

LADIES ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS



“Our Lady of Knock” Division #87 – Organized February 4, 1992

Pennies for the Mission!

May, 2017

Please join us before the meeting for the Rosary 6:45pm

President's Corner

Dear Sisters,

May is the month which is dedicated to Our Blessed Lady. In honor of our Blessed Mother Mary, we will be reciting the Holy Rosary prior to our May meeting. Please join us at 6:45 p.m. on Tuesday, May 2.

Thanks to your generosity we were able to deliver 10 Easter Baskets along with many unopened bags of candy to Providence House Shelter for Families of Domestic Abuse. The shelter is always so appreciative of our donations.

Remember to check out our new website. www.laoh87.com. Current events and news will be posted as well as our monthly newsletters. If you have any suggestions or comments on our web page please contact our Webmistress, Nancy Jones.

May 6th is the AOH Division 87 Memorial Golf Outing, details are in the newsletter. If anyone would like to make some food or a dessert for the after party please let me know and I will pass on the information.

The Philadelphia County will be holding its County Convention on May 24th, this means nominations and elections for County Officers will take place. No one can be admitted to this meeting without an up to date dues card.

There will be a Happy Hour Fundraiser on Friday June 2nd at the club for a Friend in Need. The specifics are still being worked out and we are in need of donations of liquor or cash to put together a large basket of cheer which will be raffled off that evening. If you can help, bring your donation to the May meeting.

Information on some of the other activities going on can be found in the newsletter.

In closing, I would like to wish all the Mothers, Grandmothers, Godmothers, Spiritual Mothers, Aunts, Sisters and Friends a Happy Mother's Day.

See you all Tuesday May 2nd.

In Our Motto,
Linda

Upcoming Events:

MAY 6TH - AOH 87 GOLF
OUTING
JUNE 2ND - HAPPY HOUR
FOR A FRIEND
JUNE 4TH - RETREAT
JUNE 20TH - HOPE LODGE

MEETING DATES:

TUES. MAY 2ND
TUES. JUNE 6TH

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News from your Officers

Catholic Action

During the April meeting we agreed to pray as a group for our sisters on our prayer list during our closing ritual. Please let our Catholic Action Officer, Jeanne Hermley, know if a member needs to be added to our prayer list. Of course, if a member wishes to remain anonymous we most certainly will respect her privacy and pray for their special intention. Contact Jeanne 267-266-4081. jeanneh1629@gmail.com

Chaplin

Sr. Lisa is trying to plan another retreat for June 4th. More information to follow. If you are interested in attending please let us know.

Irish Tidbits

FOODS OF THE IRISH

Irish food is known for the quality and freshness of its ingredients. Most cooking is done without herbs or spices, except for salt and pepper. Foods are usually served without sauce or gravy.

The staples of the Irish diet have traditionally been potatoes, grains (especially oats), and dairy products. Potatoes still appear at most Irish meals, with potato scones, similar to biscuits or muffins, a specialty in the north. The Irish have also been accomplished cheesemakers for centuries. Ireland makes about fifty types of homemade "farmhouse" cheeses, which are considered delicacies.

Soups of all types, seafood, and meats also play important roles in the Irish diet. Irish soups are thick, hearty, and filling, with potatoes, seafood, and various meats being common ingredients. Since their country is surrounded by water, the Irish enjoy many types of seafood, including salmon, scallops, lobster, mussels, and oysters. However, meat is eaten more frequently at Irish meals. The most common meats are beef, lamb, and pork. A typical Irish dinner consists of potatoes (cooked whole), cabbage, and meat.

Irish stew has been recognized as the national dish for at least two centuries. A poem from the early 1800s praised Irish stew for satisfying the hunger of anyone who ate it:

Then hurrah for an Irish Stew
That will stick to your belly like glue.

Bread is an important part of Irish culture. Fresh soda bread, a crusty brown bread made from whole-wheat flour and buttermilk, is a national dish of Ireland. Irish bakers don't stop with soda bread, however. They bake a wide variety of other hearty breads and cakes.

The most common everyday beverage in Ireland is tea. Popular alcoholic beverages include whiskey, beer, and ale. Coffee mixed with whiskey and whipped cream is known throughout the world as "Irish coffee."

Family News

Birthday Blessings to Our Sisters



May

Kristine Long	14
Mary Slavin	16
Donna Nolan	18
Jackie Wilson	18
Agnes Mary Lawlor	23
Loretto Riley	30
Mary Dougherty	31
Lorraine Quirk	31

Special Intentions

Jackie McGady-Saier
Rich Hrapzynski

Card and letters can be sent to

Jackie Saier
Deer Meadows Health Care System, 8301
Roosevelt Blvd,
Room #G56,
Philadelphia PA 19152

News



Congratulations to Aggie Lawlor's grandchildren: Brooke Mulvenna, 5, will graduate from Galvin Tot Progema pre-K on May 18th; Patrick, 17, will graduate June 10th from Roman High School, and Michael Mulvenna, 8, will make his First Holy Communion April 29th at St. Katherine of Sienna Church.



Memorials



LAOH Div. 87 News & Information

MEETING REMINDER

Our meeting is the First Tuesday of the month!

This is a reminder that the monthly general division meetings are to be held the same as a National Convention meeting, in that, for the sake of the general membership, there is to be no smoking or alcohol permitted during the meeting itself. Please show your dues card to the Sentinel.

GOT ITEMS FOR THE NEWSLETTER

Please submit any newsletter items to Nancy Jones at Nancyssimplefood@gmail.com or call 267-241-4677 no later than the 15th of the month for the next issue.

We are especially looking for Family News!! Please provide information on your family's joys and successes so we can share them with all of our sisters!

NOW ON FACEBOOK!

If you are on Facebook search for **LAOH Division 87** and become a fan. You will find information on upcoming events and photos from past events there.



REUSE – RECYCLE – RE-PURPOSE

ALUMINUM CAN TABS

We continue to collect aluminum tabs to support the Philadelphia Ronald McDonald House. Please collect your aluminum pop tops and bring them to our general meeting each month for Terry Welsh.

EYE GLASSES

We will now collect eye glasses for the Lions Club. Please bring your old eye glasses to our general meeting each month for Jeanne Hermley.

HEALTH AND BEAUTY AIDS

Keep saving your travel size health and beauty aids. These items will be donated to the Philadelphia Veterans Multi-Service and Education Center or Ronald McDonald House.

ST. JOHN HOSPICE

Collecting men's toiletries for St. John's Hospice. Soap – Shampoo - Toothbrushes – Toothpaste - Dental Floss - Disposable Razors - Shaving Cream - Hand Lotion - Combs—Trial size items are the best.

TOWELS AND BLANKETS

Used by the SPCA for grooming and to put some comfort in the pet's cages. Visit www.pspca.org to view their wish list of items. Please take items directly to SPCA.

ST. FRANCIS INN

Seasonal clothes, under garments for men and woman, socks, and large men's clothing.

FOX CHASE CANCER CENTER

Collecting fleece blankets, neck rolls or pillows, lip balms, lotions, reading glasses, activity and puzzle books, playing cards, hard candies, yarn and knitting items, books or recent magazines for patients and their families, Contact Helen Gordon 215-725-2560 for further information.

Schools and Daycares

Collecting Box Tops and empty printer/ink cartridges. You can recycle your just bring them to a meeting.

ARE YOU ON OUR EMAIL LIST?

If you aren't receiving division e-mail news, please send your e-mail address to kddfam@aol.com in order to be added to the list.

Division News

PENNIES

Don't forget to bring your pennies, dimes, quarters and nickels, bills too!

Irish Potatoes

Money is due. Please bring outstanding money to the meeting or contact Anne Foody for arrangements.

In Memory/In Honor of Card

In Memory of/Honor of cards will now be available at our meetings. All proceeds will benefit our LAOH National Charity Project St. Patrick. PSP was created to support Priests, Seminarians and religious spiritually, emotionally and financially. The use of these cards enables the vision of St Patrick to continue to bring the Gospel and the Eucharist to all people. Donations to PSP are a contribution to Our Faith, Our Heritage and/or legacy for a loved one.

Hibernian Hunger Project

June Lucky Lottery Chances are now on sale. \$5 a chance. See or call Jeanne Hermley 267-266-4081

June 20, 2017 - Annual Hope Lodge BBQ

Join the Let the Birds Fly and the Eagle soars Relay Teams for our annual Hope Lodge BBQ. We are looking for donations of food, water, soda, salads, deserts, hamburgers, hot dogs, soup and chicken. Also need people day of to cook, serve and mingle with the guest of Hope Lodge. Contact Nancy for more detail.

Greendrop Information

For Charitable donations including Purple Heart, Red Cross, St Vincent DePaul etc. contact Greendrop 1--888-944-3767 or www.gogreendrop.com. Furniture and baby items accepted. List of acceptable items can be found online. Pick up can be scheduled.

Red Cross

American Red Cross Summer Blood Drives that include concert giveaways. 93.3 WMMR Blood Drive Sat June 16th and 102.9 WMGK Sun July 9th. Registration necessary. [Www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) or 1-800 Red cross

Save the Date:

September 20, 2017 the Sportsman's Network has episodes that feature Community Outreach. St Francis Inn may be featured. HHP is active with the planning. Details to follow.

Community Happenings

May 06, 2017- AOH State President Testimonial Dinner- for President Ed Halligan @ Flourtown County Club, 150 McCloskey Rd 7pm to midnight tickets \$90.00 Dinner and Music by Ballina. Contact Rae DiSpaldo 610-209-5964 or send check to Rae 330 Hurst St Apt A1, Bridgeport, Pa 19405

May 06, 2017-AOH Division #87 Memorial Golf Outing- Juniata Golf Course 8:00 am reg. 8:30 am shotgun start \$85.00... Awards and After party 2:00 pm at Div 87 \$25.00 donation

May 12, 2017-Day of the Rope Dinner- Division #25- Elevator Constructors Hall 12273 Townsend Rd- 7pm to 11 pm \$50.00 dinner /open bar awards presented : Labor Leader of the Year- Anthony Gallagher, Business Manager Steamfitters Local #420, Lifetime Achievement Award- Joe Fox, Hibernian of the Year- Anthony DiCiccio

May 13, 2017- LAOH Division 25 – 15th Annual Volley for Life – Lawn crest Rec Center, 6000 Rising Sun Ave- 10:00 am start \$20.00 per player- be sure to register your team contact Tricia McCool 215-353-6982 or Triciamccool5@yahoo.com

May 13, 2017- LAOH Division 61 –Designer Bag BINGO- Our Lady of Consolation Hall, 7051 Tulip St.- doors open at 6:30 first game starts at 7:00- \$30.00 pre-sale \$35.00 at the door- limited space so contact Chrissy Schoettle – 267-972-4456.

June 04, 2017- Phila. Irish Festival at Penn's Landing, Columbus Blvd & Market St noon to 7:00pm

June 07, 2017- AOH ND Division 1 -Molly Maguires Phoenixville golf outing- Spring Hollow Golf Club- 10:30 am registration 12:00 shotgun start- \$115.00 dinner, drinks and prizes. ..call 610-933-9550 for further info.

July 19 thru 22- 2017 PA State Convention-Scranton Hilton –BE SURE TO BOOK YOUR ROOMS. new website-<http://www.aohoflacka.com>-



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RENTAL PRICE LIST

Hall Rental – 4 hours

\$250 for members

\$225 for Brick members

\$275 for non-members

\$30 for Bartender; \$30 Clean Up

Overtime on rental is available for an additional \$75, with one hour limit

For hall rental information, contact Gene Long by leaving a message at Division 87 (215) 533-7070

Please use this form when sending your dues or submitting any changes to Donna Kearney.

Name:

Street address:

City, State,
& Zip Code:

Telephone:

E-Mail :

Purpose (please check box below):

- () New mailing address () Dues Enclosed
() New e-mail address () Name change
() New telephone number

Please complete the information above and return to:

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May the Strength of God guide us.
May the Power of God preserve us.
May the Wisdom of God instruct us.
May the Hand of God protect us.
May the Way of God direct us.
May the Shield of God defend us.
May the Angels of God guard us.
- Against the snares of the evil one.

May Christ be with us!
May Christ be before us!
May Christ be in us,
Christ be over all!

May Thy Grace, Lord,
Always be ours,
This day, O Lord, and forevermore. Amen.

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