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NEXT MEETING
WEDNESDAY
APRIL 13, 2022
WHITE EAGLE HALL
6:30 PM

*****NOTE*****

*****NEW DAY & TIME*****



HAPPY EASTER

APRIL SHOWERS
BRING MAY FLOWERS

WHAT A WINTER
HOPE EVERYONE IS
GETTING OUT AND
ENJOYING LIFE AGAIN



2022 ST. PATRICK'S
PARADE
PLEASE SUPPORT OUR
LOCAL PEOPLE AND
BUSINESSES WHO YEAR
AFTER YEAR SUPPORT OUR
EVENTS AND PROGRAMS.

THEY HAVE STEPPED UP
ONCE AGAIN SO WE COULD
HAVE A FIRST-CLASS
PARADE AND SHAMROCK
RUN
THANK YOU TO



ST. PATRICK'S PARADE
JOURNAL

Thank you to all of the people
and businesses who took ads in
the parade journal
Without your help and
continual support we could not
produce the biggest and best St.
Patrick's Parade in the valley.

WE WERE FINALLY ABLE
TO CELEBRATE OUR
DIGNITARIES

2022 ST. PATRICK'S
DIGNITARIES



Grand Marshal
Harry Woltman



IRISH PRINCESS
2022 ST PATRICK'S PARADE
ERIN CREEDEN



BEARER OF ST. PATRICK
2022 ST PATRICK'S PARADE
SAMUEL VASQUEZ



MAYOR OF THE DAY
2022 ST PATRICK'S PARADE
THE FAMILY OF PAT SCHISKIE



Congratulations

Savona Family

Congratulations to the Savona Family for 50 years in Kingston. From a small pizzeria/restaurant to locations in Kingston Poughkeepsie and Trattoria's in Kingston, Red Hook, and Catskill, you can enjoy a great meal at the Savona's restaurants. It takes a tremendous amount of work hard through the years to stay in business let alone grow a business as they have, in addition to supporting all the local activities they have and continue to do.

CONGRATULATIONS!!!



THE HISTORIAN'S CORNER

Neil Murray

A Selected History of Ireland in Quotes

“Young people of Ireland, I love you.”

Pope John Paul II, 1979

“We serve neither King nor Kaiser, but Ireland.”

The banner on Liberty Hall during the first World War, 1914

“In the name of God and of the dead generations from which she receives her old tradition of nationhood, Ireland, through us, summons her children to her flag and strikes for her freedom.”

Opening line of the Proclamation of the Irish Republic, 1916

“From my earliest youth I have regarded the connection

between Ireland and Great Britain as the curse of the Irish nation, and felt convinced, that while it lasted this country would never be free or happy.”

Wolfe Tone, 1798

“Ireland unfree shall never be at peace.”

Patrick Pearse, 1915

“We were born into an unjust system. We are not prepared to grow old in it.”

Bernadette Devlin, 1969

“I like this clinking glass.”

Queen Elizabeth II enjoying the informality of a toast at Dublin Castle, 2011

“We are a vibrant first-world country, but we have a humbling third-world memory.”

Mary McAleese, 1997

“I know for certain, that before I was humbled, I was a like a stone lying in deep mire,”

The Confession of St Patrick, 400s

“Amongst them was a woman carrying in her arms the corpse of a fine child, and making the most distressing appeal to the passengers for aid to enable her to purchase a coffin and bury her dear little baby.”

James Mahoney's eye witness account of the Famine, 1847

“The path to peace is never easy. They have chosen hope over hate, the promise of the future over the poison of the past.”

Former US president Bill Clinton on the Good Friday agreement, 1998

“On Good Friday Brian was killed, Defending the hostaged Irish.”

13th century poem about Brian Boru's death

“My comrades and I believe we have struck the first successful blow for freedom, and so sure as we are going out this morning so sure will freedom come as a direct result of our action...In this belief, we die happy.”

Tom Clarke before his execution for his part in the Easter Rising, 1916

“Our revenge will be the laughter of our children.”

Republican Bobby Sands

“Pray for the dead and fight like hell for the living.”

Irish-born Mary “Mother” Jones who went on to become a leading American union activist, 1800s

“That's the Irish people all over – they treat a serious thing as a joke and a joke as a serious thing.”

Dramatist Sean O'Casey, 1923

“Yes, it is a rich language, lieutenant, full of the mythologies of fantasy and hope and self-deception – a syntax opulent with tomorrows. It is our response to mud cabins and a diet of potatoes.”

Brian Friel, Translations, 1980

Slainte, Neil



THE IRISH SHOW

Every Sunday Morning at 8:00 AM WKNY with Ken and Anna Brett. www.radiokingston.org 1490 AM 107.9 FM



ULSTER COUNTY AOH
DIVISION 1
FACEBOOK & TWITTER

If you are in the AOH, LAOH, JRAOH, or Pipe Band and would like to learn more about these initiatives or help manage them, please feel free to contact me via Facebook.

In the meantime, please check us out at the links below:

- Facebook:
<https://www.facebook.com/UlsterAOH>

Twitter: @UlsterAOH

We also have pages' setup for the Irish Cultural Center Hudson Valley. They can be found at:

- Facebook:
<https://www.facebook.com/ICCHudsonValley>
- Web: <http://www.icchv.org>
- Twitter: @ICCHudsonValley

Finally, if you have any pictures, events, or announcements you would like to have posted on the AOH or ICC Facebook pages, please send a message to either Facebook Account.



IRISH CULTURE CENTER
(ICC) - HUDSON VALLEY

www.icchv.org

IRISH CULTURAL CENTER
CONSTRUCTION

The ICCHV building project keeps moving forward.

We are filing paperwork and expect to see some action at the site in the next few months. Stay tuned exciting times are coming.

Gaelic Classes conducted by our own Bob McDonald are ongoing online.

We are presenting Arán & Im by Manchán Magan Sunday, April 10th at 2pm White Eagle Hall 487 Delaware Ave., Kingston NY

Manchán Magan is an Irish writer, performer, playwright, traveler and documentary maker. Please come down to the White Eagle and enjoy his take on the Irish language and enjoy some bread and humor.

Bob McDonald has advised that Trade Sessions are in full swing. This Sunday April 3rd at Ole Savannah, from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM. T McCann and Stephan Gara are leading the session. Bring your instruments and energy.

The craic will be 90.

Check out the ICCHV website ICCHV.ORG We hope you will participate in this year's Shamrock Run and support our loyal sponsors.

Thank you.
Keep Moving Forward!!



DUES-DUES--DUES

DUES ARE DUE FOR 2022
The bills for the 2022 and any previous years have been sent to the membership. Please pay as soon as you can, we need your help this year more than ever.

Our dues are very reasonable at \$25.00 per year. Keep up your support for our efforts to educate our kids and the general public about our great culture.

Remember we need to pay for all those on our membership list for National and State Dues.

Send your dues and also for any other prior years to:

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Kingston, NY 12402



AOH JUNIOR DIVISION

Dave Jackson

As always, we need your help to spread the word. Nephews, Cousins, Grandsons, Family Friends... we need them all to join! Please help keep the AOH alive by infecting our youngsters with the same beliefs and cultural richness as we have! Please call me directly for involvement - Dave Jackson 845-389-5150. Any input and assistance are welcomed!!



Welcome John Murphy of Kingston. John is a parishioner of St. Joseph's Church in Kingston and has a Real Estate Company in Kingston. Welcome aboard see you at the next meeting.

Sponsor someone for membership. Applications are on the website and dues are only \$25.00 per year.

Keep searching out those Irish sons that qualify for membership.



PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please keep in your prayers all our members who may be experiencing ill health. Please keep in your prayers Dr. Jim Cone



IN MEMORIUM

We have been informed of the passing of our Brother Danny Leonard. Straight off the boat from Ireland Danny was an experience like no other. If you ever spoke with Danny I am sure you know and enjoyed his stories and wit. A former Mayor of the Day we will surely miss him. More details will follow as we get them.

We lost another Brother in March. Brother John Dwyer, Sr. John came from a large Irish family with deep roots in Kingston.

He was extremely knowledgeable about the history of the Irish in the Hudson Valley and especially the local area. John had been recognized by the AOH as a Mayor of the Day and also a Grand Marshal of our Parade. John was a mentor and counselor to us and also a great friend. John is the father of our Brothers John, Jr. and Denis Dwyer.

Please keep John, his wife Teri, John Jr. and Denis and their families in your prayers.



John H. Dwyer, Sr. passed away peacefully at Woodland Pond, New Paltz, NY on Thursday, March 10, 2022. Born March 14, 1943 to Mary A. (Birmingham) and William J. Dwyer, he was the youngest of five children. As a young boy he enjoyed being with his father and the men at the Dwyer boatyard watching the men build wooden barges. When the boatyard later became a marina, he helped with pumping gas into the pleasure boats.

John was a graduate of St. Mary's School and Kingston High School, class of 1961. He continued working for the family businesses of the marina and paint store and then went on to Albany Business College. Spanning a period of seven years, during the 1960's and early 1970's, he worked full and part-time as a City of Kingston Professional Firefighter and was a proud member of Union Hose Co. 4. He returned to college, receiving a BA degree from Bryant College (RI) in 1968. He then was employed by Ulster County BOCES, teaching data processing and in 1970 returned to Bryant College, graduating in 1972 with an MBA degree.

John met his sweetheart Teresa (Terri) Serravallo in 1970 and they were married June 17, 1972. He then took the position of registrar at Marist College in Poughkeepsie. He was asked by the Kingston Democratic Party to run for office. Not one to sit idle

he said yes and it led to a 20-year affiliation with the Ulster County Legislature, with John being a legislator representing the City of Kingston. He served on numerous committees and also served as Minority Leader for that governing body. In 1979 John then joined the Lawrence A. Quilty Insurance Company and until his retirement in 2017 he was owner and president of the Quilty, Dwyer and Larkin Insurance Agency.

John served on the Rondout National Bank Board, Benedictine Hospital Board, Kingston Board of Fire Commissioners and Ulster County Community College Board and was also Chairman of that board. He was also a member of the Kingston Local Development Corporation, Ulster County Charter Revision Commission, Ancient Order of Hibernians, Fr. Con Colbert Woulfe Division 1, Kingston Kiwanis, and Kingston Council #275 Knights of Columbus, Third Degree. He served as Vice President of the Kingston American Little League and was a proud member of the "chain gang", working the chains and downs markers for the Kingston High School home football games, with his buddies Dr. Nasser Habeeb, Joe Bruck and Drew Demeter. Always with a camera, John took pictures of local baseball and football teams, cheerleading squads, and many local events. John was known for his "Irish" wit, his honesty, and his willingness to help everyone. Proud of his Irish heritage, he was honored when in 2006 he was named AOH Mayor of the

Day and in 2008 when he was AOH Grand Marshal of the Kingston St. Patrick's Parade.

Surviving in addition to his wife of 49 years are his sons John Dwyer, Jr and his wife Katy (Fiandaca) and Denis and his wife Valerie (Arold), his four terrific grandchildren Molly, Annabelle, Andrew and Maggie, his brother Richard and wife Tess (Naples, FL), his sister MaryAnne Danahy (Frank – deceased) of Southbury, CT his sister Marjorie and brother-in-law Howard Whitaker of Kingston and brother-in-law Vincent Serravallo of Rochester, NY, along with his extended Fiandaca and Arold families. Many nieces, nephews and cousins also survive. In addition to his parents John is pre-deceased by his brother William and his wife June.

John's family is grateful to the staff at Woodland Pond Health Center, New Paltz for the wonderful care given to John.

In lieu of flowers, please make a donation in John's memory to a charity of your choice.



AOH
"LUCKY THREE" IRISH
CALENDAR WINNERS

Bill Murphy

MARCH

3/03 #117 \$35 Allison Smith
3/03 #117 \$35 Cecelia Hopper
3/03 #117 \$35 Jimmy Carey
3/03 #117 \$35 June R. Miller
3/03 #117 \$35 Arthur Smith

3/08 #088 \$35 Liam Street
3/10 #391 \$35 Paul Tully
3/11 #882 \$35 Karen Ryan
3/12 #710 \$35 Valerie Dwyer
3/12 #710 \$35 Brad Jordan
3/13 #608 \$75 Erin Long (Sunday)
3/13 #608 \$75 Tony & Lee Ann Marmo (Sunday)
3/13 #608 \$75 Kathryn Dwyer (Sunday)
3/15 #299 \$35 Christopher Mott
3/17 #105 \$225 Donald VanLoan (St. Patrick's Day)
3/17 #105 \$225 Megan Cahill (St. Patrick's Day)
3/17 #105 \$225 James McGowan (St. Patrick's Day)
3/17 #105 \$225 Arthur Smith (St. Patrick's Day)
3/17 #105 \$225 Adam Brewer (St. Patrick's Day)
3/18 #186 \$35 Tom Bennett
3/20 #547 \$75 Tom Fletcher (Sunday)
3/20 #547 \$75 John Sullivan (Sunday)
3/23 #207 \$35 Kevin Roach
3/27 #038 \$75 Mike Shaughnessy (Sunday)
3/29 #045 \$35 Vince Bradley



PIPE, DRUM AND HONOR
GUARD NEWS

Scott Benson

AOH Pipe and Drum Band had a great St. Patrick's season! We performed at many events over the month including house parties, pub and restaurant gigs, mass, and parades in Kingston, Montgomery, Wallkill, and NYC! We also will be playing for the local Nursing Homes early in April.

We had a great showing for the parades, but we are still in need of new members. If you are interested, or if you know

someone who might be, now is a great time to join! We are back at regular practice at the White Eagle, 6:30 pm on Wednesday evenings. Talk to Jim Carey or Scott Benson for more information.

The Pipes, Drums or participate as part of the Honor Guard you are welcome. Call for information about the band. Please contact Jim Carey or Scott Benson 845-313-1463 or any member of the band.



LAOH DIVISION 5 NEWS

Jean Steuding

NEXT MEETING

April 12, 2022

5:30 PM

Divine Mercy Room
at St. Mary's St. Peter's.

PLEASE BE ADVISED (for those who were not at our last meeting), OUR MEETING TIME HAS BEEN CHANGED TO 5:30 P.M. beginning with our April 12 meeting. As you all know, Fr. Bill Scafidi has been so gracious in letting us use the Divine Mercy Room at St. Mary's St. Peter's for our meetings. At this time, say a prayer for Fr. Bill and his staff and parishioners that the structural damage to the church ceiling will be repaired very soon, hopefully by Easter. All our St. Patrick's Day celebrations were well-planned, upbeat, well attended and lots of fun! Thank you to those who fared the cold weather and marched in the parade and to those who signed in the participants at Chic's. Thank you to Jerry Jacob who drove the van in the parade for those who were cold, tired or not able to walk the route. Those who attended the after-the-parade party at Keegan's had a fun-filled time! Fr. Burke, the AOH Chaplain, assisted by Fr. Kearney, celebrated Mass at St. Mary's St. Peter's on St. Patrick's Day. Thank you, Jim Carey and daughter, Robin Castle (Bagpiper and Drummer, respectively), for your wonderful music, and Fran Carey (Jim's

wife) for your beautiful rendition of "Our Lady of Knock." Again, this year, we are grateful to the City Hall staff for providing breakfast for us and for Mayor Noble's proclamation for our deceased member, Pat Schiskie, Mayor of the Day. We greatly enjoyed the festivities and the camaraderie. Finally, the Mayor of the Day luncheon at the Anchorage was top shelf. The food was delicious, and the AOH Pipe and Drum Band highlighted the event. The luncheon was in honor of Pat Schiskie. Pat's daughter, Melissa, gave a moving tribute to her mom. Pam Boyle, Chrissie Wrixon and Sue Feeney did a great job chairing the luncheon, decorating and taking care of all the other details! We all appreciate everything you did to make this a special occasion for all of us and Pat's family. We are so happy that all the Irish festivities were able to take place this year. Thank you to everyone who participated! The Pot of Gold raffle at St. Mary's St. Peter's was a huge success. The person who won the raffle donated the Pot of Gold to Fr. Bill. The money raised was donated to Catholic Charities. Thank you to Patty Jacob for organizing the raffle and for all those who sold tickets at the weekend Masses. The "Skating for a Cause" event was also very successful. The proceeds were donated to Kingston Catholic School. Thank you, Anna Brett, who skated for the LAOH (accompanied by Casey Westermann). Heritage Award applications for graduating seniors (sons, daughters, grandchildren of LAOH members) will be presented again

this year. You may get applications from Patty or one of the other officers and return them by May 5. If you have questions or concerns about any issue, contact Patty Boyle-Jacob (pajacob1@yahoo.com). Please remember those who could use some prayers: Patti Gilpatrick, Ethel Navarra, Lorraine Wagner, Eleanor Ayres and Kathleen Houghtaling. Please notify Judy Mathews (judymath4@yahoo.com or 338-1618) if you want us to pray for you or a loved one or if you know a member, relative of a member or a friend of the LAOH you think should receive a card of some type. It's hard to believe that Easter is only a few weeks away. Thank God for Easter which is the essence of our faith. On this Glorious Day, may you experience a peace you have never known. May the Feast of the Resurrection be a source of faith, hope and joy to you and your loved ones during these difficult times. On this day and always, pray for PEACE especially in the Ukraine. Pray for our world leaders! God Bless America! A BLESSED EASTER!



Southwestern Grilled Pork Chops with Peach Salsa

Betty Crocker Kitchens



- Prep 25 Min
- Total 25 Min
- Servings 4

Pair a spicy fruit salsa with zesty grilled pork chops and have it on your dinner table in less than 30 minutes.

Ingredients

- 3 ripe medium peaches, peeled, chopped (about 1 ½ cups)
- ¼ cup finely chopped red bell pepper
- 2 tablespoons finely chopped red onion
- 1 tablespoon chopped fresh cilantro
- 2 teaspoons packed brown sugar
- 2 teaspoons fresh lime juice
- ¼ teaspoon finely chopped serrano or jalapeño chile
- 1 tablespoon chili powder
- 4 bone-in pork loin chops, ½ inch thick (4 oz each)

Steps

1 Heat gas or charcoal grill. In medium bowl, mix peaches, bell pepper, onion, cilantro, brown sugar, lime juice and chile; set aside.

2 Rub chili powder on both sides of each pork chop. Place pork on grill over medium heat. Cover grill; cook 6 to 9 minutes, turning once, until pork is no longer pink in center. Serve pork chops topped with salsa, or serve salsa on the side.

Flourless Chocolate Cake

Betty Crocker Kitchens



- Prep 20 Min
- Total 2 Hr 0 Min
- Servings 12

If there's one cake, we think everyone actually needs, this is it. Rich, gooey and soul-satisfying, flourless chocolate cake is what you need to celebrate your best friend's birthday. It's the cake you need to make a bad day better, and when you need to impress a guest.

Ingredients

- 12 oz bittersweet baking chocolate, chopped (three 4-oz bars)
- ¾ cup butter, cut in pieces
- 1 cup sugar
- 6 eggs
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- ½ cup Hershey's natural cocoa or Hershey's Special Dark cocoa
- 1 teaspoon espresso powder
- Sweetened whipped cream, if desired

Steps

1 Heat oven to 375°F. Line bottom of 9-inch round cake pan with cooking parchment paper; spray with cooking spray



2 In 2-quart saucepan, melt chocolate and butter over low heat, stirring constantly. Remove from heat; pour into large bowl. Stir in sugar until blended. Stir in eggs, 1 at a time; stir in vanilla.

Stir in cocoa and espresso powder until well blended. Pour into pan.

3 Bake 26 to 30 minutes or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. Cool 10 minutes. Run knife around side of pan to loosen cake. Place cooling rack upside down over cake. Turn upside down carefully so cake is on rack; remove pan. Turn upside down onto another rack, and flip cake right side up. Cool completely, about 1 hour.



4 When ready to serve, place cake right side up on serving platter. Using sharp knife, cut into wedges, cleaning knife blade after each cut. Serve with whipping cream. Store loosely covered in refrigerator.



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Hibernian Motto

Friendship, Unity and Christian Charity
(Cairdis, Aontacht agus, Chríostaí Carthanais)

Keep the Faith
(Coinnigh an Faith)

Is Cuimhin Linn
(We Remember)

