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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Hello Brother Knights,

Well, it's the end of August and I'm another year older, however, I don't think any wiser. But at least I have my extended family in the Knights for support. As I have said in the past we are all family. It is such a pleasure to see when someone is down we are there helping our fellow Brother or Sister.

We are coming into the busiest part of the year with the following events coming up and with everyone united as one we will accomplish our missions together.

Here's what we have coming up; Sidewalk Salk 9/10, Council Picnic 9/11, Soccer Challenge 9/18 & benefit for Trooper Cullen 10/1.

As always, thank you for all that you do!!! I'm looking forward to continue working together to get things done!

May God bless,

Joe Flatley, GK flatley-joseph@cooperhealth.edu



Sidewalk Sale

The Maple Shade Sidewalk Sale is being held on September 10th with a rain date scheduled for the 17th. We are looking for donations in the form of cases of soda and water as well as any monetary donations. All money donated will be used to help purchase any items we may need. I know it's redundant to say but we will meet at the Council Hall at 7:00 AM to load our vehicles so we may begin setting up at 7:30 AM. The proceeds from everything we sell has yet to be determined.

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

COUNCIL NEWS

Council Picnic

The date of our Annual Council picnic is Sunday, September 11th from 1 PM until 6 PM. Setup starts at high noon with hot dogs, hamburgers, beverages and fun following immediately after. The cost is the same as last year at \$10 per person and \$20 per family. Please contact me if you plan on attending so I will have an accurate head count. So come on out for a fun day!!!

John Acker Jr., PGK 856-316-8188 or jwapgk@aol.com

Spaghetti Dinner

The Knights of Columbus welcomes you and your family to an authentic Spaghetti Dinner prepared by Mirabella Catering on the 3rd Friday of every Month. The dinner is being held at the Maple Room with rolling seating from 5:00pm to 7:00pm. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children (12 & Under).

Menu includes Spaghetti & Meatballs, Linguini with Clam Sauce, Tossed Garden Salad, Crusty Bread & Butter, Soda, Water, Coffee, Tea and Dessert.

For more information, please contact me. Come enjoy a nice dinner with you family and friends!

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



Soccer Challenge

The Soccer Challenge will be here before you know it. It will be held on Sunday, September 18th. It will run from 8:00 AM until 11:45 AM with setup beginning at 7:30 AM. As with previous events, I am looking forward to the Council's help with this event. The location will tentatively be held at the Main Street complex. If this changes I will send out an email with the location. The age groups which can participate are ages 9 through 14.

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HOME ASSOCIATION NEWS

Home Association Elections

Each September three Trustee positions are voted on at the Council Business Meeting. The Maple Shade Home Association meets on the second Monday each month, normally the night before the Council Business Meeting. The Trustees are responsible for the upkeep and maintenance of our property. When the roof needed to be replaced a few years ago they met with several roofers, then voted on the company who did the job. They are also responsible for paying all utility bills and negotiating with our caterer when the contract is up for renewal.

If you would like to run for one of these positions, please attend the September Council Business Meeting on Tuesday September 13th. If you cannot make the meeting, please have a member who will attend the meeting nominate you. You can also contact me directly.

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

FOURTH DEGREE NEWS

Fourth Degree Business Meeting

There will be no regular Business Meeting of the John Tatham Assembly in September. Replacing the meeting will be the Officer Installation which will take place on Wednesday September 21st. The installation will be at Isaac Jogues Church, in Marlton. The doors will open at 6:30 PM. The evening will start with a 7:00 PM Mass celebrated by our Faithful Friar Father Philip Pfleger. The Officer Installation will take place immediately after Mass. After the installation there will be a small buffet at the church.

All members attending are asked to contribute \$10.00 to help defray the cost of the meal. Any guests are free of charge.

The next regular Business Meeting will take place on Wednesday October 12th, starting with a 6:30 PM Cocktail Hour at our Council Home.

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FIELD AGENT REPORT

Only Having Insurance "Through Work" Doesn't Work

Do you know anyone whose life or career has drastically changed during these years of economic downturn? It's very likely that someone in your immediate or extended family or group of friends is facing financial uncertainty. Maybe there's a possibility that you (or your spouse) could change employers, or even lose your job.

Too many people have often relied on group term life insurance as their only safety net. Often, this insurance is an employee benefit provided at low or no cost. The existence of this coverage might convince someone that personally-owned life insurance is not necessary.

But only having "through work" insurance can leave you and your family vulnerable. Most group life insurance policies are limited in amount, which may be tied to salary or some other benchmark. These numbers are often capped, and this cap may be dangerously low when compared to your family's actual needs. In fact, a detailed needs analysis that evaluates your specific situation, will likely show that any employer-provided coverage falls short.

In addition, the amount of group insurance offered is almost always reduced, sometimes dramatically, when you retire. You could one day find yourself without coverage, and if your health has changed (which it will as you age), you might also find yourself unable to secure individual protection. At the very least, it will definitely be more expensive.

While group life insurance can help, it does not replace the need for individually owned life insurance. I'll be happy to meet with you and provide a no-cost needs analysis, so you'll know exactly where you stand.

Michael D. Garofalo, PGK / 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

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 Stefanko

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

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

Gary Adams Ronald Konopka

James Berg Theodore Kovalesky

Thomas Biddlecomb Fernando Linka

Thomas Gibbons Jason McGonigle

H. Edwin Houck Edward Palmer, Sr.

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 or contact me at the information listed below and I will make sure to get your information up to date.

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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

Day	Event	Time
6	Officers Meeting @ The Maple Room	7:30 PM
10	Maple Shade Sidewalk Sale	7:30 AM - 3:00 PM
П	Council Picnic @ Council Hall	I:00 PM - 6:00 PM
12	Home Association Meeting @ The Maple Room	7:30 PM
13	Business Meeting @ The Maple Room	7:30 PM (7:10 PM Rosary)
14	Fourth Degree Meeting	7:30 PM
18	Soccer Challenge @ Main Street Complex	8:00 AM - 11:45 AM
20	Social Night @ The Maple Room	7:00 PM
21	Surge for Service Meeting @ The Maple Room	7:30 PM