



Michael P. Keeley DIVISION 1 ST. CLAIR COUNTY, ILLINOIS <http://www.aohill.org>  
The Ancient Order of Hibernians is the oldest Catholic lay organization in America and is dedicated to  
Friendship, Unity, and Christian Charity.

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**06 January 2016**

**Wednesday 13 January 2016, 7:30 P.M. O'Fallon Knights of Columbus Council 4239, Dinner & beverages will be served.**

☐ **HOT - The February meeting will be on Tuesday, February 9th at 7:30P.M. - HOT** ☐

**Dues 2016 - \$30.00 working, \$25.00 if retired or student; Will be accepting payment at our monthly meetings. Notices to be mailed shortly, please provide your phone number & email address, when returning your dues.**

Our Charitable contribution were finalized at our December meeting, effective payout January 2016.

We will **NOT BE** collecting donations for the Wagon of Booze at this time. It will be in the future.

**Super Bowl:** Charlie Herr will do the super bowl card again this year; he will have it at our January meeting.

**Illinois State Board Raffle tickets** are available Tickets drawings start January 2016; and are available at the meeting or call Mike Tiernan at 980-3883 or Pat Hume at 334-2148. Tickets are \$10 each. Only 1,000 tickets are available for sale. Monthly prizes are one \$200 and five \$50 winners.

## **FUTURE EVENTS**

**St. Louis Emerald Ball;** A review of their web site indicated a date of 27 February 2016 for the Ball. No information available in regards where the ball would be held. I would recommend that if you were interested you review, their web site – it's posted under "Events" on the St Louis Division 1 website: [www.stlhibernians.com](http://www.stlhibernians.com)

**The 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Top of the Morning 5K Run/Walk & ½ Mile Kids Fun Run** March 6, 2016, Running Start Sport Shiloh.

**Packet Stuffing Event location, date and time pending.**

**St. Patrick's Day Parade 12 March 2016 & Chalking the Lot Party 11 March 2016.**

**Please mark April 23rd** on your calendar as our Division will hold a ceremony in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the Easter Uprising.

**Easter Uprising Commemoration** – Calvary Cemetery located 5239 West Florissant Avenue, St Louis 63115 - date April 3rd

**Irish Golf Open** will be (the first Saturday (11 June 2016) before Father's Day) Yorktown Golf 300 Goalby Dr. Shiloh, IL

More information concerning the above events (**DATES**) etc. will be sent as I obtain additional information. You should mark your calendars and plan for how you will participate in these events. (**All dates subject to change**)

I recognize that we are all getting older and none of us tolerates the weather as well as we use to, but your participation in these events makes them work and provides for our ability to contribute resources to the various charitable organizations that we donate to during and at the end of the year. Besides that, it is a good opportunity to stay in touch with each other and yes, it involves some work, but the more hands we have the merry the work is.

***"The clock of life is wound but once, and no man has the power to tell just when the hands will stop, at late or early hour. Now is the only time you own. Live, love, toil with a will. Place no faith in time. For the clock may soon be still!"***

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