



# AOH Division 61 November Newsletter

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## Upcoming Events

AOH 61 Men's Monthly Meeting  
November 4th 8:00 PM

Soup & Chili Cook-off  
November 20th 2:00 PM

Turkey Distribution Night  
November 21st 6:00 PM

AOH 61 Men's Monthly Meeting  
December 2nd 8:00 PM

Pegasus Riding Academy Fundraiser  
December 4th 2:00 PM

Christmas is For Giving Party  
December 10th 1:00 PM

Christmas is For Giving Toy Wrapping &  
Distribution December 11th 8:00 AM

## DIVISION 61 CLUB HOURS

Sunday Noon-10PM

Monday Noon-Midnight

Tuesday Noon-Midnight

Wednesday Noon-Midnight

Thursday Noon-Midnight

Friday Noon- 2AM

Saturday Noon-2AM

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only friends you haven't met."**  
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**AOH DIVISION 61**

**President's Letter**

Brother's,

The fall is ere and finally the heat is gone. Many events coming up with Division 61 as well as the holidays. This upcoming meeting will be nomination for some officer positions. I hope too see you all this Friday, November 4th at 8:00 PM.

In our motto,

Sean Kearns  
President Division 61

**The annual Mayfair-Holmesburg Thanksgiving Day Parade is on Sunday, November 20th beginning at 1:00 PM at Rhawn and Frankford Avenue. Following the parade come back to the club for the annual Soup & Chili Cookoff. We are looking for entries of your favorite soup, stew or chili. Please bring your entry (or entries) to the club (preferably hot) in your own crockpot by 1.**

**Kathi McKenna Memorial Fundraiser benefitting Pegasus Scholarship Fund will be held on Sunday December 4th at AOH Division 61 from 2:00 pm to 6:00 pm. The cost of the day is \$20. Contact Patti Vogler at 215 -338-1607 or Pat McKenna at 267-593-8164 for more information. Come and have fun with us as we support a great program for children and adults with disabilities**

**Thanksgiving Food Baskets**

**On Monday November 21st we will once again be distributing Thanksgiving Food Baskets in the Visitation neighborhood. We will be taking a collection up at the November meeting or you can donate a basket if you wish. We will meet at 5:30 at Division 61 and car pool down or you can meet at 6:00 PM at St. Anne's Convent (Cedar & Tucker). Any questions please contact Jay Costello at (215)-435-1346**

### CHRISTMAS IS FOR GIVING PARTY

Christmas is for Giving Party is Saturday December 10th. Cost is \$5.00 for adults and Children admission is an unwrapped new toy to give to Santa when he arrives at the club. Admission includes food for all, a craft for the kids and a candy cane from Santa. If you cannot make the party and would like to donate a toy (s) please have them to the club by Saturday the 10th.

The 7th Annual Notre Catholic vs Frankford Turkey Bowl is Thanksgiving morning, November 24th at Frankford Stadium. Players must arrive by 7:30 AM and the game will start at 8:00 AM. Please contact Jay Hull for more information or to sign up.

As discussed at the September meeting we have the opportunity to add Ireland County Patches to the left arm of our parade jackets. The county patch you wear should reflect the county where you or your family is from in Ireland. If you are unsure and cannot find out from your family, what county you are from, there are several sites online that can help. One of the most useful ones is:  
<http://www.johngrenham.com/surnames>

Patches are \$10.00 and will come with directions on where to place them on the jacket. We are trying to get the orders in early so everyone has time to research their County of Origin and get the patches sewn onto their jackets prior to March,

Any questions or to place an order please contact Chuck Payne at [cppayne1@yahoo.com](mailto:cppayne1@yahoo.com)

### Welcome

On behalf of AOH Division 61, we extend a warm welcome to the newest member of our family:

**Bob McKee, Michael McKee & Gerry McKee**

We hope you enjoy everything this organization has to offer and that you continue to live in *Friendship, Unity, and Christian Charity.*

### **DUES**

**2016 Dues are now past due! Dues are \$55.00, if they are still outstanding, you maybe dropped! Dues may be paid at meetings, dropped off to the club in an envelope with your name and the amount or mailed to AOH Division 61 4131 Rhawn Street, Philadelphia, PA 19136.**

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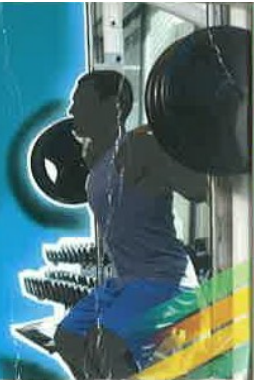
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