



Irish Heritage Society of Sacramento

General Meeting Minutes

February 4, 2026

Call to Order: meeting was called to order 6:33pm by President Kevin Coen

Roll Call Officers: In attendance, Kevin Coen, Bill O'Connor, Dawn Wilson

Approval of January Meeting minutes: Changes, Mike Lynch noted that there was a misspelling, item was corrected. Motion made by Bill O'Connor to accept minutes, seconded by Mike Lynch, vote was taken and approved to accept as written.

Membership Report: 3 new memberships for 28 total memberships and 40+ members as of meeting date. 5 general, 17 senior, 6 family memberships.

Treasurer's Report: Income of \$191.58, \$432.47 payments, current balance \$451.92. No pending reimbursements to be made.

Unfinished Business:

- Liability insurance was purchased from R.V. Nuccio & Associates for \$315.00 per year.
- St. Patrick's parade application to be filled out, cost \$25 entry fee. Motion made by Kevin Coen to pay fee for parade, seconded by Bill O'Connor, voted and approved.
- Entry announcement for parade to be "Taking pride in Celtic heritage".
- Still waiting for response from St. Mel Church about having table at their St. Pat's dinner.
- Grant application filed for ESP program through Irish government.
- Reviewed January social meet up, at future events should have a presentation.
- Calaveras Celtic Faire application was submitted and details given.
- Norcal Celtic Faire application was submitted and details given.

New Business:

- Club shirts are available through Logo It in Orangevale.
- President exploring ideas for a Whiskey Walk, needs to check with bar owners to see if possible.
- Miniature golfing fundraiser, checked with Golfland in Roseville. Expense not feasible to rent whole course, would need to get group together and join open session. Need to contact management with plans to finalize when ready.
- Discussed ideas for next meet up presentation, poet night, solstice.
- Asked for input about how to be more visible in community and desire of membership to be involved.

Communications:

- Contact by individual looking for piper for memorial service in May.
- Catholic church in Jackson looking for Irish dancers for St. Pat's event.
- Rocklin resident looking for help with genealogy research.
- Sofia theatre gave us permission to have table at future Celtic events, gave us a 10% discount code for their upcoming 3 Irish shows to share with members and friends.
- Invited to Highland Games in Pleasanton.

Announcements:

- Father Paddy's St. Patrick's Day Party
- Irishpalooza at Harlows
- The Irish Social at the Limelight Bar

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 7:41pm.