

Operations Letter for Danny Murry's Irish Pub

1680 Washington Avenue San Leandro, CA 94577

Danny Murry's Irish Pub, established July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022, is very happy to be quickly approaching our 2<sup>nd</sup> year in the heart of San Leandro!

Originally open only Wednesday through Saturday, we are now open 7 days a week and extended our hours both in the afternoon and evenings. Current hours of operation are as follows: Monday 2-11, Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday 2pm-12pm, Fridays 2pm-1am, Saturdays 2pm-12am, and Sundays 10am-11pm.

We opened our tiny kitchen with a very limited menu of delicious, authentic Irish cuisine in March 2023. We have now expanded our menu to include salads, Irish bangers & mash, & Irish nachos along with our signature paninis. All food is non-grease based per the health department's request.

We control the music we play at Danny Murry's - no jukebox - & often play traditional Irish music, including Irish rock & Irish instrumentals, along with a healthy dose of old-school funk. We have comedy nights featuring local legend Michael Booker once a month on Saturdays, along with Irish Whiskey tasting and brewery pint nights on Thursdays. We have also established a trivia night every other Wednesday and are planning "Paint Parties", where patrons are coached through painting on canvas. We also hope to expand to live music soon, which worked very well at The Englander and The Vine is years past.

We show a variety of sports and have six televisions – we were proud to open early for the World Cup 2022, even at 6:30am for the bigger games, and are working to establish ourselves as a soccer pub showing English Premiere league. We've also expanded our hours to opening Sundays at 10am, with a small brunch menu available 10:30am-2pm. We have paid for the NFL Sunday ticket and can play all the football games. As word gets out that we are Premiere League supporters, we will open early for some early European games, look forward to Euro Cup 2024, and of course World Cup 2026, hosted here in North America. That will be the biggest year in football (soccer, as commonly called here) the United States has seen so far!

Moving forward, and with our new proposed patio, we plan to have two TV's outside for patrons to enjoy San Leandro's fresh air and beautiful climate in the summer/fall months, ceiling fans, as well as provide electric heaters and retractable screens to combat the weather in the colder months, which will also help with noise cancelation. This patio during Covid functioned very well and we never had any complaints.

We also propose to plan larger events, if feasible. Our first St. Paddy's Day was our busiest day on record – we had a traditional Irish folk singer as well as a troupe of Irish dancers. In 2024, we hope to expand the festivities into our parking lot with permission of the City and Police Department. Last year, we tripled our security to make sure everyone felt safe, secure, and were without incidents.

Another proposed event will be "Mayfest" – Jym and his manager Seth coordinated two very successful Mayfests at The Englander in 2018 and 2019. Both Mayfests featured all the local San Leandro breweries and an assortment of entertainment, from rock, blues, jazz, funk, to hip hop, acoustic singer/songwriter sets, and stand-up comedy. Local celebrity Brian Copeland was in attendance and his son Casey Cope performed both years, as well as Jym's band Stereo Freakout, which played the legendary Sausage and Suds festival two years in a row.

Danny Murry's Irish Pub is very happy to be a part of the San Leandro community and provide a safe, enjoyable location for not only locals, but those coming from the surrounding towns as well as we become a destination location. Cheers & Slainte!