

**Ancient Order of Hibernians
151 Watertown Street
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JUNE 2019 NEWSLETTER

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AOH President's Message

Thanks to National Director Billy Sullivan, AOH State President Jack Lahey, Past State President Paul Hogan and all the folks from Holyoke, Worcester, Lowell, Lawrence and Lynn for all the support. Thanks to all for a great day and let's not forget the guys behind the scenes doing all the landscape work, procuring all the food, setting up, working the grills, serving and cleaning; President Bob Casey, VP Dennis Murphy, VP Mike Morash, Lenny Schofield, Bob McLaughlin, Pat Breen, Paul Connolly and John Feeney.

We recently held our Annual AOH/LAOH Scholarship Social where we were able to recognize the tremendous accomplishments of nine most worthy recipients. We wish all these young women and man the best of luck as they pursue higher education and realize their dreams, God Bless.

Congratulations to the new class of nine new members who were inducted into Division 14 in memory of Frank Cousineau Sr., a truly great man.

We had our Bi-Annual State Convention this past May and I'm honored to be representing this Division as the State's Vice-President. As we head into summer break I want to thank those members that have stepped up to take a more active role in the Division/Club Inc. activities/business. It's not by mistake that a Division can thrive as long as it's membership takes ownership in their Division.

We had a tremendous representation of Hibernians across the State to honor the An Gorta Mor Memorial Dedication on Deer Island this past Saturday morning (5/25). It is estimated that up to 850 died on Deer Island from 1847 – 1850 and unfortunately many more afterwards. I would encourage all to find the time to travel out to Deer Island and visit the Memorial, it is beautiful and inspirational.

Have a safe and happy summer and remember as we go on break note that there will be plenty of activities going on at the club over the summer so please pay close attention to the calendar of events, especially the John Boyle O'Reilly Memorial Mass on Saturday June 15th and our Annual Division Golf Outing in memory of Thomas Walsh, Sr. on Friday afternoon July 19th.

Yours in Friendship, Unity and Christian Charity,

LAOH President's Message

Dear Sisters,

This is Sue McCallum writing for Maureen Foley. First of all she wishes to say THANK YOU for all of your prayers and support in this difficult time.

Happy Congratulations to the Scholarship Recipients for a job well done. Also to the committee who studied all the applications and there were many.

We had a wonderful turnout for the Memorial Day Festivities and such beautiful weather. The Ladies did well to carry the very large banner! And we had a marvelous BBQ when we returned. Thanks to you to those that did all the work.

Our June 10th meeting will be the Ice Cream Social and we will have Induction of new members. Hope to see many of you there, all are welcome. September is our Luncheon Meeting and I'm looking for a planning committee.

This Sunday, June 2nd, is our Communion Breakfast (10:00AM Mass at St. Patrick's Church) with breakfast following back at the club. The John Boyle O'Reilly Mass is on June 15th at 11:00AM, Holyhood Cemetery. The Convention Committee will meet back at Division 14 following the Mass.

Now my own notes. Dues are past due and after the June meeting I will be sending out arrears notices. Hope I can receive your dues before then. As always 64 and under pay \$30, while 65 and over pay \$25. Please make dues payable to LAOH Div 14 Watertown and send to: S. McCallum, 214 Warren Street, Waltham, MA 02453
Contacts - 781-899-9423 and stusuemc@msn.com.

Prayers for all and may we finally receive some summer weather.

Yours in Friendship, Unity & Christian Charity,
Sue for Division President Maureen Foley

Club Inc. President's Message

A great big thank you to all the men's and ladies' members who helped make this year's Memorial Day Parade and cookout a great success. Since I didn't march myself, I cannot thank you all personally, but I would like to thank the following members who manned the kitchen and grills:

Mike Morash	Dennis Murphy	Pat Breen
Paul Connolly	Bob McLaughlin	Len Schofield

If I forgot anyone please accept my apologies, the memory is going.

If you've noticed how good the grounds look, please thank member Len Schofield. He's worked long and hard on getting the lawn sorted out, raking and bagging, spreading mulch (he had help with that, I know, I know), and generally sprucing up the outsides of the building. Lenny volunteers his time and efforts for the betterment of the Club. Thank you Lenny.

Coming up in June is a music night on June 16 with Eric Falter and friends. All are welcome, come and have a good time. We usually do something for July 4th, so stay tuned for that, and we're always good for throwing some food on the bar-b-que for the weekend Sox games. Don't forget to swing by and say hi from time to time.

We will have a few events in the lounge over the summer. We'll let you know via email (please make sure you have your current email address on file with the Division), and we'll put it out on our Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/aohdiv14/>). If you're on Facebook and want to know what's going on please check us out, like us, and / or follow us!

Summer hours will start on Monday July 1st. Summer hours will end on Tuesday September 3rd. During this period the members' lounge will be open Sundays 1pm to 8pm, Monday thru Wednesday 3pm to 8pm. Regular Club hours will apply Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Members in good standing can rent the member's lounge for smaller parties. The lounge is suitable for family and friends get togethers, birthday parties, fantasy league drafts, card parties, and the like. Inquire with the Rental Agent (Paul Connolly) for details.

The Club executive board runs the member's lounge and maintains the building facilities on behalf of the membership. Please feel free to contact me or any other member of the board with any questions about or issues with the building.

Regards, Club Inc. President Bob Casey

A belated message from Past National President and Division-14 Member
Jack Meehan (received earlier in the year)

Brother Hibernians,

As final preparations are being made for the 2019 March for Life in Washington, DC, perhaps we, as members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians in America, should rededicate ourselves to the principles enshrined in the Preamble to our National Constitution. One of those principles very clearly admonishes us "To protect and defend all life born and unborn". This principle is also an integral part of our obligation as Catholics, which we must be in order to remain members in good standing of our noble Order. It is worthy to note that a political party in Ireland, with whom we have long maintained a very "chummy relationship", at its most recent Ard Fheis actually imposed punishment on any representative who did not vote in favor of abolishing Article 8 of the Irish Constitution. This was the Article which had insured that abortion was prohibited in Ireland.

The recently elected President of Sinn Fein, Ms. Mary Lou McDonald spoke eloquently and passionately in favor of the abolishment of Article 8 and actually went so far as to suspend at least two representatives who, to their very great credit, chose to stand by their beliefs rather than to "go along to get along". After having witnessed this disgraceful action on behalf of Ms. McDonald, I fail to understand how we can possibly maintain the spirit of cooperation that we had for many years with Sinn Fein.

The time has come, Brother Hibernians, to stand up and be counted as members of a Pro Life Catholic fraternal organization and inform Ms. McDonald and Sinn Fein that we vehemently disagree with them on Article 8 and that we shall vigorously oppose them on any further pro abortion action that they may propose or support in future.

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Jack Meehan, National President 2006-2008
Ancient Order of Hibernians in America

I completely agree with Brother Jack Meehan, "Right to Life" is something that we can just choose to ignore. Thanks for the message Jack, well stated.

UPDATES and NOTICES

AOH Membership Notice

2019 dues are now due. Regular Division Members pay \$55.00, Senior Division 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 note that we have a considerable number of members that have yet to pay their dues. In the coming months we will be suspending members cards and if you get suspended you will have to pay a reinstatement fee of \$25.

New Class Notice

On May 15th we brought in a new class of nine in memory of Frank Cousineau. Frank Jr. was present to be part of the ceremony in memory of his Dad.

LAOH Membership Notice

2019 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 mail your checks to LAOH, c/o S. McCallum, 214 Warren St., Waltham MA 02453. Contact information is 781.899.9423 email is stusuemc@msn.com.

Division Scholarships

The Division Scholarship Social was held on May 17th. We were able to recognize nine deserving students with Scholarships.

Memorial Mass and Communion Breakfast Sunday June 2nd

St. Patrick's 10:00AM Mass, the speaker this year will be Middlesex County Sheriff Peter Koutoujian. There is no charge for this event, donations only.

125th Year Anniversary Committee (Chair - Dick Thompson Jr.)

Plans are moving forward for our dinner scheduled for October 26. We will soon be soliciting for ads and sponsorships in our program book for the event. The menu and cost of the dinner will soon be finalized and tickets will go on sale shortly after that. As more information becomes available it will be passed along. Our next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday June 5 @ 7:30pm in the members lounge any AOH or LAOH member wishing to help out is welcomed to attend .

Family Feud

Back by popular demand we will be having another Family Feud on Friday, September 20th beginning promptly at 7:30PM. Details in the newsletter.

Sick Members and/or shut-in

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

PLEASE REMEMBER RECENTLY DECEASED MEMBER



Paul Francis Kelly, a son of the late Edward P. Kelly and Ann C. (Morley) Kelly, Paul passed away Wednesday morning after a long illness. He was 84.

Paul was born in Waltham and was a longtime resident of Watertown before moving to Scituate in the early 2000s. He graduated from St. Patrick High School in Watertown and after high school he joined the United States Army and served in the Korean Conflict from 1953 to 1956. On June 11, 1955 Paul married the love of his life, Mary L. Donovan at St. Patrick Church in Watertown.

Paul and Mary raised their six children: Patricia, Donna, Paul, Maureen, Daniel, and Michael in Watertown. He worked as a letter carrier for the United States Postal Service for 34 years. Paul was also a Past President of the Ancient Order of Hibernians Division 14 and Past President of the Middlesex County Hibernians.

He was beloved husband of Mary L. (Donovan) Kelly. Devoted father of Patricia K. Diliberto & her husband John of Watertown, Donna M. McManus & her husband Kevin of Watertown, Paul F. Kelly & his wife Deborah of Watertown, Maureen E. Kelly & her partner Paul Trayers of Scituate, Daniel E. Kelly & his wife Kathleen of Billerica and the late Michael V. Kelly. Dear brother of the late Edward J. Kelly. Loving grandfather of Shannon, Caila, Jack, Heather, Daniel, Meghan, Desiree, Kevin, Michael, Kelly, and Devyn. Loving great-grandfather of Caden, Liam, Elvis, Violet, Billy, Olivia, Kevin, and James Michael.

Known Members currently in constant care/recovery

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

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

Arthur Griffin is presently residing at the Brigham House which is located at 341 Mt Auburn St Watertown, MA 02472.

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

Donald Morrison is presently recovering at Meadow Green Rehabilitation and Nursing Center which is located at 45 Woburn St. Waltham, MA 02452.

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

The Frank Cousineau Class

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Seated left to right: Palo Pierce, Frank Costa, Doug Lyons, Dave Hession, Brian Geraghty, Santino Fierimonte, Dave Dixon, Mike Costello and Connor Adams. Standing left to right: Financial Secretary Rick Stacy, Marshall Tomas Hermon, Recording Secretary Jim Cunningham, Frank Cousineau Jr., V.P. Leo Falter, Treasurer Richard Thompson and President Joe McCusker

AOH/LAOH DIVISION 14 AND MIDDLESEX COUNTY SCHOLARSHIPS



Left to right: Niamh Hunt, Megan Griffin, County President Leo Falter, Kaitlyn Sok, Olivia Lampasona, Adele Brochu, LAOH V.P. Debbie Johnson, Emily Furtado and President Joe McCusker
 Not pictured: Devin Griffin, Allison Tolan and Seamus Dullaghan

Scholarship Recipients 2019 in memory of Al Murphy	
Emily Furtado	Daughter of Bill Furtado
Niamh Hunt	Granddaughter of Michael Deane
Scholarship Recipients 2019 in memory of Thomas Walsh, Sr.	
Devin Griffin	Granddaughter of Arthur Griffin
Megan Griffin	Granddaughter of Arthur Griffin
Olivia Lampasona	Granddaughter of Ed Tolan
Allison Tolan	Granddaughter of Ed Tolan
Adele Brochu	Granddaughter of Fred Colman
Scholarship Recipients 2019 in memory of Phillip A. Doherty	
Kaitlyn Sok	Granddaughter of Dr. Ed Prince
Seamus Dullaghan	Son of Paul Dullaghan
LAOH Division 14 Scholarship Recipient 2019	
Devin Griffin	Granddaughter of Ellen Griffin
Scholarship Recipient 2019 in memory of Helen Prince	
Adele Brochu	Granddaughter of Pat Colman
Scholarship Recipient 2019 in memory of Mary Thompson	
Megan Griffin	Granddaughter of Ellen Griffin

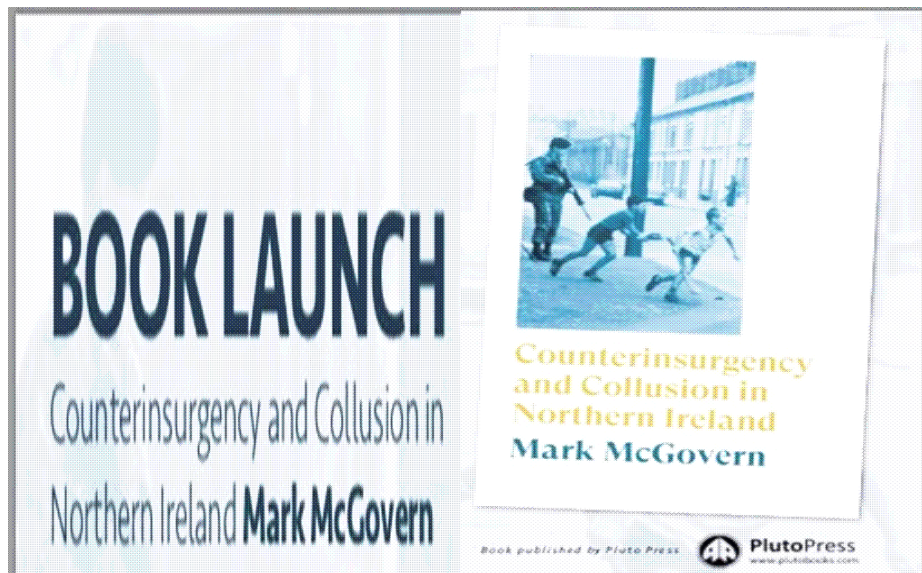
An Gorta Mor Memorial Dedication on Deer Island



Memorial Day Parade and Division Cookout



Guys taking a break from the grill ... Great Job!



Collusion by British state forces in killings perpetrated by loyalist paramilitaries was a dubious hallmark of the 'dirty war' in the north of Ireland. Now, more than twenty years since the Good Friday Agreement, the story of collusion remains one of the most enduring and contentious legacies of the conflict, a shadow that trails British counterinsurgency to this day.

Here Mark McGovern turns back the clock to the late 1980s and early '90s - the 'endgame' of the Troubles, and a period defined by a rash of state-sanctioned paramilitary killings. Drawing on previously unpublished evidence and original testimony from victims' families and eyewitnesses, he examines several dozen killings of republicans that took place in the Mid-Ulster area, and the impact on their families and communities.

Placing these accounts within a wider critical analysis of the nature of British counterinsurgency and the state use of agents and informers, McGovern paints a damning picture of covert, deniable and unlawful violence.

PLEASE JOIN US AT THIS FACT FINDING BOOK TOUR

WHERE: AOH DIVISION 14 HIBERNIAN HALL

151 WATERTOWN ST. WATERTOWN, MA 02472

WHEN: FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 2019 at 7:00PM

ADMISSION: FREE

AOH MASSACHUSETTS STATE BOARD
JOHN BOYLE O'REILLY
MEMORIAL MASS
SATURDAY JUNE 15TH 11:00AM
HOLYHOOD CEMETERY BROOKLINE, MA

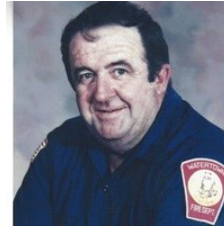
All AOH/LAOH State Members are welcome to attend
Coalition to follow at the home of Division 14, 151 Watertown St
Watertown MA 02472





Joseph P. McCusker Sr.
Trophy

**ANNUAL AOH DIV-14 MEMORIAL GOLF
TOURNAMENT IN MEMORY OF
THOMAS WALSH SR.**



FRIDAY JULY 19, 2019
TO BENEFIT THE AOH DIVISION 14 SCHOLARSHIP FUND

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

Golf fee: \$125/person if paid on time (the due date is July 5th)
\$135/person if paid after the due date

1:30 P.M. Shotgun start
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

Ancient Order of Hibernians
151 Watertown Street
Watertown, MA 02472



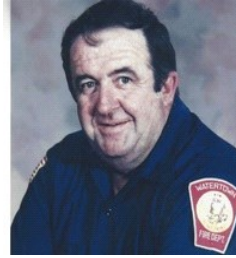
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**ANNUAL AOH DIV-14 MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT
IN MEMORY OF THOMAS WALSH SR.**



Joseph P. McCusker Sr. Trophy



**FRIDAY JULY 19, 2019
TO BENEFIT THE AOH DIVISION 14 SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

Sponsorship Information:

Platinum - \$1,000 (includes signage, golf for 4 and invitation to the post tournament party)

Gold - \$500 (includes signage, golf for 2 and invitation to the post tournament party)

Silver - \$250 (includes signage, golf for 1 and invitation to the post tournament party)

Bronze - \$100 (includes signage and invitation to the post tournament party)

Please send this tax deductible donation made out to AOH DIV-14. Mail to AOH Division 14, P.O. Box 11, Watertown MA 02471 along with the following information:

? Name of Hole Sponsor: _____

? Brief Description of Services / or Message: _____

? Website or Phone Number: _____

Contact: Joe McCusker - 617.924.7507



Checks made payable to the AOH DIV-14 SCHOLARSHIP FUND



FAMILY FEUD
Sponsored by AOH Division 14
September 20th at the Hibernian Hall
151 Watertown St., Watertown MA
Featuring Entertainment by

DM PRODUCTIONS
BOSTONDJ.com



We are looking for at least 6 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

2019 Capital Campaign for the Hibernian Hall and Member's Lounge

The Directors of the Hibernian Club of Watertown invite you to participate in our 2019 Capital Campaign. We need to raise funds for several improvement projects in the hall and in the member's lounge. These projects include:

- New carpet in the hall
- Paper, paint, and general repairs in the hall, including the bar area and machinery
- Electrical and lighting updates
- Basement and foundation work under the member's lounge
- Game room updates
- Etc.

The Hibernian Hall requires regular repairs and maintenance, which we do as needed. These projects are a little different. These projects are larger and more complex efforts, requiring lots of work done in a short amount of time by licensed professionals.

We are offering the following levels of sponsorship for our 2019 Capital Campaign (see below). A plaque in recognition of your sponsorship will be placed in a prominent location, still to be determined.

Platinum - \$1,000

Gold - \$500

Silver - \$250

Bronze - \$100

To contribute to our campaign please send a check, made payable to the Hibernian Club of Watertown, to

Hibernian Club of Watertown

Attn: Joe McCusker 2019 Capital Campaign Chair

P.O. Box 11

Watertown, MA 02472.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Joe McCusker, our campaign director, or any other member of the Club Board (listed below).

Bob Casey

Dick Thompson Jr.

Bob Sanchez

Dennis Murphy

Pat Breen

Paul Connolly

Jim Daly

Harry Danis

John Feeney

Bill Gildea

Mike King

Dan McElroy

Bob McLaughlin

Mike Morash

Day of the week	Date	Time	Calendar of Events
Sunday	Jun-2	10:00 AM	Memorial Mass and Communion Breakfast
Friday	Jun-7	7:00 PM	Book Launch - Counterinsurgency and Collusion in Northern Ireland (Mark McGovern)
Monday	Jun-10	7:00 PM	LAOH Division Meeting
Thursday	Jun-13	7:30 PM	AOH Division Meeting
Saturday	Jun-15	11:00 AM	John Boyle O'Reilly memorial exercise
Wednesday	Jun-19	7:30 PM	AOH Club Inc. Meeting
Friday	Jul-19	1:30 PM	AOH Memorial Scholarship Golf Tournament
Friday	Sep-20	7:30 PM	Family Feud
Saturday	Oct-26	7:00 PM	125th Anniversary Gala Dinner/Dance

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


Please note that if a member is intending to rent the hall or lounge for a friend at the member's rate the member must be in full attendance throughout the function.

FÁILTE!

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

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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

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

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

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

