

“WE INVOKE HOLY PATRICK, IRELAND’S CHIEF APOSTLE, GOD BE WITH US, TOGETHER WITH THE PRAYER OF PATRICK” (8th Century Prayer)

OFFICIAL LINE OF MARCH

63rd Annual

St. Patrick’s Day Celebration

YONKERS ST. PATRICK’S DAY PARADE ON McLEAN AVENUE

SATURDAY MARCH 24, 2018 - 1:00 P.M.

GRAND MARSHAL AMBASSADOR ANNE ANDERSON

Aides to the Grand Marshal

Kevin Clifford

Joan Magoolahan

Shannon Daugherty

Kayla M. Maher

Denis Flavin

Christine Kenney O’Rourke

Erin Loughran

Thomas P. Smyth

LAWRENCE J. McCRUDDEN, Parade Co-Chair

DEIRDRE O’ MARA, Parade Co-Chair

PARADE BOARD

Hon. Arthur J. Doran, Jr. (Chairman), Jerry Collins (Bands & Marching Groups) James J. Landy (Vice Chairman), Lawrence J. McCrudden (Parade Co-Chair), Ursula McIntyre (Treasurer), Deirdre O’ Mara (Parade Co-Chair), & R. J. Puma (Secretary)

FORMATION COMMITTEE

William Regan and Jerry Collins

JUDGES

Chairman: Hon. Arthur Doran, Jr.

Clive Anderson, Patrick Grimes, Sister Christine Hennessey, Joseph McSpedon & Kevin Walsh

COMMENTARY

Reviewing Stand Announcer –Kerin McCue

INSTRUCTIONS: Each marching contingent, under the leadership of its Marshal, will assemble at the designated times at the point of assembly noted on this program. Each Marshal will report to the Division Commander and will be responsible for the conduct and orderliness of his or her group. Marching will consist of FOUR to SIX abreast .

PARADE STARTS PROMPTLY AT 1:00 P.M. -- RAIN, SNOW OR SHINE

ROUTE of MARCH: Starting Point: McLean Avenue & Bronx River Road. West on McLean Ave. to Coyne Park (east of Central Park Ave). The Official Reviewing Stand will be located on the right side of McLean Avenue two blocks east of Coyne Park. Parade units will disband in Coyne Park upon order of the Marshals or leaders of the respective units.

MARCHING CONDUCT: Each contingent will maintain uniform ranks and endeavor to keep in step. Nothing of an unbecoming nature which detracts from the dignity of the parade will be permitted. This includes comic hats, advertising, posters and commercial signs. **The carrying or consumption of alcoholic beverages while in the line of march is forbidden.** Proper distance between units shall be maintained. NO gaps will be allowed. All marching units will exercise “EYES RIGHT” when passing the Reviewing Stand. We request that the bands play when passing the Reviewing Stand. NO stopping for demonstrations. All performances must keep moving FORWARD. Do not throw giveaway items at the spectators. Port-a-potties are located at the lineup area and along the line of march. **The use of Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAV) otherwise known as “Drones” is strictly prohibited. This includes all marching units, bands and spectators. The use of “selfie sticks” while marching is prohibited.**

DIVISION: McLEAN ONE -- GRAND MARSHAL DIVISION

Steps off at 1:00 PM

(Traffic light at Hyatt Street)

DIVISION COMMANDERS: Bill Regan, Jerry Collins, Cammie Tickell & Fran Regan

Police Motorcycle Escort, Yonkers Police Department

Police Emerald Society of Westchester Color Guard

Pipes & Drums of the Police Emerald Society of Westchester, Westchester Co, NY

Police Emerald Society of Westchester, Westchester Co, NY

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**Deirdre O' Mara, Lawrence J. McCrudden, Chairpersons and
Hon. Michael Spano, Mayor**

**PARADE BOARD: Arthur Doran, Jr., Jerry Collins, James J. Landy, Ursula McIntyre
& Ralph J. Puma**

New York City Department of Sanitation Emerald Society Pipes & Drums Band

Former Grand Marshals & Aides with Irish County Flags

Erin Loughran School of Irish Music

McLean Avenue Merchant's Association (MAMA) Marchers

Elected and Appointed Officials

Aisling Irish Community Center

DIVISION: McLEAN AVENUE NORTH

(Between First Street & Bronx River Road)

Steps Off at 1:10 PM

Division Commanders: Kevin Ellis, Bob Eggen & Donal Gately

Blackthorn Pipe Band

Empire VFS Post 375

Bajart American Legion Post 1122

Bajart American Legion Post 1122 Ladies Auxiliary

SUNY Maritime College Emerald Society

Yonkers City VFW Post 1666

US Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 6-8

69th New York Historical Association

Yonkers Fire Department Pipes & Drums Band

**Yonkers Firefighters – IAFF Local 628
Yonkers Fire Department (YFD) HolyName Society
Firefighters Emerald Society of Westchester**

DIVISION: 2017 TROPHY WINNERS: (HYATT A)

**Steps Off at 1:20 PM
(Between McLean & Scott)**

Division Commanders: Mike Morley, Pat McLaughlin & Fran Regan

**Westchester Brassmen Drum & Bugle Corps
St. Joseph's Medical Center
Salesian High School Band
Boy Scout Troop 47 & Pack 47 – St. Paul the Apostle
Young Marines River Towns
Newport AOH Pipes & Drums
LAOH Our Lady of Knock, Division 19
Cavan P&B Association of NY
Police Pipes & Drums of Bergen County, NJ
AOH – Division 22, Bergen County – Father Solanus Casey Division
Broesler School of Irish Dance**

DIVISION: 240th Street

**Steps Off at 1:30 PM
(Between McLean & Martha)**

Division Commanders: Kevin Hartnett, Brian Hartnett, Kevin Ellis, Bob Eggen

**Rockland County Police Emerald Society Pipes & Drums Band
Woodlean Boys & Girls Club
AOH – Westchester County Board
AOH – Bronx County Board
AOH – Division 5, Bronx County
AOH -- Division 9, New York County – Francis P. Beirne Division
American Irish Association of Westchester
Friendly Sons of St. Patrick in Westchester County
Yonkers Middle High School Band
Miracle League of Westchester
Ferncliff Manor
Elizabeth Seton Pediatric Center
Celtic Motorcycle Club (Celtic MCC)
New York Police Department Emerald Society Pipes i& Drums Band
New York Police Department Emerald Society**

DIVISION: VIREO AVENUE

Steps Off at 1:40 PM

(Between McLean Avenue & 236th Street)

Division Commanders: Jim Walsh, Jack McDonald, Tom Allison & Al Fitzpatrick

Fire Department of New York Emerald Society Pipes & Drums Band

Lakers Athletic & Social Club

Amackassin Club

Con Edison Emerald Society

St. Eugenes School

Lansdowne Yonkers FC

Woodlawn Parents

County Clare PB&S Association of New York City, Inc.

Kilkenny Association

Iona College Pipe Band

Fire Department of New York Emerald Society

St. Bartholomew's Church

County Fermanagh P&B Association

AOH Division 1 – Orange County, NY

DIVISION: 241ST STREET

(Between McLean & Martha)

Steps Off at 1:50 PM

Division Commanders: Dennis O'Brien, Cammie Tickell & Fran Regan

Manhattan College Pipes & Drums

St. Barnabas Parish

St. Barnabas Pack 102, Troop 102 and Venture Crew 102

St. Barnabas Elementary School

St. Barnabas Athletic Club

St. Barnabas High School

Cardinal Spellman Band

Sacred Heart Grammar School

Sacred Heart High School

Girl Scout Daisy Troop 2480

County Cork B.P.&P. Association

Marching Cobras of New York

National American Miss 2017-2018

Suburbia Roller Derby

St. Mark's Lutheran School

St. Paul the Apostle School

DIVISION: FIRST STREET
(241st Street Between McLean & Scott
Steps Off At 2:00 PM

Division Commanders: Ed Keating, Rick Valverde, Kevin Hartnett & Brian Hartnett

Rockland County AOH Edward V. Larkin Memorial Pipe Band
New York Minor Board
Habitat Fire Drumline
New York Minor Board
Firefighters Emerald Society of Westchester Pipes & Drums
St. Ann's School – Bronx
New York Nurse's Association
Condors Swim Club
Aquinas High School Band
PS 19 – Judith K. Weiss School
Lud-Dale Youth Association
St. Raymond Academy Marching Band
St. Raymond Academy for Girls
Mayo Society
Woodlawn Heights Taxpayers and Community Association
New York Ancients Fife & Drum Corps
St. Brigids LGFCC
Catholic Slovak Club
Tuckahoe High School Marching Band
St. John the Baptist School
Lincoln High School Band
St. Gabriel Cub Scout Pack 24 – Riverdale
St. Gabriel Juniors Troop 1213 & Cadets
St. Gabriel School Brownie Troop 1211

DIVISION: McLEAN AVENUE SOUTH

(On McLean Avenue Between Vireo & Bronx River Road – South of Double Yellow Line
Steps Off at 2:10 PM

Division Commanders: Vic Costa, Kevin Ellis, Bob Eggen & Donal Gately

NY State Courts Pipes & Drums
Mount St. Michael's Academy
County Leitrim Society of NY
Boy Scout Troop 4 St. John's Episcopal Church, Yonkers
NYC District Council of Carpenters Pipe & Drum Band
NYC District Council of Carpenters
Deirdre O' Mara School of Irish Dance
Offaly GAA Club of NY
Kerry Pipers of Woodlawn

**Kerrymen's P&B Association of NY
Sligo Social & Benevolent Association of New York
Flynn School of Irish Dance
PEARLS Hawthorne Marching Band
PEARLS Hawthorne Elementary School**

**DIVISION: HYATT B
(On Hyatt between McLean & Scott)
Steps Off at 2:20 PM**

Division Commanders: Mike Morley, Pat McLaughlin, Jim Walsh & Ed Keating

**St. Raymond's Elementary School Band
St. Raymond's Elementary School
Girl Scouts Troop 1757
Tiger Scout Den of Pack 67
New York City Transit Pipes & Drums Band
NYC Transit Authority Emerald Society
Mayor Spano's African American Advisory Board
Mayor Spano's LGBTQ Advisory Board
Plumbers & Steamfitters Local 21 Union Band
Plumbers & Steamfitters Local 21
Galway Association of New York
Woodlawn House of Music
Woodlawn Run for a Cause
Woodlawn's Next Chapter
Riverside High School Band
Hyatt Community Association
Yonkers Police Captains, Lieutenants and Sergeants Association
Love Holds Life Cancer Foundation
County Tipperary N&B Association of NY
Relay for Life – American Cancer Society
Inishfree School of Irish Dance
Sword of Light Band
International Brotherhood of Electric Workers Local 3 Electricians
Westchester Mechanics' Association (Local 3)
Westchester Putnam Chapter Local 3 IBEW Retirees Association**

**DIVISION: BRONX RIVER ROAD
(Corner of Bronx River Road & McLean)
Steps Off at 2:30 PM**

**Stephen Driscoll Memorial Pipe Band
AOH Division 1, Yonkers – Myles Scully Division
TEAM FORMATION**

The Parade Committee gratefully acknowledges the support given by the following friends:

**AOH MYLES SCULLY DIVISION 1
BAJART AMERICAN LEGION POST #1122
EMPIRE CITY CASINO
McLEAN AVENUE MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION
ST. BARNABAS CHURCH
ST. MARK'S CHURCH
THE CITY OF YONKERS and MAYOR MICHAEL SPANO
YONKERS ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE on McLEAN AVENUE COMMITTEE**

The listings in this Program include all units which had officially affiliated with the Parade Committee at the time the Program was submitted for printing. The Committee regrets that organizations participating in the Parade who affiliated after the publication deadline could not be listed in the line of march.

TROPHIES will be awarded to the marching groups in the following categories:

**Best Marching Band
Best Marching Unit (Junior Division)
Best Marching Unit (Senior Division)
Best High School Marching Unit
Best Irish County Marching Unit
Best High School Marching Band
Best Bag Pipe Band
Best Irish Youth Marching Unit
Best Grade School Marching Unit
Best Community Marching Unit
Best Scout Marching Unit
Grand Marshal's Special Award**