



## COUNCIL OFFICERS

CHAPLAIN	Rev. Richard Vila
GRAND KNIGHT	Ted Kovalesky
DEP. GRAND KNIGHT	Thomas Johnston
ADVOCATE	Carmen Argentina, PGK
CHANCELLOR	Bill Reynolds
WARDEN	Jack Ehmann
FINANCIAL SECRETARY	James Berg, PGK
TREASURER	Timothy Ewing
RECORDER	Robert Tartaglia, PGK
INSIDE GUARD	Gerry Stevenson
OUTSIDE GUARD	Duane Curry
OUTSIDE GUARD	John Rulli
LECTURER	Gene Glass, PGK
TRUSTEE, 3 YEAR	Brian Kohler, Sr., PGK
TRUSTEE, 2 YEAR	Frank DeBellis, PGK
TRUSTEE, 1 YEAR	Gene Glass, PGK

## SERVICE PROGRAMS

DIRECTOR	Thomas Johnston
COUNCIL	John Acker, Jr., PGK
CHURCH	Fernando Linka
COMMUNITY	Larry York, Jr., PGK
FAMILY	Bill Reynolds
YOUTH	Brian Kohler, Sr., PGK
SQUIRES	Robert Tartaglia, PGK
MEMBERSHIP	Robert Tartaglia, PGK
RELIGIOUS AND CIVIC AFFAIRS	Timothy Ewing

## HOME ASSOCIATION

PRESIDENT	Steven Schmidt
VICE PRESIDENT	Robert Tartaglia, PGK
SECRETARY	John Acker, Jr., PGK
TREASURER	Frank DeBellis, PGK
COMPTROLLER	Jim Berg, PGK
TRUSTEES	Al Nowakowski, PGK
	Anthony Martino
	Carmen Argentina, PGK
	Timothy Ewing
	Bill Reynolds
EX OFFICIO MEMBER	Ted Kovalesky, GK

## GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Worthy Brothers--

Council 5714's 50th anniversary celebration on May 9th was a memorable evening, one which I'm proud to have been a part of; you can read all the details about the event elsewhere in this issue of the Navigator. But more significantly, the fact that our Council has survived and thrived for 50 years is a testament to the underlying values upon which the Knights were founded. Long after the recent fanfare has subsided, our charitable works and fraternal activities will continue. Here's to the next 50 years!

Fraternally Yours,

Ted Kovalesky, GK  
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**Council Elections Are Finally Here!!!**

## Disability Collection Update

I would like to thank everyone who helped with the Disability Collection. The three day total was \$904. When the money is sent to the State Council, they keep 10% for State Council donations. The remainder will then be divided four ways and given to the four organizations we have been supporting for many years. They are St. John of God School, The Holy Innocent Society, The Bancroft Foundation and The Burlington County ARC. Each organization will receive \$203.40. Again, thank you for your help. If you were unable to volunteer and hour or more this year, please think about helping us next year.

Jim Berg, Faithful Comptroller  
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## COUNCIL NEWS

### Council 5714 Nominations and Elections

If you are a Third Degree member, you are eligible to run for any office in our Council. Self nominations are permitted and encouraged.

At the May business meeting, we began accepting nominations for all offices for the upcoming Columbian year. However, nominations can continue to be made up to and through the June 9th business meeting; nominations will close immediately before the elections at that June 9th meeting. If you want to nominate yourself or another member for any Council office, you may present your nomination from the floor at the June 9th meeting. If you would like to run for an office, but are unable to attend the June 9th meeting, please contact the Nominating Committee Chairman, Jim Berg, between now and June 9th.

Please consider lending your talents to the Council by becoming an officer. The current list of nominations is shown below. You will notice that the Grand Knight has no nomination. We are in desperate need of members to step forward and be a part of our Council. If you have not thought about doing so, please consider running for office and become more engaged in our Council.

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### 2015-16 Council Nominations

GRAND KNIGHT	No Nomination
DEP. GRAND KNIGHT	Pete Cote
ADVOCATE	Carmen Argentina, PGK
CHANCELLOR	William Reynolds
WARDEN	Jack Ehmann
TREASURER	Timothy Ewing
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Want to keep up with current events of our Council?  
Be sure to visit our website for updated information.

Our website is:

<http://www.kofc5714.org>

## MORE COUNCIL NEWS

### 50th Anniversary Celebration Update

For those of you who missed the Council's 50th Anniversary Dinner, you missed a great evening of fun and dancing. Our State officers, including Andy Lipenta, and twelve Past Grand Knights joined us for the celebration.

A delicious buffet of roast pork, beef brisket, penne venezia, roasted potatoes and glazed carrots was served up by Raj of Vincent's Brick Oven of Maple Shade.

Past Grand Knight Tom O'Mara gave us an outstanding recollection about how our Council was formed and the efforts to secure our hall through fundraiser sand raffles, among other things.

Awards were presented to our Council for 50 years of success by State Deputy Andy Lipenta as well as our field agent Mike Garafalo. Grand Knight Ted Kovalesky graciously accepted these awards on behalf of our Council.

The evening was rounded out with dancing, photos and brotherhood. Thanks to everyone who helped make this evening a very special event.

Brian Kohler, PGK  
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Pictured are some of our Council's Past Grand Knights who attended our Council's 50th Anniversary Dinner along with our current State Officers.

# SUMMER

Please report any errors or corrections to:

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## FOURTH DEGREE NEWS

### Fourth Degree Business Meeting

The June John Tatham Assembly Dinner Meeting will take place Wednesday, June 10th. The evening will start with a Cocktail Hour beginning at 6:30 PM, Dinner at 7:30 and the meeting at 8:30. All Assembly Offices are open for nomination until the office is voted on during the New Business part of the meeting. If you would like to run for office you still have time. You must attend the meeting or contact any Fourth Degree member who will attend the meeting and have them nominate you for the office you would like to attain.

Anyone that would like to attend the 2015 Charity Ball. The Ball will be held at the Tavistock Country Club on Friday June 12th. You do not need to be a Fourth Degree member to attend the Charity Ball. Dress for the evening will be tux with social baldric. Non members can do not need a tux. Jacket and tie is fine. The cost is \$65.00 per person. There are three Dinner Choices, Grilled Prime Filet Mignon, Boneless Breast of Chicken Cordon Bleu, or Grilled Atlantic Salmon Fillet. There will be an Open Bar for the entire evening. Time however is short. Dinner reservations must be in by June 5th. If you are going to attend but need a reservation application, please call me as soon as you can, I will get one to you.

Jim Berg, Faithful Comptroller  
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## FRATERNAL ACTIVITIES

If you know of any Knight or family member that is either sick or in distress and needs prayers or any other assistance, please contact Joe Stefanko by phone at 856.482.0988 or by email at joestef3@verizon.net.

## SICK LIST

Jack Acker, Jr.  
Bernard Bryson  
Deacon Joe Card  
Sam Cerasi  
Joe Ciminera  
Jack Ehmann

Tom Gibbons  
Al Nowakowski  
John Obuchowski  
Pete Ranjo, Sr.  
Joe Stefanko

## JUNE BIRTHDAYS

The following Council members will be celebrating their birthday this month. Happy Birthday to you from all the members of Council 5714.

Robert Barnabei

Peter Ranjo

Joseph Boyle, Jr.

Edward Read

William Hillman

David Rizzo

W. James Kline, III

Joseph Stefanko

Leo Naylor

Edward Vernier

Thomas O'Mara

Walter Wedzielewski

Stanley Radziejowski

### Change of Contact Information?

Have you recently moved or changed your email address or phone number but would like to continue to receive updates about our Council? You may email any updated contact information to [navigator5714@gmail.com](mailto:navigator5714@gmail.com) or contact me at the information listed below and I will make sure to get your information up to date.

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# June 2015

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

Day	Event	Time
2	Officers Meeting @ Council Hall	7:30 PM
8	Home Association Meeting @ Council Hall	7:30 PM
9	Business Meeting @ Council Hall	7:30 PM (7:10 PM Rosary)
10	Fourth Degree Meeting @ Willingboro	7:30 PM
16	Social Night @ Council Hall	7:30 PM
27	Surge for Service Meeting @ Council Hall	7:30 PM