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**Shamrock Club March 6 Meeting to Feature Irish Honorees  
And 48<sup>th</sup> Birthday Party and Pipe Concert  
Members of NYPD and NYFD to Be Presented**

The **Shamrock Club of Wisconsin's Milwaukee chapter** will hold its 48<sup>th</sup> birthday party on **Thursday, March 6, 2008** at the Irish Cultural and Heritage Center, 2133 West Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, at 7 pm. The meeting is free and open to the public.

The 2008 Irish Honorees will be presented at the meeting, and will be given their sashes. The trio is Irishman of the Year, **Joseph Hughes**, of Milwaukee, Irish Rose, **Linda Tuescher**, of New Berlin, and Parade Marshal, **Del Canon**, of Wauwatosa.

The night will feature a concert by the award winning **Shamrock Club Color Guard Pipes and Drums**. The unit has won best of parade awards from San Antonio, Texas, to Savannah, Georgia, as well as across Wisconsin, and has marched in the New York City St. Patrick's Day Parade, the Dublin, Ireland, 1988 Millennium Parade, and New Orleans Parade. It is a mainstay of the Southside Chicago Parade, having marched in it for over 25 years. The concert will feature the pipes and drums of the group, which boasts up to twenty-two pipers and twelve drummers.

Members of the **New York City Police** and **Fire Department** will be on-hand, as well. They will be marching in the Shamrock Club's 42nd annual St. Patrick's Day Parade on Saturday, March 8, 2008.

In addition, there will be birthday cake and a raffle.

The Shamrock Club is the oldest and largest Irish membership organization in Wisconsin. It was founded on March 17, 1960 in Milwaukee, and currently has chapters in a number of cities and counties of Wisconsin. The Milwaukee chapter is based at the Irish Cultural and Heritage Center, 2133 West Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, 53233. Meetings are the first Thursday of each month, and are free and open to the public.

For more information about the Shamrock Club March 6 meeting, please call 414-345-8800.

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