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Next Meeting - Tuesday October 8th 12th 7:00 p.m. St. Paul's Church



What a grand time we had at the Commodore Barry picnic in September. Many thanks to Mike Muldowney for chairing the event and congratulations to his crew, especially for the bouncy Castle for about 30 children. There was great food, wonderful music, and tons of fun.

October 19 is the first day of the Celtic Festival and Highland games. The festivity occurs on the 19 and 20 marks the start of the raffle for the 2013-2014 year. Please plan to attend and march with the Clans in coat, hat, and sash. You can help man our booth, recruit new members and offer a few tickets all to the sound of Celtic music and the pipes. Please let Big Dan know if you will be there so we can work out tickets and parking passes.

The 1st State Board quarterly meeting has been moved from October 19 to Saturday November 2nd. We are still at the Fr. Robert W. McDonald Columbian Center, 2324 Pump Road, Henrico, VA. Attendance is open to any member with a membership card whose dues are current. The meeting will start ay 10AM.

Our Nominating Committee will be finalizing the slate of officers for the 2014 fraternal year. If you would like to serve as a leader in the Division, please let Big Jim Whelan, Matt Costello or Big Dan Caffrey know.

On November 10, 2013 a Memorial Mass will be offered for deceased military veterans and Dooley Division members at 11:00 a.m. at Saint Paul's Church.

Our Annual Family Christmas Party will tentatively be at St. Mary's Church from 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. on 12/08/2013. We'll celebrate the season and install new officers and new members.

Sláinte!

Brian

Prayer List –Jim Cremins is recovering from surgery, **Jack Griffin's son, Neil Griffin** will be begin treatment shortly for cancer, **Jack's daughter, Carleen**, has also been diagnosed with cancer, **Wanda Walsh**, wife of **Tom**, receiving treatments for cancer, **Michael Maynes**, son of member **Ed Maynes**, continues to be challenged with cancer, **Bill McKay** who continues to struggle with back pain, and Walt Fergusson's sister is battling a long illness, **Jessie Naughton, Thomas Zahn**, brother of Father Zahn, **Jeannie Barrett** wife of **Tom Barrett**, and **Don Reilly**. Please pray for the members of our Division who are serving in the Military. **Father David McGuire**, has returned from Afghanistan. He is serving as Chaplain with the 1st Special Operations Wing of the Air Force. **CW2 David Bulger**, US Army has been deployed to Iraq with "B" Co. of the 5/159th Aviation Regiment, **Dennis Flanagan, son of Jack**, is a helicopter mechanic in Afghanistan.

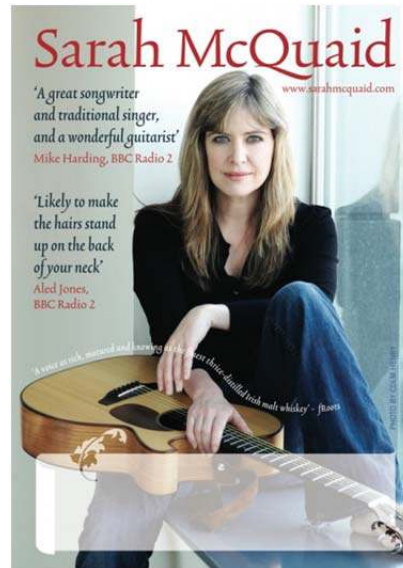
Upcoming AOH Dooley Events

- Business meetings second Tuesday of the month except July, August, and December
- November 2, 2013- 9 am to 12 pm (lunch); AOH State Quarterly Meeting at Columbian Center, 2324 Pump Road, Henrico, VA, 23233 (all members welcome to attend).
- November 10, 2013, Memorial Mass for deceased military veterans and Dooley Division members at 11 am at St. Paul's Church.
- November 12, 2013, Tuesday at 7 pm - AOH Dooley Division Business Meeting at St. Paul's
- December 15, 2013 Sunday at 1 pm (St. Mary's Catholic Church) – Family Christmas Party (Family)/Officer Installation for 2014



2014 AOH Dooley Division Officers - at the October Meeting we'll be presenting a Slate of Officers to be voted on at the November meeting and installed at our Christmas Party. Please let Dan Caffrey know if you're interested in serving as an officer - Pres, VP, Recording Secretary, Financial Sec, Treasurer, and Chairman of the Standing Comm., Marshall and Sentinel. If you'd like to serve or have any questions please email (kkcaffrey@hotmail.com) or call Dan at [804-512-6288](tel:804-512-6288).

"To Kill a Mockingbird" Play starring Molly Nugent (daughter of AOH Member Scott Nugent) at the The Sara Belle and Neil November Theatre (formerly the Empire) Marjorie Arenstein Stage. At Virginia Rep Center 114 West Broad Street Richmond, Virginia 2322. For Tickets Call Box Office [\(804\) 282-2620](tel:804-282-2620) or online at www.va-rep.org, save \$5 by using code birdrsvp See attached Rave Review on Molly.



SARAH MCQUAID
Saturday, October 5,
8:00 PM
Doors open at **7:30 PM**

At the Unitarian
Universalist
Community Church
11105 Cauthorne
Road
Glen Allen, VA
23059

Tickets are \$12 in advance and \$15 at the door. Children 12 and under admitted free of charge; teens 13-18 admitted at half price.

To reserve advance tickets please call (804) 323-4288 or [email tickets@shadygrovecoffeehouse.com](mailto:tickets@shadygrovecoffeehouse.com)

Email: tickets@shadygrovecoffeehouse.com For more information about the concert, visit our web site at www.shadygrovecoffeehouse.com. You can also download the concert flyer from <http://www.shadygrovecoffeehouse.com/PDF/McQuaid%20Flyer.pdf>, which you are welcome to print and post.

Sarah McQuaid is an Anglo-Celtic folk singer, whose voice has been likened to malt whiskey, melted chocolate and “honey poured into wine” (*Minor 7th*). A captivating performer, she seduces her audience with cheeky banter and stories from the road, as well as with stunning musicianship; in her hands, the guitar becomes much more than merely an accompanying instrument.

Her musical output reflects her own eclectic background: Sarah was born in Spain, raised in Chicago, lived in Ireland for 13 years and holds dual

US and Irish citizenship, and now lives in rural England. Refusing to be pigeonholed, she spans the genres with both her beautifully crafted originals and her interpretations of material from around the globe and down the centuries. Her third solo album, "The Plum Tree and the Rose" has drawn critical acclaim on both sides of the Atlantic: "Impeccable," wrote *Roots* (UK), while *Midwest Record* (USA) called it "low key but glorious and incendiary" and *Hot Press* (Ireland) said it "should feature on many end-of-year best-ofs."

**Central Virginia Celtic Festival and
Highland Games October 19th and 20th
Richmond International Raceway**

Volunteers needed - If you didn't attend the September meeting please email Dan Caffrey at kkcaffrey@hotmail.com if you can work the Booth Sat from 9-12, 12-3 or 3-6; Sun from 9-12, 12-3 or 3-6

The Division has Clan Passes (weekend entry pass) to hand out at the Oct 8 meeting if you are volunteering. If you pay for a ticket the division will reimburse you.

Saturday, October 20th

Gates Open 9am-6pm

12noon- **Opening Ceremonies**, Massed Bands-
Guinness Games Field

The Division will be participating the clan parade at Noon. Please wear a Green jacket or something green.

A few scenes for the Commodore Barry – Halfway to Saint Patrick's Picnic



