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September 2024 Newsletter

September	3	LAOH Division Meeting	Travis Hall	7:30pm
	11	AOH Division Meeting	Travis Hall	7:30pm
	16	LAOH County Board	Travis Hall	7:30pm
	18	AOH County Board	Division 7	7:30pm
	20	Irish Heritage Night	RJO	7:00pm
	24	Joint Meeting	Travis Hall	7:30pm
October	1	LAOH Division Meeting	Travis Hall	7:30pm
	9	AOH Division Meeting	Travis Hall	7:30pm
	16	AOH County Board		
	21	LAOH County Board	@Division 4	7:30pm
	26	LAOH Division Garage Sale	St. Joseph's	9am-4pm

A Word from our Presidents

The Awards Committee formed in response to award concerns raised by both Division 3 men and women separately and together at the Joint meetings has met over the summer. The committee will make their recommendations at both the men's and ladies' meetings in September and those present will be requested to vote on the recommendations. If the results of the votes are the same, the matter is concluded. If the results are different, it will be further discussed at the Joint and possibly voted on again. Your voice is important. Please make every effort to attend these meetings

A LITTLE BIT O' THIS, A LITTLE BIT O' THAT



On Friday, August 23rd our divisions celebrated the 145th anniversary of the appearance of Mary at Knock, Ireland. Monsignor Whitney celebrated the beautiful mass and the St. Joseph Choir added to the celebration with their wonderful voices. Let's not forget the socializing in Travis Hall afterward with background music provided by John Gallagher. Many thanks to those who attended and assisted in the set up, clean up and donated the delicious goodies.



This month the **ladies will be meeting at Jack Dolan's Pub for lunch!** It will be on Tuesday, September 17th at noon. Jack Dolan's is located at 296 Maple Ave. in Smithtown.



Tom O'Reilly will be presenting an **Irish Literature series** at the Kings Park Library on September 26, October 3, 10, 17 and 24 at the Kings Park Library. 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Call the library to register at 631-360-2480.



Irish Heritage Night will return this year on Friday, September 20th at RJO in Kings Park. See the enclosed flyer. Coffee and cake will be served after the program. Baked donations are greatly appreciated.



September is here and that means fall is right around the corner. On October 19th we will be celebrating with our **fall dance**. The fun starts at 7pm and goes to 11pm. \$40 includes entertainment by The Ed Ryan Band, sandwiches, salads and beverages. Reservations are a **MUST**. See enclosed flyer.



Bring your pennies each month to the ladies' meeting so we'll have a generous donation at the end of the year for the **St. Francis Breadline**. As you sign in, you can leave them with Margie Connick.

DOES

Your Dues are due! Your dues are due. Feel free to pay at your meetings or you can mail your checks. Ladies, please send your \$30.00 check, **made payable to LAOH Div. 3**, to **Mary Ramos**. Men, continue to send your **\$40.00** check, **made payable to AOH Div. 3**, to Matt McCrossen. For Mary and Matt's contact information email us at aoh3smithtown@outlook.com By paying your dues on time you continue to be a member in "Good Standing." This is also a good time to update your contact information (phone number, email, etc.) with your financial secretary.

To All Members...if for any reason you change your telephone number, your address or email, please let me know so that you will receive the newsletter and get telephone messages when *Calling Post* needs to be activated. Please contact **Karilyn O'Brien** at: aoh3smithtown@outlook.com with any changed information.

If you have anything to add....send your news, events and just about anything else you'd like to contribute to the newsletter to **Karilyn O'Brien** at aoh3smithtown Be sure to send your information before the 20th of the month to get it in the next edition.

Did you know.....?

September is the month with the third highest number of births on average in Ireland. An average of 5,291 babies are born every September.

Slane Castle in County Meath has been hosting rock concerts for 40 years. The first being Thin Lizzy and U2.

Please pray for the continuing comfort of the sick

Eileen McKnight, Mary Sheehan & Barbara Breier



Please pray for the repose of the souls of the deceased

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