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note the date

august

- 16** **Oktoberfest**
Kolping-on-Hudson
- 20** **September Bulletin**
Last day to submit material
- 23** **Family Fun Day**
Kolping-on-Hudson
- 29-** **National Convention**
- 31** **Chicago**

september

- 1** **Labor Day Barbeque**
Kolping-on-Hudson
- 7** **Kolping Golf Outing**
Doral Arrowwood Resort
- 9** **Full Board Meeting**
Kolping 88th Street
- 20** **Steuben Day Parade & After-Party**
Kolping 88th Street
- 28** **Schlachtfest**
Kolping-on-Hudson

october

- 11** **Close Out Dinner**
Kolping-on-Hudson
- 11-** **Fr. Breton's Annual Retreat**
- 12** **Barryville, NY**
- 21** **Executive Board Meeting**
Kolping 88th Street

August

KOLPING-ON-HUDSON

95 Montrose Point Rd., Montrose, NY (914) 736-0117

Chance Booth

Raffles

Open to the Public

Admission \$5
CHILDREN UNDER 12 FREE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 16TH

NOON TIL SUNDOWN

Live Music

Featuring ~ The Spitzbuam

Live Music

BBQ-Hot Dogs-Hamburgers-Wurst-Salads ETC

BAR WILL BE OPEN ALL DAY *Now Serving*  **Veldensteiner.** AUTHENTIC GERMAN BEER

Children's Games - Pool Open All day (\$5) - Plenty of Parking



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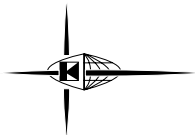
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Milestones & Passages



Everyone could use the power of prayer now and again. If you or anyone you know is in need of prayer, please let us know and we will be happy to include them within the "in our prayers" list. Please contact Jan Kessler (914-462-7649) or email jkessny@aol.com when you know of a member who is ill, in the hospital, or has passed away. We want to be sure to remember them.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THOSE BORN IN AUGUST:

Eileen Adams, Giovanna Antonini, Charles Aviles, Christopher Bagen, Julie Barnes, Thomas Berg, Maureen Beyrer, John Brauweiler, Anita Buchholz, Crocifisso Carano, David Caruso, Cecilia Cohn, Edelbert Cohn, Martin Coletti, Jr., Heather DeMatteo, Allegra Dengler, Matthew Dengler, Jim DeSharnais, Marcela DeSharnais, Cathy DeVilla, Vito Donato, Margaret Dougall, Christina Farley, Hannelore Farley, Patrick Farley, Karl Fister, Kelly Flannery, Jessica Franzoso, Julie Froebrich, Maddie Fuchek, Chris Geisler, Amy Geoghegan, Mike Geoghegan, Diane Gilhooley, Rosemarie Lang Glennon, Julie Glomann, Christopher Gross, T. Raymond Gruno, Joan Haneman, Meghan Hartson, Marie Heinz, Ann Horan Hemsing, William Heyd, Lillian Hiltzley, Regina Hojnacki, Gunther Jensen, Edward Keeney, Bob Kelleher, Martin Kelly, Jr., Thomas Kid, Sadie Longobardi, Maria Lopes, Christina Lovasz, Eleonora Luis, Mary McDaniel, Michaela McGovern, Mario Melita, Christopher Mersits, Marlyse Minnich, Lauren Mitchell, Liam Moore, Logan Moore, Carol Noll, Susan Oelerking, Michael O'Shaughnessy, Bryan Parra, Robert Phelan, Joan Pires, Amy Povilonis, Carmelo Rascona, Eric Reitter, James Reitter, Erin Reynolds, Kaitlin Reynolds, Walter Ritter, Sean Roche, Christel Scheuermann, Elizabeth Schwebke, Willi Stang, Agnes Tretter, Gene Vanzo, Stefan Weber, Katherine Weigand, Anna K. Weisz, Juliana Christie Weltner, Glen Whalen, and Jennifer Zale. Jim Harkins, Kathy Americo and John Allen

SPECIAL AUGUST BIRTHDAYS:

Anita Buchholz is reaching a milestone birthday this August 16th. Her family and especially her grandkids, Vincent and Michael, wish their Oma tons of love, happiness and health! – *Michelle Cervello Buchholz*

If you know someone celebrating a milestone birthday or anniversary, please let us know so we can include it in the Bulletin. Please email either me at editor@kolpingny.org or Jan Kessler at jkessny@aol.com.

THANK YOU!

Thank you to **Margarete Kiec** and **Ronald Seelbach** for their generous donation toward the KOH Oktoberfest Raffle. All proceeds from the raffle will benefit Kolping on Hudson with ongoing maintenance and repairs that are always in progress.

Thank you to **Bill Leili**. Bill has spruced up KOH with painting the exterior of the main house, the walls around the patio and swimming pool and the carriage house. He has been working all season regardless of the heat. Thanks Bill for volunteering to make KOH look great! ▶

OKTOBERFEST RAFFLE TICKETS

Thank you to all that have sent in your Raffle Tickets and to those that have donated extra money—all proceeds benefit Kolping on Hudson. First prize is \$200; 2nd prize is \$150; and 3rd prize is \$100 for the lucky winners. The winning raffle tickets will be drawn at our KOH Oktoberfest celebration on August 16th. We hope that you will all plan on being there but you do not need to be present to win the raffle.



CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to member John Barbera. He was ordained to be a permanent diaconate for the archdiocese on June 21 by Cardinal Dolan at St. Patrick's Cathedral. He will be a deacon at St. Augustine's church in Ossining, NY.

2014 DUES

A reminder to those members that have not yet paid dues to please forward your check made out to **Catholic Kolping Society** and mail it to Kolping on Hudson, 95 Montrose Point Road, Montrose, NY 10548 **Att: Jan Kessler**

Family: \$105

Individual: \$90

Student: \$45

50-year members: paid up forever!

Please take an extra minute to fill in the bottom of the letter **with your current email address**, any change in address, phone number, birthdays, and other information. Mail it back with your dues to our new secretary, Jan Kessler. She will be updating the files and will include your email address on her email account. She will be sending out notices of new events to you via email this spring.

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News & Notes

KOH FRIDAY NIGHT COCKTAILS AND MUSIC JULY 11TH

We want to thank member Don Simon and his group, Men on the Hill for a wonderful evening of great music. We know how busy they are volunteering their time and we appreciate their coming to KOH and hope they will be available again soon. Men on the Hill like to play the older songs. They have been playing together for about five years, and change their program to seasonal changes like Christmas/ Valentines/St Patrick's/Patriotic/Octoberfest/etc. A couple of our men are Maryknoll priests, and one is a woman veteran; most are retired, so available day or evening.



KOH SUMMER POOL HOURS

KOH Summer Pool Hours are Monday thru Thursday 12PM to 6PM - Friday 12PM to 8PM and Sat/Sunday 11AM to 7PM. Ten New lounge chairs have been purchased for the pool area and we thank Walter McDonald for all his efforts in getting them delivered to Kolping on Hudson just in time for our 4th of July Weekend Celebration.

RECEIVE YOUR BULLETIN VIA EMAIL!

Many members have opted to receive their monthly bulletin via email. Call or email Jan Kessler (914.462.7649) or jkessny@aol.com if you would like to receive your copy by email. You can also visit our website **www.kolpingny.org** and find copies of the monthly bulletins, list of upcoming events and so much other information that you may find helpful.

NATIONAL CONVENTION IN 2016

We are excited to announce that our branch will be hosting the National Convention in 2016! It is a wonderful opportunity to meet and greet our Kolping brothers and sisters from all parts of the United States. It is also a great way to learn what their missions and activities are.

We are calling on all members to give the Convention Committee a hand. We are asking those party planners, people with organizing skills, and people of good will in general to jump in and give a hand.

Email our President, Katrina Dengler, at **kdengler67@hotmail.com** and let her know your thoughts and ideas.

Mark your calendar for September 2-4, 2016. It will be here before you know it!

GERMAN MASS St. Joseph's in Yorkville, 404 E. 87th St.

Every first Sunday of the month, the Holy sacrifice of the Mass is celebrated in German at 10am. Confessions in German before Mass. For information please call Julia Winter (347-852-3184). For information regarding counseling and sacraments in German, please contact Rev. James Boniface Ramsey, Pastor (212-289-6030).

OUR HOLY FATHER'S AUGUST 2014 INTENTIONS

UNIVERSAL: That refugees, forced by violence to abandon their homes, may find a generous welcome and the protection of their rights.

FOR EVANGELIZATION: That Christians in Oceania may joyfully announce the faith to all the people of that region.

Fourth of July

Submitted by Jan Kessler

Fourth of July at KOH: The weather may have kept us out of the pool but the barbecue was a great success. Nick Colletti, Gerhard Schmitt, Al Ahrens, Jennifer Ahrens and Mike Scheuermann grilled all the favorites which included hamburgers, hotdogs, bratwurst and the spareribs seemed to be enjoyed by all along with all the homemade salads and corn on the cob. Christine, Matt and Danielle were all there to serve up everyone's favorite drinks.

Ladies of Kolping

Photo taken July 19th by Heide Bruegger



Gift from Jim Minarik

Submitted by Katherine Reslmaier



What's Cooking?

August 2014 Dinner Schedule

Saturday, August 2

Meatloaf

Sunday, August 3

Fresh ham, dumplings

Saturday, August 9

No cooking—Mason Picnic

Sunday, August 10

Goulash, noodles and vegetables

Saturday, August 16

Oktoberfest

Sunday, August 17

Pork schnitzel, potato salad and cucumber salad

Saturday, August 23

Family Fun Day (BBQ from 1-4pm)

Hotdogs, hamburgers, sausage & peppers

Sunday, August 24

Beef Burgundy, mashed potatoes & vegetables

Saturday, August 30

Spaghetti & Meatballs

Sunday, August 31

Chicken Marsala & vegetables

Monday, September 1

Labor Day BBQ

*Menu subject to change based on availability
and number of reservations.*

**Call Heidi for reservations
at 914-736-0117**

Jim Minarik visited Maria Reuber and presented her with this picture. It was two separate pictures put together that he had enlarged and then framed. He said to her "just remember the good times".

From left to right: The late Bert Bruegger with Heide; the late Ludwig Pinner with Helmi; and the late Rudy Reuber with Maria

WORLD CUP SOCCER AT KOH submitted by Muriel Fullam

The match between Germany and Argentina for the 2014 World Cup title on July 13th brought out lots of members and friends to our Kolping-On-Hudson bar. The game did not disappoint. The score was zero to zero until it went into overtime. Germany's Mario Goetze was brought into the game just before the overtime and he went on to score the winning (and only) goal for the game. The uproar at the KOH bar was deafening and bartender Christine Kern with help from Samantha Boben began pouring out the Jager shots. Thank you to Heidi Umland, Kathy Weinborg, Christine Kern and all those who made this a wonderful afternoon at KOH.



We haven't seen Ernst Endrich for awhile. And he has been sorely missed. But those that were at the Kolping-On-Hudson bar on Sunday, July 13th for the World Cup game got to see and speak with him. We are so glad he is feeling better and we look forward to spending lots more time with him at Kolping. We love you Ernst!

SURPRISE PIG ROAST submitted by Lou Colletti; photos by Lou Colletti & Heide Bruegger

A big thanks to all who gave us this very special meal, and to our member Joe Solano for his generosity.

The chefs are:

Joe Solano
Joe Mandel
Jose (Danilo) Tamayo *Pork Roast Master*

Special Thanks:

Steve Lovasz
Derrick Washington
Alex Benjoy
Artie Kessler
Michael O'Shaughnessy



USS SLATER UP THE HUDSON submitted by Jan Kessler; photos by John Allen

Many KOH members were sitting at the picnic tables at KOH waiting to see this impressive ship on its way up the Hudson River to Albany.

During World War II, 563 Destroyer Escorts battled Nazi U-boats on the North Atlantic protecting convoys of men and material. In the Pacific they stood in line to defend naval task forces from Japanese submarines and Kamikaze air attacks. Today, only the USS SLATER remains afloat in the United States. Now moored on the Hudson River in Albany, New York, the USS SLATER has undergone an extensive fifteen-year restoration that has returned the ship to her former glory. The museum offers hour-long guided tours, youth group overnight camping, and a historic location to hold naval reunions.



Author Trudy Crites submitted by Peggy Dougall

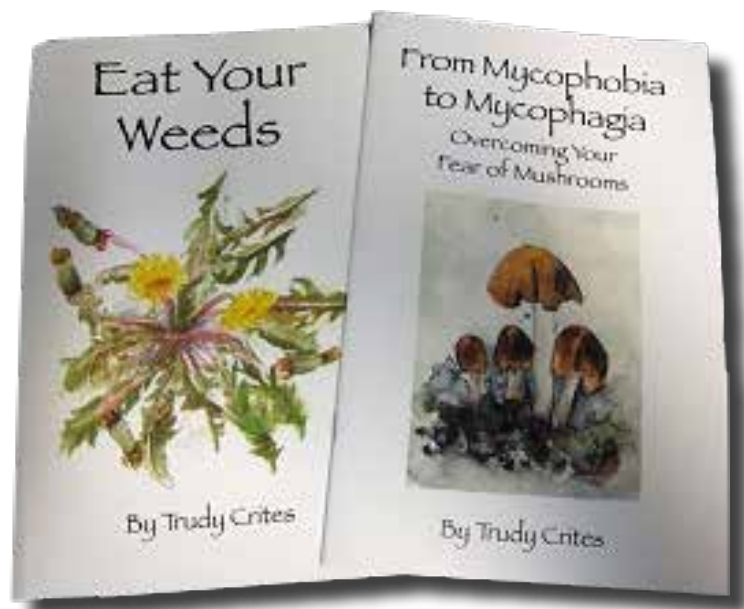
Some of you may know that my husband and I split our time between Vermont and Peekskill to be close to our grandchildren. Many of you know our daughter, Sandra, who was a former lifeguard at KOH, many moons ago. Many of you also know that I was part of the clean up and gardening crew this spring. So my passions lie in gardening. I was very excited when I came across a Vermont newspaper article about a small book, "Eat Your Weeds" by an author born in Schlesia, Germany.

On June 27th I got the chance to interview her in her home in Brattleboro VT. This 89 year old dame told me that when she was little, every spring she and her family would spread out around the newly green yard and meadows to gather up selections of green pot herbs under her father's supervision. Her mother would clean and pick over these greens (weeds) and then sauté, make soup or make spring tonic/tea.

The intro in her book describes that today the average person avoids any food that is not sold in supermarkets. Over time we have lost the knowledge of wild plants that were once a source of food and medicine.

The illustrations are very good and were done by the author, Trudy Crites.

Anyone interested in obtaining this 30 page book for \$15 can contact me at 914-739-8996. or email me at mdou993624@aol.com. She also is an author of another book, "From Mycophobia to Mycophagia, Overcoming Your Fear of Mushrooms" also priced at \$15.



Stories of Interest

Father Hermann Cohen submitted by Martin A. Kelly



Some family names mislead you about the bearer's ancestry. Recently, the Archdiocese revealed that the late Cardinal John O'Connor (d. 1980) was the son of a (converted) Jewish mother.

Another case, somewhat earlier, was that of Father Hermann Cohen. He was born into a Jewish family, in Hamburg Germany, in 1820. His parents recognized his musical talent; and, his mother brought him to Paris, at age 11, to study under Franz Liszt. He soon became a special protégé of Georges Sand; and, soon gave piano recitals and concerts of his own.

The Folies Bergère and the Moulin Rouge did not escape notice, however; he succumbed into a roguish life style and being a play boy at age 27.

As a favor for a friend, he played the organ in the church of Saint Valere in Paris. During the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament, he had an "Umschung" (a turnaround); to amend his way of life and become a Catholic. He recalled "Auf die Erde gesandt nur auf Borg" or "Life is short".

He entered the Carmelite Monastery in 1850; and, was ordained 4 years later. He became a renowned preacher in France and emphasized the need to reform the garish code of morality throughout the

French Republic. When England relaxed its prohibition against Catholics (in England) which went back to King Henry VIII (1534). Father Cohen was one of the first priests to visit there in what was known as the counter-reformation.

Meanwhile, rebel rousers in France and in the newly united Germany, urged a "preventive war" against each other. In spite of his religious status, Father Cohen felt the nationalistic animosity and returned to Germany.

Fighting did come, in 1870, the Franco-Prussian War. Father Cohen ministered to French prisoners of war at the Spandau Prison, in Berlin. There, he died of smallpox he contracted while attending the prisoners, Jan 20, 1870.

(Catholic Encyclopedia)

BBQ! Games! Pool!

Kolping-on-Hudson

Family Fun Day

Saturday
August 23, 2014

We have a whole day's worth of fun activities planned for this year's **Family Fun Day** and hope that you and your family will join us for all or even part of the day. Come and enjoy the activities, or relax poolside at Kolping-on-Hudson for part of the day—either way it's sure to be a great time!

Kolping-on-Hudson will host a **BBQ from 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm** featuring hamburgers, hot dogs, sausage & peppers, assorted salads and dessert. The pool will be open until 6:00 pm and there will be a huge **inflatable water slide** by the playground for the kids to enjoy, as well as a **Jumping Castle!**

We have the following activities planned for after the BBQ, but will only do them if we have volunteers to run the events, and of course participants!

- **Tug of War**
- **Water Balloon Toss**
- **Sack Races**
- **Musical Towels**
- **Mummy Wrap**
- **Soda Dive**
- **Pie Eating Contest** (*Chocolate pudding with whipped cream*)

Fee for **Members** which includes the pool and BBQ

\$10 per adult
\$5 per child 12 and under

Fee for **Non-Members** which includes the pool and BBQ

\$12 per adult
\$7 per child 12 and under

To RSVP or for more information or to volunteer, please contact Lou Colletti at

LCookie1129@aol.com
or call her at **914-275-7481**

**Please RSVP by
August 12, 2014**

2014 KOLPING GOLF OUTING

Sunday, September 7, 2014

DORAL ARROWWOOD RESORT & GOLF CLUB

975 Anderson Hill Road Rye Brook, NY 10573

914-939-5500

www.doralarrowwood.com



1:00pm Shotgun start to play 18 holes. Please arrive early to sign-in. Barbeque Dinner & Awards Reception to follow on Pavilion.

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Cost is \$84.00 per person for KOLPING MEMBERS or \$109.00 per person NON-MEMBERS for 18 holes of golf, greens fees, and cart; BBQ Dinner & Awards Reception. Please send payment and registration by August 24, 2014 to:

**The Catholic Kolping Society
95 Montrose Point Road
Montrose, NY 10548
Attention: Jan Kessler**

Questions, contact Bob Hemsing: 914-552-7188 or Bob42@optonline.net

**NAME: _____ PHONE: _____
EMAIL: _____ HANDICAP: _____
PREF. ON FOURSOME(names): _____**

Prior to golfing, Mulligans Outdoor Restaurant is open at 11:30am for lunch. For more hotel information, please contact Donna Richardson at 914-935-6646 or at drichardson@doralarrowwood.com



Steuben Parade Post-Party



AT KOLPING HOUSE

**165 East 88th St.
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