AMILY FUN AT PATRIOT PLACE 13TH ANNUAL IRISH FESTIVAL



rish pride and good cheer come together at Patriot Place's 13th Annual Irish Festival, taking place from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, March 16, the eve of St. Patrick's Day!

It's a fun-filled family day with lots of ways to celebrate, including live Irish music, step dancing, special pop-up Irish-themed vendors and numerous crafts and activities.

Free and open to the public, the Irish Festival takes place at beautiful Patriot Place, home of the New England Patriots and Revolution. Patriot Place is a shopping, dining and entertainment destination located adjacent to Gillette Stadium in Foxborough. It features large and boutique retailers, more than two dozen restaurants, nightlife venues and a state-of-theart, 14-screen Showcase Cinema De Lux.

With plenty of themed activities, performances and more, not to mention easily accessible free parking, Patriot Place's Irish Festival is the best way to kick off St. Patrick's Day Weekend celebrations.

"We're thrilled to once again welcome guests and their families to our 13th Annual Irish Festival here at Patriot Place," said Brian Earley, VP and General Manager of Patriot Place. "This year we are featuring Irish step dancing, incredible live Irish music including an authentic pipe and drum band, activities, traditional Irish merchandise and more. There's no better way to celebrate the joys of Irish culture than the Irish Festival at Patriot Place and we look forward to seeing everyone and making more memories with our guests during this funfilled event on March 16."

Six String Grill & Stage, The Harp and the Dean College Stage will host a full lineup of live entertainment including Irish Festival-favorite Devri, The Fenian Sons, the Old Colony Highlanders Pipe Band and more. Award-winning Irish step-dancing schools will also perform, including the Sullivan-Stewart School of Irish Dance and Greene-O'Leary Irish Dance.

Six String Grill & Stage is a premier destination for live music and entertainment, while The Harp is one of Patriot Place's newest locations. The Harp, a family-run business owned by the O'Connors of County Galway, is a casual dining destination, sports bar and entertainment hub all rolled into one.

Another exciting part of the festival is the Irish Village marketplace set up next to Wormtown Brewery. Guests can shop and meet local artisans, jewelry makers and importers of the finest clothing from Ireland.

Families and kids will love the airbrush tattoos, a caricature artist, cornhole, a petting zoo and more.

For more information about the 13th Annual Irish Festival at Patriot Place, visit *patriot-place.com/irish-festival*.