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MAY 2013 NEWSLETTER!

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AOH President's Message

I'd like to begin my message by thanking all the folks that came out for the Past President's Night; it was a wonderful show of support and much appreciated. We had a great time and enjoyed the music and vocal talents of Eric Falter and Patrick McCusker. Congratulations to Allen Gallagher — Lifetime Member, Dan McAdam — Hibernian of the Year, Doc Prince — Lifetime Achievement and of course our Leo Falter — Past President, all well deserved. Thanks to all who helped organize the night especially Mary Ryan, Dan McAdam, Dick Thompson and Desi McElroy.

I survived my first State Convention despite the efforts of Murph. The Division delegates put forth a commendable representation. The Convention was fairly routine with the most important task of voting in the State Officers to remain seated for another two year term. There was considerable discussion at the Convention surrounding the events that unfolded in Watertown last month. Members from across the State in a show of support voiced their interest to participate in our Memorial Day Parade. The current indication is that we may see upwards of 50 plus Hibernians joining us on 27 May. Now that it's safe to venture out of our house please consider joining with our out of town brothers and sisters in an effort to come together for possibly the biggest parade this City may ever witness.

The upcoming Scholarship Social and Awards Night is always a great evening. It is a proud moment when the Division can acknowledge the accomplishments of these young men and women as they prepare for their next step in life.

I have to be honest, with everything that has happened over the past few months I'm looking forward to the summer break. That said, I'm already planning our Annual Golf Outing (see enclosed) for the end July.

Yours in Faith, Unity and Christian Charity,

Joseph P. McCusker Gr.

LAOH President's Message

Greetings to our new members, Mary Flaherty and Mary Kay Heath who joined at our meeting on May 11th. Two new applications were read and accepted that night. Friday, May 17th, will be the Scholarship Awards evening. Congratulations to all the winning candidates. Your families must be proud of your accomplishments.

The Marathon Tragedy has affected many of our Division. For those who died, may they Rest In Peace, may God grant speedy recoveries to those hurt and may all Responders, Medical Personal, and Helping Hands fine peace and contentment in their lives. Watertown, You, did us Proud!!!

AOH & LAOH are busy preparing for the Memorial Day Parade to be held on May 27th. Let's make this a Big One after all that has gone on in our "Little Town" these past few weeks. Hibernians from Holyoke, Worcester, Lawrence, Lynn and Salem have committed to joining with us already. If possible, please come with us and show Watertown that the Hibernians are alive and caring. Sisters and Brothers we will need Baked Goods after the Parade. The Ladies are having a Bake Sale to raise Scholarship Funds. Please consider items such as Brownies, Cookies and the like packed in lunch baggies so they can be sold and used as desserts. We will not refuse Cakes or breads or your prized recipe. This is a golden opportunity to sell to a large crowd. Please do you best and take part. Many of you cannot attend our meetings due to schedules; this is your chance to HELP.

Our Meeting, Monday, June 10th, will be an Ice Cream Social. Plan in joining us that evening for friendship as this is the last meeting until September. I would appreciate feedback concerning a Change of <u>START</u> time for our Monthly Meeting. Currently we begin at 7:30, how do you feel about a 7:00 PM start beginning in September? Contact info on next page.

We will be conducting a membership drive over the summer months. If each current member brings just one new member we could double in size. Applications will be available in the Lounge Area as well as at the meeting.

Yours in Faith, Unity and Christian Charity,

Mary B. Ryan, President

UPDATES

LAOH Dues:

When sending your dues please include your name, address, phone number and e-mail. This will provide us with an up-to-date listing. Members age 64 and below - \$25, age 65 to 79 - \$20, age 80+ - \$15. Mary Ryan's contact information is 617.923.8891 email address is shamrockvillage1@verizon.net.

AOH Notice:

Dues are now past due for the current year. Regular and Associates Members are \$55.00 Senior Members are \$30.00. You can mail your dues in to A.O.H. Div 14 c/o Dennis Murphy, P.O. Box 11, Watertown, MA 02471.

E-mail Addresses Needed From All Members

We have set up an e-mail distribution list to cut down on the expenses to print, assemble and mail the Newsletter. Please note that this is a tremendous cash drain on the Division account, the more we can save the more we can donate to charity. Please consider sending your e-mail to the Financial Secretary Dennis Murphy at moose1073@gmail.com.

Family Supper:

The next Family Supper is scheduled for June 6th. The menu is TBD.

LAOH Division Fashion Show

The Fashion Show is scheduled to be held on Sunday September 29th in the afternoon. Tickets will be \$15 each with more information to follow.

Comedy Night

The Building Association will be hosting Jimmy Walsh and Friends on Friday September 20th for an evening of fun and relaxation. This night always promises to be a good time, don't miss out on the fun. More details will follow.

Memorial Day T-Shirts for Sale

The Division is selling Memorial Day T-Shirts at the Club for \$20 each. All proceeds will be donated to the Boston Strong One Fund. Please note that if you are participating in the Memorial Day Parade your shirt will be discounted.



ANNUAL AOH DIV-14 MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT IN MEMORY OF DAVID PRINCE



FRIDAY JULY 26, 2013 TO BENEFIT THE AOH DIVISION 14 SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Where: Wayland Country Club

121 Old Sudbury Road Wayland, MA 01778

Golf fee: \$120 per person (incl. greens fees, cart, player gift and tournament

party)

COMMITMENT ABSOLUTELY NEEDED BY JULY 13th

Time: 1:30 P.M. Shotgun start

Golf: Format is Scramble

Contact: Joe McCusker 617.924.7507

POST TOURNAMENT PARTY At the Club after golf is complete

Donation of \$25 per person is suggested for non-golfers

*raffles *prizes

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2013 SUMMER FOOD TASTING

Thursday June 27, 2013 \sim Doors Open at 6:00 PM Tickets \sim \$10 per Adult \sim \$5 per Child Tickets available at the door...

MARKYOUR CALENDAR!!

Featuring:



Old Favorites and New Friends Sample the specialties of local restaurants.



Hibernian Hall 151 Watertown Street, Watertown Call 617-710-8680 for information or to Reserve tickets

Calendar of Events

Date

- May-17 Scholarship Social and Awards Night 7PM
- **May-22 New Class Initiation**
- May-23 Building Inc. Meeting
- May-27 Memorial Day Parade
- Jun-6 Family Supper
- **Jun-13 Division Meeting**
- **Jun-17 LAOH Monthly Meeting**
- Jun-20 Club Inc. Meeting
- Jun-27 Building Inc. Meeting
- Jun-27 2013 Summer Food Tasting (see enclosed)
- Jul-26 AOH Memorial Golf Tournament (see enclosed)
- Sep-20 Comedy Night with Jimmy Walsh and Friends
- Sep-29 LAOH Fashion Show

Hall Rentals

Please remember when renting the hall as a member you must be a member in good standing, 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 fifty people. For more than fifty 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, Desi McElroy, at 617-710-8680. Also check out our web pages for photos of the Hall: www.aohdiv14.com

PLEASE REMEMBER OUR RECENTLY DECEASED

CAMPION, Francis X. Of Wellesley died at home on Sunday, April 28, 2013. He was 76. Born in Haddonfield, New Jersey, he grew up in Brookline,

Massachusetts and has lived in Wellesley for the past 50 years. Devoted husband of Jane (Mackey) Campion. Loving father of Sharon Campion MacClancy and husband Nigel of Northborough; Linda Bennett and husband Ed of Natick; Debby Kelly and husband John of Holliston; and Janet Kelly and husband Andrew of Stow. Adoring grandfather of nine: Caitlin and Lauren Kelly; Ian and Caroline MacClancy; Christopher, Danny and Madison Bennett; and Liam and Ryan Kelly. He is also survived by his sister, Jeanne Routhier of Yarmouthport

PRINCE, David Of West Newton, April 28, 2013. Beloved husband of Caroline (Short) Prince. Dear son of Edward V. and the late Helen C. Prince of Newtonville. Devoted brother of Steven and his wife Karen Prince of Lake Worth, FL, John of Boston, Maura Prince of Newton, Deirdre and her husband Chea Sok of Framingham, and the late Catherine A. Prince. Dear stepfather of Timothy Loftus of Waltham. Uncle of Amanda, Me gan, Kaitlyn, Ashley, Brian, and C.J.

Michael A. Nicholson (retired Deputy Chief, Watertown Fire Dept.). He was a son of the late James J. and Rose M. (Wilson) Nicholson. Michael passed away at the Beth Israel Hospital, Boston on Saturday, May 11, 2013 after a long battle with cancer. He was 57. He was the beloved husband of Cynthia M. (Pantalone) and her daughter Kimberly McGinness of Watertown. Devoted brother of James J. and his wife Diane of Whitman & Robert J. and his wife Donna of Watertown. Loving uncle of Ryan A. Nicholson (Capt. Watertown Fire Dept.) and his wife Jennifer, Matthew T. Nicholson, Patricia Van Dinter, Barbara King and Terry King. Also loved by grand nephew William B. Nicholson.

CURRENT LISTING OF DIVISION OFFICERS

LAOH DIVISION 14 OFFICERS 2013

President - Mary Ryan

Vice-President - Mary Logue

Recording Secretary - Ellen Ridge

Treasurer - Jeanine Brown

Historian - Dorothy O'Farrell

Catholic Action/Charities - Christine Breen

Mistress at Arms/Sentinel - Mary Flanagan

AOH DIVISION 14 OFFICERS 2013

President - Joe McCusker

Vice-President - Leo Falter

Recording Secretary - Jim Cunningham

Treasurer - Dick Thompson

Financial Secretary - Dennis Murphy

Chair of the Standing Committee - Mark LaPenta

Marshall - Desi McElroy

Sentinel - Jim Daly

Please support these establishments who have supported the Hibernians!

Maria's Catering 104 School St. Watertown, MA 617-926-5144 O'Leary's 1010 Beacon St. Brookline, MA 617-734-0049 Steamers 311 Watertown St. Newton, MA 617-244-9155

West St. Grill 7 West St. Newton, MA 617-795-0883 Greg's Restaurant 821 Mt. Auburn St. Watertown, MA 617-491-0122 Baanthai Rest. 659 Main St. Waltham, MA 781-893-7700

Pizza Regina Arsenal Mall Watertown, MA 617-926-5300 Donohue's Bar 87 Bigelow Ave. Watertown, MA 617-924-4900 Fit Z's Bar and Grille 451 Main St. Watertown, MA

City Streets 240 Lexington St. Waltham, MA 781-647-2489 Stella's Pizza 605 Mt. Auburn St. Watertown, MA 617-924-5692 The Talk Restaurant 116 Main St. Watertown, MA

Gordon's Liquor 51 Watertown St. Watertown, MA 617-926-1119 The Villa Restaurant 48 Plain Rd. Wayland, MA The Fire Place 1634 Beacon St. Brookline, MA 617-975-1900

Antoine's Bakery 317 Watertown St. Watertown, MA 617-527-6747



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