



Dear Brothers,

I hope everyone had a healthy and a Happy Easter.

Our next division meetings will be May 4 and June 1 at 8 pm.

The Grand Marshal Ball and our St. Patrick's Parade were great. There was a very nice turnout of onlookers who watched the parade as we walked by. The rain held off and it looked like everybody had a great time back at the Hall.

On May 2, 2022 @ 7 pm our Junior Girls will be holding their Annual May Crowning of Our Lady of Knock statue at the Hall. Please attend to show our devotion to our Blessed Mother.

Some upcoming events:

- LAOH Suffolk County Golf Outing at Gull Haven is on June 9, 2022 \$100 pp or \$60 for just dinner. See Madonna Nolty.
- Roisin Dubh Irish Pipe Band Horseshoe Tournament on 6/18/22 (1:00-5:00).
- Division 7 Golf Outing @ Wind Watch GC is on June 21, 2022. Be a player or sponsor. See Danny Kissane to play or Kevin Smith for a hole sponsor.
- AOH / LAOH National Convention is on July 13 to July 17 in Pittsburgh, PA
- Reminder that we have no meetings during July and August. September 7 will be our next meeting after enjoying the summer.

Congratulations to the Roisin Dubh Irish Pipe Band at the Dunedin Highland Scottish Games in Florida. Grade 5 finished 2nd and

Grade 3 came in 3rd with two second place finishes in piping.

In closing, the St. Patrick's season went very well. Thanks once again to Dave Ring, Frank Lyons, John Davis, Leslie Lanigan and all the members of the Parade Committee that made sure our annual parade went off without a hitch.

Thank you to the Roisin Dubh Pipe Band for leading us in our parade as well as leading the Suffolk County LAOH in the NYC St. Patrick's Day parade.

A group went over to Ireland recently and had a great time. The weather was great only 1 day of rain. We visited Galway, Killarney, Kinsale and ended in Dublin.

I hope everyone have a healthy and safe summer!

**Yours in Friendship, Unity
and Christian Charity,
Shawn**



Joe LePage, Bill LePage and Eileen Knockenhauer lead the 2022 John P. Reilly East Islip St. Patrick's Day Parade on Sunday March 6, 2022.

The Roisin Dubh Irish Pipe Band
"Skip McCormick Memorial"
Horseshoe Tournament

Team Entry Fee \$ 90.00 Registration by June 12, 2022
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For additional information, please contact:
 Danny Kissane (917) 881-4258 - to enter players in the tournament
 Kevin Smith (631) 767-5276 - to Sponsor a Hole (\$300)



Fr. John and Shawn O'Neill at El Parade

L.A.O.H.

Dear Sisters,

Spring has finally sprung! It's so delightful to see all the flowers in bloom, especially the spring bulbs our Junior Girls planted by our statue. Now that the warmer weather is upon us, the ladies of Division 7 will once again be hitting the links for Thursday Twilight Golf at Gull Haven Golf Course starting on May 5th. Tee times will start at 4:30pm. The cost is \$30 for green fees and cart. Food afterwards at the hall is additional. We play 9 holes, best ball. All skill levels are welcome, invite a friend to join us as well, as they do not need to be members to play. If you are interested in joining our LAOH Division 7 Golf League, to register please contact Becci Enders at laohdiv7vicepresident@gmail.com - 631-413-5881 or Chris Brogan at cmcginnbrogan@gmail.com - 631-428-3085.

And also for our Lady Golfers ... The Suffolk County Golf & Dinner Fundraiser is on Thursday, June 9th. Tee times begin at 1pm, followed by a dinner at 5pm at our Division 7 Hall. Golf/Dinner is \$100. Dinner only is \$60. RSVP by May 20th. Contact Madonna Nolty to register for the Golf/Dinner or just the Dinner at mnolty@yahoo.com

A huge thank you to our Missions and Charities Officer Val Hand for organizing the collection for the Easter meals we provided to local families. Her efforts raised enough to provide for seven families a robust Easter dinner, candy baskets for the children and grocery gift cards. Thank you to our AOH men for donating the hams and to all the Ladies who helped make the event a success.

Our next meeting will be May 11th at 7:30pm. We will once again be hosting a "Baby Shower" which will benefit the Life Center of Long Island. We are collecting "new" baby items. The Life Center is in need of diapers (sizes 4,5,6) and baby wipes, baby clothes sizes 2T, 3T, 4T and clothes for children ages 6-9 years old. We

have also placed a donation box in the lobby. If you have any questions or would like to make a monetary donation and we will shop, please contact our Catholic Action Officer Ellen Murray at: ellen165farber@yahoo.com – 631-649-5900.

LAOH Division 7 will be hosting a Pampered Chef Fundraiser for the month of May. You will receive an email with instructions on how to place an order. Included will also be a link to an online catalog. Pampered Chef has lots of new items that will enhance your everyday cooking, baking and barbequing. Also, great gadgets for those wedding showers!

We are looking forward to attending the annual Suffolk County Ball at which our very own Alice Faughnan will be honored alongside John Wahlberg and Chris Thompson. The Ball is May 6th at Captain Bills, 7:00 pm.

We have created a Health & Wellness Committee for our Division 7 ladies, chaired by Elizabeth Hand, Maggie Brogan and Cait Frey. Watch your inbox for the Health & Wellness Newsletter which will include information on increasing our everyday health and wellness. We will be starting a Walking Club in mid-June for all those interested. Stay tuned for more information, and dust off those sneakers!

After our June 8th meeting, we will take the summer off from meetings, and will not meet again formally until September 14th. We will keep you posted with any events or information through emails and our Facebook page.

Wishing all our mothers and grandmothers a very special Mother's Day. May you all spend the day happily with your family and loved ones. We also extend a Happy Father's Day to our AOH brothers. If you need to contact me for any reason, please do not hesitate. Laohdiv7president@gmail.com, 516-459-0840. **In our Motto,**

Patty Fitzpatrick

Juniors

Our LAOH Junior Girls had a fun March meeting and were joined by some of the Ladies. Our own, Madonna Nolty taught them how to do the Gay Gordons and Siege of Ennis Irish dances. A lot of fun was had by all that attended.

Due to restrictions, the Junior Girls were not able to host the Sisters of St. Josephs but some of the Ladies were able to serve Irish Soda Bread (donated by the Ladies) and scones (homemade by Cindy Haugland). They were accompanied by Francis McFadden and the Roisin Dubh Pipe Band, who sang and played for the Sisters.

In April, the Juniors held their annual Lenten Soup Dinner for the first time since 2019. It was a successful fundraiser that we were glad to bring back to our hall.

On May 2nd at 7:00 pm, our Junior Girls will be having their Annual May Crowning at the Our Lady of Knock Statue outside of Division 7. Refreshments will be served following the ceremony.

Please be on the lookout for dates for the Spaghetti Supper that the Junior Girls will host in the Fall to raise money towards their fundraising goals. We are looking forward to bringing this back and hope you all will join us for a fun and successful night, more details to come as the date gets closer.

**In Our Motto,
Becci Enders / Gina Holm
Junior Girls Coordinators**



Jr. Girls Lenten Soup Dinner



What's Happening May & June



MAY:

May 2 Mon	Jr. Girls May Crowning at our Statue	7:00 PM
May 4 Wed	AOH Division Seven Meeting	8:00 PM
May 6 Sat	AOH/LAOH Suffolk County Ball At Captain Bills	7:00 PM
May 9 Mon	Jr. Girls Meeting	6:30 PM
May 11 Wed	LAOH Division 7 Meeting at Hall	7:30 PM

JUNE:

Jun 1 Wed	AOH Division Seven Meeting	8:00 PM
Jun 6 Mon	Jr Girls Meeting	6:30 PM
Jun 8 Wed	LAOH Division 7 Meeting at Hall	7:30 PM
Jun 9 Thu	LAOH Suffolk County Golf Outing at Gull Haven	
Jun 18 Sat	Horseshoe Tournament For the Roisin Dubh Irish Pipe Band	1:00-5:00 PM
Jun 21 Tue	Div. 7 Golf Outing @ Wind Watch GC	7:30 AM

Corporation Corner

Thanks for supporting our Pub and building during this St. Patrick's season. We had a great turnout for both the East Islip Parade and on St. Patrick's Day itself. Music in our Pub is returning for Friday Happy Hours. Please see listing below for dates and musicians.

Gene Hearl
Corporation President

LIVE MUSIC AT THE AOH

MAY

Fri 6 th	The Boggs	6:00 – 9:00pm
Fri 13 th	J & D Acoustics	6:00 - 9:00pm

JUNE

Fri 3 rd	Three's Accompany	6:00 – 9:00pm
Fri 17 th	Uncork and Unwind	6:00 – 9:00pm
Fri 24 th	Kevin Wilson	6:00 – 9:00pm

THE IRISH

English – May: The Month of Holy Mary

Irish – Bealtaine: Mí Mhuire Naofa

Pronunciation – Bal-tinne Mee Wirr-ah

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Submitted by Vic Vogel



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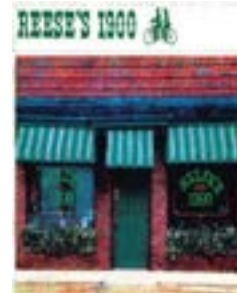
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