



# Ancient Order of Hibernians

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### Changes to the King of Diamonds Raffle.

We are 18 weeks into our King of Diamonds Raffle fundraiser for the Division and Building corporation. The jackpot has grown to over \$5500, and we have passed a couple of important milestones. The great news is that we are now in the black! We have made enough to cover our license and the printing costs. It's really important that we don't lose steam over the summer. Our average sales at fish-fries were over 400 tickets! We need to find ways to make up that volume. Please volunteer to pick up some tickets from the bar and sell them to friends and family. We are re-printing the form for anyone who would like to pay ahead for multiple weeks. Please complete the form and return it to the hall.

Speaking of summer, the bar will be closed on Sundays through Labor Day. The raffle drawings have been moved to TUESDAYS until we return to our regular hours.



### Tenth annual Motor City Irish Festival



What can we say? This is a great Irish Festival. There is soooo much to do and see that you really must plan on a couple days! This year's festival is June 7, 8, & 9 at Greenmead Historical Park in Livonia. Discounted tickets are available in advance at the Hibernian Hall, Murphy's, Greenmead, and Claddagh. The mail-in deadline was/is June 1, sorry.

Here is just a taste of what happening this year – over 20 bands, including both the Screaming Orphans and the Druids direct from Ireland, A Zero-K run, Cultural Tent, Activities for kids, Irish dance groups, Dance and Tin Whistle lessons, Story tellers and magicians, Irish music documentaries, and a great selection of merchandise.

Oh, did I say "taste?" Lots of food including the "Big Kahuna" burger and the Claddagh's famous Fish & Chips. Not to mention plenty of Irish and American Beer and select Irish Whiskey from Jameson!

Check out [motorcityirishfest.com](http://motorcityirishfest.com) or [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/motorcityirishfest) for more info!

## Message from Tim D.

Happy June Brothers!

As we hit the summertime ready for nice weather and outdoor activities, I hope we can all step back and enjoy life and the people surrounding us. Despite it being our 'slow' time of the year, we still have many great things that will be happening at the hall and in our community.

Glenhurst Golf Club will be holding our annual AOH Golf Outing coming up this early August. Benefits of this outing go to the Hospice of Michigan. This is a very fun event for golfers and non-golfers alike. Dinner served, and prizes are given out at the hall following golf.

Chairman Frank Bush is looking for volunteers to help organize and work at this annual event. The golf outing supports Hospice of Michigan and is lots of fun for golfers and non-golfers alike. If anyone is interested in helping with the event, please contact Frank at 248-380-1849.

Also..... We need hole Sponsorships. Please help to sponsor holes. \$100 per hole. Ask friends, family and local business'. This is a taxable write off.

Our annual **Picnic Raffle** kicked off with the Ticket Party on Wednesday May 29<sup>th</sup>. The AOH provided free food prepared by Charlie French and also an open bar for 2 hours. Thank you to all who attended. We hope to sell \$13,000 dollars' worth of tickets this year. We will be having 6 early bird drawings. The Picnic and grand prize drawings will be Sunday August 18<sup>th</sup> at Handy Park in Redford. There is a great covered pavilion there, along with a very cool splash zone for the kids to play in. Thanks to Mike Kelly, Charlie French, and Rich and Sue McNichols for their help to get this ball rolling.

[The Motor City Irish Festival](#) will take place a week before Father's Day weekend at Greenmead in Livonia. June 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, and 9<sup>th</sup>. Come enjoy the whiskey tasting and music, with over twenty bands. The Cultural Tent features enlightening displays and educational activities and contests. We will also be having the 2nd annual "Zero K" run, with fun and prizes for everyone!

There are many things to be part of this summer season. Don't forget to support your fellow brothers and support our hall.

As a reminder, summer hours will take effect June 3. The Lounge will be open Monday through Saturday from 5:00 pm 'till 10:00, for members and social members. Please contact [\(Tim Taylor\)](#) for more info on becoming a social member!

Sláinte,  
Tim Derrig  
President

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Our thoughts and prayers go out to all of our members, their families and friends who may be ill or not feeling well at this time:

Jim Butler	Lynn Lamb	Shirley O'Kelly
Sarah Brown	Ann Marie Michalski	Mary O'Connell
Tom Lee	John Murrin	Frank McCarver
Chris Scanlan	Erik Mayernik	Patrick Derrig
Mary Ellen Derrig	Marsha Detter	

Please remember them in your thoughts and prayers. If there is someone whom you would like to have mentioned in this column, please contact Joe Carson at: (313) 645-9448, and we will be more than glad to mention them in the next newsletter.

*\*\* All articles and event notices must be received before the 3rd Friday of the month in order to be included in the following month's newsletter \*\**

## UPCOMING EVENTS AT THE HALL:

**Family Feud** Saturday, June 29. Please contact Sue or Richard McNichols for more information  
**Steak and Lobster Dinner & Show** – Featuring the multi-talented Brian Bosman, on Saturday July 20. Mark your calendars for this very fun evening with great food and entertainment. Dinner packages range from \$10 - \$40. Doors open at 4:30, Dinner is served from 5:00 to 6:00 P.M. and the show starts at 7:00 P.M. Tickets must be bought in advance by Monday, July 15. Please contact [Richard McNichols](#) 248-345-1661.

Don't forget about **Motor City Irish Fest**, June 7, 8, & 9 at Greanmead Historical Park in Livonia. Over 20 bands, including the Druids and Screaming Orphans, whiskey tasting, kids activities, Ring of Steel performances and the cultural tent!

## UPCOMING MEETINGS:

Building Corporation Meeting – Monday, June 3, 2019 @ 6:00 pm.  
K of C Meeting (upstairs) – Monday, June 3, 2019 @ 8 pm.  
AOH Walsh Division Meeting – Wednesday, June 12, 2019 @ 7:30 pm.

## LOTTERY TICKETS:

The profits from the AOH Lottery tickets are used to support the AOH Hall. Your support in buying and selling is greatly needed and appreciated. Pick your tickets up at the hall or you can receive them through the mail by contacting Richard McNichols @ 248-669-4530. Again, thank you for your continuing support.

As an incentive to help increase sales, for every 10 tickets you buy or sell each month we will give you a free ticket. If you want tickets to sell they can be picked up at the bar at the club.

## THIS MONTH IN IRISH HISTORY:

- \* June 1,1919---Eamon DeValera begins his tour of the USA to raise money and support for the IRA's war against England.
- \* June 12,1916---The Ulster Unionist Council agrees to the immediate implementation of Home Rule if six Ulster counties are temporarily excluded.
- \* June 17,1959---Eamon de Valera becomes President of Ireland.
- \* June 22,1866--- Archbishop Cullen becomes the first Irishman elevated to Cardinal.

### \* Just for laughs... \*

The Monsignor greeted Paddy and said "Congratulations on your 50th wedding anniversary"! Have you any plans made on how to celebrate?"

"Well," said Paddy, "on our 25th Anniversary I took Mary to Ireland."

And what are you going to do on your 50th?" asked the Msgr.

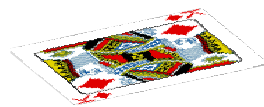
"Well," said Paddy "I think I'll bring her back."

# Flag Day June 14th



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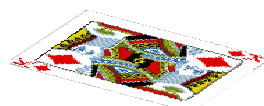
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## King of Diamonds Progressive Raffle

### Multiple Drawing Purchase Information

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Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Weeks: \_\_\_\_\_ Tickets per Week: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Cost (# of weeks X # of tickets): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Starting Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Desired Envelope #: \_\_\_\_\_

Entries will be in consecutive drawings from Starting Date unless you specify all of the desired dates.

Attach Cash, Check, or Money order.

Michigan License: C28904

## Motor City Irish Fest

10th Anniversary

JUNE 7, 8 & 9, 2019

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## June 7, 8 & 9, 2019



Over Twenty Irish Bands!

Cultural Tent!  
Irish Football!  
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Whiskey Tasting!  
Ring of Steel!  
Irish & Local Vendors!



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## Irish Trivia & History,.. "Did You Know"...?!

\* An Irish-American man established the Ford Motor Company. Henry Ford's father was born in the rural West Cork town of Ballinascorthy. Henry Ford was immensely proud of his Irish roots and celebrated this fact by opening the first Ford factory outside the US on April 17th 1917 in Cork City. The factory accounted for 8% of the city's workforce until its sad closure in 1984...?!

\* Italians are understandably proud of radio pioneer Guglielmo Marconi. But the Irish have a claim as well. Marconi's mother was Annie Jameson, from the family that founded the Jameson's brand of Irish whiskey...?!

\* Surprisingly Ireland the home of Guinness, does not sell the most Guinness in the world! Britain is first, Nigeria is second and Ireland is third...?!

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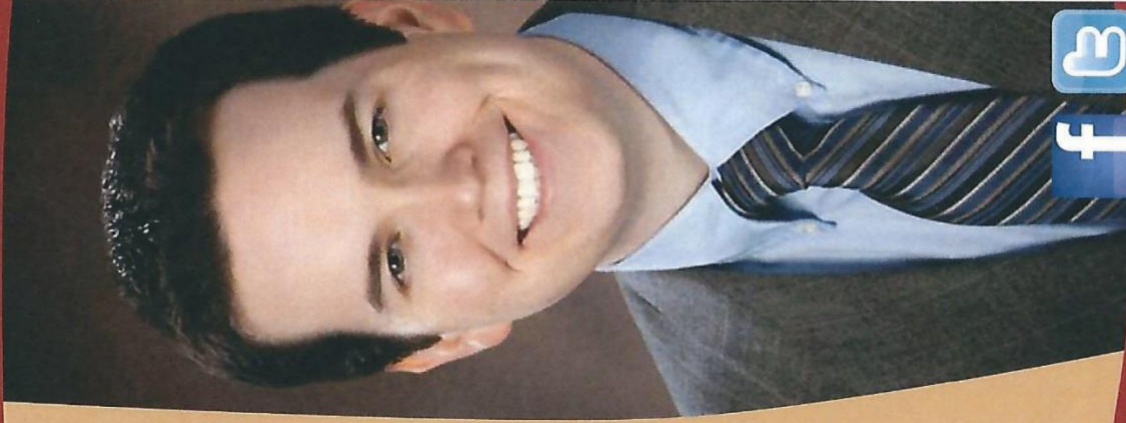
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