

Ancient Order of Hibernians

The Patrick Ryan Division #2

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Brothers,

Happy New Year! In Irish it's; "Athbhliain Faoi Mhaise". I trust that everyone is well in this new year.

Just a short four weeks ago we celebrated the AOH Ryan Division's 40th Anniversary during our annual Christmas Party. We had several members, their wives and family members attend. We had plenty of great food from our caterer as we watched the Army Navy Game on TV. As you all know, Army won this year's contest making this the third Army win in a row over Navy. A great time was had by all. Hope to see more members next year.

On December 23rd, I attended "The first annual Lions Irish Heritage Night", in partnership with the United Irish Societies at Ford Field. While I was the only member of our division to attend, I enjoyed spending time with the other 150 people who attended from the other UIS organizations in the Social D Hall before the game. I had a great time and Kittie and are planning on going to the next one. It's just too bad the Lions could not get a "W" in this game with the Vikings.

LAST CALL. Our Ryan Division "Dinner and a Hockey Game" outing to see Team USA take on the Illinois Flying Aces is at 7pm, Saturday, January 12th (NEXT WEEKEND) at the USA Arena on Beck Rd. in Plymouth. Those who want to can meet at CJ's, at the arena, before the game for dinner. This is open to family and friends. You must let VP Joe Kelly know that you are attending and how many tickets / dinner reservations that you need and you must get the money to him NLT the meeting on TUESDAY. Tickets are only \$12 per person for the game.

As I mentioned in December, our newly elected officers have yet to be installed. The installation of officers has been rescheduled to our regular meeting in February on 12th. Again congratulations to our re-elected offices for 2019.

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United Irish Societies January meeting will be 7:30pm, Thursday, January 17, 2019 at the Gaelic League, in Corktown, Detroit. All are welcome to meet at the Mercury Burger Bar at 6pm before going across the street for the street for the meeting at the Gaelic League.

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Prayers for the Sick

Please keep these people in your thoughts and prayers:

Kenny McCann, Kathy McCann, Bob McGovern, Phil O'Shannessy, Carolyn O'Shannessy, Jum Gunn, Debra McCain, Barb McCain, Fr. Noel O'Connor, Charlie French, Cinda Riley, Mike O'Malley, Bob McVee, Ed McVee, Ed White, DanCorby, Ed Nester, John Gunn, Donna Mollnar, John Manning Sr., Kathy Inman and Bob Rich.

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Detroit St. Patrick's Parade

12:30pm, Sunday, March 10th, Corktown, Detroit Michigan.



The UIS will honor Paul and Agnes Gowdy as the Grand Marshals! Paul is the AOH National Chairman for FFIA while Agnes is the LAOH National Chairperson for FFIA.

Everyone is welcomed to march in the parade. The 2019 – The 61th Detroit St. Patrick's Parade is **Sunday, March 10, 2019, starting at 12:30 pm.** Be sure to mark your calendars!