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Greenville, SC 29615



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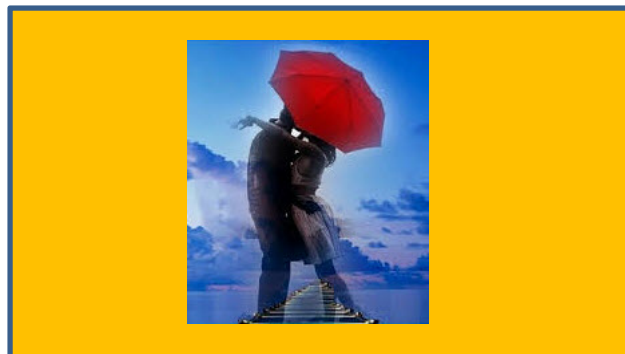
Introduction

By Don Thurlow, Chairman

February's Love makes your soul crawl out from its hiding place - Zora Neale Hurston

You know you're in love when you can't fall asleep because reality is finally better than your dreams (Dr. Seuss)

We now are fully into February, usually considered the month of love and there is hustle and bustle in the Hallmark, Publix and other greeting card stores. Why is that? Could it be that we have something here on earth that is worth loving. Just think about the love of a dedicated Mother for her child; we all got here due to the love of our Mother, some challenges to be sure, but we as humans are supposed to reflect the eternal love given to us by Almighty God. The two greatest commandments? First, “You shall Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all soul and with all your mind”. Second, “You shall love your neighbor as yourself”



FEBRUARY LOVE?, The Northwest & Surrounding

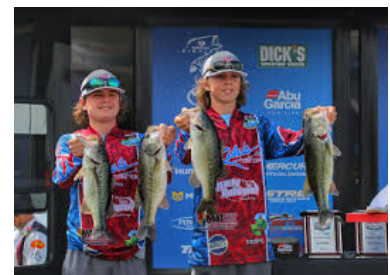
History Lovers? - STUMPHOUSE TUNNEL

An incomplete railroad tunnel for the Blue Ridge Railroad. First proposed in 1835 by residents of Charleston as a new & shorter route between Charleston and the Ohio Valley. In late 1850s construction was successful until hitting the mountains in Oconee County. Stumphouse Tunnel was begun and didn't get very far; construction was stopped after 1,617 feet in 1859 as over a million dollars had been spent. In the early 1950s the tunnel was used by Clemson to grow blue cheese until an air conditioned room was built on campus. It is now a public park and registered on the National Register of Historic Places.



Fish Lovers? - LAKE HARTWELL APRIL 2019

Classics, including one last March 2018 that attracted a record 143,323 fans, but never a regular-season tournament on the Bassmaster Elite Series circuit. April 4-7, 2019, the 56,000-acre reservoir will host an Elite Series event for the first time. Hartwell was included when the complete 2019 Elite Series regular-season schedule was announced by B.A.S.S officials. We're beyond excited here in Anderson Conty!



Off-Road Lovers? - JUMPING-OFF-ROCK

Jumping-Off-Rock, an iconic viewpoint above Lake Jocassee within the Jocassee Gorges in northern Pickens County, can now be accessed all year round. The Jumping-Off-Rock area is one of the prime destinations on Jocassee. It has beautiful views and supports one of South Carolina's two pairs of nesting peregrine falcons. When the falcons assumed residency six years ago a new overlook was created near Jumping-Off-Rock to avoid disturbance of the nesting falcons. The overlook is one of the most remarkable vistas in the Upstate. The beautiful view of Lake Jocassee and the Blue Ridge Mountains is truly a must see!



FEBRUARY LOVE?, The Northwest & Surrounding

White Water Rafting Lovers? - WILDWATER CHATTOOGA

Nestled in the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains within Oconee County, the Chattooga River, made infamous in the 1971 movie classic "Deliverance", flows south along the state border of South Carolina and Georgia. **Bull Sluice** is the prominent rapid on the river. Section 3 rapids and one big rapid at the end, is an easy stretch suitable for ages 8+. Section 4 is the pinnacle of Southeastern white water with its famous Five Falls of tight, technical Class 4 and 4+ rapids in a beautiful gorge; suitable for ages 12+. Ziplining is also a highlight through the Chattooga Ridge Canopy Tours where you fly through the trees overlooking the Chattooga River Valley.



Energy Lovers? - WORLD OF ENERGY

Whether you are looking to fill an hour or spend an entire afternoon, the World of Energy keeps you entertained and informed. Begin with a tour of the educational exhibits inside the education center. In addition, there's as much to see outside. With three nuclear reactors, Oconee Nuclear Station is one of the nation's largest nuclear plants. Since beginning operation in 1973, it has safely and reliably generated more than 500 million megawatt-hours of electricity. Don't forget to pack a lunch as the picnic shelter overlooks the beautiful shores of Lake Keowee and is the perfect way to end a visit to the World of Energy!



Train Lovers? - HUB CITY TRAIN MUSEUM

Take a step back into history and learn about how the railroads were connected to the textile & peach industries in SC. Check out the display about the Hayne Car Shops that once employed 1,100 to maintain the Southern Railway's fleet of railroad cars. The trackside observation deck is available to view the Norfolk Southern trains that pass by the depot. Also featured are the individual railroads of Southern, Clinchfield, C&WC, P&N and Glenn Springs.



EXPEDITIONS!

Merriam-Webster defines EXPEDITION as *"...a group of people who travel together to a distant place"*. What possible fun can you have with a group of people that have similar interests?

On Saturday, 4/27 after the Ladies Brunch, we will have 3 expeditions, courtesy of the Greenville Hilton to places of wonder, amazement and fun!



Currently, the schedule is

Seats in the Bus-Depart	12:30pm
Destination	1:00pm
Expedition	1:00pm-4:00pm
Seats in the Bus-Return	4:00pm
Return	4:30pm

There will be sign up sheets available on Friday, April 26, 2019 during registration.

When reaching your destination, that will be the same location that the Hilton bus will pick up! Ensure that you are at that location at least 10mins. prior to the pickup time.



EXPEDITIONS

Travel to Exciting Places

On Saturday, April 27, we'll have transportation available for you to go and explore a small taste of Greenville.

So that we don't miss the important Mass that will be held late in the afternoon at the Greenville Hilton, we need you to be aware of your pickup at the location by which you were dropped off. You must be there for pickup no later than 3:50pm for departure at 4:00pm.

You may choose your destination from:

- Magnolia Park
- Downtown Greenville
- Haywood Mall



Ride in Style

April 27. 2019 12:30pm-4:00pm

Samples of the sign-up sheets are included on next pages. You need to sign-up at registration on April 26th

Sheets will be emailed to Grand Knights if you wish to bring them with you.



EXPEDITIONS

Travel to Exciting Places



Knights of Columbus
2019 Wine & Paint Sign Up



Wine and Paint



Sunflower "Simply Blessed" or "Enjoy every Moment"

Join art instructor Anita Dolman for 2 1/2 hours of relaxing "step-by-step" painting while enjoying a glass of wine or soft drinks. Paint the beautiful "Simply Blessed" design on a keepsake wood plank. **Beginners welcome!**

What a great way to spend an afternoon with friends!

There is a 10 person minimum. The cost is \$40 per person.

To sign-up, please add your name and council number below

Name _____

Council _____

Payment is due at the door. You may cancel up to April 15, 2019.

After April 15th, you will be committed to the fee.

Please send this flyer in with the council's convention registration.

2019 98th State Convention April 26-28, 2019
Greenville, SC

EXPEDITION – Out to the South

April 27th, 2019

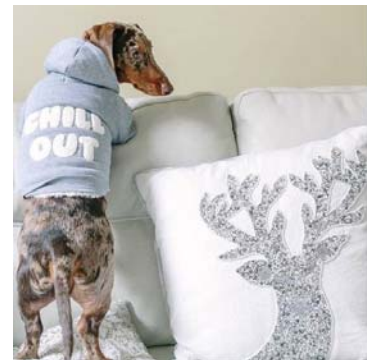


JOIN US AT CABELA'S IN THE MAGNOLIA PARK

Cabela's is located at the Magnolia Park Center. Here, you will find a myriad of destinations; Apparel, Dining, Entertainment, Health & Beauty, Home Furnishing, Jewelry and Sporting Goods! Cabela's is more than just an outdoor store, it's an experience, and they are looking forward to having you visit and enjoy their vast selection of clothing for all occasions; home decorations, unique gift selections for that special someone and they have specials for those from Knights of Columbus.

For those that visit this Saturday, 4/27, and have the special flyer in your registration bag, they will enter you to win raffle prizes. You must be a convention attendee in the store to enter and **WIN!**

If you wish to participate here, we will have Expedition sign up sheets when you register at the hotel on Friday, April 26.



EXPEDITIONS

Travel to Exciting Places



Knights of Columbus
2019 Expeditions Sign Up
Magnolia Park



ALL EXPEDITIONS LEAVE FROM THE GREENVILLE HILTON AT
12:30PM

YOU ARE TO BE SITTING IN THE BUS NO LATER THAN 12:20PM.

THIS BUS WILL BE STOPPING IN MAGNOLIA PARK AT



YOU WILL BE RESPONSIBLE TO BE BACK AT THE SAME DROP OFF
LOCATION AND SITTING IN THE BUS NO LATER THAN 4:15PM FOR
DEPARTURE AT 4:30PM

Name: _____

Cell No. _____

EXPEDITION – Out to the West Haywood Mall

April 27th, 2019



Welcome to Haywood Mall where you'll find the latest in electronics, home décor and apparel trends. Haywood Mall promises you a spectacular shopping experience in our multi-level, climate controlled, indoor mall featuring more than 130 shops. Brands including Apple, Banana Republic, Francesca's Collection, Michael Kors, Sephora and Williams-Sonoma are anchored by Belk, Dillard's, Macy's, JCPenney and Sears. Haywood Mall also offers a variety of exciting dining options including Grill Marks, and South Carolina's only Cheesecake Factory. Centered in the Upstate communities of Greenville, Greer, Taylors, Simpsonville & Easley, Haywood Mall is located at the intersection of I-385 and Haywood Road. The Haywood Mall team invites you to see why we are the favorite shopping destination of the Upstate!

If you wish to participate here, we will have Expedition sign up sheets when you register at the hotel on Friday, April 26.

EXPEDITIONS

Travel to Exciting Places

 **Knights of Columbus**
2019 Expeditions Sign Up
Haywood Mall 

**ALL EXPEDITIONS LEAVE FROM THE GREENVILLE HILTON AT
12:30PM**

YOU ARE TO BE SITTING IN THE BUS NO LATER THAN 12:20PM.

THIS BUS WILL BE STOPPING IN HAYWOOD MALL AT



**YOU WILL BE RESPONSIBLE TO BE BACK AT THE SAME DROP OFF
LOCATION AND SITTING IN THE BUS NO LATER THAN 4:15PM FOR
DEPARTURE AT 4:30PM**

Name: _____

Cell No. _____

EXPEDITION – Out to the far West Downtown Greenville Main Street April 27th, 2019



Known for its exceptional beauty, the two most distinctive natural features of downtown Greenville are its lush, tree-lined Main Street and the stunning Reedy River Falls, located in the heart of [Falls Park](#). The award-winning Liberty Bridge in Falls Park serves as Greenville's signature postcard setting, and downtown's extensive collection of public artwork adds beauty and energy to its public spaces.

Greenville has focused on creating a vibrant downtown that is authentic, sustainable and most importantly, for people. With wide sidewalks, outdoor plazas and street side dining, downtown Greenville offers a pedestrian-friendly atmosphere that has been compared to that of a European city.



If you wish to participate here, we will have Expedition sign up sheets when you register at the hotel on Friday, April 26.

EXPEDITIONS

Travel to Exciting Places



Knights of Columbus
2019 Expeditions Sign Up
Greenville Downtown



**ALL EXPEDITIONS LEAVE FROM THE GREENVILLE HILTON AT
12:30PM**

YOU ARE TO BE SITTING IN THE BUS NO LATER THAN 12:20PM.

**THIS BUS WILL BE STOPPING AT GREENVILLE DOWNTOWN AT THE
CORNER OF MAIN AND COFFEE STREETS**

**YOU WILL BE RESPONSIBLE TO BE BACK AT THE SAME DROP OFF
LOCATION AND SITTING IN THE BUS NO LATER THAN 4:15PM FOR
DEPARTURE AT 4:30PM**

Name: _____

Cell No. _____

2019 KofC State Convention

SHOW YOUR COLORS! ...it SO Easy

These shirts are available NOW, online at

These shirts are available NOW, online at

What have I said?

These shirts are available NOW, online at 5 Colors

<https://kofcstate2019.itemorder.com>



This year's Convention shirts are in two styles.

First style is a Polo Shirt with the 2019 convention logo over the heart. This shirt may be purchased in 5 different colors and is made from 100% Soft Polyester moisture management/antimicrobial performance fabric. It also has UVA and UVB sun protection in areas covered by the shirt (UPF 50+)

Your second choice is a polyester-blend Tee-Shirt. This shirt features a seamless double-needle $\frac{3}{4}$ neck and taped neck and shoulders. It also has a rolled forward shoulders for a fantastic fit along with double-needle sleeves and hem.

These shirts are available NOW, online at

<https://kofcstate2019.itemorder.com>

We encourage that you order one of each to demonstrate your support for Knight of Columbus. Current political issues this year, we need to show our support to Catholicity and all that the Knights stand for. Wear them proudly!!

The shirts that you order will be available at the Convention Registration Desk at the time of registration. Alternatively you can have them early shipped to your home for a nominal fee.

STATE-WIDE BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Are you building your business? This is a efficient, easy and productive way to do just that!

Brothers:

The South Carolina Business Directory (SCBD) is a great opportunity for Knights and their immediate family members to advertise their business, business services, or other professional services across the state of South Carolina. The SCBD will provide a listing by both profession, location and by region, e.g. area code. When someone needs a plumber, wants to buy a house, a car, buy from an on-line store or needs to find help that they can have more trust in, who better to contact than a brother Knight or their family member?

This is brothers supporting brothers in their professional life.

The SCBD will be distributed to every knight in South Carolina via the Grand Knights and our state website (almost 10,000 strong). We will also send a copy to each parish so we will be reaching the 100+ parishes in South Carolina.

All of this coverage costs only \$10 annually. The period starts May 1 and ends April 30th each year. Renewals will go out in Jan-Feb each year to insure constant coverage.

All of the proceeds from the SCBD will go to South Carolina State Convention Committee so they can use the income to help create great state conventions experiences for brothers and their families.

Please help the State Convention Committee spread the word about this terrific opportunity for all of us to support our brothers in their professional lives.

VIVAT JESUS!

Ron

Ron Stanley
State Convention Director

STATE-WIDE BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Sample of information required as online access will be available shortly. Reporting access will also be available with designated reports; this is a sample!

COUNCIL #: _____ DISTRICT #: _____

FIRST NAME: _____

LAST NAME: _____

BUSINESS NAME: _____

BUSINESS TYPE: _____

BUSINESS DESCRIPTION: _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS: _____

BUSINESS CITY: _____ ST: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

WEBSITE: _____

Checks should be made out to: SC State 2019 Convention Committee

Please send this form and payment to:

John Paluszak
321 Windsong Drive
Greenville, SC 29615

1 Listing for 1 year \$10 2 years \$18

*Please use one sheet per Business Registration form
for multiple listing use multiple forms*

EXPLORE Upstate Places

SUMMARY

I'm aware that we're quickly closing in on the end of February, but keep in mind:

- **During this time of Love, focus on loving more than just those closest to YOU!**

Your convention committee is working very hard to make your visit to the Northwest Territory a memorable experience. We hope that many from each Council will be able to attend and participate in the meetings as well as the "Expeditions" that we've planned for you and your families. We've planned food and drink for your hospitality relaxation and enjoyment.

The Hilton is currently accepting reservations for your stay 4/26-4/28/2019 and you can call (800) 445-8667 and use the group code "Knights of Columbus". The room rate is \$127/night.

Themes:

- February - "Love" February
- March - Windy City
- April - Famous Faces

*God of love, Father of all,
the darkness that covered the earth
has given way to the bright dawn of your Word made flesh.
Make us a people of this light.
Make us faithful to your Word,
that we may bring your life to the waiting world.
Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen*

