



ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS



Division #1 - The Father Tim Dempsey Division – St. Louis, MO. www.stlhibernians.org

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Meetings / Events

(see website [calendar](#) for a more complete listing)

Division 1 Monthly Meeting – 2nd Friday and [St. James the Greater Church](#) – 8:15 pm

Country Fair Committee Meeting – 1st Wed May thru Sep
 Goff Mall American Legion 101 – 7:00 pm

[Missouri River Irish Festival](#) – St. Charles, MO
 SEPT 18,19,20

[Irish Country Fair, St. James the Greater Church](#) on Tamm Ave – Oct 4, 2009

HEDGE ROW MASS, OCT 17, 2009

EMERALD BALL, FEBRUARY 6, 2010

President's Podium

Brothers,

Our members stepped up once again and helped the GAC with their concession booth at the St. Louis Gaelic Sports Festival. Showing up early and working throughout the day, our volunteers



had to brave the heat and humidity, so I want to thank them all for the effort. I was unable to assist as I was alternately on the field with the hurling team and suffering from leg cramps most of the day. (Apparently, you dehydrate faster as you get older.) Your representatives did you proud, though. I know I am missing some names, but I recall seeing Sean Carmody, Jerry Ryan, Jim Wahl, Kevin Kelley and Jim Sheerin working that day. I can assure you the GAC appreciated our efforts and we had at least two of their members talk to us about joining the AOH. (photos below)

Our division meeting was the day before the Sports Festival and, as usual in July, it was lightly attended. So if you weren't there, I wanted to let you know that Connor Adams presented some items, sent over from his family in Ireland, which will be used as prizes at the Hibernian Trivia Night on Sept. 12th. Due to reductions in donations by our normal sources, we are in need of more prizes for that night. If you know of any person or business that would like to donate, please contact Vice-President Matt Vineyard (mwvineyard@gmail.com).

Please note that volunteers are always needed to help with county-wide events and there is a meeting the 1st Wednesday of every month at 7:00 PM at the Goff-Moll American Legion Post (2721 Collier Ave., near Brentwood & Manchester). These meetings are for planning of the Irish Country Fair, Emerald Ball and St. Patrick's Day Parade. All Hibernians are welcome.

We are holding steady on membership at 129, and now have on-line photos for 44. Once again, if you can't make the meetings, but want your picture on the site with the rest of the division, please e-mail a digital photo to Publicity Chairman/Webmaster Bill Burns (web_lad@byrneclan.org).

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 Tim Kinealy
 President
 AOH – Fr. Tim Dempsey – Div. 1



TRIVIA NIGHT

SEPTEMBER 12, 2009 – ST JAMES THE GREATER CHURCH HALL – Details to Follow

Irishman of the Year Nomination

Nominations are being taken now for Irishman of the Year award to be presented at 2010 Emerald Ball – sent them to [Pat Maloney](#)

2014 National Convention – In St Louis ?

An effort to bring the National AOH Convention to St. Louis in 2014 is being undertaken by a committee formed by Jim Wahl. It will be key to have as many from the St Louis Region to attend the 2010 convention in Cincinnati. St Louis has hosted the national convention in 1888, 1904 and 1960.

IRISH COUNTRY FAIR 2009

A day long festival Sunday October 4, 2009 (noon to 7:00 pm)

St James the Greater School Yard

6401 Tamm Ave at Wade in Historic [Dogtown](#)

(directions)

IRISH MUSIC, IRISH CRAFTS, ARTS, GOOD FOOD, IRISH DANCERS, GAMES, HURLING EXHIBIT



Games



Shade



Dancing with the Stars



Music

Fun for the entire family and admission is FREE

All proceeds will be donate to charity

Bring a lawn chair, enjoy the day, but PLEASE no coolers