



# Y Ddolen



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Y Ddolen/The Link is a bi-monthly newsletter for the Puget Sound Welsh Association

### **PSWA Annual General Meeting (AGM) and Potluck**

**Enjoy socializing with friends, merriment**

**Friday June 6<sup>th</sup> 2008**

Roast chicken will be provided along with condiments, utensils and punch, but you are by no means discouraged from bringing your favorites to put on the BBQ.

**The Parry's:** 5760 60th Ave. NE Seattle 98105

**Phone:** 206.524.0854

**Socializing:** 6:00-6:45pm

**Potluck:** 6:45-7:45pm

**Meeting & Group reports:** 7:45-8:45pm

**What to Bring:** Yourselves and salads, side dishes or chips, a special drink or dessert are always welcome to round out the meal.

### **Seattle Welsh Women's News**

*~Carol Jones*

Welsh Women meetings are held at 11:30 am on the second Friday of each month in the Bellevue Library located at 1111 – 110<sup>th</sup> Ave NE Bellevue, WA 98004 unless otherwise noted. Bring your lunch. Contact Carol Jones 425.882.2825

**April 11<sup>th</sup>** 11:30 Welsh Women, Bellevue Library

**May 9<sup>th</sup>** Lunch out, location TBD

**June 13<sup>th</sup>** Place TBD

### **South Sound News**

*~Karyn & Malcolm Davies*

**South Sound Night Out of Hwyl** meets monthly at the Ram Restaurant & Brewery 10019 59th Ave SW, Lakewood (253)-584-3191.(unless otherwise listed)

**April 13<sup>th</sup>** 6pm, RSVP by Noon 4/13

**May 4<sup>th</sup>** 6pm RSVP by Noon 5/4

RSVP to: [or\\_grown@yahoo.com](mailto:or_grown@yahoo.com) or 360-893-7256.

### **Bellingham Highland Games (Again)**

June 7th & 8th 2008 at Hovander Homestead park in Ferndale Washington! I know one day soon we'll make it to this event! Just one thing is missing each year...YOU! Required for our participation is 6+ people to help set up the tent Friday, June 6th in the afternoon/evening, 4+ people to rotate manning the tent to answer questions/hand out our free literature/etc on both Saturday and Sunday, 6+ people to pack up the tent/tear down Sunday afternoon/evening. If anyone is interested, please contact Malcolm at [or\\_grown@yahoo.com](mailto:or_grown@yahoo.com) or 360-893-7256. <http://www.bellinghamhighland.org/>

### **Mark Your 2008 Calendars**

**First Sunday** of each month: Harp Circle & Celtic Music at the Dubliner Pub 2:00pm

**April 11<sup>th</sup>** 11:30 Welsh Women, Bellevue Library

**April 13<sup>th</sup>** 6pm *Night of Hwyl*, Lakewood Ram

**April 27<sup>th</sup>** Bryn Seion Easter Season Service

**May 9<sup>th</sup>** 11:30 Welsh Women

**May 13<sup>th</sup>** 7:30 PSWA Board Meeting

**May 4<sup>th</sup>** 6pm *Night of Hwyl*, Lakewood Ram

**June 6<sup>th</sup>** PSWA AGM/ Potluck

**June 22<sup>nd</sup>** Bryn Seion Gymanfa Ganu 1:45pm

**Aug 28-31** NAFOW 08 Chicago II

## **PSWA Board Meeting**

11 March 2008 at 7:30 pm at the home of Gerri and Brian Parry. Attending: Carol Jones, Joanne Matsumura, Brian Parry, Gerri Parry, Bob Smith, Alan Upshall, Eileen Wyke

**St. David's Day 2008 Update:** Overall, the event went very well. The final financial figures are not yet available, somewhere between a small profit and break-even. The collection appeared to be more than the average but proceeds from the raffle were lower than last year. The event appeared in the Seattle Times and was also mentioned in Carwen Edwards's news-blog that Ann Atkinson would be singing in Seattle (courtesy of the Daily Post). Also discussed were the need to consider having more ushers at the front door, participation of the Craft Group & the need to take an inventory of merchandise in the storage locker. Alan agreed to contact Carolyn Bell.

**Old business:** At the last meeting, there was a discussion of the by-laws and how they relate to the current structure of PSWA. Copies were distributed, but no feedback was received. Alan and Brian agreed to rework the By-Laws and to present a proposed revision at the next Board Meeting. To help spread the word, it was suggested that addition copies of the newsletter be sent to the Black Diamond Museum.

**New business:** There are currently no plans for a Seattle Gymanfa, typically held sometime in October. A complication is that a number of the Planning Committee from last year will be getting ready for the trip to Patagonia, so will be unable to help. We need about six people to volunteer to organize a Gymanfa.

The Fron Choir (one of the choirs that Ann Atkinson directs) is planning a west coast tour in October, but the Llanelli Choir is also planning on being in Vancouver in November. There was a lengthy discussion on what role PSWA would play (if any) in the centennial celebration of the Alaska Yukon Pacific Exposition, 1909. There was an eisteddfod and even a Welsh Day, but some of the historic details are a bit sketchy. Gerri will write article for the newsletter and Alan will contact Wymore Museum who has a complete microfiche set of every Y Drych newspaper published, and see what is available between Jan 1908 and June 1909.

A date was chosen for the 2008 Annual General Meeting on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> June, following the usual format of 6:00 - 6:45 Welcoming and Socializing, 6:45 - 7:45 Pot Luck Dinner, 7:45 - 8:45 Business Meeting Agenda and 8:45 -? Welsh Trivia/Informal singing (?)

**Next Board Meeting:** 13<sup>th</sup> May 2008.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:15 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Brian Parry, Acting Secretary

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*Please consider involvement on the PSWA Board of Trustees. The Board meets informally 4-5 times per year and as needed by telephone. Your involvement will help spread the duties and help keep PSWA a vibrant and active group, able to function effectively and efficiently. The next one is scheduled for May 13<sup>th</sup> 2008, 7:30pm at the Parry's 206 524-0854 gerripb@hotmail.com*

*"Many hands make light work." -John Heywood*

## **Ffrind i Ffrind**

*~Friend to Friend Bulletin Proposal*

Seeing the successes of the South Sound group who hold monthly "Night of Hwyl" gatherings started by the Davies who wanted to be more involved but lived too far south of the Seattle to commit to coming to Seattle regularly. A group of 3 or 4 has grown to 15 or more people with similar interest forging new friendships.

The Seattle Welsh Choir (that evolved from the Welsh Learners Class many years ago) no longer meets weekly to practice but they are still active and welcome anyone interested in joining in.

Are there other shared interests? Possibly a Welsh genealogy group or an Internet Welsh language learners group that could meet to practice conversation together. Other ideas, Welsh film, Welsh clogging, A Central Washington group? All it takes is for someone to be the point person to organize a date and time with others with the same interest and let it evolve from there.

Do you have an idea for starting a Welsh themed group that we can post in the newsletter? You may find someone with the same interest. We would like to offer space in Y Ddolen to post a bulletin in order to makes a connection and spark interests and new ideas

## **PSWA Gymanfa 2008** **Volunteers Needed to Organize**

*~Alan Upshall*

Last year our Gymanfa was held in St. Andrew's Church on October 14, we had Mari Morgan as director and Nerys Jones as special music. The event was both a social and financial success.

The PSWA board at their meeting on 11 March discussed whether we should have a gymanfa this year. There are some problems, primarily the organization and running of the event. Historically the choir organized the Gymanfa but since that group no longer meets on a regular basis, PSWA has become the financial guarantor, although 'choir' members have still organized the last few. Last years' team was myself (general organization, treasurer), Gretta Upshall (photocopying), Ellen Webber (publicity), Gerri Parry (mailing) and Larua Lovell (Te Bach), with of course much help on the day from several others.

This year the problem arises because of the departure of several of our members on a tour of Patagonia with the North American Welsh Choir, which leaves on October 14 for 14 days. If we are to have a gymanfa this year we need a new team of about 6 people to organize as well as making sure there are enough to help on the day.

The functions of the planning are: (costs are of course approximate)

- 1) Reserve the church. (\$250 plus janitorial fee)
- 2) Select the Director and accompanist. The latter is easy; David Lapse if he is available on the day will do a good job. The director selects the hymns to be sung but that person needs to be guided as to popular hymns and what music is available. (Keeping costs down is important). Director fee is about \$250, accompanist about \$200)
- 3) The music library of the choir has three boxes of hymn music and there should already be enough copies of music. If more is needed there can be minimal supplementation. The sheets will need to be compiled into the hand out for the afternoon.
- 4) Select special music performers. At the discretion of the planning committee (costs about \$150).

5) Prepare poster flyer for mass mailing and organize mass mailing and media mailings in conjunction with membership lists. The poster is actually prepared and in electronic form. It will need to be altered for date, director, special music etc, but the format is fixed. Ellen Webber has the plan that has been used in the past few years. (Costs about \$75)

6) Arrange for the tē bach at the church, Solicitation of goodies and making sure there is enough help on the day. Laura has the plan and the church knows what to do to set it up.

7) Prepare and print the program hand out for the day (separate from the music). There is an electronic master version that just needs to be amended with the new details. Part of this is solicitation of adverts to cover some of our costs. In 2007, we charged \$40 for a quarter page. We have the adverts for last year electronically also so it is just a job of calling these and asking for support.

8) Organize ushers and persons at the church to take the collection.

9) Pay performers and send thank you notes to all involved.

So if we are to have a gymanfa this year we would like to have some volunteers to help to organize it. Last year's team will be around but most are off to Patagonia so cannot help directly.

## **2009 Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition** **Centennial Project**

*~Gerri Parry*

The Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition a world's fair held in Seattle officially opened on June 1, 1909, on the University of Washington campus publicizing the development of the Pacific Northwest. From June through mid October days over 3,700,000 people from all over the world had visited and was a key event in the growth and development of Seattle and surrounding cities.

Throughout the exposition, commemorative days were set aside to honor organizations, professions, and ethnic communities, as well as visitors from various cities, counties, and states. The Welsh were among them, August 27th was Welsh Eisteddfod Day; (which was also South Dakota Day and Octogenarian Day). Jackie Cedarholm has lent us a copy of the original program, which lists nearly 200 "Stockholders AYP Eisteddfod Association, the Men Who Made the Eisteddfod Possible".

While most of the “Stockholders” were from Washington State the list includes the Cambrian Society of Portland OR and individuals from California, Montana, Ohio and British Columbia.

The Association of King County Historical Organizations have plans underway to collect and collaborate AYPE projects with other organizations to make the commemoration in 2009 as compelling as the original in 1909.

We are working with the Wymore Welsh Museum in Nebraska who have acquired a set of microfich archives of *Y Drych*, [the Welsh American newspaper] for any mention of plans reported there.

Joanne Matsumura at the Black Diamond Heritage Museum has found an article in the Enumclaw Courier- January [19]03, “*The Welsh Citizens of Seattle and the country are planning to reproduce at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition one of the ancient castles so famous in their country. The matter is now in the hands of J. D. Jones, a prominent member of the local Welsh colony, and he is arranging to send to Wales for the plans.*”

If there is any one who might have a story, article or artifact that might help piece the story of the Welsh contribution to the planning and execution of the 1909 Eisteddfod, please contact Gerri Parry We are on the look out for:

Another copy of the A.Y.P. Eisteddfod souvenir program, (Jackies’ is missing pg 11&12), AYPE Souvenir Cook Book , Seattle 1908, Any news articles relating to plans leading up to or recapping the event.

Recollections or family stories relating to the Welsh participation at AYPE.

## **Bryn Seion Continues to Grow**

~Janet Figini

Bryn Seion Welsh Church is located in Beaver Creek Oregon, near Oregon City a few miles from the End of the Oregon Trail Interpretive Center. Built by Welsh settlers, it is the last remaining of the many Welsh churches that once dotted the west coast of America having an unbroken tradition of services and Welsh singing that continues to this day.

About 15 years ago the congregation started dwindling as parishioners were dying faster than new faces were replacing them. Thanks to a few

dedicated people who believe in this little congregation, they have kept things going and we have slowly made advances such as updating the church’s mission statement, rethinking the needs of the congregation and strengthening connections with the community. In some instances it has felt as if we were starting a congregation from scratch, as so many connections and knowledge of “the way we’ve always done it” have been lost in the last decade.

We are glad to say that our numbers are slowly growing as more people find Bryn Seion and think it is just the place for them, there are many fresh young faces which are a joy to see. Our congregation now consists of 27 people with the recent addition of 6 & 1/2 new members (Rhys Davis was born last summer).

With the recent addition of Beverly Ratajak as the church music director there are ideas in the works for more Welsh music programs and gatherings at Bryn Seion. With the addition last fall of a Harvest Service, Christmas Lessons & Carols and the upcoming Special Easter Season service on April 27th we are enjoying a newfound energy. At our Gymanfa last June it seemed there were more people than usual inquiring about attending services. Some descendants of the families who once settled the area are finding their way back, so the efforts are paying off.

We welcome you to join us if you are visiting in the area. We meet the second and fourth Sunday of the month at 11am; plan to stay for a potluck lunch afterward.

Now in our 124<sup>th</sup> year, we at Bryn Seion are preparing for our 73<sup>rd</sup> annual Gymanfa Ganu June 22<sup>nd</sup>. Tim Dyck will be the director this year. 1st session starts at 1:45, Tea at 4:00 & 2<sup>nd</sup> session begins at 6:00. More details will be in the next issue. For more information call: Janet Figini (503) 630-5317 or Gerri Baker Parry (206) 524-0854

[www.wapnw.org/brynseion.htm](http://www.wapnw.org/brynseion.htm)

## **North American Festival of Wales in Chicago August 28 – 31, 2008**

~NAFOW 2008 Publicity Team

The North American Festival of Wales is blowing into the Windy City in 2008! This celebration of Welsh and Welsh American culture will feature the very best in Welsh entertainment and arts. With the help of our host organization, the Cambrian Benevolent Society of

Chicago, the festival also promises to have the distinct flavor of Chicago this year.

**Festival Hotel** is Doubletree Chicago-Oakbrook, Festival Rates: \$105 (single to quad) valid from 8/22 to 9/5. 1-800-222-8733 or 1-630-472-6000 [www.doubletree.hilton.com](http://www.doubletree.hilton.com).

Use code LLW for online reservations.

**Thursday: Opening Concert** with Welsh singer-song writer, Fflur Dafydd.

**Friday: Grand Banquet** featuring "the Welsh Tenor" Aled Wyn Davies and Honorees John & Karen Ellis.

**Saturday: Grand Concert:** The Côr Aelwyd CF1 who draws its members from a youth group established in 2002.

**Sunday: The 77th Welsh National Gymanfa Ganu** will be led Mari Morgan.

Our daytime programming will feature seminars, workshops, films, special programs and the festival eisteddfod featuring the David G. Morris Award for Semi-Professional Soloist, with the winner receiving a trip to Wales to compete at the National Eisteddfod. Sponsored by Wales Arts International and the Cambrian Benevolent Society of Chicago, scholars, authors and artists will speak on a variety of fascinating topics. For more info go to [www.nafow.org](http://www.nafow.org)

## Harp Circle and Celtic Music

*~Kevin Gow and Laura Lovell*

April 6, 2008: First Sunday of each month: Harp Circle & Celtic Music at the Dubliner Pub, Fremont Avenue North and North 36<sup>th</sup> St. 2:00pm (harp circle begins at noon) Call (206) 633-3577 or email [kgandll@earthlink.com](mailto:kgandll@earthlink.com)

## Welsh Win at Twickenham

*~Doreen Duggan*

At my friend's church in Swansea on Sunday, the organist opened the service with a rendering of the Welsh National Anthem. "Unusual" you say --- Very Unusual.

Wales was celebrating a great occasion - an international rugby match Welsh victory over England at Twickenham "Twickers" for short - for the first time in 20 years. Thirteen players of the international team were from Swansea rugby club "The Ospreys".

For the first half it seemed as if England would pull off yet another win - in fact friends in Wales told me they almost turned off the game at half time and went shopping instead!!! If they had done this they would have missed the glorious second half of the game when the Welsh team clicked into gear and played magnificently.

No doubt the new Welsh coach - a New Zealander - had some strong words to say to the Welsh team at half time. Whatever he said did the trick as when Wales returned to the field for the second half they were a team inspired. [James] Hook didn't put a foot wrong putting the ball between the uprights five times out of five. Oh, if only the New England Patriots could have done this in the Super Bowl on Sunday - but that's another story.

For all you Charlotte Church fans out there, her boyfriend Gavin Henson who plays for the Ospreys of course, was on the Welsh team.

The game was seen live - standing room only - at Fado's Irish pub on Saturday morning and in the George and Dragon - recorded - on Sunday. Wales was very well represented in both places.

That's it folks, next game is at Millennium Stadium, Cardiff on Saturday Feb. 9th - Wales versus Scotland. Good luck Wales.

England 19 - Wales 26      Wales 30-Scotland 15  
Wales 47 - Italy 8      Ireland 12 - Wales 16  
Wales 29 - France 12

If you follow Welsh sport you already know that since Doreen wrote this, Wales took all and won a second Grand Slam in four years! An observer in Wales reports "the country is vibrating top to bottom"



## **The Castles of Wales Part IV**

*~Benton Williams*

Conwy Castle is a masterpiece of medieval fortresses and still available to traveling viewers. It was designed by King Edward's architect, James of St. George in 1283 and completed in 1287, using the talent of 1500 craftsmen. A wall surrounds the ancient town of Conwy with its modern stores.

Edward's plan was to subjugate Wales with a ring of protective fortresses since there were English colonists who had settled there. This caused much dissention among the Welsh. Suspension bridges connect the various areas of the castle and anyone walking the 3/4 mile long wall is rewarded with spectacular views of the Conwy valley and its boat-filled estuary. The inner wards contain apartments for residents. Founder Llewelyn is remembered with his statue in the town square. The castle was later besieged by Madoc ap Llewelyn in 1295. In 1403 it fell to Owain Glyn Dwr, the great folk hero. A visit to this edifice is essential to any traveling tourist. Benton

## **Cardiff Canton Salvation Army Band at The Tournament of Roses 2009**

*~Alison Williams, publicist CCSAB*

The World's biggest floral parade, The Tournament of Roses is held annually on New Years day in Pasadena, CA. Only 22 top marching bands from all over the world are invited each year to take part in this highly prestigious and unique event. This year, Welsh band of only 33 members who ranging in age from 17 to 70 from the Canton Salvation Army Corps in Cardiff, South Wales, the first EVER Welsh band to do so.

Many months of hard work, lay ahead as they rise to the challenge as to organise and follow through with ideas and events to raise funds for the trip. Planned so far are a sponsored bike ride along 58 miles of the Taff Trail in Brecon; auctions, concerts and to produce a calendar featuring the band playing at famous Welsh landmarks; on the set of Dr. Who and Torchwood.

This feat has never been attempted by a small Welsh Salvation Army band before as it isn't just the burden of their instruments that they will be carrying on this grueling journey, but heavier still

the awesome responsibility of representing not only brass bands and their own Corps, but of representing Cardiff, Wales, the U.K and, ultimately, The Salvation Army itself.

This is a story of a group of ordinary local people seizing a chance to put themselves and Welsh brass banding on the map and to show the real people behind the stereotype of The Salvation Army uniform.

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## **Cup of Tea Could Cure Anthrax**

*~Excerpts from www.newswales.co.uk 13/3/2008*

A new study by an international team of researchers from Cardiff University and University of Maryland has revealed how a cup of black tea could be the next line of defense in the threat of bio-terrorism. It seems that the humble cup of tea could well be an antidote to *Bacillus anthracis*, commonly known as anthrax, a disease potentially lethal to humans and animals.

The British currently drink 165 million cups of tea, and the healing benefits have long been acknowledged. But now the team has found that the widely available English Breakfast tea has the potential to inhibit the activity of anthrax, as long as it is black tea.

"We found that special components in tea such as polyphenols have the ability to inhibit the activity of anthrax quite considerably." The study provides further evidence of the range of beneficial physiological and pharmacological effects of this common household item.

Unfortunately the addition of whole milk to the tea completely inhibited its antibacterial activity against anthrax. So it is suggested, "in the event that we are faced with a potential bio-terror attack, individuals may want to forgo their dash of milk at least until the situation is under control."

## **From the mail box:**

Llandaff Cathedral is raising funds to replace the Organ damage in 1941 air raid and finished off by a lightning strike in 2007. [www.llandaffcathedral.org.uk](http://www.llandaffcathedral.org.uk)

Howard Kimberly of Madoc 1170 is developing a lecture tour on Aug/Sep 09 is looking for a contact. [www.madoc1170.com/welsh.htm](http://www.madoc1170.com/welsh.htm)

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 (206) 524-0854 or gerribp@hotmail.com

**PSWA T-Shirts**

Shirts are Gildan brand Steel Green and come in sizes from S-XL. For a \$15.00 donation\* (plus \$3.00 S&H) to the Puget Sound Welsh Association you will receive a PSWA t-shirt.

Send check or money order to:

PSWA, P.O. Box 19344 Seattle, WA 98109-0344

Include shipping cost, size and your address for USPS delivery or pick up your shirt in Seattle at the Parry's house or in Orting at the Davies' house. Alternatively, they will be made available at all South Sound Nights Out and other PSWA events. To see the shirts in living color, go to: <http://www.pugetsoundwelsh.org/home.html>.

**\*T-Shirt donation does not apply to membership dues.**

We frequently get requests to distribute to our membership Welsh related advertisements and promotions. Although PSWA does not endorse any, many are listed on the PSWA website. For a variety of interests click on LINKS at: [www.pugetsoundwelsh.org](http://www.pugetsoundwelsh.org).

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Check your mailing label for your membership renewal date. If you move, please let us know your new address as soon as possible - the Post Office charges to forward bulk mail. For memberships outside the U.S. or Canada, please add \$5 for a 1-year membership, \$50 for a life membership. *Diolch yn fawr iawn*/thank you very much!

**PLEASE MAIL THIS FORM AND YOUR PAYMENT TO PSWA, P.O. Box 19344, SEATTLE, WA 98109.**

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