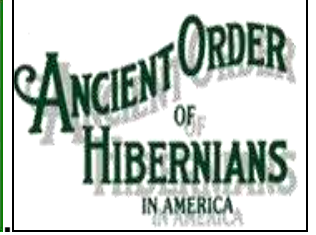


Our Lady of Knock - Division 7, East Islip, NY November/December 2019



President's Message

Greetings Brothers,

Our next division meeting will be held on Wednesday, November 6th at 8:00 pm in our hall. All members are welcomed and encouraged to attend.

On Monday, November 11th at 6:30 pm our Junior Girls will be honoring our division members who are veterans. I would personally like to invite all of veterans to join the Juniors, share your experiences, and enjoy a fun evening. After a brief ceremony and a visit with the Juniors, dinner will be served.

At our October meeting the Nominating Committee brought forward the slate for Division and Cooperation Officers for the 2020-2021 term. The recommendations were:

Division:

President – Tom McHugh
Vice President – Shawn O'Neill
Recording Secretary – John Owen
Financial Secretary – John Hanley
Treasurer – Kevin Smith
Standing Committee – Vincent Smith
Marshal – Tim Ring
Sentinel – Jim Doherty

Corporation:

President – Gene Hearl
Vice President – Dan Kissane
Secretary – John Davis
Treasurer – Dave Dinota

If there are any nominations from the floor, they can be made at the November meeting.

Kudos goes to Larry Wolff, his production staff and cast of characters for providing an enjoyable evening of laughs with his show, *Moider on the South Side*. It was a fun evening for all the members who attended.

The Children's Fund Christmas Party will be held on Sunday, December 15th from 11:00 am – 1:00 pm. If you would like to volunteer, please contact chairman, Vic Vogel. On Saturday, December 21st the Division Christmas Party will be held at 7:00 pm. All members are invited to attend. There will be a DJ, dinner and cash bar. I look forward to celebrating the Christmas season with all the division members.

Our St. Stephen's Celebration will be held this year on Thursday, December 26th at 7:00 pm in the pub. There will be traditional Irish foods along with a holiday appetizer contest with prizes for the winners. Additionally, there will be entertainment in the pub. Come down and celebrate this Irish National holiday.

My term as president has gone very quickly and has been an enjoyable experience. Special thanks to the support of my fellow officers, the Corporation officers and both the ladies' and men's divisions. Thanks also goes out to Mike McCall, picnic chairman, and all the volunteers who stepped up this year and helped bring the picnic back to the park. I would also like to thank Ryan Baist, son of members Greg and Mary Baist, for volunteering his time administering free flu shots to our members. Thanks also goes to Leslie Lanigan, Stephanie Leahy and Father Don for conducting our deceased members' mass and all the members who attended. It was a great turnout. Thanks to the members of the *Roisin Dubh Pipe Band* who performed at the mass.

Please continue to support the *Queen of Hearts* weekly drawing on Saturday nights at 7:30. Come down to the pub whether it is to see the Jets or Giants lose, Saturday entertainment, or any of the weekly events we have in the pub.

I would also like to take the opportunity to express how grateful I am to be the 2020 Co-Grand Marshall of the John P. Reilly East Islip St. Patrick's Day Parade. It is a great honor to myself and my family and I look forward to walking down Main Street with former division President Jerry Delaney on Sunday, March 1st. Hopefully mother nature will take it easy on us.

In closing, I would like to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving, a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Healthy New Year.

**Yours in Friendship, Unity
and Christian Charity,
Tom Davis**

Hibernian of the Year Nominations

Anyone wishing to make a nomination for the Hibernian of the Year must do so before January 1st.

The person being nominated must be a member in good standing and have made his Major Degree.

Please write the nominee's name on a piece of paper (no letters) and put it in an envelope addressed to last year's HOY, **Kevin Smith**, and put it in the Division mailbox.

St. Stephen's Day Celebration in our Pub

Come down and enjoy this Irish holiday on Dec. 26th at 7:00 PM

Please bring down your best appetizer. Prize will be awarded for the best appetizer.

L.A.O.H.

Dear Sisters,

THANK-YOU! THANK-YOU!
THANK-YOU! Our Murder Mystery Fundraiser was quite a memorable and successful fundraising event. Special thanks to our Director/Writer/Actor Larry Wolff and the Division Seven Actors, Denise Fischer, John Hanley, Cathie Norton Doherty, Mac McFadden and yours truly who shared their many talents and had us laughing throughout the entire evening! Thank you to all those who served on the committee, donated food, and volunteered time to make this event so spectacular. Thank-you to the Corporation, Gene Hearl and John Davis and to all the Men and Ladies who supported this great event and to Karen Suchan from Chapey's Funeral Home.

I'd like to extend a warm welcome to our newest members; we're delighted you have joined us. Division Seven has plenty to offer members and we'd love to have you involved in our many activities.

The Junior Girls will host our LAOH and AOH members who have served, or are currently serving in the military on Monday, November 11th at 6:30 PM. Refreshments will be provided. Please join the Juniors as they learn about and honor those who have served our country so well.

I look forward to seeing everyone at our next meeting on November 13. At this meeting we will announce our "Walking in the Footsteps of St. Brigid Award" honoree and we will have sashes ready for sale, thanks to our seamstress, Mary Kreppein. If you signed up to purchase a sash, the cost is \$40.00. We will also

finalize the sign-up sheets and items needed for our Thanksgiving Baskets. Your generosity in bringing items for these baskets is a so wonderful. Please see Katy Sanders, if you know of a needy family that we can support. The date for assembling baskets will be announced at our next meeting.

Our 300 Club Raffle tickets are \$20 each and the prizes are fantastic! One \$1,000, two \$500, and ten \$100 will be raffled off. If you win a prize, your ticket goes back into the drawing for another chance to win. Please come down to support the Ladies and enjoy a little holiday cheer on Friday, December 13th at 8PM. See Patty Fitzpatrick and Chris Brogan for tickets. Please return sold and unsold tickets at the November meeting. On Sunday, December 15th the Division Children's Christmas Party from 11:00 am to 1 pm. and we are very fortunate that Santa will be making a visit to greet the children. Please consider making cupcakes for this event. The Adult Christmas Party will be held on Saturday, December 21st at 7:00 PM. Please come down and share your Christmas Spirit! Please check out this newsletter for all the entertainment and events provided on Friday or Saturday evenings at the pub. Come down and enjoy time during this very busy season with our Orders Brothers and Sisters!

Wishing you a blessed a very Happy Thanksgiving, a blessed Merry Christmas and Healthy and Happy New Year.

In our motto,

Madonna

Juniors

Our Juniors hosted a very successful Spaghetti Dinner

fundraiser on Friday October 4. They worked very hard serving and were excellent hostesses for the night. Meeting our fundraising goal for a Make A Wish donation, with enough extra to take on a second charitable cause this year, we truly appreciate all who came down and supported our fundraiser!! We are also so grateful to all the LAOH who helped us by donating time, cooking skills and food. The night could not have been a success without the support of our LAOH and AOH members, thank you!!

For the month of November, the Juniors will be collecting new and unwrapped toys and books to donate to Taylor's Hope Foundation Christmas Toy Drive. Taylor collects the toys and donates them back to the children staying in the hospitals where she has received care. We will be supporting her efforts, please support ours. There will be a box in the pub marked with a collection flyer. Thank you for any support you can offer!!!

On November 11, 2019 at 6:30pm, our Juniors will be hosting their annual Veterans Appreciation Night. We invite all of our LAOH and AOH Division 7 members that are Veterans of the US Armed Forces or still active duty, to come down for a night of thanks and appreciation. Refreshments will be served after our ceremony. All are invited to join us for this special night, showing appreciation for our members who have served our country, in honor of Veterans Day.

Juniors will meet again on December 9th, 6:30 pm and will be working on wrapping presents for a little girl they adopted through the Salvation Army Angel Tree and working on Christmas cards for the Sisters of Saint Joseph.

Yours in Friendship, Unity and
Christian Charity,
Cathie Norton Doherty
Junior Girls Coordinator



What's Happening Nov. & Dec.



NOVEMBER:

Nov 6 Wed	AOH Division 7 Meeting	8:00 PM
Nov 11 Mon	Veterans Day & Appreciation Night	6:30 PM
Nov 13 Wed	LAOH Division Seven Meeting	7:30 PM
Nov 28 Thu	Thanksgiving Day	

DECEMBER:

Dec 4 Wed	AOH Division Seven Meeting	8:00 PM
Dec 9 Mon	Jr Girls Meeting	6:30 PM
Dec 11 Wed	LAOH Division Seven Meeting	7:30 PM
Dec 13 Fri	LAOH 300 Club Drawing	8:00 PM
Dec 15 Sun	Community Children's Fund Christmas Party	11:00 AM – 1:00 PM
Dec 21 Sat	Division 7 Christmas Party	7:00 PM
Dec 25 Wed	Christmas Day	
Dec 26 Thu	St. Stephen's Day celebration in our Pub	7:00 PM
	Prize for best Appetizer	

Corporation Corner



LIVE MUSIC



November

Sat 2 nd	Karaoke with Steve	7:30 – 10:30
Sat 9 th	Shades of Grey	7:30 – 10:30
Sat 16 th	Uncorked & Unwind	7:30 – 10:30
Fri 22 nd	Joe & Julie Happy Hour	6:00 – 9:00
Sat 23 rd	Todd the Guitar Man	7:30 – 10:30
Sat 30 th	Broke Down Blues	7:30 – 10:30

December

Sat 7 th	Three's Accompany	7:30 – 10:30
Fri 13 th	Pete Kletchker Happy Hour - Christmas Show	6:00 – 9:00
Sat 14 th	The Bogs	7:30 – 10:30
Sat 21 st	Christmas Party (DJ)	7:00 – 11:00
Sat 28 th	Kevin Wilson	7:30 – 10:30



*The Junior Girls
are collecting unwrapped toys
for:*



*Taylor Ryan,
a local girl living with Histiocytosis
who with her parents founded the:*



Taylor's Hope Foundation

*Toys are distributed to children in local hospitals
during the holidays.*



*Your contribution is
greatly appreciated.*

*Collection Box located
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Christmas Party

Division 7 Christmas Party

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Division 7 Community Children's Christmas Party

**Sunday December 15th
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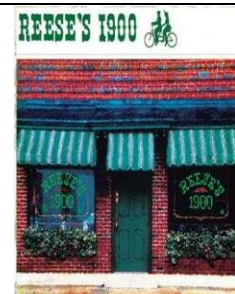
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