

Saint Patrick's Day

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Saint Patrick's Day is a religious holiday celebrated internationally on 17. March. First it was a Catholic holiday and it became an official feast day in the 17.century.

It is named after Saint Patrick, the patron saint of Ireland, a holy shepherd, who brought Christianity to Ireland.



It is a public holiday in the Republic of Ireland, Northern Ireland, Newfoundland and Labrador. It is also very popular in the USA, Canada and Australia.

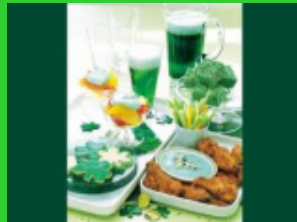
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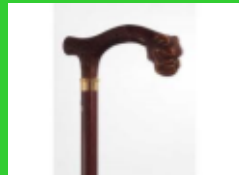
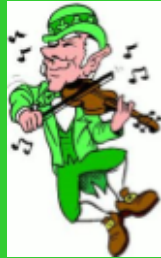
People all around the world celebrate this day by music, dancing, singing and drinking beer. St. Patrick's parades are very popular too.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Zlq8wamdyeg>



Green colour is typical for this day. People wear green clothes and the sign of shamrock. They drink green drinks and eat green food - spinach, broccoli, green pasta, green ice-cream.





4 leaf clover

St.Patrick's Day

Ireland

fiddle

cane

harp

Irish flag

fairy

shamrock

leprechaun

pot of gold

pipe

horseshoe

rainbow

St.Patrick

cap

flute

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