



President's Message

Greetings Brothers,

I hope that you, your families, and friends had an enjoyable summer.

Our next division meeting will be held on Wednesday September 3rd at 8 P.M. in our hall. Please try to attend to catch up on all that is happening and to see the great job that the corporation did on the renovation of our hall.

Our Division Family Picnic will be held on Saturday September 6th from 12 noon to 5 P.M. at Heckscher State Park, Field 3. Our picnic is limited to current members and their immediate family. Please see Financial Secretary Tom McHugh if you need to submit your 2014 dues. Picnic Chairman Tom Snyder (O'Snyderhan) and Co-Chairman Mike McCall are looking for help with set up, cooking, and clean up. Please see them to offer your assistance. Larry Wolff is looking for volunteers to assist with the Children's games. This is an important part of the day's activities and Larry would appreciate any help that you can give. The music will again be provided by Joe Roche and his band with a special appearance by the award winning Roisin Dubh Pipe Band.

Raffle tickets to support the John P. Reilly East Islip St. Patrick's Parade are now on sale. The tickets are \$50.00 with the two top prizes being a trip for two on the Division's August 2015 trip to Quebec City,

Canada. There will be additional cash prizes. Only 275 tickets will be sold. More information on the raffle and the trip is available on our webpage.

On Sunday September 7th at Division 2 in Babylon there will be a Major Degree. The degree will take place at 1 p.m. Please speak to Vice President Larry Wolff (581-1953) to sign up, the division picks up the cost. Remember, you are not a full Hibernian until you receive your Major Degree.

Our October meeting will take place on Wednesday October 1st at 8 P.M. in our hall.

Our annual mass for Deceased Members will be held on Sunday October 19th at 9 A.M. at St. Mary's Church in East Islip. Please wear your Irish Tri Color Sash for this mass. If you need to purchase a sash, please speak to John Davis at our meeting.

This year marks the 50th Anniversary for the Division 7 LAOH. This very special milestone will be celebrated with a dinner/dance at Captain Bill's in Bay Shore on Saturday October 25th from 7 P.M. to 11 P.M. Tickets are \$65.00 for LAOH members and \$75.00 for all others. Please join us at this event to honor our Ladies, who for fifty years, have made such a positive impact on the local, county, state, and national levels of the LAOH as well as our surrounding community. Finally, I would like to thank Jim Walsh, Carmel Ryan, Frank Lyons, and Tipperary John McMahon for all of their hard work in providing the GAA Hurling and Football matches and championship at our hall. Their

commitment to this important aspect of our sports heritage benefits us all. Thanks again for another great job.

Yours in Friendship, Unity, and
Christian Charity,
Dave

Grand Marshal Nominations

Grand Marshal Nominations for the 2015 John P. Reilly East Islip St. Patrick's Day Parade are now being accepted.

Nominations must be in writing and signed by the person submitting the nomination. Envelopes should be addressed to David Ring, Parade Chairman and placed in the division mailbox. The deadline for submitting nominations is September 30th, 2014. Nominations will be announced at the October Men's Meeting. Voting, if necessary will take place at the November Men's Meeting.

Division 7 Annual Family Picnic



Saturday Sept. 6th
Noon to 5:00PM

Field 3 – Heckscher State Park
East Islip, NY

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L.A.O.H.

Dear Sisters,

I hope that you are all enjoying a fun-filled, relaxing summer break! Thank you to all of those members who attended the AOH/LAOH National Convention in St. Louis, Missouri. You represented Division Seven phenomenally as usual. Your hard work and dedication to our order are inspiring!

Now as we look toward September, there are many exciting events on the calendar. Our next screening for new members will take place on Tuesday September 2nd at 7:30 p.m. at Division Seven Hall. All members are encouraged to sponsor a candidate for membership to stimulate the growth of our organization.

On Saturday September 6th Division Seven will hold its annual picnic at Heckscher State Park from 12 to 5 pm. This is a wonderful day of family fun and I look forward to seeing all of you there with your families. The ladies very generously donate the salads for this event, and I would like to call on each one of you to donate your favorite homemade salad to supplement the meal that the men provide for us. For those of you who have little free time, pre-packaged deli salads are also appreciated as these can be donated if not used at the picnic.

The next LAOH meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, September 10th at 7:30 p.m. I am excited to continue all of our good work and therefore look forward to seeing all of you then!

The next meeting of the Suffolk County LAOH will be held at Division Eight in Selden on Monday, September 15th at 7:30 p.m. Since it is the first Fall meeting, it would be nice to have a good showing from Division Seven. Any member who is interested in attending this meeting please contact me and I will arrange for a carpool.

Each year, The Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians, Inc. sponsors a National Irish History Writing Contest for students in Grades 6 through 12. The theme this year is "The Role of the Irish

People in the American Civil War."

There are two levels: Level 1 is Grades 6, 7, and 8. Level 2 is Grades 9, 10, 11, and 12. The contest opens September 1, 2014. Entries should demonstrate excellence in the presentation of Irish/Irish –American History and must be received by Division Seven President Kathleen Ring no later than November 15, 2014. Please encourage your children and grandchildren to participate in this prestigious competition.

The Suffolk County LAOH will hold its annual mass at Our Lady of the Island Shrine in Manorville on Sunday September 21st at 11:30 a.m. This is a beautiful celebration and a great opportunity to gather with our sisters from other parts of Suffolk County.

On Friday, October 10th the LAOH will host a Happy Hour fundraiser to benefit Molly Muller. Molly is the granddaughter of Vinny and Jo Ann Clancy who is facing a series of operations to correct congenital health issues. It is our hope that this event will relieve some of the emotional and financial stress facing this family. As always, your support and participation are welcome and much appreciated!

On Sunday October 19th the AOH and LAOH will celebrate our annual Mass for Deceased Members at 9:00 a.m. at St. Mary's Church. Please join your brothers and sisters as we honor those members who have gone before us.

2014 marks the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians Division Seven. In order to celebrate this milestone, the ladies will host an evening of dinner and dancing on Saturday October 25th at Captain Bill's restaurant in Bay Shore.

The event will begin at 7:00 p.m. and will honor our very dedicated and deserving sister, Peggy Fitzpatrick. Tickets are now available for this event. Please see Kathleen Ring for reservations.

The Ladies are working to expand our commitment to those less fortunate than us. To that end, we are asking for school supplies or non-perishable food items in order to create baskets to be brought to needy families in September. Please bring any donations to our September meeting. Thank you, in advance, for your

generosity. As we savor the final days of Summer, I look forward to a very productive and rewarding Fall.

Yours in Our Motto,

Kathleen



We held our May crowning on May 12. The Juniors want to thank Eileen Knockenhauer for her gracious assistance with hospitality, Vic Vogel and his bagpipe for taking the time to lead our procession to and from the Crowning, and certainly those who attended for joining us in prayer to honor our Blessed Mother. The Junior Girls President and Vice President are hoping more people attend next year, and are investigating how to address that issue.

We also gathered for the Junior Girls / Junior Boys annual bowl-a-thon on Monday, June 9th followed by some refreshing ices at Rita's in East Islip. A fun time was had by all. The Junior Boys joined us for the festivities; and you can be proud of our girls – I do believe they outscored our Boys *lol*.

The Junior Girls of Division 7 are honored to be able to call the National Junior Hibernian of the Year one of our own as announced at this year's Convention! Congratulations and much love to Patricia Hanley who has so proudly served our Juniors with distinction – it is heartwarming to know her efforts and dedication are appreciated by the entire organization!

We are going to have a busy September meeting, trying to coordinate our calendar with all the events we would like to do. Although we wished to have our carwash over the summer, it appears Fall will be the time – plenty of time to get your cars nice and dirty for us. We will keep you posted with our events as we finalize them.

We look forward to a busy Fall – see you at the Hall ☺

Respectfully submitted in our motto
Leslie Lanigan



What's Happening September & October



SEPTEMBER:

Sept 3 Wed	AOH Division Seven Meeting,	8:00 PM
Sept 6 Sat	Div. 7 picnic at Heckscher Park	Noon-5:00 PM
Sept 7 Sun	AOH Major Degree held in Babylon	Starts 1:00 PM
Sept 10 Wed	LAOH Division Seven Meeting	7:30 PM
Sept 26 Fri	Taylor Ryan Fundraiser	6:00-9:00 PM
Sept 30 Tue	2015 Grand Marshal nomination deadline	

OCTOBER:

Oct 1 Wed	AOH Division Seven Meeting,	8:00 PM
Oct 6 Mon	Junior Girls and Boys Meeting,	6:30 PM
Oct 8 Wed	LAOH Division Seven Meeting,	7:30 PM
Oct 10 Fri	Happy Hour Fundraiser to benefit Molly Muller	6:00-10:00 PM
Oct 19 Sun	Mass for deceased members, at St. Mary's R.C. Church in East Islip	9:00 AM
Oct 25 Sat	50 th Anniversary Division 7 LAOH dinner dance at Captain Bill's in Bay Shore	7 – 11 PM

Corporation Corner

Football is back and our Pub is a great place to watch all the games. So come on down and enjoy the games, bring your friends and make some new friends. The 50/50 raffle each and every Sunday (you have to be in it to win it...). Food will be served between the 1:00 and 4:00 games on Sunday's.



PUB ENTERTAINMENT

The entertainment schedule is not yet finalized but please check on our web site or stop in our Tap Room for the entertainment schedule for September and October.

Raffle to Benefit the John P. Reilly East Islip St. Patrick's Day Parade

Quebec, Canada Raffle (Donation of \$50)

- Two First Prizes:

Trip for two on the AOH trip to Quebec, Canada

August 6th-11th 2015

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(Winner can opt for \$1750 cash)

- Three second prizes of \$500.00

- Five third prizes of \$100.00

The drawing will be held on Friday February 6th, 2015 at 7 P.M. at:

Division 7 Hall
65 Champlin Ave.
East Islip, N.Y.

Winner need not be present. Only 275 tickets will be sold.

(Sellers of the top prize ticket will receive \$250.)



Benefit for

Taylor Ryan

Friday, Sept 26th, 2014



6:00 till 9:00



at : Ancient Order of Hibernians - 65 Champlin Ave. East Islip, NY

Taylor is the niece of Valerie and Jim Hand

Taylor is 12 years old and she has a rare blood disease called Neuro-Degenerative Langerhans Cell Histiocytosis, which has caused lesions to grow on her brain as well as issues with her brain stem and cerebellum. She continues to battle this disease and has been undergoing chemotherapy for almost 3 years . She has had numerous MRI's, bone scans, CT scans, surgeries, including a craniotomy this year for a brain biopsy, 80 intravenous chemotherapy treatments as well as oral chemotherapy.

Please help us help this courageous young lady

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"Wee" Molly Fundraiser



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