

The Ireland Pavilion at Aichi Expo 2005 is proud to announce:

In concert: Sayaka Ikuyama, playing the Irish Harp

Date: June 10/11 2005

It is with the greatest of pleasure that the Ireland Pavilion announces a series of performances of the Irish Harp by renowned harpist Sayaka Ikuyama. Ms. Ikuyama, who has trained in Ireland, began playing the harp when she was still only 11 years old. She has appeared in numerous International Competitions for the Irish Harp.

Her performance will consist not only of traditional Harp melodies, but also such Irish favorites as “The Last Rose of Summer” (Niwa no Chigusa) as well as the ever-popular theme song to the animated movie “Spirited Away” (Sen to Chihiro no Kamikaushi).

Sayaka Ikuyama will perform in the Ireland Pavilion at the following times:

Friday, June 10 2005

1:00 – 1:20 pm
2:00 – 2:20 pm
3:00 – 3:20 pm
4:00 – 4:20 pm

Saturday, June 11 2005

1:00 – 1:20 pm
2:00 – 2:20 pm
3:00 – 3:20 pm
4:00 – 4:20 pm

The Harp is, and always has been, tremendously important to Ireland and to the Irish. Its music is both beautiful and bewitching. We look forward to sharing this wonderful aspect of Ireland’s culture with you.

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