

**SEPTEMBER 2022 NEWSLETTER**

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### AOH President's Message

Not much to report on since our last Division Newsletter this past June. I hope all had as good a summer as possible considering the extremely hot weather. I can't believe that Summer is near the end and that we are less than three weeks away from calendar Fall. I guess the good news is that College and Pro football are starting up and hockey is right around the corner.

During our time away we had our National Convention in Pittsburg. Congratulations to Richard "Dick" Thompson for being elected as our National Director for a 2<sup>nd</sup> Term.

Please note that we will begin having our regular Division meetings on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month starting September 8, 2022. The Division Golf Outing that supports our Scholarship Fund is coming up this month, if you cannot play, please consider sponsoring a hole. There will be a lot of Division/Club sponsored events coming up over the next few months, the details of which are included in this Newsletter. The Ladies will be having their annual Craft Fair on October 29, 2022.

It is my unfortunate duty to inform you of the passing of longtime member Barry Smith. As soon as I receive the details of his wake and funeral, I will be sure to pass them along.

As we continue to settle into this new normal now is the time for resolve and commitment to keep pushing to get past this pandemic and all the backlash that came with this terrible virus.

Yours in Friendship, Unity and Christian Charity,  
Joe

### LAOH President's Message

Dear Sisters,

I hope everyone had an enjoyable summer. We now prepare ourselves to enter the season of Fall. The cool air with crisp mornings and chilly nights energizes me. There is that "fresh start" attitude that comes with this time of year. I hope you feel it, too. With all that is going on in our lives, community, and the world, it is good to have a feeling of renewal. The change of seasons reminds us that God has created the world with such beauty and purpose in each season. The author of Ecclesiastes gives a poetic passage about seasons. You know the passage or maybe you remember the song made famous by the Byrds.

*"There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens: a time to be born and a time to die, a time to plant and a time to uproot, a time to kill and a time to heal, a time to tear down and a time to build, a time to weep and a time to laugh, a time to mourn and a time to dance, a time to scatter stones and a time to gather them, a time to embrace and a time to refrain, a time to search and a time to give up, a time to keep and a time to throw away, a time to tear and a time to mend, a time to be silent and a time to speak, a time to love and a time to hate, a time for war and a time for peace." (Ecclesiastes 3:1-8)*

Life certainly has its seasons. We go through challenging times that will create growth or sadness that leads us to hope. So, let us make the most of these days. Let us find energy and face the Fall and "fresh starts" with excitement and expectation. Let us find ways to grow in our faith.

In June, we initiated a raffle for 1/2 way to St. Patrick's Day. There are approximately 30 numbers left to be sold. Please stop by the club to purchase a number at the bar. The cost is \$10 per number.

As always, please keep our brother and sister Hibernians in your prayers who are dealing with illness or hardship. We especially pray for the soul of Kevin Carty, Pat Colman's brother, who passed recently. If you know of a member who is not well, please reach out to me and Eileen Waldron so she can send a card and check in with that person.

**2022 dues are now past due.** All dues were to be paid no later than our June 6 meeting. If you still have not paid your dues, please make checks payable to LAOH Division 14 and mail to Maureen Foley at 130 Spruce Street, Watertown, MA 02472. The dues are \$30 up to and including age 64 and \$25 for ages 65 and over.

In Friendship, Unity, and Christian Charity,

*DeeDee*

## UPDATES and NOTICES

### AOH Membership Notice

Regular Members pay \$55.00, Senior Members (age 65 plus and a member in good standing for at least 10 consecutive years) 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 Rick Stacy, P.O. Box 11, Watertown, MA 02471. **Please see the insert below relative to incentives to pay early and/or on time. There will be penalties for late payment.**

### LAOH Membership Notice

2022 dues are payable NOW. 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. You can make your checks payable to LAOH Division 14 and mail to Maureen Foley, 130 Spruce St. Watertown MA 02472.

### New Class

To be scheduled in the Fall of 2022.

### Division Scholarship Golf Outing

September 30, 2022 Friday afternoon shotgun at 1:30PM.

### Bartenders needed

Anyone interested in helping out as a bartender please contact Bobby McLaughlin, Vice-President/Steward, 617.448.3400.

### Sick Members and/or shut-in

Contact Joe McCusker at 508.386.6438. For the LAOH please contact Eileen Waldron at 781.642.9250.



**Known Members currently in constant care/  
recovery**

Margaret Winston is presently getting constant care at Benchmark Senior Living at Waltham Crossings which is located at 126 Smith St. Waltham, MA 02451.

Mary Flanagan is currently being cared for at Meadow Green Rehab and Nursing Center which is located at 45 Woburn St. Waltham, MA 02452.

June Callahan is currently being cared for at Benchmark Senior Living at Waltham Crossings which is located at 126 Smith St. Waltham, MA 02451.

Ed Tolan is currently residing at The Residence at Watertown Square 20 Summer St. Apt 321 Watertown, MA 02472.

**Please keep these folks in your daily prayers.**



Joseph P. McCusker Sr.  
Trophy

**ANNUAL AOH DIV-14 MEMORIAL  
GOLF TOURNAMENT IN MEMORY OF  
DAVE O'CONNELL**



**FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 30, 2022**

**TO BENEFIT THE AOH DIVISION 14 SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

Where: Wayland Country Club  
121 Old Sudbury Road  
Wayland, MA 01778

Golf fee: Includes greens fee, cart, player gift, dinner and two (2)  
complimentary drinks  
\$135/person if paid by September 16, 2022  
\$150/person if paid after the due date

Time: 1:30 P.M. Shotgun start  
Golf: Format is Scramble

Contact: 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

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151 Watertown Street  
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**Checks made payable to the AOH DIV-14 Scholarship Fund**



**FAMILY FEUD**  
Sponsored by AOH Division 14  
October 14<sup>th</sup> at the Hibernian Hall  
151 Watertown St., Watertown MA  
Featuring Entertainment by



**We are looking for around 8 teams of 4 to 5 people. Teams can be made up of family, friends and/or fellow sisters/brothers.**

**This will be a full game show experience with a Feud style podium, 2 big buttons and microphones. Each game will take roughly 20 – 30 minutes to play. The show is modeled almost exactly like the TV version with a fun lively host and engaging questions. This should be a fun night so please don't miss out and sign up now (\$100 per team). Please arrive no later than 7:00 PM; the show will start promptly at 7:30 PM.**

**Contact Joe McCusker – 508.386.6438**



October 22, 2022

Starting time 12:00 Noon

Play will be outside weather permitting.

Sign-up your Team (2 person) now in the Lounge

Cost: \$50 per player

Includes: Commemorative long sleeve T-shirt, hot dog, hamburger or cheeseburger, sandwich, chips and a soda.

Prizes:

1st place choice of custom made cornhole set and entry fee returned.

2nd place remaining cornhole set and half of the entry fee returned.

All are welcome to attend whether playing or not.

We will be selling:

Burgers - \$5

Hot dogs - \$3

T-shirts - \$25

50/50 Raffle

**All proceeds to benefit the restoration fund.**







**Dana-Farber**  
Cancer Institute



**BRIGHAM HEALTH**  
BRIGHAM AND  
WOMEN'S HOSPITAL

## Kraft Family Blood Donor Center

### **BLOOD DRIVE**

Hosted By

Hibernians Hall

151/153 Watertown St, Watertown MA

Saturday November 12th

7:30AM - 2:00PM

More information to follow

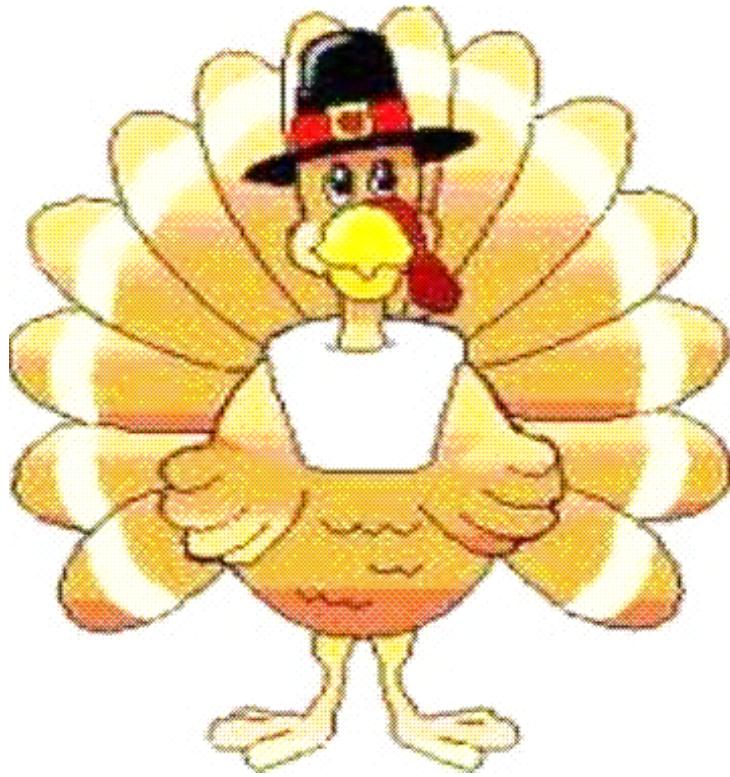
Saturday November 12th

Watertown Catholic Collaborative Food Drive

Whether your donating Blood, Food or both

we will be supporting two extremely  
important causes during this time of need

8:00AM - 2:00PM



AOH DIVISION 14  
151 WATERTOWN ST. WATERTOWN  
ANNUAL TURKEY SHOOT  
FRIDAY NOVEMBER 18, 2022  
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  
CHRISTMAS SEASON

# Comedy Show

## MISGIVINGS

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

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A "Divine" comedy of belly laughs, blessings, blarney and bingo



*Don't miss  
this delightfully  
entertaining  
and uplifting  
one man show!*

**LIMITED to 200 seats**

Join Father Patrick Aloysius Misgivings for this divine presentation of stories and one liners about growing up Catholic. From miracles and marriage counseling to bazaars and birth control, nothing escapes the good father's razor sharp Irish wit. This hilarious interactive comedy includes a collection, a raffle and even an actual Bingo

**Where:** Hibernian Hall

151 Watertown Street

Watertown, MA 02472

**Date:** Saturday, December 10th @ 8:00

**Doors open at 6:30pm**

CASH BAR, Bring your own snacks.

Admission: \$20.00 ea. Tbl of 10, \$150.00

**NO tickets sold at the door**

Tickets can be purchased in the  
Members' Lounge





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# **BARTENDERS NEEDED!**

*No Experience Necessary!*

*We Will Train!*

If interested please Contact Bob McLaughlin

617.448.3400

<b>Day of the week</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Calendar of Events</b>
Thursday	8-Sep-22	7:30 PM	AOH Division-14 Meeting
Sunday	11-Sep-22	10:30 AM	State Board Meeting
Monday	12-Sep-22	7:00 PM	LAOH Division-14 Meeting
Wednesday	21-Sep-22	7:30 PM	AOH Club Inc. Meeting
Friday	30-Sep-22	1:30 PM	Scholarship Golf Outing
Thursday	13-Oct-22	7:30 PM	AOH Division-14 Meeting
Friday	14-Oct-22	7:00 PM	Family Feud
Monday	17-Oct-22	7:00 PM	LAOH Division-14 Meeting
Wednesday	19-Oct-22	7:30 PM	AOH Club Inc. Meeting
Saturday	22-Oct-22	12:00 PM	Cornhole Tournament
Sunday	23-Oct-22	12:00 PM	State Memorial Mass Presidents Dinner
Saturday	29-Oct-22	10:00 AM	LAOH Fall Craft Fair
Thursday	10-Nov-22	7:30 PM	AOH Division-14 Meeting
Saturday	12-Nov-22	7:30 AM	Blood/Food Drive (7:30 AM - 2:00 PM)
Wednesday	16-Nov-22	7:30 PM	AOH Club Inc. Meeting
Friday	18-Nov-22	6:30 PM	Turkey Shoot
Sunday	4-Dec-22	1:00 PM	Children's Christmas Party
Thursday	8-Dec-22	7:30 PM	AOH Division-14 Meeting
Saturday	10-Dec-22	8:30 PM	Comedy Night
Monday	12-Dec-22	7:00 PM	LAOH Division-14 Meeting
Wednesday	21-Dec-22	7:30 PM	AOH Club Inc. Meeting


Please remember when renting the hall or Lounge as a member you must be a member in good standing (dues must be paid in full), pay with your own check and you must be at the function. 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 at 617-710-8680. Also check out our web pages for photos of the Hall:  
**[www.aohdiv14.com](http://www.aohdiv14.com)**

**FÀILTE!**

**We have classes for boys and girls age 4+ in your area!**

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*Facebook/osheachaplin*  
*Instagram/osheachaplin*  
*BostonIrishDance.com*  
*osheachaplin@hotmail.com*



**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

Donohue's  
87 Bigelow Ave.  
Watertown, MA  
617-924-4900

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

Fit Z's Bar & Grille  
451 Main St.  
Watertown, MA  
617-923-3969

Deveney & Sons  
Monuments  
Waltham, MA  
781-891-9876

