance Night

FRIDAY JUNE 27th £3.00

Theatre Samuel Beckett

SATURDAY JUNE 28th £6.00

All Ireland Champions

**\*THE DOONAN FAMILY BAND\***



FRIDAY JUNE 6TH 8PM £4.00  
SHASKEEN THEATRE CO  
PRESENTS

# I'll tell me MA!

A fast moving piece of theatre which portays the lives of Nora, Mary & Bridie who come to live in England in the 1950s. Through flashback, drama & song we follow their journey over from Ireland to the dances & the factory floor. Lic Bar

FRI JUNE 20th 8pm £5. Late Bar

# Folk Extravaganza

A Rare & Unique Line Up

one  
night  
only!

**Tommy Keane**

Top Uilleann Piper

**Jacqueline Mc Carthy**

Concertina

**Maggie Boyle**

Vocals & Flute

**Steve Tilston**

Guitar

Tommy Keane was taught how to play the pipes by Liam Og Flynn, now so highly respected he plays regularly with musicians such as Elivs Costello & Ralph McTell. In duo he plays with concertina player Jacqueline McCarthy & along with Deddanan's Alec Finn they recently produced their top selling album 'The Wind Among The Reeds'. They'll be joined by flautist and acclaimed Irish singer Maggie Boyle who it is said has a 'voice Angels would kill for' along with one of Britains finest Folk songwriters Steve Tilston.

**FIRST CLASS SEDUCTIVE UTTERLY COMPELLING**

SAT JUNE 21st 8PM £5.00

# TABACHE

One of the finest young Celtic bands to have emerged in recent times  
Music with strong Donegal influences  
They Have Similar Talent To

# ALTAN

Pete Heywood 'Living Tradition'  
Featuring 2 BBC Young Tradition Finalists  
Claire Mann & Aidan O Rourke  
'Mind Blowing Talent. Mind Blowing Music.'  
Late Bar

SAT JUNE 7th £4. 8pm Late Bar

# TURNPIKE

Great Irish Music with Rhythms Of The World  
Featuring The Dynamic Talents Of

**Miriam Kavana Fiddle & Vocals**

Main Member Of The Alias Ron Kavana Band

**Chris Sadler Guitar & Vocals**

Member of the Slip Jigloes

**Olly Blanchflower Double Bass**

The Alias Ron Kavana Band  
Plus Support

Friday June 27th 8pm £4.00

# Set & Ceilí Night

With Live Music From  
**INISHFREE BREEZE**  
plus Ceilí Caller. Great Fun  
Everyone Welcome  
No Experience Necessary

SUNDAY JUNE 15th

Evocative Rivetting Acoustic  
Roots!!!

# 'THE IRON HORSE'

Powerful

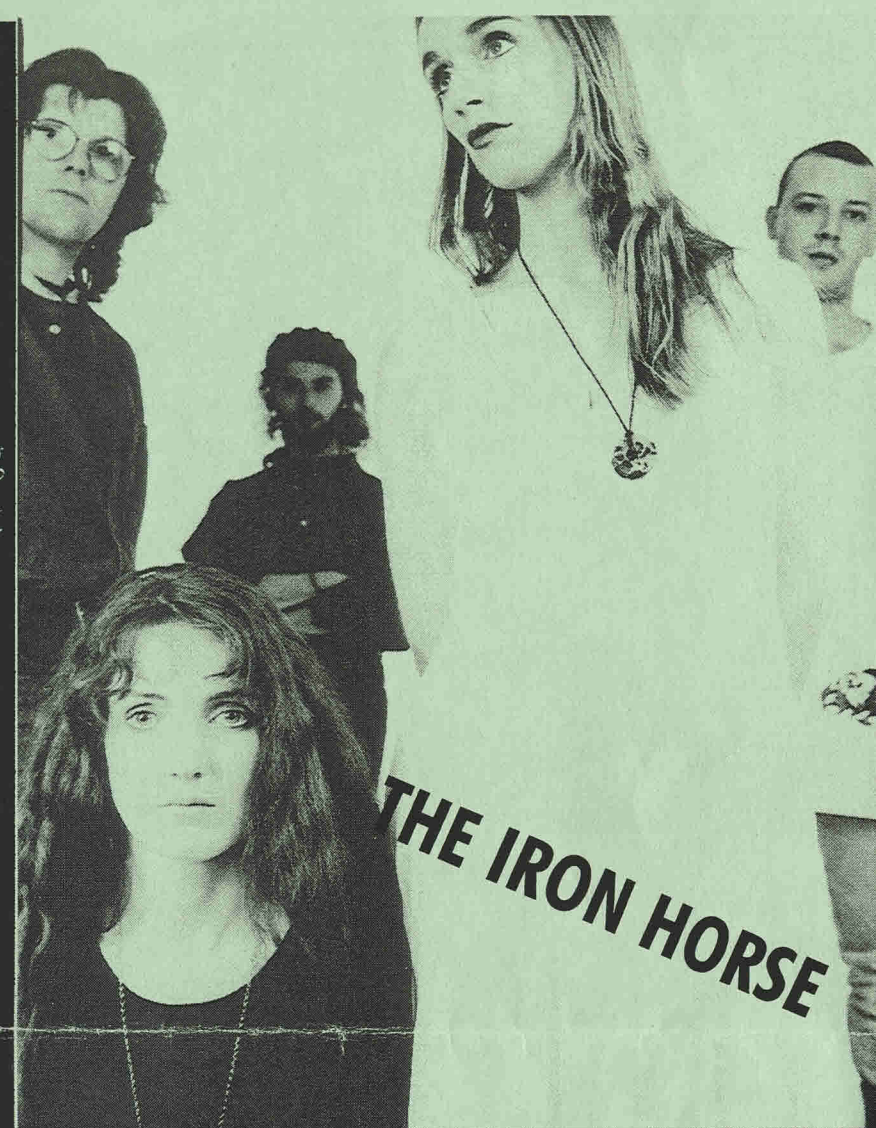
New Celtic Ambient Folk

They gallop through blistering  
jigs & reels fusing bagpipes &  
fiddles with electric guitars.

Their repertoire ranges from  
haunting slow airs to driving  
instrumentals and songs.

See them here. in a small  
venue as they're on the road  
to great highs!!

£6.00 Doors Open 8pm  
Late Bar



# the doonan family band.



JOHN DOONAN  
MICK DOONAN  
KEVIN DOONAN  
JULIE JOHNSON  
ANGELA ELLIOTT  
STU LUCKLEY  
PHIL MURRAY  
PICCOLO  
PICCOLO, FLUTE  
WHISTLE, PPE, VOCALS  
FIDDLE  
DANCING  
FEET  
GUITAR, VOCALS  
FIDDLE, ACOUSTIC  
BASS, GUITAR

SAT JUNE 28th Doors 8pm £6.00/ £5.concs Late. Bar

Top all round entertainment, music song and dance from Tyneside's Premiere Irish Band, which boasts 3 'All Ireland Champion' musicians. As Christy Moore is a great fan and follower, you're definitely guaranteed a superb night out.



**SATURDAY JUNE 14th 8pm**

# Pre Bloomsday Celebration

Dublin Wit Stories Song &  
Joycean Readings

Starring

Notorious Dublin Writer & Storyteller

**BRIAN BEHAN**

(Brother of Brendan)

Irish Actress

**NORA CONNOLLY**

Dublin Street Singer

**SHARKEY**

Promises Craic, Hooley &  
Live Irish Music

£5.00 /£4.00 concs Late Bar

## IRISH THEATRE

FRIDAY JUNE 27th 8.30pm £3.00

**SAMUEL BECKETT'S**

**'MOLLOY'**

Presented By

Gare St Lazare Players

Conor Lovett

Judy Hegarty-Lovett

## Pensioners Irish Tea Dance

Thursday June 5th



Doors Open 1.30pm Live Irish Music

Entry £2.00

**Fri June 13th 8.30pm Bar**

Free Session Of Traditional

Irish Music

Presented By

Comhaltas Ceoltiori Eireann

## CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

For Adults Currently Running

Irish Language (Beginners & Intermediate)

Irish Music Tin Whistles & other Instruments

Irish Dancing Set & Ceili Dancing

Adults Riverdance Beginners & Intermediate

**Children's Irish Saturday School**

Irish Riverdancing; Music Fiddles & Whistles

Sponsored By The Ireland Fund G.B.

The Irish Youth Foundation

Ring The Centre For Classes Information

**Coming Soon...**

Saturday July 19th Don't Miss!! Don't Miss

**THE POPES!!**

**Coming Soon...**

Saturday July 26th **MARY CUSTY** from

The Sharon Shannon Band

**Coming Soon...**

Friday July 4th

**PRE PRIDE PARTY**

Irish Lesbian & Gay Event

**Coming Soon**

Saturday Aug 9th **Kevin Burke's**

**CELTIC FIDDLE FESTIVAL**

## ADVERTISEMENT

Wednesday July 9th 1- 5pm at The Irish Centre.

Information day for people who are interested in

**FOSTERING & ADOPTING**

Needed

Foster Carers & Adoptive Parents

From The Irish Community

This Event Is Being Organised By

Social Services Family Placement Unit.

## FRIENDS OF THE CENTRE

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## CALLING IRISH ARTISTS

The Irish Centre is always eager to hear from 'quality' Irish & Celtic acts, bands individual musicians or agents / promoters. Also Irish Artists or Companies of various natures (theatre / visual) Please send press materials, tapes, biographies to The Centre's Events Organiser.