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MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF THE SYRACUSE, N.Y. ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS: COMMODORE JOHN BARRY DIVISION



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## PRESIDENT'S CORNER

...By Dan Case,  
Division President

Dear Brothers,

- ☑ **Please note that our regular meeting for July has been changed to the 9<sup>th</sup> to avoid the July 4<sup>th</sup> holiday weekend.**
- ☑ Here's hoping that you're now enjoying the warmer weather that's finally arrived. I'm sure most of us will not forget the cold of the St. Patrick's Day Parade any time soon !!
- ☑ We were fortunate enough once again to get noticed in the Hibernian Digest for the great job that was done by our Division with the food drive during the Parade. Please read the article in that paper.
- ☑ Some very lucky person will be the winner of the 1974 Chevrolet Corvette Stingray convertible that we are raffling off at the Syracuse Irish Festival in September. Many thanks go to AOH Syracuse Division member Ron Clare for securing this very nice vehicle for us. Now it's our duty, as members, to sell the raffle tickets. It should turn out to be one of our best fund-raisers ever. The tickets are being printed by AOH Syracuse Division member Tom Burke, and we should have them shortly.
- ☑ Please join me in thanking AOH Syracuse Division members Bob Rogers, Bill Kelly, John Rogers, Bob Bunce, Tom Burke, Kieran Delay, and the many volunteers for their planning and oversight of the recent Syracuse AOH/Tony Rogers Memorial Golf Tournament. It was a great, fun-filled day despite of the cool, damp weather !!
- ☑ Special thanks go to AOH Syracuse Division Vice-President Frank Corcoran and Division Historian Geordy Austin, who traveled to Belfast recently and presented a \$4,000 donation check from our Division to Fr. Troy of Holy Cross Girls Primary School. In turn, Frank would like to thank everyone who helped to make this donation possible. He and Geordy are happy to report that the students are doing well and are very appreciative of our gift, and that enrollment is up. These wonderful students pray for all of us each morning at school !!
- ☑ I have finally been contacted by the Downtown Committee regarding the Irish Festival. Things are only in the planning stage at this point. I will provide updated information as it becomes available.
- ☑ At each AOH Syracuse Division meeting, David Kennedy has been bringing AOH clothing items that are available for purchase after the meeting.
- ☑ Join me in welcoming our newest AOH Syracuse Division members, Daniel Doherty and Richard Gossen, who were sworn in at the June Division meeting. Welcome !!
- ☑ As always, I'm here for anything you wish to discuss. You can contact me via phone [(315) 638-2285] or e-mail [fenian@twcny.rr.com].

*Yours in Friendship, Unity, & Christian Charity, Dan*

## AOH DIVISION MEETING

☞🕒 **SUNDAY, JULY 9<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00 pm**

**PJ Dorsey's (116 Walton Street in Syracuse)**

For details, contact Dan Case: (315) 638-2285 or fenian@twcny.rr.com

**AOH/LAOH Syracuse Division members are encouraged to provide their current street address, telephone number, and e-mail address (if available) to Financial Secretary Kevin Ahern via phone [(315) 468-6338] or e-mail [kahern@twcny.rr.com].**

AOH Syracuse Division member **Bill Knowlton**, host of WCNY-FM's "Bluegrass Ramble" radio program for over 33 years, was inducted into the **Syracuse Area Music Awards (SAMMY) Hall of Fame** on Friday June 2<sup>nd</sup>. The ceremony was held as part of the "Taste Of Syracuse" festivities that took place in Clinton Square that weekend.

The annual **St. Patrick's Church Irish Festival** (216 N. Lowell Ave. in Syracuse) will be held on **Friday, July 28<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, July 29<sup>th</sup>.**

**AOH Syracuse Division member Joe Schiltz is seeking volunteers for our food booths at the CNY Scottish Games and Celtic Festival (Saturday, August 12<sup>th</sup> - assistance also needed during the evening of Friday, August 11<sup>th</sup>) and the Syracuse Irish Festival (Friday, September 8<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, September 9<sup>th</sup>). If you can lend a much-needed hand, please contact Joe via phone [(315) 468-1832] or e-mail [cuse44@twcny.rr.com] for more information.**

**AOH green Winter jackets (\$72), green light-weight pull-over jackets (\$32), and white T-shirts (\$10)** are available for purchase. If you're interested, please contact AOH Syracuse Division member **David Kennedy** via home phone [(315) 637-3307], cell phone [(315) 569-3302], or e-mail [dkenn@twcny.rr.com].

The Central New York Irish American Cultural Institute (**CNY IACI**) invites the public to their next monthly presentation of **"Irish Food & Thought" (to be held during the week of July 23<sup>rd</sup> - exact day and location to be announced soon)**. The event will start at 6:30 pm (social). Dinner will follow at 7:00 pm, the presentation at 7:45 pm, and music at 9:00 pm (by the Seissions). Pat MacKillop will give a presentation on the Book of Kells. The cost will be \$20 for the presentation and dinner or \$10 for the presentation only. Please contact Mary K. Gillis via phone [(315) 488-8749 or (315) 636-7772] or e-mail [eahd92@juno.com] to make reservations and/or for more information. Reservations are required.

The **Tom Dooley Choraliers group is seeking new members**. The Choraliers are a group of men who have been singing to promote Irish culture for over forty years. If you like to sing and want to become a part of this group, please call AOH Syracuse Division member Jim Henson @ (315) 468-6131 for more information.

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#### Dates to remember...

- ☑ Fri., 7-28 & Sat., 7-29: **2006 St. Patrick's Church Irish Festival** (216 N. Lowell Ave. in Syracuse)
- ☑ Fri., 7-28 & Sat., 7-29: **2006 Great American Irish Festival** (Herkimer County Fairgrounds - [www.greatamericanirishfestival.com](http://www.greatamericanirishfestival.com))
- ☑ Sat., 8-12: **2006 CNY Scottish Games & Celtic Festival** (Long Branch Park in Liverpool)
- ☑ Sat., 8-19: **2006 AOH NYS Jack Burns Memorial Golf Tournament** (Dutch Hollow Country Club in Auburn)
- ☑ Sat., 8-26: **2006 Cortland Celtic Festival** (Cortland County Fairgrounds - [www.cortlandcelticfestival.com](http://www.cortlandcelticfestival.com))
- ☑ Fri., 9-8 & Sat., 9-9: **2006 Syracuse Irish Festival** (Clinton Square in Downtown Syracuse - [www.syracuseirishfestival.com](http://www.syracuseirishfestival.com))
- ☑ Fri., 10-6: **Hookey sponsored by the Tom Dooley Choraliers** (Empire Room at the NYS Fairgrounds - more specific info in future HH newsletters)

If you have information concerning sick or recently deceased AOH members, please contact **AOH Syracuse Division Catholic Action Committee Chairman David Kennedy** via home phone [(315) 637-3307], cell phone [(315) 569-3302], or e-mail [dkenn@twcny.rr.com].

If you have any AOH/LAOH information, photos, or memorabilia, please contact **AOH Syracuse Division Historian Geordy Austin** via phone [(315) 446-1153] or e-mail [geordyo@gmail.com].

**AOH apparel is available.** Please contact **David Kennedy** via home phone [(315) 637-3307], cell phone [(315) 569-3302], or e-mail [dkenn@twcny.rr.com].

**Please pay your AOH membership dues as soon as possible** (\$35 for members age 60 and younger; \$25 for members age 60+; \$40 for new members -- due at swearing-in ceremony along with completed application). Please see Financial Secretary Kevin Ahern at the next meeting or send a check to our PO Box (listed on this newsletter).

#### 2006 AOH Syracuse Division Officers...

- ☑ President: *Dan Case*
- ☑ Vice-President: *Frank Corcoran*
- ☑ Recording Secretary: *Jerry Cregan*
- ☑ Financial Secretary: *Kevin Ahern*
- ☑ Treasurer: *Kevin Shanahan*
- ☑ Chairman of the Standing Committee: *Jim Hartigan*
- ☑ Marshal: *Terry Maddison*
- ☑ Sentinel: *Scott Bowles*

#### Web sites of interest...

- ☑ **AOH Syracuse Division:** [www.syraoh.com](http://www.syraoh.com)
- ☑ NYS AOH: [www.nyaoh.com](http://www.nyaoh.com)
- ☑ National AOH: [www.aoh.com](http://www.aoh.com)
- ☑ IACI of CNY: [www.iaci-usa.org/cnychapter.html](http://www.iaci-usa.org/cnychapter.html)
- ☑ Irish Republican Media site: [www.irishrepublicanmedia.com](http://www.irishrepublicanmedia.com)
- ☑ Irish news: [www.nuzhound.com](http://www.nuzhound.com)
- ☑ Irish-American Information Service: [iais.org](http://iais.org)
- ☑ Irish-American Heritage Museum: [www.irishamericanheritagemuseum.org](http://www.irishamericanheritagemuseum.org)
- ☑ Irish literature: [www.ucc.ie/celt](http://www.ucc.ie/celt)
- ☑ Irish architecture: [www.irish-architecture.com](http://www.irish-architecture.com)
- ☑ Irish foods/recipes: [www.foodireland.com](http://www.foodireland.com)

## LADIES AOH (LAOH) NEWS



- ☑ **NEXT MEETING:** The next meeting of the LAOH will be held at 7:00 pm on Thursday, July 13<sup>th</sup> at Peggy Reynolds home (Providence House Apartments: 1700 West Onondaga Street in Syracuse). The entrance is from the back parking lot. We'll just be getting together with plans for the Scottish Games & Celtic Festival.
- ☑ **JUNE MEETING FOLLOW-UP:** Yvette Guilfoil's sister Irene, who is always at a lot of our functions, won the 50/50 raffle & gave the money as a donation to our Division. Thank you so much Irene !!
- ☑ **PRAYERS:** Please pray for Peggy Reynolds and her husband Bill. Bill will be in the hospital in New Mexico, with second degree burns for 10 days before they'll let him fly home.
- ☑ **LAOH, FRIENDS, & FAMILY COOKBOOK: \*\* LAST CALL \*\*** If you have any more of your favorite recipes (they don't have to be Irish), please contact chairperson, Maureen O'Hara at (315) 478-7937 as soon as possible. You will have your name in the book along with your recipe(s), unless you prefer otherwise. We have orders coming in already for the cookbook and would like to have it ready by the Scottish Games & Celtic Festival, but need a few more recipes.
- ☑ **CNY SCOTTISH GAMES & CELTIC FESTIVAL:** Saturday, August 12<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am - 6:00 pm. We're asking you for at least two hours of your time in return for free admission. It's a lot of work and the more people we have working, the less work for all. Please lend a hand with baked goods and crafts. Please contact Peggy Reynolds @ (315) 476-5246 concerning baked goods & crafts to be sold and Ginny Justian @ (315) 622-1705 with hours you'll be available to work.
- ☑ **FROM OUR SUGGESTION BOX:** We need to get out to more cultural and social events. There are women who want to join the LAOH for cultural events only or for social events only. Let's not lose these women. We need to know in advance of events and make the LAOH known, even if only one person can attend. Please contact Ginny Justian, with any such event info. Please also bring anyone you know who fits this description to our September meeting to join. We want their ideas and help. We will be discussing this further at our September meeting.
- ☑ **NEW MEMBERS:** Please contact Ginny Justian at @ (315) 622-1705 or Peggy Reynolds @ (315) 476-5246 regarding potential new members. We are making installation a little more formal and need to know in advance.
- ☑ **CONTACT:** Please contact LAOH Division President Ginny Justian via phone (315) 622-1705, e-mail (rayorginny@aol.com), or USPS (238 Blackberry Road Liverpool, NY 13090) with questions/suggestions/info/comments.
- ☑ **DUES:** LAOH membership dues should be paid as soon as possible. Please send a \$20 check (payable to LAOH Division #1) to: *Financial Secretary Joyce Krichbaum 5841 Reis Drive Cicero, NY 13039* If you're having trouble with payment, PLEASE contact Joyce as soon as possible @ (315) 699-5711
- ☑ **"BILL KNOWLTON'S BLUEGRASS RAMBLE" RADIO SHOW:** Sundays, 9:00 pm - Midnight (Syracuse WCNY 91.3-FM/Utica WUNY 89.5-FM/Watertown WJNY 90.9)
- ☑ **SEAN HENNESSEY'S (OF THE WATERTOWN DIVISION) RADIO SHOW:** Sundays, 11:00 am - Noon (Watertown WATN 1240-AM) - Irish music/interviews
- ☑ **IRISH MUSIC CAN BE HEARD AT...**
  - ☐ *Kitty Hoynes Irish Pub & Restaurant:* 301 West Fayette St. in Syracuse (315) 424-1974 [www.kittyhoynes.com](http://www.kittyhoynes.com)
    - ☐ Saturday, 7-1: *Donal O'Shaughnessy*
    - ☐ Friday, 7-7 & Saturday, 7-8: *Neil Emberg*
    - ☐ Friday, 7-14 & Saturday, 7-15: *Jeff Phillips*
    - ☐ Friday, 7-21: *Emish*
    - ☐ Saturday, 7-22: *Cassidy and McCall*
    - ☐ Friday, 7-28: TBA
    - ☐ Saturday, 7-29: *The Kerry Boys*
  - ☐ *Coleman's Authentic Irish Pub:* 100 South Lowell Ave. in Syracuse (315) 476-1933 [www.colemansirishpub.com](http://www.colemansirishpub.com) (Sunday music is from 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm; Other days, music is from 10:00 pm - 1:30 am)
    - ☐ Sunday, 7-2: TBA
    - ☐ Sunday, 7-9: TBA
    - ☐ Sunday, 7-16: TBA
    - ☐ Sunday, 7-23: TBA
    - ☐ Sunday, 7-30: TBA
- ☑ **Syracuse Irish Music Session:**
  - ☐ 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month: *Half Penny Pub* (4:00 pm - 7:00 pm) (315) 478-3091 321 West Fayette St. in Syracuse
  - ☐ 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month: *Johnston's Bally Bay Bar* (4:00 pm - 7:00 pm) (315) 423-8021 550 Richmond Ave. in Syracuse