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SGL Weekly Newsletter – 7th April 2008

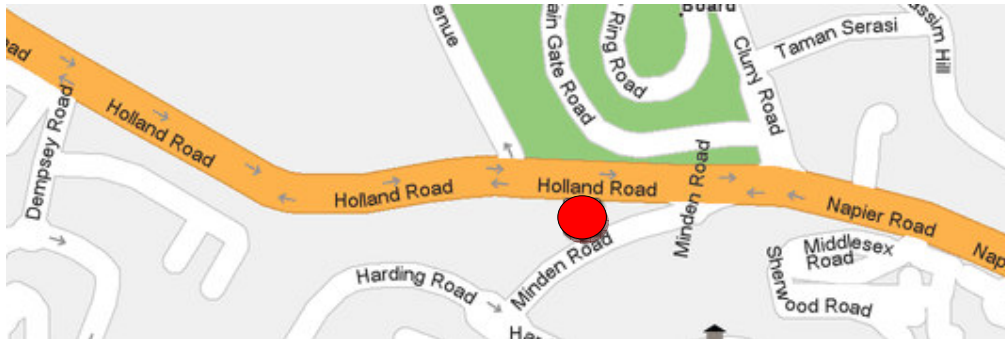
Greetings all!!

Welcome to all the new members!!!

If you have just joined or have some friends interested in playing Gaelic this year, come along to watch (or join in!) on the training being held on this **Sunday April 13th at 4pm** in SMU (NUS Sports Ground, on Evan's Road near the Botanical Gardens) Just after training (about 6.30/7) we're going to head around the corner to **Dempsey's Hut** on 130E Minden Rd for a few beers and a bite to eat. It's a chilled out little place with outside seating- so just bring a t-shirt change next Sunday.

Members please forward to anyone you think might be interested in playing this year- by coming along to Dempsey's they'll get to hear first-hand the good, the great and the mayhem that is the Singapore Gaelic Lions!!

Dempsey's have kindly extended their Happy hour beer prices for us until 9pm (Jugs of San Miguel and Hoegaarden Beer- buy 1 for \$20 and get the second jug for \$12!)



Ladies and Men's Fitness

Denise has taken on the mammoth task of whipping us all into shape again© Fitness training every Tuesday night at 7.30 in SMU (NUS Sports Ground, near Botanical Gardens)

Bring along: Sports Attire, Water, a Towel and bug spray!

2008 Asian Gaelic Games

The 2008 Asian Gaelic Games are due to be held in **Penang Malaysia October 10th-12th** Keep the dates free!! Will send out more information when we hear more!

<http://www.gaeliclions.com/news.php?item=23>

Tour to Bangkok - April 19th:

Link to the Bangkok details below- think everyone is pretty up to speed- but for those of you still to book flights just a warning that availability is now fairly restricted!!

<http://www.gaeliclions.org/File/seasons/2008/bangkokinfo.html/>

SGL 500km run: Special Olympics Donation:

We will be presenting the Cheque for monies raised by SGL at the Marathon to the Special Olympics Singapore at their AGM on April 12th. Please ensure that any outstanding monies raised are submitted to Tracy Clemmer (tracy_clemmer@yahoo.com) or Paul Prendergast (paul.d.prendergast@accenture.com) ASAP. Money can be transferred directly to the club a/c - details below:

Membership Dues – Please READ:

Bank account details are below and fees can be paid via Internet Banking:

Account Type: DBS Current

Account No: 065-901941-2

Name: Gaelic Lions Football Club

Remember to put your name in the Reference field when you are transferring the money. Once you have done so, please email Paul Prendergast (paul.d.prendergast@accenture.com) and let him know you have transferred the money.

Membership fees for 2008 will be as follows:

Playing Membership: \$130
Family Membership: \$175**
Social Membership: \$50

** To be eligible for family membership, there must be at least one adult and one child member.

Also, please ensure you fill in the attached adult membership form (attached in this email) and send it to (tracy_clemmer@yahoo.com) or submit it along with membership fees to Paul.

Photos!

Some nice photos were added to the site by Bla! Of the St. Patrick's Day Parade, our first Social of the Year held in the fabulous Molly Malone's and the brilliant St. Patrick's Society Annual Ball. Check them out!

<http://www.gaeliclions.org/File/seasons/2008/StPatsParade2008.html/>

<http://www.gaeliclions.org/File/seasons/2008/stpatssocial.html/>

<http://www.gaeliclions.org/File/seasons/2008/stpatsball2008.html/>

Congratulations!

Birthday congratulations over the last few weeks to Rachel Cav, Bryan, Catherine, Hugh, Mickey, Donnacha and Andrew

Baby congratulations to Marti & Mark and Nats & Darryl- two gorgeous little future All-stars in the making:

Young Ryan Crosbie minds his new baby sister Aoife and the lovely Miss Grace Prince sound asleep...aaaahhh...



Congratulations also to former Lioness Anne "the O'C" O'Callaghan for completing the Half Marathon in at the Connamarathon in Oughterard over the weekend - aka the "Hell of the West" - battling through no less than 3 hail storms to finish in a great time of 2hrs 10 mins. Last we heard from her she was planning a long bath and bottle of Champers... though not sure in what order.

Finally!

Welcome back to former Chair of the club - Mr. Stevie Keane. (We are trying to convince him to come out of retirement!!!) Also looking forward to welcoming Claire & little Steven in the coming weeks

That's all folks!
Catch you later!

Rachel