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SEPTEMBER 2016 NEWSLETTER

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AOH President's Message

I trust everyone had a safe and happy summer season, we couldn't have asked for warmer weather. While we were on our summer break we had our Annual Division Scholarship Golf Outing in memory of Dick Johnson. Thanks to all the folks who came out to play and support the Division Scholarship and a special note of thanks to the guys who worked the grill and kitchen; Mike Morash, Dick Hart, Dan Daly (Chef DD) and John MacLellan. The Division also hosted the John Boyle O'Reilly Memorial Mass and coalition organized each year by Past State and Division President Dick Thompson. Thanks to Paul and Jimmy for the logistics support and making sure everything was ready for the Mass at Holyhood Cemetery. Congratulations to the Casey Family on winning our first Family Feud, the night was a tremendous success. Lastly I want to thank the members who attended our National Convention in Atlantic City, NJ this past July; you represented the Division in an honorable fashion.

Unfortunately over the summer we lost James Hagerty and Richard Shea. Please see enclosed.

Well the boys of summer still have us on the edge of our seats; hopefully they can pull off another Championship before "Big Papi" retires. Calendar autumn doesn't begin until September 22nd but we are already in full swing with Patriot and local College football and ice hockey is right around the corner. This is the time of year when we all come together to cheer for the local teams and enjoy the company of friendship.

As we come together again in friendship please pray for those that either through neglect or want do not have the solace of friendship.

Yours in Friendship, Unity and Christian Charity,

Joseph P. McCusker Jr.

LAOH President's Message

The cooler air reminds us that fall is coming and our activities will begin. Hope everyone had a wonderful summer. Those that attended The McElroy Farewell had a great time. We wish Mary and Des a long and happy life in Florida. Six of our Board Members met on Aug 14th and have some new ideas to bring forth. Our sympathy to Aime Beggan and her family on the passing of her Grandmother. Monday, September 12th, our meeting will be at 7:00PM. Sr. Margaret Divine, a Columban Sister, will be speaking to us at 7:30PM. We have supported them as part of our Catholic Charity. One of the discussions brought up by VP Pasto was Thanksgiving Baskets for five worthy families. When you come to the fall meetings if you would bring a non-perishable item, e.g. cranberry sauce, can veggies, perhaps a gift card towards purchasing a turkey, bag, potato flakes, tablecloth and napkins, etc. These will be delivered in time for Thanksgiving. Saturday, October 1st, "Ladies First" will perform their latest Musical, "Stage Struck." Tickets are \$20.00 each and tables of 8 can be reserved. As in the past a cash bar will be available. Bring your own table snacks/appetizers, etc. Contact Maureen Foley for tickets at 617 967-1195 or mofowatertown@live.com. Flyer Attached. Our October meeting will be held on the Second Tuesday, Oct. 11th, due to the Columbus Holiday, at 7:00PM. This will be our Annual Baby Shower. They are in need of Infant sizes up to 12 months and girl/pink Baby Bottles. On Sunday, November 6th, the AOH/LAOH State Brunch will be held in our Hall with Mass at 11:00AM. More information will follow after the Joint State Meeting on Sunday, Sept. 11th, 12:30 PM in Worcester. The November Meeting, Monday the 14th, 7:00PM. Assemble Thanksgiving Baskets. The December Meeting, will probably be Saturday, the 3rd, for the Christmas Party. More info to follow. Possible Indoor Yard Sale in the spring if someone steps up to Chair it.

Yours in Friendship, Unity and Christian Charity,

Mary B. Ryan, President

UPDATES

AOH Membership Notice

2016 DUES are way past due. Regular Division Members pay \$55.00, Senior Division Members pay \$30.00. All Associate Members regardless of age pay \$55.00. You can mail your checks to A.O.H. Div. 14 c/o Dennis Murphy, P.O. Box 11, Watertown, MA 02471. You may also make payment at the club.

LAOH Membership Notice

2016 dues are now payable. When sending your dues please include your name, address, phone number and e-mail. This will provide us with an up-to-date listing. There are only two prices for dues, Members age 64 and below - \$30, 65 and over - \$25. Sue McCallum contact information is 781.899.9423 email is stusuemc@msn.com.

E-mail Addresses Needed From All Members

We have set up an e-mail distribution list to cut down on the Newsletter expenses. Please send your e-mail to the Financial Secretary Dennis Murphy at moose1073@gmail.com.

Division Scholarship

A special note of thanks to Doctor Bill Sullivan and his wife for their generous donation of \$1,000 to the Scholarship Fund. This past Division Scholarship Golf Outing also added an additional \$3,500 to our Division Scholarship Fund. Thanks to all for the support.

Family Supper

The next Family Supper will be on October 12, 2016. Currently the Chef is planning on a grilled chicken with corn on the cob, baked potato, salad and rolls.

Club Inc. News

The Club will be closed on September 8th due to the Massachusetts State Primary, the Division Meeting has been moved to September 7th (Wednesday).

Sick Members and/or shut-in

If anyone knows of a fellow member that is sick and/or shut-in please inform the Chairman of our Sick Committee (Desi McElroy). Desi can be reached at 617.710.8680. For the LAOH please contact Eileen Waldron at 781.642.9250.

Desi and Mary God Bless and Best of Luck in your retirement to Florida!

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR RECENTLY DECEASED



James Patrick Hagerty

November 10, 1921 - July 15, 2016

James Patrick Hagerty, 94, of North Port, FL, formerly of Boston, MA, died on July 15, 2016. Jimmy was a WWII veteran and a member in good standing with the Ancient Order of Hibernians in Watertown, MA for 76 years. Jimmy was a Longshoreman for 65 years and was 82 years old when he retired in 2004. He was a member of the Elks Club in Cambridge, MA. Jim was a member of LaCasa Veterans Club. Survivors include his wife, Arleen (nee Krivelow) Hagerty; daughter, Francine Pistorino; step-children Jonathan (Theresa) Amaral Sr. and Jodie (Alan) Rosenberg; nine grandchildren, Danny (Nicole) Manning, Jonathan (Leslie) Amaral Jr., Justine (John) Noonan, Jillian Rosenberg, David Pistorino, Jason Rosenberg, Jamie Rosenberg, Jordan Rose Rosenberg, and Jordan Taylor Amaral; and six great grandchildren.



Richard P. Shea

May 2, 1932 – June 28, 2016

Fr. Ted Hesburgh who ran the University of Notre Dame for years said that "the most important thing a father can do for his children is to love their mother". He must have had Dick Shea in mind. So when the end did come for Richard P. Shea on Tuesday, June 28, 2016 at Brighton House tears were shed, smiles were shared and an era came to an end. He was 84. Dick was born in Brighton on May 2, 1932, a son of the late William J. and Mary Edna (Fischer) Shea. He grew up in Watertown and after graduating from Watertown High School joined the United States Navy where he served for four years during the Korean War as an air controller. He married Medford native Mary T. Rooney on June 16, 1956 in Saint Joseph's Church in Medford and soon after moved to Waltham where they raised their family. Dick and Mary were long active in their new parish, Saint Jude's, where Dick was an usher for as long as anyone can remember at the 4 o'clock Mass on Saturday. After he got out of the service Dick went to work as an outside plant engineer for the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company and retired following a thirty-eight year career. During that time he went to Northeastern University in Boston where he earned his

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bachelor's degree. As soon as his grandchildren started coming around he took on a new lease on life and a new nickname, "Bodie". Bodie loved helping take care of the kids with Mary. Wednesday nights were special, dinner with the grandchildren at one of several restaurants they frequented. Dick also had a knack for knowing someone almost everywhere he went. He was affable, agreeable, kind and generous. He might best be remembered as the go to guy for almost anything the family needed, the words "what do you need me to do?" frequently led to a full time job driving to and from school functions, sporting events and medical appointments and always with a calm, gentle and reassuring smile. He was an avid reader and a dedicated golfer at the Fresh Pond Golf Course in Cambridge. Dick belonged to the Hibernians in Watertown where he could often be found playing pool and he bowled with the Saint Jude's bowling league. Dick leaves his children, Paula M. LaCrosse and her husband, Stewart, of Waltham, Richard P. Shea, Jr., and his partner, Daniel Guamaccia, of Winthrop and John W. Shea of Needham; his grandchildren, James S. LaCrosse and his wife, Jennifer, Michael J. LaCrosse, all of Framingham, Daniel J. LaCrosse of Waltham and Maeve F. and Luisa M. Shea, of Needham and his step-great-granddaughter, Morgan Davis. He was also the father-in-law of the late Diane E. Shea and brother of the late William Shea.

KNOWN MEMBERS CURRENTLY SICK and/or SHUT-IN

Michael Winston is presently resting at home and is getting constant care. Margaret had said that has been doing well. Home is located at 48 Bigelow Ave. Watertown, MA 02472.

Arthur Griffin has been relocated to Brigham House which is located at 341 Mt Auburn St Watertown, MA 02472.

James Dunn is presently residing at Marist Hill Nursing & Rehabilitation Center which is located at 66 Newton St. Waltham, MA 02453.

Joe O'Brien is currently residing at Belmont Manor Nursing & Rehabilitation Center which is located at 34 Agassiz Ave. Belmont, MA 02478.

Fred Colman is resting at home and is currently getting treatment at Beth Israel. Home is located at 34 Gleason St. Watertown, MA 02472.

Dave O'Connell had a stroke and is currently doing well at Spaulding Rehabilitation in Charlestown, MA. Home is located at 58 Aldrich Rd, Apt 8 Watertown, MA 02472.

Peter Daley just had surgery at Brigham and Women's Hospital and most likely will be in the hospital for a while before moving to Rehab.

Back by Popular Demand!!!

“Ladies First”



Christine Corbett • Jane Corrigan • Jean Dancewicz • Carolina Lanney

Get "Stage-Struck"

As you step behind the curtain into the world of show biz
and take a musical look at the real

“Life Upon the Wicked Stage”

Saturday, October 1st, 2016

Tickets are \$20.

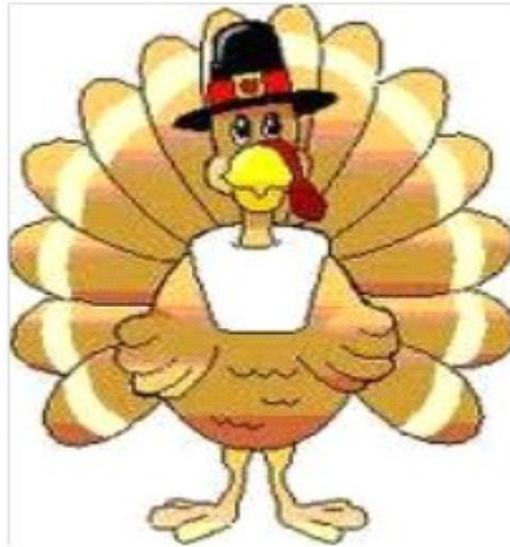
Tables of 8 reserved, first come, first served

Doors open at 7:00. Show begins at 7:30 pm.

Cash bar ~ bring your own table snacks/appetizers, etc.

Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians, Division 14

For tickets, please contact Maureen Foley
at mofowatertown@live.com
or 617-967-1195



AOH DIVISION 14
151 WATERTOWN ST. WATERTOWN
ANNUAL TURKEY SHOOT
FRIDAY NOVEMBER 18TH
DOORS OPEN AT 6:30 PM
(OPEN TO THE PUBLIC)
CASH BAR
ALL PROCEEDS WILL BENEFIT THE
SONNY WHOOLEY FUND
HELPING LOCAL FAMILIES IN NEED
DURING THE HOLIDAY SEASON

Date	Calendar of Events
Sep-7	AOH Division Meeting (the club is closed on Thursday)
Sep-11	State Board Meeting in Worcester MA (12:30 PM)
Sep-12	LAOH Division Meeting
Sep-15	Club Inc. Meeting
Oct-1	LAOH Presents "Ladies First", see flyer attached
Oct-11	LAOH Division Meeting (moved because of Columbus Day)
Oct-12	Family Supper (tentative menu detailed in Updates)
Oct-13	AOH Division Meeting
Oct-20	Club Inc. Meeting
Nov-6	AOH/LAOH State Memorial Mass and Brunch
Nov-10	AOH Division Meeting
Nov-14	LAOH Division Meeting
Nov-17	Club Inc. Meeting
Nov-18	Turkey Shoot

HALL RENTALS

Please remember when renting the hall as a member you must be a member in good standing (dues must be paid in full prior to reserving the hall and/or the Members Lounge for rent), pay with your own check and you must be at the function. We have had a few people ask about these requirements for the member's rate, so we wanted to help clarify these requirements. The Members Lounge may be used for up to forty (40) people. For more than forty (40) the Big Hall is available. We love to see members renting the hall for all their family functions. For more information please contact the Rental Agent, Paul Connolly, at 617-710-8680. Also check out our web pages for photos of the Hall:

www.aohdiv14.com

A special message from your AOH Financial Secretary

2016 Dues are not only due they are past due. Dues should have been paid on or before the first of January and as such if your dues are not paid at this time you are technically NOT a Member in Good Standing. If you are not a member in good standing you forfeit all the privileges and/or benefits of being a member of Division 14. It is important to further note that dues must be paid in full before April 1st of this year in order to get the member's rate when renting the hall, after April 1st you forfeit the privilege of receiving the member's rate for the rest of the year. Please send your checks to the attention of the Financial Secretary as soon as possible. Additionally you are requested to include your email address, if you have one, to cut down on the expense of printing and mailing the Newsletter monthly. Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated.

Dennis Murphy

A special message from your LAOH Financial Secretary

Please send in dues ASAP. Under the New LAOH By-Laws: Regular dues are \$30.00, Over 65 dues are \$25. Only Religious Members are exempt from paying dues. All dues are due on January 1 and payable no later than June 30th of each year. If dues are not paid by the June 30th deadline then the membership shall be cancelled. Any membership cancelled shall not be re-admitted until a \$10.00 fine and current dues are paid in full to LAOH, Div.14.

We have notified the AOH Financial Secretary of all LAOH members that were paid by April 1st. Any member paying after April 1st will not be given the discounted price for rental of the Hall.

This is tersely stated to be sure all understand, but I am hopeful all will be paid on time so there are no "fines".

Yours In Friendship, Unity and Christian Charity,
Sue McCallum, Financial Secretary, 214 Warren Street, Waltham,
MA 02453 781-899-9423

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BOWLING NITE

Anyone interested in

Wii™ Bowling

We will have open teams of 2.

Friday nites @ 8:00pm.

On the big TV, in the lounge.

Fun for all ages!!

***Come and watch, you're sure
to want to join in!***

**Please support these establishments
who have supported the Hibernians!**

Paddy's Pub
95 Elm St.
West Newton, MA
617-965-6444

Devlin's Restaurant
332 Washington St.
Brighton, MA
617-779-8822

West St. Grill
7 West St.
Newton, MA
617-795-0883

Copper House
380 Winter St.
Waltham, MA
781-890-8989

The Warren Tavern
2 Pleasant St.
Charlestown, MA
617-241-8142

O'Hara's Pub
1185 Walnut St.
Newton, MA
617-965-6785

