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NEXT MEETING
SECOND TUESDAY
JUNE 14, 2011
MEETING 7:30 PM
WHITE EAGLE HALL



**IRISH CULTURE CENTER (ICC) -
HUDSON VALLEY**

Bob Carey

The ICC committee is actively seeking a site to build the ICC and activities are ongoing. The non-profit cooperation has been formed by the good work of Bill Cloonan, ESQ. Also we have obtained a Tax ID# from the efforts of Marty Tully CPA. The ICC committee meets every fourth Tuesday of the month at Chic's Restaurant in the Kingston Plaza. All AOH and LAOH members are welcome. There is a lot to do. Our dream of an Irish Cultural Center is getting closer by the minute.



DUES-----DUES

Bill Glennon, Financial Secretary
Dues are \$25.00.

Total Membership: 298
TO ALL MEMBERS

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----DUES----

180 Members owe dues of \$25.00
Make our job easier.

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Please make sure you attend the next meeting, we will be discussing the proposed Irish Cultural Center location and purchase.



Welcome:

Richard Butler of Saugerties Richard is a NYS Trooper and attends St Mary's of Saugerties. Richard comes to us from The AOH of Albany.

Slainte, see you at the next meeting.

Welcome to the UC AOH.

Remember to keep searching out those Irish sons that qualify for membership. We need all the help we can get.



KINGSTON CATHOLIC BAZAAR

St Mary's needs our assistance from any members of the AOH for set-up and clean up for the school bazaar.

The dates of the bazaar are June 10th and 11th.

Set-up will be June 9th and clean up on Sunday, June 12th at 10:00AM. The AOH Band will be playing Friday night.



**NEW ULSTER COUNTY DIV 1
CELTIC CONNECTIONS**

**DIVISION 1 AOH
FACEBOOK PAGES**

Mike Hertle
Gerry McCluskey

The link to our Facebook page is:
<http://www.facebook.com/ulsterAOH> and the
twitter handle: @ UlsterAOH note---the
twitter handle receives its posts from the
facebook page.

Anybody who has pictures of the parade
please send them to Mike Hertle at his email
address--mwhertle@gmail.com -- so we
can post them on our Facebook Page.



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**FROM THE
HISTORIAN'S CORNER**

Contributing Reporter Steve Lowry

Mother Jones

Organized labor is taking a beating nowadays. It's an easy target, in these hard times, for those looking to balance budgets on the backs of working people while fat cats avoid scrutiny.

The Irish contribution to the labor movement in the USA is well documented. Almost all of the major American labor unions have had a significant Irish presence. One of the most dynamic, courageous and least well known of all labor leaders was Mary Harris Jones - better known as Mother Jones.

She was born north of Cork City, Ireland in 1837. She and her family survived the Great Hunger of 1847, and emigrated to Canada, then to the USA. She married George Jones, an iron worker union member in 1861. During the yellow fever outbreak of 1867, she lost her husband and four children (all under 5 years of age). In 1871, the Great Chicago Fire took her dressmaking business. Most people would have crumbled under such horrific circumstances. Instead of fading into self pity- she funneled her anger and passion into the beginning American labor movement. She joined the Knights of Labor and the United Mine Workers. She led strikes against strike breaking workers and state Militias. She became known in the press as "the most dangerous woman in America". With a passion and flair for rhetoric, she travelled the country speaking and organizing. People called her "Mother" because of her protective attitude toward "her" workers. She fought for working women- oppressed children and union workers. She was arrested and spent time in prison for her beliefs. She said "Pray for the dead and fight like hell for the living" She was a great American agitator and fighter for the working man and woman. She lived to be 93 years of age. She died in 1930. Mother Jones- "The Miner's Angel" "The Grandmother of all Agitators"- May she rest in peace and inspire us to seek justice in the work place.

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THE ULSTER AOH
FEED THE HUNGRY PROJECT

Chairman Bud Halligan

Please remember this most important project as we head into the Spring season. We still have available space for 33 additional "honorees names" for information call:

Bill Glennon 339-8834
Bob Carey 339-6220



AOH JUNIOR DIVISION

Mickey Hein President
Greg Riley, Advisor

We (the J.A.O.H.) held our monthly meeting at the White Eagle and had guest speaker Mr. Tom Kelly. Mr. Kelly spoke about all the good work that Catholic Charities does. He spoke about the need for funds to rebuild St. Peters School which burnt in December. This building will be the new location for Catholic Charities and CYO. We are going to have a fund raiser to help them buy some items needed. We are also planning a lunch in June for Queens Galley.

The JAOH is looking for new members to join. This will help us be better known and do more good Christian charity. If you know anyone between the ages of 8-16 yrs old, please contact me (Mickey Hein) at cashein@hvc.rr.com.
Mickey Hein



2011 AOH SOFTBALL TEAM

So the Amazin Mics are having fun again this year. Come down to a game and see the shenanigans and have a great time. Games have started. A schedule will be available as soon as it is on the city website.



PIPE, DRUM AND HONOR
GUARD NEWS

The Band is marching and performing again this month.

St. Mary's Bazaar is June the 10 and the band will be on at 7:00 PM. Brother Larry Dunne advises us you have to go.

July 4th Parade - Saugerties. Come up to the great village of Saugerties for the parade. The band will be marching for our friends the Ulster Hose -The Pride of the Avenue--. It is always a great time in Saugerties. They put on one of the most organized parades in the valley. We get to see all of our Saugerties Brothers on the sidelines cheering us on. So come on up and enjoy the fun.

July 8th The Children's Parade of Kingston Friday Night is a fun time with all of the kids decorating floats for each Park of the city.

Check out our Facebook page. Lessons for Drums and Pipes are on-going—come on down you can learn... We also need people to be in our Honor Guard... Just give us a call we can get you going. Keep in touch and you can see our full schedule at the Pipes and Drums, Honor Guard page on our website --- www.ulsteraoh.com. If you

would like to participate in the Band by playing the Pipes, Drums or as part of the Honor Guard you are welcome. Call for information about the band. Practice is at the White Eagle Hall at 6:30 PM on Mondays. Scot Benson or Jim Carey will help you learn the pipes and Kira Dyson or Robin Carey will help you learn the drums. John Kelly will teach you how to carry the flags with honor. Please contact Jim Carey or Robin Carey at 338-6622 or any member of the band and be ready to have some hard work, fun and laughs.



THE IRISH SHOW

Ken Brett & Bill Yosh host the Irish Show on WKNY 1490 on the AM dial. 8:06AM every Sunday. The Irish Show is sponsored by the Division 1 AOH. Ken and Bill offer the best Irish music, dedications for birthdays, anniversaries; proverbs and jokes along with news about Irish functions around the area.

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AOH
"LUCKY THREE" IRISH
CALENDAR WINNERS

May Winners

- #530 \$25.00 Linda Halligan
- #364 \$25.00 Bob Quirk
- #364 \$25.00 Donna Holmes
- #908 \$25.00 Hannelore Fitzgerald
- #947 \$25.00 Grace & Nester Rodriguez
- #236 \$25.00 Carol Geary
- #214 \$25.00 Liam & Jen Street
- #214 \$25.00 John Fitzgerald



RECIPES

Bourbon & Brown Sugar Marinated Steak
by Molly Stevens
source: fincooking.com

- Ingredients
- 1/2 cup soy sauce
 - 1/3 cup bourbon or other whiskey
 - 1/3 cup firmly packed brown sugar, preferably dark
 - 1 Tbs. Dijon mustard
 - 1 tsp. hot sauce, such as Tabasco
 - 1-1/2 to 2 lb. beef steak, preferably flank, or 1-1/2-inch-thick New York strip steaks

Tip: You can marinate the steaks in the refrigerator for up to 2 hours before grilling. Just bring the steaks back to room temperature before grilling.

Preparation

Prepare a medium-hot grill fire. Meanwhile, combine the soy sauce, bourbon, sugar, mustard, and hot sauce in a large zip-top bag. Seal and shake to combine the ingredients and dissolve the sugar. Add the steak to the bag, seal, massage to cover the steaks with marinade, and set aside for 15 to 20 min. at room temperature.

When the grill is ready, remove the steak from the marinade and shake off any excess, but don't pat it dry. Reserve the marinade. Grill the steak until good sear marks appear, 3 to 4 min. With tongs, rotate the steak 90 degrees (to get a crosshatch of grill marks) and continue grilling until grill marks form and the edges are a little crisp, another 3 to 4 min. Flip the steak and grill the other side in the same way until the exterior is nicely seared and the steak is cooked to your liking, 10 to 12 min. total cooking time for medium rare. Let the steaks rest for about 5 min.

Meanwhile, pour the marinade into a small saucepan and boil over medium-high heat until syrupy, about 3 min. (watch carefully to prevent burning). For flank steak, slice the meat thinly across the grain. For strip steaks, slice thickly or serve in chunks. Serve with a drizzle of the sauce.



UPCOMING EVENTS

KINGSTON CATHOLIC BAZAAR JUNE 10 & 11, 2011

The dates of the bazaar are June 10th
and 11th.

HOOLEY ON THE HUDSON™ SEPTEMBER 4, 2011 11:50AM TO 9:00PM

LAOH DIVISION 5 NEWS

Next Meeting:
Tuesday June 14, 2011
at 6:00 pm
Ceil Savona's house
11 Coral Lane
Kingston, NY

Our May meeting started off with a great start-- inducting five new members. They are Tiffany Gruner (sponsored by Beth Hanigan), Pamela Gaffney (sponsored by Mary Ann Whitman), Rebecca Brett (sponsored by

Anna Brett), Cathleen Howard (sponsored by Patty Jacob), and Christine Howard (sponsored by Patty Jacob). Congratulations Ladies and welcome!

Our guest speaker, Tom Fitzgerald, was unable to join us at our May meeting. He will be rescheduled for October. I'm really looking forward to that! I love Irish history. Deirdre Dullahan, our Irish historian, told us about Eamonn de Valera, who played a key role in Ireland's recent history. De Valera was one of the leaders in the failed 1916 Easter Uprising. He was also president of Sinn Fein from 1917 to 1926 and was to become prime minister and president of an independent Ireland. Eamonn de Valera was born in 1882 in New York. His mother was Irish and his father was Spanish. Though de Valera was born in America, he was educated in Ireland and became a mathematics lecturer at Maynooth.

Time to be thinking about the Hooley. Our Hooley committees have been formed: Mary Kate Mathews on 50/50, Kathy Houghtaling on face painting, Rose Ferraro-Bruck and Missy on sponsors/donations, Katie Cook on set up, Carol Geary on tents/chairs, Amy G. on water, Beth Hannigan on the cookbook, Pat Gilligan, Jean Van Heusen, and Joan Ann on the Irish Basket. Please help with donations to the Irish basket. Checks can be made out to LAOH, and sent to Jean Van Heusen at 156 Ledge Rd, Kingston, NY 12401. And Coleman High School graciously offered any help needed for the Hooley. That's sweet!

Other business as we moved along was that we have one scholarship so far. We voted to give the Irish Hour a \$500 gift for the year. Thank you to everyone who brought in donations to Birthright. Your generosity was heartwarming. Birthright was also our \$100 gift recipient for the month of May. Cookbook update-- it is almost done. We will be able to pre-order it. Also, Katie Cook will sell it at the Visitor's Center for us at the Rondout in Kingston.

The NY State convention for the LAOH is in Pearl River this year. Please keep in mind that in order to be an LAOH

member is good standing, you should complete your Degree. This is a private, special ceremony that will be held at the Convention on 7/15 at 3 pm. The cost for the Degree ceremony is \$10 and fully paid by the LAOH for you. Cost for observers (who have had their Degree) is \$5. Please sign up with Patty Jacob by 7/1 if you are interested in going.

Our June meeting will be a picnic at Ceil Savona's house at 11 Coral Lane in Kingston. She has graciously opened her home to us again. Here are some quick directions for you: Drive up to the top of Pearl Street and when the road ends, take a right. You will quickly see Coral Lane on your left. Our dinner/meeting will begin at 6:00 pm.

Please keep our sick members in your prayers. It helps them and it helps you. I'm also praying for sunshine and an end to all this rain. My yard is looking like a wee bit of Ireland now! Hope to see you at our picnic at Ceil's house!



INTERNET NEWSLETTER

We continue to build our email list. Several addresses come in each month. However, we are still mailing about 300 newsletters each month. We need to reduce this as much as possible. Please email your address to filterpres@aol.com and put AOH Newsletter in the subject line. This saves us money and allows us to do more for our community. ***Remember send your email address to filterpres@aol.com and make sure you put AOH Newsletter in the subject line. ***

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

Please email events@ulsteraoh.com and put AOH Newsletter in the subject. If you need something put in the newsletter please email it to filterpres@aol.com and put AOH Newsletter in the subject. Articles and information needs to be received by the 21st of each month. The newsletter is also posted on our website for your reading pleasure. www.ulsteraoh.com

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Hibernian Motto:

**Friendship, Unity and Christian Charity
Cairdis, agus Aontacht Chríostaí Carthanais**

Keep the Faith

