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# **Happy Saint's Days**

March is a busy month with Wales, Cornwall and Ireland all celebrating their National Saints Days. Saint David's Day (Wales) was celebrated on Saturday and Saint Piran's Day (Cornwall) will be celebrated on Wednesday with celebrations continuing into the weekend. Saint Patrick's Day (Ireland) is starting to look like Saint Patrick's week as celebrations around the country start on the 13th and continue to the 17th. We also have a couple of Celtic Festivals in VIC this month to kick off the Celtic Festival circuit for 2025.

Happy St David's, St Piran's, & St Patrick's Day!

## **Upcoming Celtic Events**

#### March

till Sunday 2nd - Seachdain na Gaidhlig (World Gaelic Week)

Saturday 1st - St David's Day flag lowering at the Australian Standing Stones, Glen Innes

Saturday 1st - Sydney Welsh Choir St David's Day performance @ West Ryde Community Centre

Sunday 2nd, 10:00am - Cornish Association of VIC St Piran's Celebrations and Pasty

Wednesday 5th - St Piran's Day flag lowering at the Australian Standing Stones, Glen Innes

Wednesday 5th - Cornish Association of SA St Piran's Day Lunch @ Maid of Auckland Hotel, 926 South Rd, Edwardstown (bookings required)

Saturday 8th, 1:00pm - Cornish Association of NSW AGM @ Ryde Eastwood

Leagues Club, 117 Ryedale Rd

informal bistro lunch at 11:30am

Saturday 8th, 2:00pm - Cornish Association of NSW St Piran's & Jubilee Celebrations

@ Ryde Eastwood Leagues Club, 117 Ryedale Rd

Saturday 15th - St Patrick's Day Parade, Brisbane

Saturday 15th & Sunday 16th - Melbourne St Patrick's Festival, St Kilda @ O'Donnell Gardens, St Kilda, VIC (<u>info</u>)

Sunday 16th - Sydney St Patrick's Day Parade and Festival (info)

Monday 17th - Melbourne Celtic Festival (info)

Monday 17th - St Patrick's Day flag lowering at the Australian Standing Stones, Glen Innes

Friday 21st - Aisling Society St Patrick's Day Dinner @ Sancta Sophia College, USYD, Camperdown

Sunday 23th - Melbourne Highland Games & Celtic Festival (info)

### April

Saturday 5th - Bundanoon is Brigadoon @ Bundanoon, NSW (info)

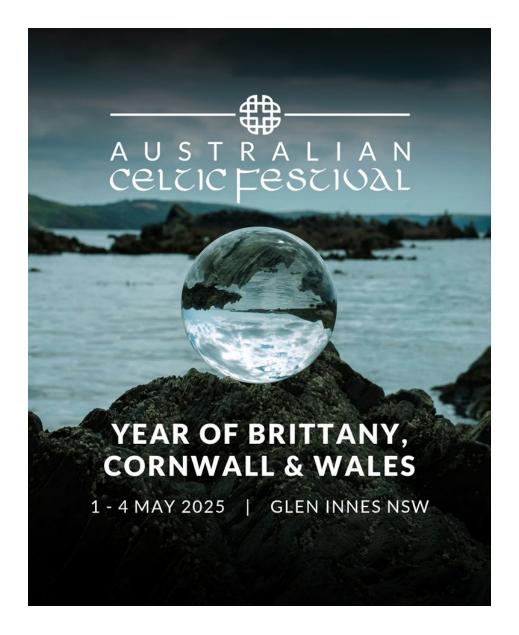
Saturday 12th - The Hayland Gathering @ Hay Oval, NSW (info)

Saturday 12th, 12:00pm - CCAQ Pan Celtic Awards Function @ Cooparoo RSL & Community Club, Holdsworthy St, Coorparoo, QLD

### Community Centre

Wednesday 16th - Cornish Association of NSW Zoom 'Tea & Cake' Chat & Jubilee Celebration

Wednesday 23rd, 6:00pm - Aisling Society Ordinary Monthly Meeting, guest speaker Hugh Myers @ Consulate of Ireland, Sydney & Zoom



### **Celtic Community Achievements**

The 1st of February was not only St Brigid's Day but also marked the anniversary of the unveiling of the first stone of the Australian Standing Stones. A celebration

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### **Celts on Tour**

Skerryvore Australian Tour 26 February - 16 March, visiting NSW, VIC and SA (<u>tickets</u>)

Talisk First-Ever Australian Tour
7-13 March, visiting Port Fairy, Adelaide, Melbourne and Sydney (<u>tickets</u>)

Kneecap Australian Tour - SOLD OUT!

12-17 March, visiting Brisbane, Melbourne, Sydney and Freemantle (tickets)

The Tumbling Paddies Australian Tour 14-17 March, visiting Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne and Perth (tickets)

The Murder Capital Australian Tour 3-7 April, visiting Brisbane, Sydney and Perth (tickets)

Best wishes,
The Celtic Council of Australia standing committee









If you have a Celtic event or achievement that you'd like to see featured in our April newsletter, please send the details to celticcouncilofaustralia@gmail.com by

Wednesday 26th of March



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