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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Hello Worthy Brothers,

How is everyone doing this month? Ready for spring I bet winter just keeps going even though as I write this message it is the middle of March. I just want to say thank you to all of you who participated in the Membership blitz, so far we have two new members and quite a few interested men (imagine if we all participated).

Our Knight of the month for March is Bob Tartaglia. He does a great job helping out with spaghetti dinners and he was there to help with the membership drive. Is there anyone out there who would like to be Knight of the Month? Come out and join us for an event.

We will be hosting a beef and beer at the hall next month for our Church to help pay for the sound system. Please come out and be a part of it. Men I realize everyone has a busy life sometimes being a knight can be hard but try to make it out for a meeting or say hi to me in Church I would really like to get to know all of you.

Vivat Jesus,

Pete Cote, GK pcotewp@aol.com



Beef & Beef Coming

Hello Worthy Brothers,

I would like to let you know that the beef and beer for our Church will be held on April 28 and the cost will be \$25.00. PGK Jim Berg will be chairing this event, I'm sure everyone will be eager to attend this event as well as lend a hand where needed. Please let all your friends and family know about this, lets make it a success. We are here to help that's what we do it makes us feel good!

Vivat Jesus,

Pete Cote, GK pcotewp@aol.com



COUNCIL NEWS

Knight Of The Month

Brother Bob Tartaglia has been awarded the prize for the month of February for all his work on the monthly Spaghetti Dinners; assisting with the Squire Program and his speaking at the Membership Blitz 2 weekends ago.

CONGRATULATIONS ON A JOB WELL DONE BOB!

The Grand Knight wishes to remind all Council members that they can nominate any Brother for this honor by sending him an email with a brief description of why you feel your nominee is worthy of this award!

Good Luck and Best Wishes to all!!

Tim Ewing, President, Maple Shade Home Association timothy.j.ewing@gmail.com

Council Updates By Text

If you would like to stay informed of Council events via Text Messages, please send me your name and cell phone number and I will add you to the database. There is no cost to participate, but, remember your carrier may charge you depending on your contract. This is an Opt In program! I will NOT automatically enroll any Council member. Please send your information to Treasurer@KofC5714.org or mail your info to the Council using PO Box 294, Maple Shade, NJ 08052!

Tim Ewing, President, Maple Shade Home Association timothy.j.ewing@gmail.com

FOURTH DEGREE NEWS

The April John Tatham Assembly meeting will take place on Wednesday, April 11th. The evening will begin with a Cocktail Hour at 6:30, Dinner at 7:30 and the meeting at 8:30. Dress is jacket and tie and the cost of the dinner is \$20.00.

Next month we will be holding nominations for ALL assembly officers. Any Fourth Degree member who would like to run for an office should be at the May meeting. If you cannot be at the meeting, please contact any member who will be there or talk to me. Iwill enter your nomination at the meeting.

Any Third Degree member who wishes to take his Fourth Degree should see me for an application. The once a year Exemplification will take place this fall at the Crown Plaza Hotel in Cherry Hill. If you have any questions or need additional information, call 609-560-1209.

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

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

Council Information Links

Council # 5714 Website www.KofC5714.org

Council #5714 on Facebook www.Facebook.com/KofC5714

The Maple Room Website www.MapleRoomNJ.com (Still Under Construction)

The Maple Room on Facebook www.facebook.com/MapleRoomMapleShade

HOME ASSOCIATION NEWS

The Home Association met back on March 12th the Members Room with main topics of discussion being as follows:

First, the current cash position of the Home Association is strong, BUT I must stress that this is on the strength of transferring \$4,000 from the Fidelity Account to the Sun National Bank Operating Account. We held \$ 552 in Fidelity as a small reserve.

Second, the new Property & Liability Insurance Policy is in force and the down payment has successfully been drafted from our account to the tune of \$1,800. The current monthly premium is \$526 and will also be drafted on the 8th of every month for the next 9 months. Cash Flow becomes vital to making sure the Association continues to survive!

Third, we have experienced a sudden inflow of bookings for the months of March and April. Three out of four Saturday evenings are booked for April, with a O.L.P.H. Sound System Fundraiser tentatively scheduled for the 4th Saturday. The bad news is we are a little thin for the months of May, June & July! Keep talking up the Maple Room to family, friends, and coworkers and be sure to mention us on social media! I am looking to publish a Maple Room flyer in the Parish Bulletin in the next couple of weeks!

Fraternally,

Tim Ewing, President, Maple Shade Home Association timothy.j.ewing@gmail.com



Maple Room Update

Thank God the bookings for the Maple Room seem to be slowly picking up steam. However we cannot cease in our efforts to bring the Maple Room to the attention of everyone in and around Maple Shade.

Please mention our wonderful hall whenever possible and let us continue to get the word out.

Thank you and may you and your families have a Blessed and Happy Easter !!!

God Bless You,

Bob Tartaglia, PGK rtartaglia740@gmail.com or 609-410-0424

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 email navigator5714@gmail.com or have someone do so for you if you do not have email.

SICK LIST

Jack Acker, Jr. Deacon Joe Card Sam Cerasi Jack Ehmann

Anthony Martino John Obuchowski Pete Ranjo, Sr.

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

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

John Acker, Jr.	Thomas Reinhart		
Frank Debellis	George Ritchie		
William English	John Ruth		
James Fleming	Joseph Schwantes		
John Hopkins, Jr.	Michael Sprindis		
Wayne Kenney	Charles Timony		
Thomas McGonigle	Raymond York		

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.

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

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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		
I	Easter Sunday				All Day		
3	Officers Meeting @ The Maple Room				7:30 PM		
9	Home Association Meeting @ The Maple Room				7:30 PM		
10	Business Meeting @ The Maple Room				7:30 PM (7:10 PM Rosary)		
П	Fourth Degree Business Meeting @ The Maple Room				8:30 PM		
17	Social Night @ The Maple Room				7:00 PM		
18	Surge for Service Meeting @ The Maple Room				7:30 PM		
22	Earth Day				All Day		