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# THE LUCK OF THE JEWISH IRISH AT KENNY & ZIGGY'S

***Houston's New York Delicatessen honors Yiddish Sons of Erin***

HOUSTON – Steaming piles of corned beef and cabbage and cold beer we get, but green matzoballs?

Well, prepare yourself for all that as Kenny & Ziggy's, Houston's only authentic New York delicatessen restaurant celebrates St. Patrick's Day in honor of the Loyal League of Yiddish Sons of Erin. Wrap your shillelagh around that one.

All day Sunday, March 17, the popular deli will be serving up the green balls, house-made corned beef and pots of freshly boiled cabbage to give a tip of the hat to both Ireland and a famed Dublin-born Jewish organization. So as the Loyal League leprechauns say, "Mazeltov!"

The Loyal League of Yiddish Sons of Erin was founded in the late 19th Century by Michael Mann, an Irish-Jewish immigrant from Dublin who was a well-known New York City labor leader. He and fellow Irish-born Jews would celebrate St. Patrick's Day with green matzo balls (later green bagels were added). It grew so popular, the organization found itself marching in the annual St. Patrick's Day Parade.

Kenny & Ziggy's New York Delicatessen Restaurant is located at 2327 Post Oak Boulevard in the heart of the Galleria area and business district. The restaurant is open Monday-Friday, 7 a.m.-9 p.m., and Weekends, 8 a.m.-9 p.m. The restaurant gladly takes the "show on the road" to cater parties of all sizes and descriptions. For more information, call 713-679-8453 or visit **www.kennyandziggys.com.**

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