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

AOH National Convention – Albany, NY

July 9 – 12, 2012
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President's Podium

Brothers,

I tried to write this several times, but kept passing out from the heat. When I woke up, all I had typed was
 Brothersss.
 Looks like I'll finally get through it as I have re-hydrated and it is only 104

degrees today!

The 2012 St. Louis GAC Hurling season has come to an end. Your Fianna, after starting out 0-3, finished the regular season 7-3. In the playoff semi-final, they defeated the Amsterdam Americans 28-27 in one of the best games of the year. It was decided by a missed point-attempt as time ran out. No team led by more than 3 points during the game and the lead changed hands several times. The Fianna entered the championship as a considerable underdog and couldn't pull off the upset. They fell 28-17 to the Midwest Mortgage Capitals in the 100+ degree heat. This was the inaugural season for the Fianna, and they did you proud. Four players are members of the division: Tim Kinealy, Pat Brown, Mike Kleissler and Mike Harrigan so make sure to congratulate them (especially me) the next time you see them. For any of you that couldn't make the games, you missed your chance to see me get abused. I am finally following through with my threats to retire from the game (please dry your eyes, I know this is difficult for you). I'd like to use my age as the excuse (and will), but Pat Brown is only a few months younger than me and is still one of the best players in the league at age 42! Thanks to the GAC for all the fun and competition I have enjoyed for the last 7 years!

The Division will be sponsoring a meal at the Sts. Peter and Paul Soup Kitchen on Sunday, August 5. We will need at least 16 volunteers to serve the meal. Please plan to arrive by 10:30 am. Contact the event organizer, VP Connor Adams, to volunteer (belfastman1987@hotmail.com).

The Irish Country Fair will take place Sunday, October 7th at St. James the Greater. The committee is always in need of volunteers, so please come to the Special Events meetings which take place the first Wednesday of every month at the Goff-Moll American Legion Post at 7:00 PM. This is a county board function, but let's make sure Division 1 is well-represented.

The next Texas Hold 'Em tourney has been scheduled for November 17th. This is a long way off, so you have plenty of time to arrange your schedule. Contact Organizer Sean Carmody if you would like to volunteer...or just plan on participating. The last event had upwards of 90 players, so let's do even better this time!

We still have some official Fianna t-shirts for sale. They are green long-sleeved shirts that feature the logo on the front and text on the back. We are sold out of Mediums and are almost out of XXL. So bring your \$20 and get your XL and L before we run out. I will bring our remaining stock to the July meeting.

In May, the division added 2 new members: Jason Kennedy and Mike Sullivan. We also welcomed a former Division President back into the fold...Dave Holmes has transferred back into Division 1 after a couple of years at Division 2 (Good to see you back, Dave!) That brings our current total to 163 members. Remember, if you can't make the meetings, and want your picture on the site with the rest of the division, please e-mail a digital photo to Publicity Chairman/Webmaster Bill Burns (webmasteraoh@stlhibernians.com).

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

Your editor has missed the last two division meetings and will need to catch up on the new members photos.



Jim and Loretta 2012 Convention



Jim & Peggy 2012 Convention (they were a little blurry)



Jerry & Val 2012 Convention



Jerry & John Wilson bartending hospitality suite Convention 2012

There are many more photos on our website [Looking Back 2012](#)

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