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NEWSLETTER

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January 2023

Dear Members,

We hope you all had a joyful Christmas with your families and friends. I did hear complaints how cold it was in Florida, but you should have been in Connecticut on Christmas Eve. It was really cold. Please say a prayer for the people in Buffalo as they dig out from five feet of snow.

Looking back at our club in 2022 we accomplished a lot. We grew our membership and we are much more solvent financially today. We had a little setback with Hurricane Ian and our meeting place, the American Legion was destroyed. But thanks to Snappers Comedy Club we are able to have our meetings and all of our other functions there.

Welcome back to all the Snowbirds. Hope to see you at our January meeting on Monday the 9th. Entertainment that evening will be Harry Boyle. Some of the upcoming events: the Hooley February 5th; Comedian George Casey March 7th; planning to march in the Naples St. Patrick's Day Parade; plus end of the year Picnic.

Just a reminder: have you paid your membership for 2023? I would like to thank The Board of Director's and Officers for all their hard work in 2022.

*Happy New Year
Mike Faherty
President*

United Irish of Southwest Florida Hooley in the Kitchen!

Sunday, February 5, 2023

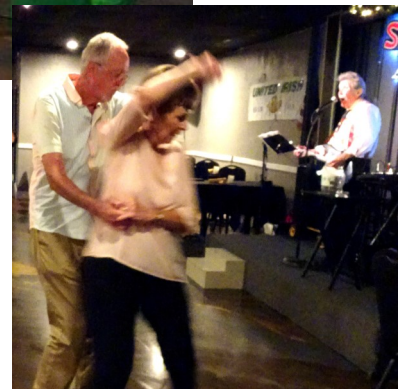
\$35.00
Corned Beef Dinner
Open Cash Bar

For reservations:
Mike Faherty - 203-640-8927
Kathy McAuliffe - 703-728-9070
Joe Nolan - 516-263-5439

With Harry Boyle
Doors open: 1:30pm
Harry: 2:00pm - 5:00pm
Snappers Laugh In Comedy Café
8595 College Parkway, Suite 270
Fort Myers, FL 33913



Christmas Party





Member Updates

Welcome

**WELCOME TO OUR
NEWEST MEMBERS:
IF YOU GET A CHANCE,
BE SURE TO BID THEM
WELCOME!**

**PATRICK &
ALLISON GARRITY
FRANCES &
FRANK McDONOUGH
PATTI M WALSH &
BOB MARKLE**



**Happy Birthday
Lil' Firecrackers!!**

Kathleen Chambers	Bill Grieve
Charlene Davis	Peter Heaney
Bill DeForge	Carol Mikos
Frank Farrell	Tommy Monahan
Siobhain Flynn	Frank Talty
Kelly Flynn	Carl Weigel

WE COULDN'T DO IT WITHOUT YOU!

**A Very Special Thanks
to Our New Patrons:**

**Michael & Charlene Conway
Jim & Pat Dempsey
Patrick & Allison Garrity
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Please note these dates reflect that the meetings are now held every second Monday of each month.

UPCOMING EVENTS

You won't want to miss the first meeting of 2023! Not only is it a brand new year, but we get to visit with old friends down for the winter and find out how their holidays were. Oh, and don't forget to bring your dancing shoes since we'll have HARRY BOYLE for entertainment. Usual time and place.

1/9/23	General Membership Mtg.
2/5/23	Hooley in the Kitchen
2/13/23	General Membership Mtg.
3/7/23	Comedy Night-George Casey
3/11/23	Naples St. Patrick Parade
3/13/23	General Membership Mtg.
3/17/23	St. Patrick's Day
4/2/23	Annual Picnic
4/10/23	General Membership Mtg.



All General Meetings are held at Snappers Laugh In Comedy Café
8595 College Parkway, Suite 270
Fort Myers, FL 33913
(239) 479-5233
Meetings at 7:00 P.M.
Come at 5:30 for food & drink!



The Club is collecting food for victims of Hurricane Ian. If you can, please bring a few non-perishable food items to the meeting on January 9th. They will be given to a church or food bank to benefit those on Fort Myers Beach affected by the hurricane. We appreciate anything you can do. Thank you in advance!!

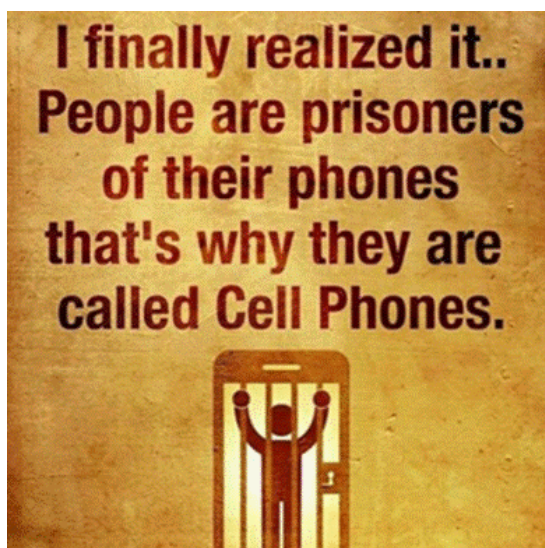
Save the Date

For

GEORGE CASEY

March 7, 2023 at Snappers Laugh In Comedy Café

More Info Forthcoming



If you haven't, please renew! Membership dues for 2022/2023 season:	
Single	\$15.00
Couple/Family	\$25.00
Business	\$50.00
* Patron	\$10.00
(Patron money helps to cover the club's operating	

If you want to know what's going on in the club check out our website at:
<http://www.unitedirishofswflorida.com/events>

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Phone _____ E-Mail _____

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City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Membership Type: Single (\$15) _____ Family (\$25) _____ Business (\$50) _____
(Please include business card)

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(Please Choose) Enter E-Mail Address

I/WE WOULD LIKE TO BE A PATRON MEMBER. (Please enclose an additional \$10.00 with your dues. Your patron donation helps to defray club expenses and operating costs.)

Return completed form and dues to: UISWFL Membership Chairman
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