



June 2019

General Info:

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The Emerald Association of Putnam County
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General Membership Meeting Schedule

Mark your calendar! 2nd Friday of each month September through June.

Our next general membership meeting will be held Friday, June 14th at Trinity Lutheran Church hall located at 2103 Route 6 in Brewster.

We will have our annual Buffet dinner at the June meeting. Doors open at 6pm

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If you are a Facebook user “Like” our page and share it with your friends! If you have content you would like to see posted, please pass it along to Nuala Donnelly or Lisa Scully. Any comments or suggestions are always welcome.

Member News Items:

Another Feis over and in the books. Thank goodness for the glorious weather we had. Thanks to our Feis chairperson Karyn Oster for a very successful event. Congratulations to our 2019 Feis Honoree Nuala Donnelly. I would to thank all our members that came out and volunteered at the Feis. It takes a lot of work but at the end of the day well worth it. We will have a complete wrap up at our meeting June 14th.

Proud moment: Congratulations to John Glynn. His grandson, Liam Dvorak is headed to the All Worlds of Baseball in Bulgaria representing Team Ireland! Liam will be a Junior at Holy Cross this Fall.

Thanks to our Snowbird correspondent Pat Farrell for his work during the year. Pat kept us up to date on what’s happening in the Sunshine State.

Don't forget our annual buffet dinner at the June meeting. Doors open at 6pm. Dinner served at 6.30pm with meeting to follow. Thanks to Mary and Jim Dolan for organizing the food for the dinner.

Condolences to Anne Hynes on the death of her sister Bridget Healy. RIP.

Interested to taking a trip in December? Journey into Kentucky with Treasure Time Tours as they present *The Wonder of Christmas with the Ark Encounter and Creation Museum* December 3-7. See more information attached. There are a few Emeralds signed up!

If you are unsure of your membership status, please contact Sally Ann
Comparetto: scomparetto@houlihanlawrence.com . \$30 for Family; \$20 Single

Save-the- date

Friday, June 14th: Annual end of year buffet dinner with meeting to follow.

Sunday August 25th Annual Picnic at Putnam Park

Other:

All Emerald Association members are invited to help by recruiting family members, friends, co-workers, etc... to join our organization, and encouraging entrepreneurs, store owners, etc... to place an ad in our newsletter.

If you have any news/information regarding our members (engagements/marriages, births, death notices, hospitalized/sick/injured members, etc...) that you would like to be included in the newsletter, please contact John Shanley at jtsconstruction@aol.com. Thank you!



Please keep in your thoughts and prayers All our First Responders and the Women and Men in the Armed Forces. Also, a thank you to all our veterans.

Have a laugh

I first met O'Reilly when I was in St Peter's Hospital, Chertsey, England. He was in the same ward as me and was lying, quite still, in the bed next to me when I awoke early on that Friday morning. I was taken aback because he was swathed in bandages from head to toe, with just two little slits for his eyes and this made it difficult to engage him in conversation. However, later that same day, his best friend, Dermot Callaghan, came in to visit O'Reilly and I listened in to their conversation which went as follows: 'What happened to you?' asked Callaghan. 'I staggered out of The Invincible pub, in Shepperton Road, and a lorry hit me a glancing blow and knocked me through the Co-op's plate glass window,' mumbled O'Reilly. 'Begorrah,' exclaimed Callaghan in his broad Munster accent, 'It's a good job you were wearing all those bandages or you'd have been cut to ribbons!'

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A black and white portrait of Sally Ann Comparetto, a woman with long dark hair, smiling.

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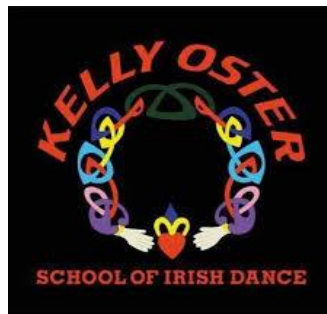


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TreasureTime Tours presents
The Wonder of Christmas with the
Ark Encounter and Creation Museum
December 3-7, 2019

Day 1. Join us on this journey into Kentucky to visit the Ark Encounter and the Creation Museum along with many more surprises. Sit back and relax as our deluxe Leprechaun motorcoach will transport us into Ohio today where we will overnight.(D)

Day 2. Breakfast and then we depart to Kentucky with our first experience being The Creation Museum. This 70,000 square foot "walk through history" museum is an alternative to the evolutionary natural history museums. See how its interpretation of the Bible – the "history book of the universe" – provides an account of the beginning of all things. You will take a journey through a visual presentation of the history of the world, based on its 7 C's of History – Creation, Corruption, Catastrophe, Confusion, Christ, Cross and Consummation where you will discover an interpretation of how science confirms biblical history. We also have timed tickets for the museum's acclaimed planetarium. Explore ChristmasTown which is the museum's botanical gardens amid the breathtaking display of thousands of multi-colored lights, plus a live Nativity. You will be amazed at what else is in the garden but you have to be with us to experience this amazing event. Dinner voucher for a complete TURKEY dinner at Noah's Café tonight. Our home for the next two nights will be the Holiday Inn, Covington, KY(B,D)

Day 3. Start the morning with a full hot breakfast buffet and our first experience will be a guided tour of Rookwood Pottery. There is walking (about the perimeter of a football field), but the gift shop has comfortable seating if you decide not to join the tour. A two hour luncheon Cruise (which is climate controlled) on a riverboat will be next on our agenda for today. The last half hour the captain will give a narration of both sides of the river. What we've been waiting for the Ark Encounter. This afternoon we will spend time touring the Ark Encounter. Scores of exhibits about the Flood, Noah, and the animals are designed to answer your questions about the biblical account of Noah's Ark. As the night falls upon the Ark, you will encounter the wonder of Christmas enjoying an unforgettable evening of festive lights, gift shopping including an extensive fair trade market, a stroll through Ararat Ridge Zoo and more.(B,L,D)

Day 4. Breakfast with a special guest and entertainment before we depart the Holiday Inn. We will travel 24 miles to Jungle Jims where we will meet a tour ambassador who will explain how Around the World at Christmas will work and will provide maps and vouchers for you. We will overnight in WV.(B,D)

Day 5. Depart for the Hudson Valley bringing back wonderful memories of the Ark and the Creation Museum. Hope you have a wonderful time on this Wonder of Christmas journey.(B)

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