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THE NATION'S ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE

41ST ANNUAL PARADE -- SUNDAY MARCH 11, 2012

Cathal Armstrong
Grand Marshal



Michael F. Curtin Jr.
Gael of the Year



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the
Soul*

*Nourish
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2012
41st Annual
St. Patrick's Day Parade
The Nation's Parade
"Feed the Soul - Nourish the Palate"

United States National Anthem	Pat Garvey
Irish National Anthem	Pat Garvey
Invocation	Rev. Msgr. Salvatore Criscuolo
Master of Ceremonies	Greg Ambrose
Embassy of Ireland	Ambassador Michael Collins
Grand Marshal	Cathal Armstrong
Gael of the Year	Michael F. Curtin Jr.
Division Marshals	Brian Manion Nora Reilly Patty Simpson

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The St. Patrick's Day Parade Committee is a non-profit organization registered in the District of Columbia, founded for the sole and express purpose of organizing and producing the St. Patrick's Day Parade in Washington DC

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Ireland's Four Provinces
Falls Church, VA

The Irish Channel
Crofton, MD

Murphy's of Virginia
Alexandria, VA

Ireland's Four Courts
Arlington, VA

Ireland's Four Fields
Washington DC





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PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATION

The White House

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

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Presidential Proclamation -- Irish-American Heritage Month, 2012

IRISH-AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH, 2012

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

A PROCLAMATION

For centuries, America and Ireland have built a proud and enduring partnership cemented by mutual values and a common history. Generations of Irish have crossed the Atlantic in pursuit of prosperity, and today nearly 40 million of their proud descendants continue to make their indelible mark on the United States of America. Their stories, as varied as our Nation's people, humble us and inspire our children to reach for the opportunities dreamed about by our forebears.

Over hundreds of years, Irish men, women, and children left the homes of their ancestors, watching the coasts of Donegal and the cliffs of Dingle fade behind them. Boarding overcrowded ships and navigating dangerous seas, these resilient travelers looked to the horizon with hope in their hearts. Many left any valuables, land, or stability they had behind, but they came instead with the true treasures of their homeland -- song and literature, humor and tradition, faith and family. And when they landed on our shores, they shared their gifts generously, adding immeasurable value to towns, cities, and communities throughout our Nation.

Today, we draw on the indomitable spirit of those Irish Americans whose strength helped build countless miles of canals and railroads; whose brogues echoed in mills, police stations, and fire halls across our country; and whose blood spilled to defend a Nation and a way of life they helped define. Defying famine, poverty, and discrimination, these sons and daughters of Erin demonstrated extraordinary strength and unshakable faith as they gave their all to help build an America worthy of the journey they and so many others have taken. During Irish-American Heritage Month, we recall their legacy of hard work and perseverance, and we carry forward that singular dedication to forging a more prosperous future for all Americans.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BARACK OBAMA, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the laws of the United States, do hereby proclaim March 2012 as Irish-American Heritage Month. I call upon all Americans to observe this month by celebrating the contributions of Irish Americans to our Nation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this first day of March, in the year of our Lord two thousand twelve, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and thirty-sixth.

BARACK OBAMA



GRAND MARSHAL - CATHAL ARMSTRONG

Native Dubliner, Cathal Armstrong, Chef and Co-Owner of Restaurant Eve was born into a family with a passion for food. Unusual for families living in Dublin proper at the time, they had a fruit and vegetable garden, ate plenty of garlic and had their own travel business. Armstrong was exposed to the cuisine of other cultures by his father and developed an appreciation of gastronomy. According to Armstrong, "My father is a natural, a great cook."



This Irish chef still cherishes the memories of working alongside his father in the family garden. It was in France, at the tender age of seven, that Armstrong began his annual student exchange and his food curriculum for life. These influences instilled in Armstrong the importance of organic growing and sustainability, before they were buzzwords. Today he honors that tradition by demanding the highest-quality ingredients from a handpicked network of suppliers revered for their wholesome products.

This impassioned toque's significant contribution to the local food movement garnered him accolades that extend beyond his cooking, including The National Restaurant Association "Neighborhood Community Award," Edible Chesapeake Magazine's "Local Hero Award" and The Washingtonian Magazine's "Green Giant Award." Armstrong is also a board member of Fresh Farm Markets, which operates eight farmers' markets in the Chesapeake Bay region.

He was one of the first chefs invited to the White House to brainstorm with chef Sam Kass on an initiative to improve school lunches. Inspired by his experiences visiting local DC public school kitchens and unsatisfied by the nutritional quality he found, Armstrong founded Chefs as Parents™ in the summer of 2010, promptly enlisting fellow DC area chefs/parents to serve on the board of this non profit.



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Chef Armstrong was a Best Mid-Atlantic Chef nominee by the James Beard Foundation in 2009 and 2010. He was selected as Food & Wine magazine's "10 Best New Chefs 2006" and "50 Hall of Fame Best New Chefs," along with honored as a Best Chef Award Winner by the Restaurant Association of Metropolitan Washington DC in 2007.

Four years after the opening of Restaurant Eve, Armstrong's Tasting Room received a four-out of four star rating by The Washington Post food critic Tom Sietsema.

In addition to Armstrong's other unique properties (The Majestic, PX and Eamonn's A Dublin Chipper), he recently opened Virtue Feed & Grain™. His newest project, Society Fair™, an Epicurean Emporium, opened in January 2012. Society Fair is a life style market, complete with a boulangerie, butchery, wine shop and chef demo kitchen, all under one roof. Armstrong is also opening a second Eamonn's A Dublin Chipper, expanding outside of Alexandria into Arlington.

Rave reviews continue as Armstrong expands with complex, thoughtful cooking that knits together his Irish upbringing, his French training, and his grasp of the American culinary moment.



For his culinary accomplishments and for nourishing the palates of many, the St. Patrick's Parade Committee is proud to honor Cathal Armstrong as our 2012 Grand Marshal.





GAEL OF THE YEAR - MICHAEL F. CURTIN JR.



Mike's Irish roots trace back to County Cork and County Clare. His paternal great grandfather, Thomas J. Curtin, emigrated from the City of Cork in 1876. He enlisted in the military in NY and was assigned to the 7th Cavalry regiment headed up by General George Custer. Fortunately he was not dispatched to his post in North Dakota until after the battle of Little Big Horn. He

married Nora Kelleher, also from Cork, in 1881. Mike's paternal great grandmother, Ellen Byrne, was married to James Mulligan who came from County Cork, and both of them came to the US in the late 1880s. His maternal great grandfather, Patrick Gleason, came from County Clare to escape the potato famine and ironically became an apple baron in western New York.

Mike is a graduate of Gonzaga College High School, Washington DC and Williams College, Williamstown, Massachusetts. After graduating from Williams College with a BA in Religion, Mike lived and worked in Osaka, Japan for three years. It was then that Mike decided he wanted to open a restaurant back in the States. After returning to the Washington area, he worked at the Hay-Adams Hotel, the Dixie Grill and McCormick and Schmick's on K Street. Mike also owned and operated his own restaurant, The Broad Street Grill, in Falls Church, Virginia. That was a time he now refers to as "his first experience in the nonprofit sector."

Mike joined DC Central Kitchen (DCKK) in 2004. DC Central Kitchen turns leftover food into millions of meals for thousands of at-risk individuals, while offering nationally recognized culinary job training to once homeless and hungry adults. Its mission is to use food as a tool to strengthen bodies, empower minds, and build communities. The programs provide a comprehensive continuum of care to the people who are served.



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As the CEO of the DC Central Kitchen, Mike has applied his expertise in organizational design and experiences as an entrepreneur in the restaurant business to expand the Kitchen's social enterprise initiatives. Over the last four years, the Kitchen has generated over \$12 million dollars (nearly half of what it costs to run all of the

Kitchen's programs) through fee-for-service contracts, catering, and other social enterprise ventures.



The Kitchen's new focus on procuring local produce garnered a Mayor's Environmental Excellence Award and the Washington Business Journal's Green Business Award for Innovation. Mike has spoken on the Kitchen's many innovative

social enterprise programs at the Social Enterprise Alliance Conference, the World Social Enterprise Summit, and the Social Capital Conference. He has also been a featured speaker at Georgetown University, the Yale Sustainable Food Program, Williams College, the Darden School of Business and many other academic institutions across the country. He sits on an advisory board for the Center for Health and the Global Environment at Harvard Medical School.

He is a recipient of the 2010 Gelman, Rosenberg & Freedman EXCEL Award for excellence in chief executive leadership and has been honored by Gonzaga with the St. Aloysius Medal and the Pedro Arrupe Service Award. He was also recognized by the Ignatian Volunteer Corps, along with his parents Mike and Kathleen Curtin, with the Del-la Strada Award for commitment to the Jesuit ideals of social justice.

For his dedication to combating hunger and creating opportunities for thousands of at-risk individuals, the St. Patrick's Parade Committee is proud to honor Michael F. Curtin Jr. as our 2012 Gael of the Year.



DIVISION MARSHAL - BRIAN MANION



Brian Manion was born on August 25, 1958 in the Bronx, NY. As a child he attended St. Nicholas of Tolentine Parish until his family later moved to Deer Park NY. His parents Richard and Patricia raised Brian and his brother and sisters in a very culturally rich Irish environment. Mother's family are first generation Irish-Americans from Drumkeerin, County Leitrim; whereas his father's people the O'Mainnin's are an important Ui Maine Sept from Galway. Brian is the proud dad of two children, Dianna and Richie, and an even prouder pop pop to his grandson Liam Richard.

Like many Irish-Americans, Brian chose law enforcement as a profession. He proudly served with the Metro Transit Police Department for twenty-eight and one-half years before his retirement in 2010. During his tenure, he proudly represented his organization at the White House, Embassies, on Capitol Hill and cities throughout the country. His career provided him with a wonderful opportunity to develop friendships and contacts throughout the DC Metro Area as well as nationwide.

In 1986, Brian became a Charter member of the Police Emerald Society of the Washington DC Area, a cultural/social organization that represents the voice of Irish-American Law Enforcement Officers. Since that time he has served the Police Emerald Society as president for six years, and 1st Vice President for six years. In his retirement, he continues to serve as Treasurer, Membership Chairman, and Editor of the Emerald Society News Letter.

Brian is also a co-founder and Past Third Vice President of the National Conference of Law Enforcement Emerald Societies, which was founded in 1995. The NCLEES represents eighty-two Police



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Emerald Society chapters with over twenty-five thousand members nationwide. He continues to serve as the Legislative Advisor to the NCLEES and National Police Week Pipe Band Coordinator.

In addition, he currently serves as a Law Enforcement Ambassador to the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Fund, and Co-Chairman of the Pipe Band Committee for the NLEOM. Brian has been a member of the Fraternal Order of Police DC Lodge #1 since 1982.

Brian was indoctrinated to the St. Patrick's Day Parade while in grade school, as each year his family attended the NYC St. Patrick's Day parade. He warmly recalls it as a holiday for our family, and a day for he and his siblings to duck school if it fell on a weekday.

This influence and efforts have had a highly positive effect on the DC Parade as Brian has been active with the St. Patrick's Day Parade since he came to Washington DC in 1982. Brian was originally recruited to volunteer as a Parade Marshal by retired MTPD Captains, Martin Hannon and Cyril Carew. This year Brian will be celebrating his thirtieth year with the DC St. Patrick's Day parade, and has generously given his time to the recruitment, coordination and training of new Parade Marshals.

In Brian's words, "I feel I kept a well balance between my professional career and my personal life, which has enriched me and has made me a well rounded person." Those who know Brian would agree with this assessment; and know that extends far beyond to include what may be considered his finest attribute, his caring for others.

For his numerous accomplishments and continuing dedication to the Irish Community, the St. Patrick's Parade Committee of Washington DC is proud to honor Brian as a 2012 Division Marshal.



DIVISION MARSHAL - NORA REILLY

Nora was born in Liverpool, England, the 33rd County as it is often called! She was the youngest of four children born to loving Irish parents Colum and Mary Walsh (nee Maguire). Her dad's family came from Carraroe, County Galway and her mum is from Bundoran, County



Donegal. From an early age she was immersed in Irish Culture in a very active and vibrant Irish community in Liverpool. She started Irish Dancing at age four and music lessons with Comhaltas, playing the tin whistle and concertina. The music was in her blood at a very early age as her dad was a great dancer and her mum a great singer and musician! The family traveled to many Feis and Ceol's around England and the UK.

In September 1996 Nora took advantage of the chance travel to the US to stay with family friends to work as a nanny and attend college. Two years later she met her future husband, Brian Reilly, at the iconic Nanny O'Brien's in northwest Washington. They have been happily married for eleven years. They have an amazing and charming daughter Grace who will become a big sister at the end of April!

Brian introduced Nora to the Washington DC Gaels, the local Gaelic Football Club and the rest as they say is history! She has been a proud member of the Club since that day. She joined the Board of Directors early on and has served in a number of Board positions. She has served as Club Chair for the past five years. In addition she has taken an active role in the national governing body of the Gaelic Athletic Association, or GAA as it is known around the world, serving on a number of national committees. Working with Andrew Healy, Niall Dempsey and others she was also instrumental in founding the Mid-Atlantic Division of the GAA.



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Nora's Club activities are not restricted to management and executive duties. On game days she can be found transporting goals and equipment, lining fields, setting up flags and cones and assigning referees. She has also been known to offer sage and timely advice to Gaels coaches during games and to take an active role in managing who Gaels players are marking during the contests. Post game offers no respite as she monitors field breakdown, equipment retrieval and uniform collection. Gaels legend holds that the team never lost so much as a jersey with her on duty.

Off the field Nora can be counted on to perform a host of duties. She is an active recruiter, fundraiser, event planner and travel agent for the Gaels. She has been a long time supporter of the DC St. Patrick's Day Parade, organizing Gaels participation at the Parade Fundraisers and Golf Tournament and hunting down Gaels t-shirts, gear and jerseys for Parade Auctions. She also coordinates the Gaels' Parade float and marching contingent participation and program advertisements. The Gaels are ardent supporters of and have marched in every St. Patrick's Day Parade since their inception.

The Washington DC Gaels were founded in 1988 and next year will celebrate their twenty fifth year playing Irish sports in the Nation's Capital. Originally founded by a group of ex-pats as a men's Irish Football club, over the years the club has added Ladies Football, Hurling and Camogie (Ladies Hurling). Initially comprised of predominantly Irish born players, the majority of Gaels athletes are American born. The Gaels have won multiple national championships in each of the four Irish sports. They are the only club in the US to accomplish this feat. Their distinctive and legendary Blue and Gray jerseys are well known throughout the US. The Gaels are always looking for new players and members, no experience is necessary to come out and get started. Check out their website www.wdcgaels.com for information on upcoming events, schedule and membership information.

For her promotion of Irish sport and culture, the St. Patrick's Parade Committee of Washington DC is proud to honor Nora as a 2012 Division Marshal.



DIVISION MARSHAL - PATTY SIMPSON



Patty Simpson was raised in Vienna, VA, one of four children from an Irish American family. She graduated from Bishop O'Connell High School and Mary Washington College in Virginia.

She started going to Murphy's in Old Town Alexandria in the late 70's when it opened and her brother Joe worked there as a bartender. In the 80s she promoted Sean Fleming's Band and other Irish Groups that performed at the Bayou under Cellar Door Productions. She also promoted Irish Groups to numerous Irish Festivals on the East Coast and concerts in the DC area.

In the late 90's, she began building and hosting websites for the DC area's Irish pubs and musicians and brought the webpages together through a community service website www.IrishUSA.com. Today, she continues to promote Irish events and fundraisers in the DC area through her website and through group emails to the Irish community.

Patty's Irish roots are from Donegal Town, Co. Donegal (mother Kathleen McGinty) and from Dublin (paternal side "Fox"). She recently retired from the Department of the Army where she worked as a civilian for 24 years.

For her promotion of Irish culture the St. Patrick's Parade Committee of Washington DC is proud to honor Patty as a 2012 Division Marshal.



BANDS - MARCHING

Baltimore Entertainers Marching Band. Leader Tikia Neblett
Cardozo Senior High School Marching Band, Washington DC
Conestoga High School Marching Pioneers
Great Mills High School Marching Band, Great Mills, Maryland.
Randall Memorial United Methodist Church Marching Band
Roaring Bengal Marching Band – James Hubert Blake High School,
Silver Spring, Maryland. Director Brian Damron
Sapulpa Chieftain Marching Band, Sapulpa, Ok. Leader Craig Amendt
United States Air Force Band
Washington Showstoppers Community Band.
Director Tyrone Frederick
William C McGinnis Middle School Marching Band, New Jersey.
Director Juan Carlos

BANDS - PIPE & DRUM

District Of Columbia Fire Department Emerald Society
Pipes & Drums
Shields Of Montgomery & DC Police Pipe And Drums
Leader Frank Colbert

GROUPS - DANCE

Aoibhneas an Rince Irish Dancers
Boyle School Of Irish Dance (Float)
Celtic Rhythm School of Dance, Virginia. Leader Stephanie Sengpiehl
Culkin School Of Traditional Irish Dance
Duffy School Of Irish Dance, Maryland.
Fraternidad Cultural Pachamama
Fraternidad Folklorica Bolivia



GROUPS - DANCE (Cont'd)

Hunt School of Irish Dance
Hurley School Of Irish Dance, Maryland
Maple Academy Of Irish Dance
O'Neill-James School Of Irish Dancing (Float)
Tinkus San Simon VA
Tinkus Surkay MD USA
Tinkus Tiataco USA

GROUPS - SPORTS

Capital Rowing Club (Float)
Washington Dc Gales (Float)
Washington Nationals Mascots
 Screech, George, Tom, Abe And Teddy And Natmobile

GROUPS - MILITARY

3Rd U.S. Infantry Regiment, "The Old Guard" Fife And Drum Corps",
 Fort Myer, Va
3Rd U.S. Infantry Regimental Staff
Air Force Marching Platoon
Armed Forces Joint Color Guard
Army Marching Platoon
Coast Guard Marching Platoon
Marine Marching Platoon
Navy Marching Platoon
U.S. Army, Commander, 3Rd Infantry, Old Guard.
Veterans Of The Battle Of The Bulge, Ww I. Wwii Vehicles.
 John Bowen Recording Secretary
Washington Area Collectors Of Military Vehicles. Tim Ketchum



PARADE PARTICIPANTS - AS OF 3/3/2012

GROUPS - NOVELTIES

DC Brau Brewing Company (Float)
Dubliner Restaurant - Washington Wholesalers (Float)
Fado Irish Pub (Float)
Fighting Curran Brothers (Float) 1947 Antique Truck And 1926 Fire
Truck. Presenting The Bowie Baysox'S Louie And His Irish Brigade
Irish Channel (Float)
James Hoban's Irish Restaurant And Bar (Float)
Kapitol Klowns
Kena Shriners, Kena 500 Mini-Corvettes
Leprechaun, Virginia. Donald Patrick Ryan
Mccarthy Clan (Float)
Phillip The Tire
Washington Regional Alcohol Program (Wrap) Metro Area.

GROUPS - ORGANIZATIONS

Ancient Order Of Hibernians (Float)
Ancient Order Of Hibernians Dc State Board (Float)
Arlington Firefighters Emerald Society.
Brookland Club And Cairde Gaels (Float)
Calvert-Arundel Swordsmen
Chesapeake Irish Terrier Club
Emerald Society – Firefighters Of Washington.
Friends & Family Of Anthony C. Rogers A Marching Unit
Greenbelt Dog Training Parade Drill Team
Irish American Club
Irish Northern Aid
Knights Of Columbus, Chevy Chase, Washington, Dc. Council 224.
Ladies Ancient Order Of Hibernians Division 9 Trolley
Loyal And Patriotic Order Of Irish-American Reaganites
N.Va Firefighters Emerald Society
Police Emerald Society Marching Unit. President Charles Moore.
Potomac Valley Irish Wolfhound Club

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GROUPS - YOUTH

Battlefield Young Marines, Chantilly, Virginia.
Chantilly Academy AF Jr Rotc
Friendly High School Navy Jr Rotc
Little Gym Gymnastics Performance Team
Miss District Of Columbia
Nicholas County WV Army JROTC Wilderness Battalion
Our Lady Of Lourdes School Choir, Bethesda, Md.
Students And Families.
Oxon Hill Young Marines, Temple Hills, Maryland.
Rose Of Tralee, Washington, Dc
South Lakes High School Jr. Rotc, Seahawk Battalion
US Naval Sea Cadet Corps, Alexandria Division, Washington D.C.

NATIONAL STATE AND CITY

District of Columbia City Council
District of Columbia Homeland Security &
Emergency Management Agency
District of Columbia Metropolitan Police Department
District of Columbia Office of Veterans Affairs
Fairfax County Police Honor Guard
Fairfax County Police Motor Squad
Maryland National Capitol Park Police Mounted Color Guard Unit,
Prince Georges County Division.
Metro Transit Police
Metropolitan Police Motorcycles In "V" Formation
With Color Guard
Montgomery County Police Motorcycle Unit.
Pentagon Police Department Honor Guard Team, Virginia.
Police Department Dare Vehicle, Capt. Thomas Kemp
Prince Georges County Office of the Sheriff
Prince Georges County Sheriff'S Office Honor Guard



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United States Department of the Interior

United States National Park Service

United States National Park Service Park Police

VEHICLES - FIRE APPARATUS

100 Foot Pirsch Tiller Aerial Ladder Truck

Community Education Vehicle for Life

1905 DCFD Engine 18 Steamer Fire Engine, DC Fire Emerald Society

1930 Ford Model A. Owner Martin Schmidt-Bremer, Jr.

1937 Seagrave Fire Engine, Timothy C. Jones and Family

1951 Open Cab Fire Truck, Knights of Columbus,

Edward Douglas White, Arlington, VA.

1964 White American LaFrance Pumper Fire truck.

Owned Joe & Sandy FitzGerald

1966 American LaFrance Fire Engine, Columbia, MD. Earl Clime

1968 Pirsch Pumper Truck. Operator William M. FitzGerald

1969 American LaFrance Pumper. Owner The Dowd Family

1972 Antique Cadillac Ambulance

formerly used by Bethesda Chevy Chase Rescue Squad

1973 Catasauqua Engine 211 Donnie Simmons, Jimmy Seavey, Sr

1974 Seagrave Hook and Ladder Fire Truck. Corcoran Family

1975 Seagrave 100' Ladder Truck.

1979 Mack CF-600 Pumper Fire Engine. Owned By Higgins Family

1982 Seagrave Pumper. Owned By Donald L. Strine

Antique Fire Trucks. 1929 Seagrave Suburbanite Pumper and

1973 Seagrave Custom

Carbon Fire Department 1971 Tiller Fire Truck – John Ford

District Of Columbia Fire Department Firefighting Apparatus

Engine 16, Truck 2, Rescue Squad 2, Medic 2 & Ems8.

Trucks 4 & 13 Form The Ladder Arch At 15th And Constitution

Old Dominion Historical Fire Society, Northern Virginia.



PARADE ORDER OF MARCH - AS OF 3/3/2012

VEHICLES

1939 Chevrolet School Bus. "Hoosiers" Fame
1950 Paddy Wagon Metropolitan Police. Richard Espinosa
1973 Ford Capitol Police Cruiser
2005 Jeep. "The End". Cappy And Crew
Changin Lanez Dmv
Delorean (1981)
Hustle Heavy Auto Club
Maryland Queens And Kings Ryderz
Northern Virginia Corvette Club
Virginia-Maryland Solstice/Sky Club





2011 AWARDS

Category	Winning Group
Best Local Band Irish American Club Award	Great Mills High School Marching Band, Great Mills, Maryland.
Best Visiting Band Parade Committee	Auburn High School Marching Band, Auburn, Alabama.
Best Band Parade Committee	Roaring Bengal Marching Band – James Hubert Blake High School, Silver Spring, Maryland.
Best Musical John O'Beirne Memorial Award	Maple River Marching Eagles, Minneso- ta. Maple River High School, Mapleton Minnesota.
Best Adult Marching Unit Vincent Finn Memorial Award	Emerald Society - Firefighters of Washington DC.
Best Marching Unit Patrick E. Lee Memorial Award	Oxon Hill Young Marines, Temple Hills, Maryland.
Youth Marching Unit Jack Gallagher Memorial Award	William C McGinnis Middle School Marching Band, New Jersey.
Best ROTC Unit In Honor of Those Who Serve	South Lakes High School Jr. ROTC, Seahawk Battalion.
Best Pipe Band Joseph A. Donnelly Memorial Award	District of Columbia Fire Department Emerald Society Pipes & Drums.
Best Antique Car Pat & Flo Cady Memorial Award	1939 Chevrolet School Bus. "Hoosiers" Fame.
Best Antique Fire Apparatus W. Howard "Howie" McClennan Award	Antique Cadillac Ambulance formerly used by Bethesda Chevy Chase Rescue Squad.
Best Dance School The Fahey & Mann Families Award	O'Neill-James School of Irish Dance.
Best Performing Group John & Anna Donnelly Memorial Award	Tinkus Tiataco USA, Washington DC
Best Theme Ginny Kelly Appreciation Award	Changin Lanez DMV Glitter and Shine and the DMV Four Wheel Vehicles.
Best Pet Unit Mary Elizabeth Walthall Memorial Award	Chesapeake Irish Terrier Club.



2011 AWARDS

Category	Winning Group
Always A Pleasure Stephen P Lynch Memorial Award	"Leprechaun", Virginia. Donald Patrick Ryan
Best Novelty Emerald Society Firefighters of Washington DC	1903 Curved Dash Oldsmobile.
Most Humorous Diana & Frank Sullivan	Laureen O'Neill-James Division Marshal & her two gentlemen dancing escorts.
Best in Parade O'Neill-James School of Irish Dance	The Fighting Curran Brothers.
Marshal's Award - Enthusiasm	Battlefield Young Marines, Chantilly, Virginia.
People's Choice P.G. County Firefighters Emerald Society	Little Gym Cheerleaders, Clinton, Maryland

