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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Worthy Brothers--

Valentine's Day is always near and dear to one's heart. While driving to work after my morning prayers, I thank God for my great life and great wife.

Just like the Knights of Columbus, as one we can accomplish anything together with a little prayer.

Thank you to Brother Brian Kohler and his group of helpers for a fun filled Basketball Free Throw competition.

Upcoming events to organize are Friday Night Fish Fries during lent, St. Patrick's Day Party and a Spring Fling with the Red, Hot and Blue Band.

Anyone with any suggestions can email me or come to any meeting posted in the Navigator.

Have a great month and my God bless,

Joe Flatley, GK flatley-joseph@cooperhealth.edu



Please report any errors or corrections to:

navigator5714@gmail.com

YOUTH EVENTS

Basketball Free Throw

On Sunday, January 17th, we held our annual Basketball Free Throw competition. We had 15 participants this year, one more than last year. Thank you very much to those who came out to make this year another success.

This year's winners are:

Matthew Ewing - Boys, age 9

Tony Locantore - Boys, age 10

Anna Napoli—Girls, age 10

Noah Troughton—Boys, age 11

Justine Marano, Girls, age 11

Philip Napoli - Boys, age 12

Our Council was represented once again. This time by Matthew Ewing, son of Brother Tim Ewing and by Anna & Philip Napoli, daughter and son of Brother John Napoli.

Brian Kohler, PGK bdkohler@comcast.net or 856-979-9462

Substance Abuse Poster Contest

Flyers were given to Maude Wilkens, Steinhauer and Our Lady of Perpetual Help for our Substance Abuse Poster contest. The posters have been picked up and I will bring them to our officers meeting on Tuesday, February 2nd for judging. If the meeting runs late, we can decide when a good time to do the judging will be.

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FIELD AGENT'S REPORT

Plan for this Tax Day and into the Future

April 15 (tax day) is right around the corner. It's become popular this time of year to encourage the opening of an IRA or similar retirement annuity, or the depositing of additional funds into an existing account, as a tax-savings vehicle. Or perhaps someone has tried to convince you to open an account, touting the rate of interest that money in one of these accounts can earn. Let me join the chorus of folks encouraging you to open or add funds to an annuity, but for a different reason.

Certainly, contributing money to a Knights of Columbus annuity will allow you to save some money on your income tax return. And, our annuities do pay a very competitive interest rate, consistent with our primary goal of absolute safety of principal. Opening or adding to an annuity for these reasons, however, strikes me as taking a short-term view of a product that is designed to provide long-term security. How much security? How does retirement income that you cannot outlive — guaranteed — sound to you?

Here at the Knights of Columbus, you can open a retirement annuity for as little as \$300. Consistent and disciplined savings placed into that annuity over time can guarantee you an income at retirement that you cannot outlive. That guarantee — along with the fact that no one has ever lost money left in a Knights of Columbus annuity (remember – absolute safety of principal) — really will provide you with peace of mind.

I am happy to meet with you – at your convenience and in your home – to explain in detail the benefits of opening a Knights of Columbus annuity, along with the benefits of our top-rated life insurance, disability income and long-term care insurance plans.

Michael D. Garofalo, Field Agent michael.garofalo@kofc.org or 732-397-4365



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

FOURTH DEGREE NEWS

Fourth Degree Business Meeting

The February John Tatham Assembly meeting will take place on Wednesday February 10, 2016. This particular Wednesday happens to be Ash Wednesday. We will be serving a MEATLESS dinner. This will be a regular meeting, starting at 6:30 with a Cocktail hour, MEATLESS dinner at 7:30, meeting starts at 8:30. The dinner cost is \$15.00 and the dress is Jacket and Tie.

The March meeting will take place Wednesday March 9th. As I am sure you know, this is the meeting where we hand out the checks to our Trenton Diocese Seminarians. Since we will be bringing in a caterer for the Prime Rib Dinner, this year you will need to fill out a response form so that we know the exact number of members attending. Please look for the form in the Newsletter, on an Email or on our Web Site (www.johntathamassembly648.org). You can also contact Faithful Comptroller Jim Berg, 609-560-1209 for a form. IF YOU DO NOT SEND IN A FORM YOU WILL NOT BE ADMITTED TO THE MEETING.

Jim Berg, Faithful Comptroller iceberg5555@comcast.net or 609-560-1209



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 navigator 5714@gmail.com or contact me at the information listed below and I will make sure to get your information up to date.

Brian Kohler, PGK bdkohler@comcast.net or 856-979-9462

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

Al Nowakowski

Deacon Joe Card

Sam Cerasi

Joe Ciminera

Jack Ehmann

Al Nowakowski

John Obuchowski

Pete Ranjo, Sr.

Joe Stefanko

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

The following Council members will be celebrating their birthday during the month of February. Happy Birthday from all the members of Council 5714.

Robert Achorn IV PFC Mark Olesky

Carmen Argentina Rev. Louis Rayappan

Joseph Ferry, Jr. Rev. Eugene Rebeck

Richard Fiolkowski Charles Thompson

Aldo Mignone Thomas Toy



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7	8	9	10	11	12	13
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21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29					

Day	Event	Time
2	Officers Meeting @ The Maple Room	7:30 PM
8	Home Association Meeting @ The Maple Room	7:30 PM
9	Business Meeting @ The Maple Room	7:30 PM (7:10 PM Rosary)
10	Fourth Degree Meeting	7:30 PM
16	Social Night @ The Maple Room	7:30 PM
17	Surge for Service Meeting @ The Maple Room	7:30 PM