







...by Jim Egloff, **AOH Syracuse Division President**

Brothers,

The next AOH Syracuse Division meeting is scheduled for 7:00 pm on Tuesday, September 1st at the Marriott Syracuse Downtown. I've spoken to hotel management, and they indicated that attendance will be limited to 50 people. I need members to RSVP as soon as possible, so that I can get an idea of the number of attendees. Please remember to wear a mask. I look forward to seeing you!

You should have received your allotment of tickets for our 50/50 fundraising raffle. I can't stress how much our finances for the rest of the year depends on this raffle. The per-ticket cost is \$5 or 3 for \$10. Please sell your tickets and if you need more, please contact Tim Lillis. If you can't sell your tickets, but are able to make a donation, it will really be appreciated. Tim's contact information is:

☑ email: Timothy.Lillis@yahoo.com

Planning continues for the 2021 AOH NYS convention, which will take place at the Marriott Syracuse Downtown. We'll need your help to make it a success. Convention committee chairman Bob Bunce is actively seeking donations for the 'swag bags' that will be given to attendees. If you have items to donate, please contact Bob:

☑ email: rbunce@icsnewyork.com

Event photos are posted in the 'Photo Gallery' area of our Division's website (www.syraoh.com).

If you have any questions, comments, ideas, suggestions, or concerns, please contact me (jim.egloff26@gmail.com).

Yours in Friendship, Unity, & Christian Charity, Jim



AOH SYRACUSE DIVISION MEETING

♥② TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1st @ 7:00 pm

Marriott Syracuse Downtown For info, contact Jim Egloff: jim.egloff26@gmail.co

AOH apparel is available for purchase in various sizes. Items include three-season/winter jackets, drifit and cotton polo shirts, pull-overs, and quarter-zip summer jackets in sizes up to 3XL. To make a purchase, please contact Dick Gosson:

phone: (315) 800-7866

If you have information about sick or recently deceased AOH members, please contact Bob Bunce:

phone: (315) 546-6045

Nominations for 2021 AOH Syracuse Division Officers will be held at the October Division meeting, with the election of officers to occur 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:

☑ email: rclare@draperiesetc.com

phone: (315) 436-6431

AOH/LAOH Syracuse Division members are asked to provide any changes to their email address, phone number, or home address to Financial Secretary Kevin Ahern:

Please contact AOH Syracuse Division Historian Geordy Austin if you have any AOH/LAOH information, photos, or memorabilia:

phone: (315) 446-1153

LAOH, MUSIC, & OTHER INFO



LAOH

- ☑ MEETINGS: held on the second Tuesday of each month @ 7:00 pm at Nibsy's Pub (201 Ulster St. in Syracuse)
- ☑ **DIVISION OFFICERS**: President: Maureen Fogarty, Vice-President: Mary Lawless, Recording Secretary: Liz Thomas, Treasurer: Kathy Kelly, Irish Historian: Roxanne Compoli, Missions & Charities: Margie Miller, Catholic Action: Margaret LoPiccolo, Mistress-at-Arms: Ede Sakran, Sentinel: Yvette Guilfoil
- ☑ MEMBERSHIP DUES: Don't forget to pay your yearly dues. Make checks payable to 'LAOH' and send to Kathy Kelly, 5185 Boca Raton Way, Syracuse NY 13215
- SYMPATHY & GET WELL: If you know of anyone who is sick or bereaved, contact Mary Lawless ((315) 378-3703 / irish13212@verizon.net).
- ☑ COMMENTS/QUESTIONS: If you have comments or questions, contact Maureen Fogarty ((315) 478-1096 / fogarty.maureen@yahoo.com).

MUSIC & OTHER INFO

- ☑ BILL KNOWLTON'S 'BLUEGRASS RAMBLE' RADIO SHOW: Sundays, 9 pm to 12 am (Syracuse 91.3 FM / Utica 89.5 FM / Watertown 90.9 FM)
- ☑ SEAN JOHNSTON'S 'IRISH POWER HOUR' RADIO SHOW: Sundays, 9 pm to 10 pm (Syracuse TK99 FM / Utica WOUR 96.9 FM / www.irishpowerhour.com)
- ☑ PADDY'S HOME AND PUB PODCAST: www.paddyspodcast.com
- ☑ LIVE IRISH MUSIC CAN BE HEARD AT...
 - Kitty Hoynes Irish Pub & Restaurant: usually 9 pm to 1 am (301 W. Fayette St. in Syracuse / www.kittyhoynes.com / (315) 424-1974)
 - Coleman's Authentic Irish Pub: Sundays 4 pm to 7 pm (100 S. Lowell Ave. in Syracuse / www.colemansirishpub.com / (315) 476-1933)
- THE TOM DOOLEY CHORALIERS GROUP IS SEEKING NEW MEMBERS FROM ALL VOICE RANGES. The Choraliers are a group of men who've been singing to promote Irish culture since 1962. For more information, contact Dan Doherty (dldoherty71@gmail.com).
- ☑ THE CENTRAL NEW YORK IRISH CULTURAL SOCIETY (CNY-ICS) IS SEEKING NEW MEMBERS. This group sponsors, develops, and promotes Irish cultural activities in the greater Syracuse area. For more information, contact Geordy Austin (geordya7@gmail.com / (315) 446-1153).
- ☑ THE SYRACUSE KILTIE PIPE BAND IS SEEKING NEW MEMBERS. For more information, contact Steve Roesch (mhrad07@twcny.rr.com / (315) 558-9774).
- ☑ THE SYRACUSE GAELIC FOOTBALL CLUB IS SEEKING PLAYERS. For more information, contact Sean Rooney (seanyrooney@gmail.com).
- THE CENTRAL NEW YORK CHAPTER OF THE IRISH AMERICAN CULTURAL INSTITUTE (CNY-IACI) INVITES NEW MEMBERS. This group is non-sectarian/non-political and promotes the appreciation and enjoyment of all aspects of Irish culture. For more information, visit their website (www.cnyirish317.org).

DATES TO REMEMBER

- Projected 2020 AOH Syracuse Division meeting dates (please note that all dates are Tuesdays, unless otherwise noted, and that the meetings will start at 7:00 pm): September 1^{st} ; October 6^{th} ; Wednesday, November 4^{th} ; and December 1^{st}
- ☑ Wednesday, July 22nd → Sunday, July 26th: 2020 AOH/LAOH National Convention (Orlando, FL / www.aoh.com)
- ☑ Friday, September 18th → Sunday, September 20th: The Great American Irish Festival (Utica, NY / www.greatamericanirishfest.com)
- Friday, January 8th, 2021: AOH Syracuse Division Holiday Party (Marriott Syracuse Downtown)
- ☑ Wednesday, July 7th → Saturday, July 10th, 2021: AOH/LAOH NYS Convention (Marriott Syracuse Downtown)

Please pay your AOH Syracuse Division membership dues as soon as possible. Dues are as follows:

- ☑ \$45 initial fee for new members age 60+

See Financial Secretary Kevin Ahern or send a check to:

Ancient Order of Hibernians Commodore John Barry Division

P.O. Box 11605

Syracuse, N.Y. 13218-1605

2020 AOH SYRACUSE DIVISION OFFICERS

- ☑ Chaplain: Father John Ahern
- ☑ President: Jim Egloff / jim.egloff26@gmail.com
- ☑ Vice-President: Michael Lehmann / lehmann.michael.a@gmail.com
- ☑ Recording Secretary: Bill Ryan / bill13039@yahoo.com
- ☑ Financial Secretary: Kevin Ahern / kevina78@hotmail.com
- ☑ Treasurer: Tim Lillis / timothy.lillis@yahoo.com
- ☑ Chairman of the Standing Committee: Troy Murray / trizzle315@gmail.com
- ☑ Marshal: John Lyons / jlyons@lan-co.com
- ☑ Sentinel: Mike Roche / sienamike@aol.com

WEB SITES OF INTEREST

- ☑ AOH Syracuse Division: www.syraoh.com
- ☑ AOH NYS: www.nyaoh.com
- ☑ AOH National: <u>www.aoh.com</u>
- ☑ National Hibernian Digest: www.hiberniandigest.com
- ☑ CNY Irish Cultural Society (CNYICS):

www.syraoh.com/ics of cny/ics of cny

- ☑ CNY Chapter of the Irish American Cultural Institute:
 - www.cnyirish317.org
- ☑ Syracuse St. Patrick's Parade:

www.syracusestpatricksparade.org

- ☑ IrishCentral news site: <u>www.irishcentral.com</u>
- ☑ Irish Family History Foundation: <u>www.rootsireland.ie</u>
- ☑ Irish Republican Book Shop: www.republicanbookshop.com
- ☑ Irish Echo online: www.irishecho.com
- ☑ Irish-American Heritage Museum: www.irish-us.org
- ☑ Irish architecture: www.irish-architecture.com
- ☑ Irish foods/recipes: www.foodireland.com

As information becomes available, events and activities are listed on the 'Calendar of Events' page on our Division's website (www.syraoh.com).