

Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians, Inc.

Division Eleven – Oakland



September 2015

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Dear Sisters,
It's time for the leaves to change and so may the Division meetings.

A notice was sent to all sisters on May 21, 2015 regarding discussion to move to the Temperanceville Tavern or stay at the Claddagh. **Take note that the September 2, 2015 meeting will convene at the Temperanceville Tavern ([Village Tavern and Trattoria](#)) 424 South Main Street; Pittsburgh, PA 15220 (412) 458-0417) at 7:30pm on Wednesday, September 2, 2015. The October 7, 2015 meeting will be held at the Claddagh Irish Pub, 407 Cinema Drive; Pittsburgh, PA, 15203 (412) 381-4800 at 7:30 p.m.** Please make arrangements to be at these meetings. In addition to the vote whether to move or not, 2015 is an election year and upcoming events in October and November include nominations and elections of officers.

It is with joy and sadness that I let you know, our sister, holding many division offices as well as past Allegheny County President, Maureen DeLong, moved to the Philadelphia area and has transferred from Division 11. Maureen was one, among many valued sisters. She is wished the very best; her kind demeanor and valuable input will be missed.

Since our last meeting too, it is with sadness that I note the passing of our fellow sister, Clara (Orr) Schillinger however, I am happy to announce Division 11 of the Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians will welcome two new members; Jeanmarie Larkin and Liz Rowland. **Please be prepared for initiations; officers will wear parade attire with sash's.**

Miryam's House Luncheon will take place on Saturday, September 19, 2015. **Maggie Cloonan and Sarah McCalla** have graciously committed to spearheading the operation to feed the ladies at the shelter an Irish feast of ham and cabbage with all the trimmings. Help is needed for K.P. (kitchen patrol). The arrival time is between 9:30-10:00am to begin the preparations. Supplies are limited so bring your own potato peeler and if you have a special knife for cutting potatoes. Also, **please bring desserts.** Homemade desserts are especially welcome but any treats are greatly appreciated. Miryam's House is **located at 1410 Fifth Ave, Pittsburgh, PA, phone # 412-471-0155. Please try to be there to help.**

If you'd wish an item added to the agenda, do not hesitate to contact me at sannesgary@aim.com or call 412-431-3935. Also, many happenings are contained on the Division 11 site which is updated frequently by our webmaster, Colleen Bowers. All are encouraged to contribute content and feedback. Simply email admin@laohdiv11.org.

Looking forward seeing you at the meeting on September 2, 2015 at the Temperanceville Tavern. There are many, many good things happening in our Order. Please consider joining or chairing a committee. Some from which to choose are Operation Safety Net, Adopt-a-Family, Christmas Party, Wolfe Tones, Masquerade Charity Ball to name a few. Come and witness your Division 11 first hand; renew old friendships and meet new acquaintances. It is the responsibility of every sister to get involved in the good works of the Order whether it is with your time, talent or treasure.

[Village Tavern and Trattoria](#) (**Temperanceville Tavern**).

Yours in Friendship, Unity and Christian Charity,
Shirley Sestric, President
LAOH Division 11



2015 Dates to remember:

9/2 **Division 11 Meeting at [Village Tavern and Trattoria](#) (**Temperanceville Tavern**), West End**

9/11-13 Pittsburgh Irish Festival

9/20 Gaelic Arts Luncheon

10/3 LAOH Division 4 Purse Party

10/3 LOAH Division 21 Card Party

10/7 LAOH Division 11 Meeting – Claddagh, South Side

10/10 LAOH Division 23 Pub Crawl

10/16-17 PA LAOH State Board Meeting

10/17 LAOH Division 11 Masquerade Charity Ball

10/24 LAOH National President Testimonial Dinner

11/4 LAOH Division 11 meeting

Don't forget pictures/articles to our Webmaster, Colleen Bowers. Simply email admin@laohdiv11.org



Our website can be viewed by going to www.laohdiv11.org or www.laohdiv11.com
National LAOH website: www.ladiesaoh.com



Pittsburgh IAUC is selling mugs as a fundraiser for the 2016 Easter Rising Commemoration. Mugs will be available at the meeting.



The Pittsburgh Remembers Committee is selling raffle tickets for this Limited Edition Commemorative Sculpture – tickets available at the meeting.



Also, Colleen Bowers will have LAOH pins honoring “Women of the Easter Rising”. Pins will be available at the meeting.