

**Ancient Order of Hibernians
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AOH President's Message

I hope that everyone is doing as well as can be expected considering the current circumstance. Unfortunately, not much to report currently. We continue to have Division Meetings the second Thursday of the month. At the next meeting we will be reading in new members that have responded affirmatively to attend. There will be no formal ritual for the new members at this time due to the current situation presented before us.

We recently had a State Meeting this past month. So far, most Divisions are adapting to the COVID concerns and are working within the framework and guidelines provided by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to get open. We are trending closer to getting the Common Victualer License but have a few certifications to pass before the submittal of the application. The Hall and Lounge are, by all I can see, ready for operation with some additional clean-up. We need to put on a full court press to get the certifications completed and the application in the hands of the Licensing Board.

I encourage all, who feel comfortable doing so, to attend Mass at your favorite Church. Sacred Heart and St. Patrick's have all the proper protocols put in place and all seem to be working out very well. If you are planning to attend one of the Masses, please contact the office during normal business hours (9:00AM – 4:00PM) by NLT 10:00AM the Friday before. The office number is 617.926.9680.

Next month we will be sponsoring another Blood Drive with Brigham and Women's Hospital, on Saturday December 5th. In parallel with the Blood Drive we also plan to run another Food Drive for the Watertown Catholic Collaborative Food Pantry. You can make a blood donation, a food donation or both. Information will be contained in this newsletter. As always volunteers are welcome for the Food Drive.

As I've stated prior, please feel free to contact me if you may need any assistance. We will endeavor to help in any way we can. Be good to yourself but more importantly to be good to others. Yours in Friendship, Unity and Christian Charity,

LAOH President's Message

Dears Sisters,

Unfortunately, nothing new to report. Looking forward to the transition and carrying on the business of the LAOH Division 14.

Yours in Friendship, Unity and Christian Charity,

Maureen

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UPDATES and NOTICES

AOH Membership Notice

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 include your membership number when paying as it will help Rick expedite the process. Any Member that has not paid his dues for 2020 has had his cardkey shutoff. **Please note that we voted to suspend all penalty payments required as part of reinstatement because of the current COVID situation. However, if you have not paid your dues yet for this year you will be required to pay for this year and next year (2021). If you don't pay by the end of this year you will be faced with the additional reinstatement fee of \$25 on top of your regular dues.**

- **Regular Member - \$110 (\$55 + \$55)**
- **Senior Member- \$60 (\$30 + \$30)**

New Class

We are reaching out to current applicants with the hope of reading them in at our next Division Meeting scheduled for November 12th. We will forego the ritual at this time due to current constraints.

LAOH Membership Notice

2020 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

Nothing new to report at this time.

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

Joseph E. Annese, lifetime Newton resident, Oct. 25, 2020. Beloved husband for 44 years to Anna M. (Morizio) Annese. Devoted father of Amanda Annese-Zacek and her husband Drew Zacek of Waltham. Stepfather to the late Thomas Haggie. He leaves his daughter-in-law Susan Haggie. Loving grandfather to Christopher, Benjamin, Brennan, Connor and two great-grandchildren. Dear brother of Frances Leone and John, Patrick and Anthony Annese and the late Patricia Latanowich. Visiting hours in the Andrew J. Magni & Son Funeral Home, 365 Watertown St, Newton on Wed, Oct. 28, from 4-7pm. Burial Private.

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.

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

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

Patrick Hanlon, Sr. has completed all his procedures and is on well on his way to full recovery.

Billy Gildea is resting at home after an elongated stay in the hospital.

Jim Daly has been recovering nicely since his knee replacement surgery, he's almost up to his presurgical drinking weight.

Please keep these folks in your daily prayers.

Irish History Essay Contest

The Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians, Inc. sponsors a National Irish History Writing Contest for students in Grades 6 through 12. The theme of this year's contest is "The Impact of the Irish Anglo Treaty of 1921".

The contest is comprised of two levels: Level I is for students in grade 6, 7 or 8 and Level 2 is for students in Grades 9, 10, 11 or 12. Students who are enrolled in parochial, private, public or who are home schooled are eligible to participate.

The deadline to submit entries to the Watertown Division is November 20, 2020. All rules are included on the application which will be available at the Club.

Entries should be submitted no later than November 20 to LAOH Division 14, 151 Watertown Street, Watertown, MA 02472, ATTN: Irish History Contest

Please share the essay application with eligible students.

Please contact Pat Colman with any questions at 617.926.1533.



Dana-Farber
Cancer Institute



BRIGHAM HEALTH
BRIGHAM AND
WOMEN'S HOSPITAL

Kraft Family Blood Donor Center

BLOOD DRIVE

HOSTED BY
Hibernians Hall

151 or 153 Watertown Street Watertown, MA

Saturday December 5th

8:00AM - 2:30PM

Appointment information will be forthcoming

Walk-ins allowed as time allows

Saturday December 5th

**Watertown Catholic Collaborative Food
Drive**

Whether you're donating Blood, Food or both
we will be supporting two extremely
important causes during this time of need

8:00AM - 2:30PM

Happy Birthday Arthur “Iron Man” Griffin 98 Years Old

Thanks to all who came out for the rolling rally in support of Arthur
We had approximately 25 cars rolling from Division 14 up through
Watertown Square, Mt. Auburn St, to the Brigham House



AOH Division 14 Club Inc.
Presents
A Night of Fun and Comedy
Rescheduled to Saturday September 10, 2021
Hibernian Hall 151 Watertown St. Watertown, MA
Doors open at 6:30PM and the Show starts promptly at 7:30PM
Ticket donation \$20/person, table of 8 for \$120
Please Contact Joe McCusker 508.386.6438
The night will feature
Hypnotist Steve Marino



Steve Marino's Hilarious Comedy Stage Hypnosis Show
will fill your event with laughter and amazement!

Comedian Jeff Koen



Jeff Koen is a comedian and actor who stars in the cult classic independent film Heavy Times. Koen performs standup in and around the Boston area, and has toured New England theaters opening for many national headliners. Koen also recently won \$10,000 on America's Funniest Home Video's.

Comedian Paul Nardizzi



Paul Nardizzi has made numerous appearances on Late Night with Conan O'Brien, Comedy Central, NESN Comedy All Stars. Paul also won the Boston Comedy Festival Competition and is one of the most requested acts on XM Satellite Radio. As a top stand-up comedian in Boston and the New England Area, he is known for his rapid-fire comedy, ability to engage the crowd, and tailor material to audiences. Paul can be seen performing in clubs nationwide in addition to providing corporate entertainment and working at charity events and parties.

Day of the week	Date	Time	Calendar of Events
Tuesday	10-Nov-20		Marine Corps Birthday
Wednesday	11-Nov-20		Veteran's Day
Thursday	12-Nov-20	7:30 PM	AOH Division-14 Meeting
Wednesday	18-Nov-20	7:30 PM	AOH Club Inc. Meeting
Thursday	26-Nov-20		Thanksgiving
Monday	7-Dec-20		Pearl Harbor Remembrance
Tuesday	8-Dec-20		The Immaculate Conception
Thursday	9-Dec-20	7:30 PM	AOH Division-14 Meeting
Wednesday	15-Dec-20	7:30 PM	AOH Club Inc. Meeting
Friday	25-Dec-20		Merry Christmas
Saturday	8-May-21	TBD	Mini-Golf coming back to the club
Friday	10-Sep-21	6:30 PM	Club Inc. Comedy Night (yes 2021)
TBD	November	7:00 PM	LAOH Division-14 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, 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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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

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

