

# ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS



### AUGUST 2016 Edition Chicago Division #32 AOH

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# **Upcoming Events Cubs Rooftop Outing**

Tickets for the Wrigley View Rooftop, 1050 W. Waveland Ave, on 11 August, 7:05 PM Game, vs CARDS, can be reserved/purchased by going to: WrigleyView.com Click on "Buy Tickets", and type AOH in the promo code box. We are limited to about 40 tickets. You may purchase your tickets by visiting <a href="https://www.wrigleyview.webconnex.com/20160811">www.wrigleyview.webconnex.com/20160811</a> and entering the Discount Code: **AOH**.

#### Annual Picnic:

Pat Flaherty & Kevin O'Malley will co-chair the Saturday September 10<sup>th</sup> event. Volunteer opportunities will be made available at the August General Meeting. Many hands make light work.

#### **Bears Football Party**

The O'Malley brothers (Jim & Kevin) will be putting together a Bears game watch party at the IAHC on Sunday November 13<sup>th</sup>. More details to follow.

Ladies AOH Division 8 Fundraiser The Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians Div. 8, will host an event to support Ovarian Cancer detection and education. Join us for "Shop For A Cause" featuring local small business selling their wares, music, fun, food and raffle prizes with proceeds going to the Fellowship of Hope and the Ovarian Cancer Symptom Awareness organizations. It will be held on 09/25/2016 at Trinity Pub, 5943 Northwest Highway, Chicago from1-5pm. Entry fee for attendees is a suggested donation of \$10, to receive a hot dog and bag of chips.

#### **DIV 32 Events Recap for July**

Thanks to Dennis Gollogly & the hospitality of the McWhinnie Club for a historic 1<sup>st</sup> ever General Meeting hosted there. Jim Murphy's BBQ wizardry & a great spread made it a fun evening..

Kevin O'Malley officially took the reins as our new President. His previous role as V.P. will be filled by a special election to be held at the September General Meeting. Godspeed & Good Luck, Kevin!

John O'Donnell has been busy, proposing a Business Exchange for members. More to follow. He will also have special Division T-shirts (Gray; sizes small thru 4x); \$10, \$12 3-4X, at Thursday August 4<sup>th</sup> meeting. These will have the initials of RJP (Ray Prendergast) centered with AOH above and Division 32-Chicago below.

John Moriarty is organizing a special remembrance to get Ray's name on one of the arches at Misericordia's Family Fest on September 11, 2016. Misericordia meant a lot to Ray and Ray certainly meant a lot to Misericordia. Please see John if you wish to contribute. We will also honor the memory of Ray as our Ken Sullivan Man of the Year at this year's picnic.

#### **Executive Board Meetings**

Next meeting is on August 24th at Six Penny Bit. Charity petitions are heard & voted upon at this meeting. We will select Scholarships based on last year's charitable event participation.

## **AOH State News**

Gentlemen, Here are the winners of the July drawing AOH Illinois State Board raffle: \$200, #212-St Clair Co; (5) @ \$50; #275, Patricia Muldoon; #401-Martin Kalina; #491-Mary O'Malley; #555-Kevin Moriarty, & #710-Kevin Gill. Thank you, Division Presidents and brothers for your support.......Sean O'Dowd

#### **County News**

County Board Fundraising in the works. More information will follow.

**National News** AOH-LAOH National Convention was held July 11 to July 14, 2016 at Harrah's in Atlantic City. Sean O'Dowd will provide an update at our next meeting. He represented the Illinois Board & Division 32.

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## President's Message

With Kevin O'Malley moving up to President, a special election will be held to fill his vacancy at V.P. More details will be forthcoming. We appreciate your patience as this transition continues and count on your continued support to make division 32 a successful Division in carrying out our mission.

With Gratitude,

**Your Executive Board** 

#### **Upcoming Meeting Schedule**

August	4	2016	AOH General meeting	*IAHC	7:00 PM
****** - 4626 N Knox Ave, Chicago, IL 60630					
August	24	2016	AOH Executive Board	Six Penny Bit	7:00 PM
September	7	2016	AOH General meeting	Edgebrook	7:30 PM
September	21	2016	AOH Executive Board	Six Penny Bit	7:00 PM

#### Charity-Committee: John Moriarty/John Resch/ Joe Hickey/ Garrett Diamond

Six Catholic school student scholarships will be selected at the August Exec Meeting, to be presented at the September 10<sup>th</sup> picnic.

Charity donation request will be accepted at the AOH Executive Board August 24th.

Present new petitions at an upcoming executive Board meeting through or as a dues paying member.

# Membership – Joe Hickey & B.J. Mattingly

68 paid members YTD.

Mail dues to: Ancient Order of Hibernians - Div 32, P.O. Box 300445, Chicago, IL 60630. Members can also mail dues to Fin Sec Patrick Flaherty at 5142 N Leavitt, Chicago, IL 60625-6829

#### **IRISH HISTORY**

Irish Senator Billy Lawless delivered a maiden speech as the first emigrant senator in An Seanad Éireann (The Irish Senate) highlighting the undocumented in the USA and voting rights in Ireland.

Click here to view Billy's entire speech.

For more information please contact Breandán Magee 773 814 8273 breandanmagee@gmail.com

Chicago Irish Immigrant Support 4626 N Knox Ave #301, Chicago, IL 60630 773-282-8445

Also see www.irishchicago.org and info@irishchicago.org

#### **Prayers for Those in Need**

**DECEASED**: Ray Prendergast, Kevin Martin, William Sperandio, James O'Toole, Kevin Corbett, Josephine Cushley, Dave Dioguardi, Jim Vistad, Betty Muir, Noella Bauer

**SICK:** Frank Babusci, Chris Barlas, John Martin, Mark Forrest, Barbara McDonagh, Dorothy Denzler, Jennifer Heber, Meg Healy, Patsy Denten, Jack Haggerty, Web Ryan, Tom Hinchy, Luke Vanderpool, Karen Hill, Shannon Byrnes Weaver, Wally Germatta, Peggy Kendrick, James Kennedy, Curtis Hannibal, Harold Perkowski, and Tom Rowan

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