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PRESIDENT'S CORNER

...By Dan Case,
Division President

Dear Brothers,

- ☑ Well, where do I begin? We have surely had a very busy summer. I cannot express how thankful I am for all the effort that was put into the recent car raffle. Brothers Ron Clare, Bob Bunce, Dave Lynch, and their fellow committee members did an outstanding job of making the raffle a huge success. Credit also goes to you, the Brothers, who did such a great job in selling the raffle tickets. AOH Syracuse Division member James Henson was the winner of the beautiful 1974 Chevy Corvette Stingray convertible. Congratulations Jim !!
- ☑ As for the recent Syracuse Irish Festival, much can be said. As always, Brother Joe Schiltz did his usual outstanding job overseeing our food booth. Our most grateful thanks go out to him !! We had prior meetings with the director of the committee, and were assured of our position at the corner that we used to have. That did not happen. We were placed behind the beer truck, and were not really visible to the public. Many people asked where the AOH was located at the event. No amount of effort could convince the director of the error with our location. I have no doubt that it affected our final monetary totals. During the event, I and AOH Syracuse Division Vice President also noticed offensive t-shirts being sold this event - some displaying things that were derogatory to our race, and in violation of our AOH oath. The vendor was quickly advised of our displeasure and took down the ones hanging on display. For this I am grateful. Letters from our Division and the CNY IACI will soon be sent to the Cultural Resources Council. Fortunately though, all in all, the event was fun.
- ☑ I am again running for Division President and have really enjoyed working for the betterment of our Division. Remember, if you would like to run for an Office, please contact Election Committee Chairman Ron Clare via phone [(315) 468-1892] or e-mail [draperiesetcinc@yahoo.com] as soon as possible. Nominations will be announced at the October Division meeting, with elections held at the November Division meeting. No nominations will be accepted after the October meeting. Division offices include President (Major Degree required), Vice-President (Major Degree required), Financial Secretary, Treasurer, Recording Secretary, Standing Committee Chairman, Sentinel, and Marshal.
- ☑ Our Division's Christmas Party/2007 Officer Installation Ceremony will be held on Saturday, December 2nd at Brother Steve Dorsey's new restaurant, Meghan M^{rs}Murphy's Pub, located at 7990 Oswego Rd. (Rt. 57) in Liverpool. It's easy to get there by taking the John Glenn Blvd. exit off of Rt. 690. More specific details will be included the next HH newsletter.
- ☑ Join me in welcoming our newest AOH Syracuse Division member, Kevin Shannon, who was sworn in at the September 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

A O H D I V I S I O N M E E T I N G

 SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1st @ 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].

Nominations for 2007 AOH Syracuse Division Officers will be held at the **Sunday, October 1st** Division meeting. The election of Officers will be held at the November Division meeting. Division offices include President (Major Degree required), Vice-President (Major Degree required), Financial Secretary, Treasurer, Recording Secretary, Chairman of the Standing Committee, Sentinel, and Marshal. If you're interested in running for an office, please contact Committee Chairman Ron Clare via phone [(315) 468-1892] or e-mail [draperiesetcinc@yahoo.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**", which will be held at Meghan M^{rs}Murphy's Restaurant/Pub (7990 Oswego Rd. [Rt. 57] in Liverpool / phone: (315) 546-2500) on **Friday, October 27th** starting at 6:30 pm (social). Dinner will follow at 7:00 pm, the presentation at 7:45 pm, and music at 9:00 pm. Pat Kenny will give a presentation concerning Irish sports, including the GAA organization, football, and hurling. Plenty of free parking will be available to the left of the building. The cost will be \$25 for the presentation and dinner or \$10 for the presentation only. Please contact Amolia Grossman via e-mail [agrossma@twcny.rr.com] or phone (315) 697-9012] to make reservations and/or for more information. Directions to Meghan M^{rs}Murphy's, which is behind the Suburban Hardware Plaza:

- » take 690 to the John Glenn Blvd. exit
- » go straight on John Glenn to Rt. 57
- » take a left onto Rt. 57 and follow Rt. 57 for 4-5 miles
- » look for the Suburban Hardware Store sign on the right (opposite from Seneca Mall)

The **Tom Dooley Choraliers** will be hosting an **Irish Hooley** on **Friday, October 6th** from 8:00 pm – Midnight at the NYS Fairgrounds Empire Room. Entertainment will include The Choraliers, The Flyin' Column, and Irish step dancers. Tickets are \$8 (advance sale) or \$10 (at the door). Soda and snacks will be included, and a cash bar will be available. Please contact Jim Henson @ (315) 468-6131 for more information.

The **Andy Cooney Christmas Show** will be held on **Wednesday December 13th** from 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm at the East Middle School Auditorium on Franklin Street in **Auburn**. The Auditorium is next to Cayuga Community College. The show is being dedicated to the memory of Bob Foster and proceeds will be for the benefit of St. Joseph's Elementary School in Auburn. Tickets are \$20 each. Please contact Cheryl Foster @ (315) 253-3174 or George Cuthbert @ (315) 729-0935 for more information.

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Dates to remember...

- ☑ Fri., 10-6: **Hooley sponsored by the Tom Dooley Choraliers** (Empire Room at the NYS Fairgrounds)
- ☑ Sat., 12-2: **Annual AOH Syracuse Division Christmas Party/2007 Officer Installation Ceremony** (Meghan M^cMurphy's Pub in Liverpool)

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

LADIES AOH (LAOH) NEWS



- ☑ **NEXT MEETING:** The next meeting of the LAOH will be held at 7:00 pm on Thursday, October 12th at the Taunton Presbyterian Church (4326 Fay Road in Taunton). We will be having Lisa Rigge as our speaker on Irish Genealogy. All members and non-members are welcome. The meeting will be from 7:00 pm to no later than 8:00 pm. Refreshments will be served. Please bring your gift for our Basket of Cheer to be raffled in November, and your canned item to be given to a Church food pantry.
- ☑ **NOMINATING COMMITTEE:** 2007 Officers - If you are an Officer and wish to remain in your Office or change Offices, or are not an Officer and wish to be one, please contact Mary Lou Trait @ (315) 476-7682, Yvette Guilfoil @ (315) 472-0762, or Kathleen Richardson @ (315) 672-5116. Nominations will be made at the October meeting, with election of officers at the November meeting.
- ☑ **PRAYERS:** Please remember Maggie Collins' mother-in-law who recently passed away and her family. Also, please pray for Ginny Justian's husband who is in serious condition.
- ☑ **SYMPATHY & GET-WELL CARDS:** Please call Peggy Reynolds @ (315) 476-5246 if you know of any illness, accident or death. Peggy will be sending cards from the LAOH.
- ☑ **FAREWELL:** We all had a chance to say good bye to Florence Nieciecki and share with a piece of her good luck cake. Florence is moving to Geneva will be deeply missed by all !!
- ☑ **LAOH, FRIENDS, & FAMILY COOKBOOK:** If you would like to reserve your cookbook now for only \$10, please contact Maureen O'Hara @ (315) 478-7937, Kathleen Richardson @ (315) 672-5116, or Eileen Tickner @ (315) 468-6203.
- ☑ **INSTALLATIONS:** Please contact Ginny Justian @ (315) 622-1705 or Peggy Reynolds @ (315) 476-5246 regarding potential new members in advance.
- ☑ **FROM OUR SUGGESTION BOX:** We will be having our covered dish supper, election of officers, and Basket of Cheer drawing at the November meeting (rather than at a separate dinner in December).
- ☑ **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 (music is from 9:00 pm - 1:00 am)
 - ☐ Friday, 10-6: *Donal O'Shaughnessy*
 - ☐ Saturday, 10-7: *Pat Kane*
 - ☐ Friday, 10-13 & Saturday, 10-14: *Jack M^cGuire*
 - ☐ Friday, 10-20: *Old Friends*
 - ☐ Saturday, 10-21: *Greenwich Mean Time*
 - ☐ Friday, 10-27 & Saturday, 10-28: *Neil Emberg*
 - ☑ **Coleman's Authentic Irish Pub:** 100 South Lowell Ave. in Syracuse (315) 476-1933 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, 10-1: TBA
 - ☐ Sunday, 10-8: TBA
 - ☐ Sunday, 10-15: TBA
 - ☐ Sunday, 10-22: TBA
 - ☐ Sunday, 10-29: TBA
- ☑ **Syracuse Irish Music Session:**
 - ☐ 1st Sunday of each month: *Half Penny Pub (4:00 pm - 7:00 pm)* (315) 478-3091 321 West Fayette St. in Syracuse
 - ☐ 3rd Sunday of each month: *Johnston's Bally Bay Bar (4:00 pm - 7:00 pm)* (315) 423-8021 550 Richmond Ave. in Syracuse