This dinner actually took place on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> March because the original event had to be cancelled due heavy snow falls over Ireland and UK caused by what was called 'The Beast from the East' meeting an Atlantic storm called 'Emma'. 140 members and guests attended



# ANNUAL DINNER SATURDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> MARCH 2018



Slieve Russell Hotel, Ballyconnell, Co. Cavan

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"What a joy to sail the crested sea and watch the waves beat white upon the Irish shore" St Columba AD 563

## THE IRISH CRUISING CLUB ANNUAL DINNER 2018



'Fastnet' by Joe Clarke,1963

### **PROGRAMME**

WELCOME ON BEHALF OF THE NORTH REGION Derek White ICC

> **GRACE** John Clementson ICC

> > **DINNER**

**TOASTS** 

**IRELAND** Stanton Adair Commodore Irish Cruising Club

**OUR GUESTS** Stanton Adair Commodore Irish Cruising Club

RESPONSE ON BEHALF OF THE GUESTS Henry Clay

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Commodore Royal Cruising Club



#### **Starter Choices**

Asian Fishcakes scented with Lemongrass, Chilli and Ginger, cooked in Panko Breadcrumb with mixed Salad Leaves and Dill Mayonnaise

A Warm Salad of Mixed Leaves and Golden Fried Cooleeney Brie served with Walnut Dressing and Red Onion Marmalade

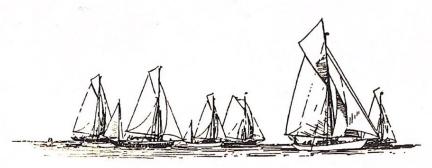
#### **Main Courses**

Roast Sirloin of Prime Irish Beef with Burgundy and Shallot Jus

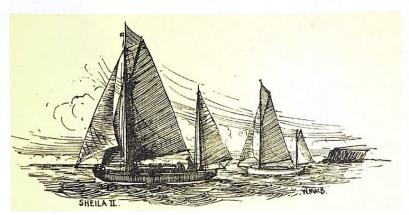
Baked Fillet of Atlantic Hake served with Leek Fondue and Chive Beurre Blanc

#### **Dessert Choices**

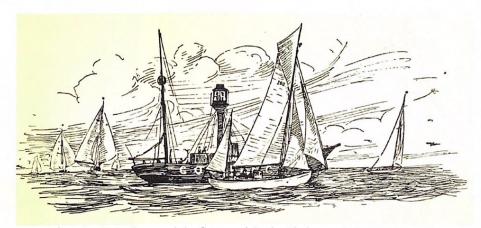
Symphony of House Desserts – Creamed Baileys Cheesecake, Chocolate Profiterole, Vanilla Bean Panna cotta and Valhrona Chocolate Dipped Strawberry



ICC yachts racing in 1936



'Sheila II', 1937



'Foam' around the first mark in the Clyde race in 1938

Sketches taken from editions of the ICC Annual available on the club website