



LADIES ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS
"Our Lady of Knock"
Division #87 – Organized February 4, 1992
Summer, 2010 Newsletter

President's Message

Dear Sisters,

Hard to believe how quickly the summer is going by so far. We wait for our vacation which comes and goes in a flash. The weather has been quite warm and humid but the sunshine still always feels so good to me. Hope you have been enjoying it.

The National Convention in Cincinnati was very productive. It was nice to see so many friends and meet so many new ones from around the United States. The meetings tended to be long at times but there was much to be done. There have been some changes that were adopted to our Constitution and I will try to have a brief summary ready for our September meeting highlighting the important ones. We will receive a copy of the proceedings which explains everything that happened in the convention sessions. Please let me know if you would like at any time to review them.

Congratulations to our new National President, **Margaret Henessey** from New York. We also were able to install a new member of LAOH Division #87, Theresa Costello; Carolyn's daughter was initiated by State President Colleen Bowers, State Treasurer Nancy Cullen, State Secretary Ellen McCrane along with myself and Bernadette Coyne. It was a joyous moment!!

We have a Happy Hour event coming up for the Hibernian Hunger Project on Thursday, July 22, 2010 from 6:00-9:00 pm at Division #87. Monetary donations will be accepted at the door. Hopefully you will be available to join us for some food, music and fundraising!! If you are unable to attend there is another fundraiser for Hibernian Hunger Project at the Shore on August 06, 2010 at Keenan's Irish Pub, in North Wildwood from 7:00 -10:00 pm..\$30.00 donation included food, beer, wine and music. There will be celebrity bartenders serving up drinks. We are especially looking forward to having my son, Frank Jr., show us his bartending skills.

The Ladies of Philadelphia County will be celebrating the Feast of Our Patroness, St. Brigid on August 21, 2010. The Mass will take place at Fr. Judge Chapel this year. Further details will follow but Mass is either 6:00 or 7:00 pm.

Well Ladies, mark your calendar for Tuesday, September 07, 2010 for our division meeting. October will once again bring elections for all Division seats. Please consider running for a two-year office.

Looking forward to see you all in September.

In Our Motto,

Maria

OFFICER LIST

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**KEVIN DONNELLY HALL
RENTAL PRICE LIST**

Hall Rental – 4 hours

\$200 for members

\$175 for Brick members

\$225 for non-members

\$35 for Bartender; \$20 Clean Up

Overtime on rental is available for an additional \$50, with one hour limit

Weekday funeral luncheons are available for \$175 for non-members; \$50 for members.

For hall rental information, contact Jim Dougherty at 215-335-4470

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

Name:
Street address:
City, State, & Zip Code:
Telephone:
E-Mail :
Purpose (please check box below):
<input type="checkbox"/> New mailing address <input type="checkbox"/> Dues Enclosed <input type="checkbox"/> New e-mail address <input type="checkbox"/> Name change <input type="checkbox"/> New telephone number
Please complete the information above and return to: Linda Nevedomsky, Financial Secretary, LAOH Division 87 3114 Mercer St. Philadelphia, PA 19134

L.A.O.H. DIVISION #87 NEWS AND INFORMATION

NOTE – COURTESY OF KATHY FANNING, COUNTY BOARD PRESIDENT

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.

MISSIONS AND CHARITIES

We are planning to do a book drive to help clean off your bookshelves. During the summer as you find gently used books in good condition, set them aside. Please note – the book must have a cover. More details in the September newsletter.

Don't forget - I am looking for charities to help us clean out our homes and not our pockets. If you know of any charities or organization that we can help – please let Terry Welsh know. Email – TerryLAOH87@aol.com or 215-280-5992

GOT EMAIL?? MAKE SURE YOU ARE ON OUR LIST

Please email any new or updated email addresses to TerryLAOH87@aol.com. Also, if you read our newsletter online at www.laoh87.org and no longer need to receive the newsletter in the mail please contact Terry Lindsey – TerryLAOH87@aol.com or Linda Nevedomsky - lmnevedom@hotmail.com.

NEWSLETTER ITEMS

Please submit any newsletter items to Terry Welsh at TerryLAOH87@aol.com or call 215.280.5992. Donna is taking a hiatus from the newsletter to care for her mother. Our prayers go out to Mrs. Nidosik for a complete recovery!!

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.

DUES – DUES – DUES

If you haven't paid your 2010 dues please use the form found in this newsletter and forward to Linda Nevedomsky ASAP.


REQUEST FROM LAOH 87 JUNIORS – SAVE YOUR ALUMINUM CAN TABS

Our Junior division continues 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.

HEALTH AND BEAUTY AIDS

Keep saving your travel size health and beauty aids. A shopping bag was delivered to the Philadelphia Veterans Multi-Service and Education Center last week.

BRING YOUR OLD / TATTERED AMERICAN FLAGS TO OUR DIVISION MEETINGS

 As everyone knows, old / tattered American flags should never be thrown away as trash. There is a special ceremony that takes place for American flags that are no longer able to be displayed. Donna Donnelly works at the Naval Supply Depot on Oxford Avenue in Philadelphia and throughout the base they have special bins to place your old/tattered flags that will be used in this special ceremony. So, if you have any flags lying around the house and didn't know what to do with them, please bring them to the meeting and Donna will drop them in the bins. For anyone who would like to learn more about this special ceremony, please log onto this website for more information. It is really very interesting. <http://www.usflags.com/index.asp?theTree=Flag+Disposal:Main+Content>



UPCOMING EVENTS!!!

ANNUAL HIBERNIAN HUNGER PROJECT HAPPY HOUR

The annual happy hour benefiting the Hibernian Hunger project will be held on Thursday, July 22, 2010 from 6:00 pm til 9:00 pm. Donations of cash and grocery store gift cards will be graciously accepted at the door. Please **DO NOT** bring food items. While your generosity is always appreciated we have been informed that individual cans or boxes of food aren't very helpful when you are making a large quantity of meals.

There will be appetizers, music and celebrity bartenders, all tips will be donated to the Hunger Project too!!!! Also, look out for the 50/50 sellers throughout the evening.

FEAST OF ST. BRIGID MASS

The Ladies of Philadelphia County will be celebrating the Feast of Our Patroness, St. Brigid on August 21, 2010. The Mass will take place at Fr. Judge Chapel this year. The time has not yet been finalized but it should around 6 or 7 pm.

Further details will be communicated via email. If you do not have email please contact one of the officers for the specific time. If you have email and have not been receiving Division emails please contact Terry Welsh at TerryLAOH87@aol.com to be added to the list.

LIVE MUSIC COMING TO BINLIDS!

Straight from their headlining performance at World Café Live FUNKSLAW will be performing live at Binlids on Friday, July 30th at 8:30 pm. On lead guitar and vocals is none other than Division 87's own, Michael Welsh.

All of the members of Funkslaw have the common goal of producing original roots music that pays homage to their influences, including Uncle Tupelo, The Band, Bob Marley, Ryan Adams and the Grateful Dead. They move seamlessly through live sets that include tunes from folk and straight forward rock to trashy blues and reggae. Each member's diverse set of influences is apparent in their repertoire. Funkslaw's stripped down stage presence and sound allow the music to speak for itself and draw fans based on a common admiration for music worth listening to rather than extravagant effects and theatrics. Check them out at www.myspace.com/funkslaw

You can't beat the price – free. So come spend a Friday night with great friends, fantastic music and cheap drinks!!

CELTIC TEA 2010

The Celtic Tea is still in the planning stages. We are currently searching for a new venue. If you have any suggestions please contact Terry Welsh at TerryLAOH87@aol.com or 215.280.5992.

In preparation for the Celtic Tea we are accepting donations of INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED flavored tea bags. I know that Lipton and Bigelow brands are individually wrapped; Celestial Seasonings tea bags are not – we cannot use these.

Also, when you are buying your morning coffee or tea – if you happen to get extra honey, lemon or sweeteners – do not throw them away!! Put them in a baggie and bring them to the meeting. We can use them. Do not save your extra creamer – they won't keep.

DIVISION 87 HIBERNIAN BALL – MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!

The Hibernian Ball will be held at Romano's Catering on November 13, 2010!!! Details to follow!!

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Nominations for all offices will be heard at our October General Meeting. Please see the September newsletter for a description of the duties of all offices. Please remember – to vote or hold an office you must be a member in good standing.

Hibernian Hunger Project

Summertime Happy Hour @ The Jersey Shore

Book a room.... Pack a bag ...head to North Wildwood!!!

Friday...August 06, 2010

6:30- 10:30 pm

\$30.00 donation...bottle beer, food, music and celebrity bartenders

Keenan's Irish Pub

113 Old New Jersey Avenue, North Wildwood

All proceeds benefit HHP

www.phillyhhp.org

Contact – Maria Gallagher- 609-304-7929

Ed Dougherty- 267-879-6107

Don't miss this event to raise funds to help those who need it most!!

