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## Irish Weather Can't Drown St. Pat

■ A little Irish weather – cold rain – couldn't stop people from having fun at the Pershing Square party and St. Pat's parade downtown.

REC AND PARKS — Pershing Square hosted a jolly St. Patrick's Day party on the afternoon of St. Patrick's Day. Despite the rain, people really enjoyed the Celtic rock of Finn MacCool. Even the Pershing Square fountain featured green water!

The Pershing Square party followed the annual St. Pat's Parade downtown, organized through the office of Councilmember and Club Member Tom LaBonge. The parade featured heavy participation by the LAPD, the LAFD and other departments.

Here are some photos of the two events.



A giant American flag, courtesy the LAFD, framed the end-line of the annual downtown St. Patrick's Day parade.



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Councilmember and Club Member Tom LaBonge is Irish for a day at the annual downtown St. Patrick's Day parade. His office coordinated the parade.



A LAFD vehicle provided the transportation for the Southern California Rose of Tralee court at the annual downtown St. Patrick's Day Parade.



A little rain couldn't stop this woman from celebrating St. Patrick's Day at the Pershing Square party.

