



# *Knights of Columbus*

## Western Metroplex Chapter January 2011 Newsletter

### **January Meeting:**

The January meeting, **Wednesday 01/26/11**, of the Western Metroplex Chapter will be hosted by **Council 2813 in Ft. Worth**. The meeting will begin at 8:00 PM with a meal starting at 7:00 PM.

The meeting will be held at Co. 2813 Council Hall located at 4500 Columbus Trl. in south Ft. Worth. The Hall is west of S. Hulen on Columbus Trl. As always, Google it or put the address in your GPS.

- The Ft. Worth Diocesan Conference meeting will be this Saturday, January 22<sup>nd</sup> at Council Hall 2813. Registration is from 8:00-9:00am. Lunch will follow the presentations. Grand Knights, Deputy Grand Knights, Program Directors and any other council members are encourage to attend.
- The Ft Worth Diocesan level Free Throw competition will be Saturday, February 12<sup>th</sup> at Nolan High School. Nolan is located at 4501 Bridge St. in Ft. Worth. Registration will be from 12:00 -1:00pm with the competition starting at 1:00pm. Please make sure the athletes have their score sheet and a copy of their birth certificate. If the athlete is not there by 1:00pm, he/she will not be able to participate. Tie breaker shots will be done after each age group complete their shots. I will need a lot of help with this so I am asking for your help. If you can, please be there and if your children, grandchildren or you know of some youth that need some volunteer hours for confirmation, NHS, or any other club, please bring them.
- I need a council to host the April 27<sup>th</sup> Chapter meeting. Granbury council had to cancel due to a scheduling conflict.
- See the below the message about Bishop's conference and the need for drivers. A volunteer form is also attached.
- The February meeting will be Wednesday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> at Co. 7641 Bedford.
- I look forward to seeing you at the Chapter Meeting Wednesday, January 26<sup>th</sup> at Co. 2813 Hall in Ft. Worth.

Pat Henz  
Chapter President

### **Vice President Corner:**

Chapter Dues are due so please be prepared to pay them. For those who are not present, the dues notices will be mailed to the FS. **Please include your three delegates and their email address.** Dues payments are as follows: Membership 0-50 is \$30; 51-100 is \$60, 101-200 is \$90 and 201+ is \$120. The council membership will be according to Supreme's roster on July 1.

### **Major Degree**

- The next Major Degree will be February 19<sup>th</sup> in Ft. Worth Co. 2813 – see attached flier. Following this one will be May 7<sup>th</sup> at Co. 759 in Keller.

### **Ft. Worth Diocesan Conference**

- The Ft. Worth Diocesan Conference will be held Saturday, January 22, 2011. It will be held at Co. 2813 Hall at 4500 Columbus Trl. Registration begins at 8:00am with the Conference starting at 9:00am. Lunch for attendees will follow the conference. This is for all GK, DGK, and any other council members wanting to learn more about the latest programs from Supreme and the State. Our Diocesan Deputy will give more details at the Chapter Meeting.

Knights of Columbus International Amateur Golf Tournament is June 12-17 in Lafayette Louisiana. Boyd Burris will have more information on this as he is the main contact person for this event.

### **Bishop Conference Info.**

The National Catholic Bioethics Center (NCBC) has selected Dallas for their 2011 Bishop's workshop to be held February 13-17, 2011. The workshop will be held at the Omni Mandalay Hotel at Las Colinas located at 221 E Las Colinas Blvd, Irving, Texas. The Bishops will start arriving for the NEA Conference which begins on February 10th. The meetings will involve a number of Bishops from the United States, Mexico, Central America, South America and the Caribbean.

We are asking each Grand Knight and Faithful Navigator to coordinate this effort to solicit drivers and airport greeters, and distribute the enclosed Volunteer Form. We need the Volunteer Form to be completed and returned to the address shown on the form, no later than January 10, 2011. You are welcome to make additional copies as needed. Driver/greeter assignments will be mailed no later than January 25, 2011. Also enclosed is a suggested article to include in your council/assembly newsletter to solicit drivers.

The majority of drivers and airport greeters are needed on Monday, February 13, 2011; however several drivers will also be needed from Thursday, February 10 thru Thursday, February 17, 2011 for pick up and/or returns. We are estimating about 20 for the NEA meeting and 200 for the NCBC workshop. Drivers are also encouraged to assist in return transportation, particularly on Wednesday, February 16<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, February 17<sup>th</sup>. Drivers can either indicate their availability to help with returns on the enclosed "Volunteer Form" or sign up when they receive their pick up assignment. If the drivers have a van, please indicate on the volunteer form, as well as the number of passengers each driver can accommodate.

### **Dates to Remember:**

**January 26<sup>th</sup> Chapter Meeting – Co. 2813 hall Ft. Worth**

### **2011**

**February 23<sup>rd</sup> Chapter Meeting – Co. 7641 Bedford**

**March 30<sup>th</sup> Chapter Meeting – Co. 7736 Mansfield**

**April 27<sup>th</sup> Chapter Meeting – ????**

**May 22<sup>th</sup> Chapter Meeting – Munster**

**June 29<sup>th</sup> Chapter Meeting – Co. 759 Keller**



**Western Metroplex Chapter**  
**Minutes of the, 12,15,10 Meeting at 4709**

*The meeting was called to order at 800 PM by the President, Pat Henz.*

*A prayer was offered by. Host G.K.*

*The Pledge of Allegiance was conducted. Yes.*

**Roll call of Officers:** *Luther Norton excused, all others present*

**President's Report:** *Thanked all the cooks for a good meal, Luther Norton is giving up his V.P. office, It is open if anyone who wants to be V.P. please call pat. Please keep Luther & his wife Mary Ann in your Prayers.*

**Vice President's Report:** *No Report.*

**Reading of the minutes from the previous meeting:** *Approved as printed. Yes*

**Special Report:**

**Treasurer's Report:** *No report given.*

**Council Reports:**

**District: 11.**

**2123:** *No Report.*

**9634:** *No Report.*

**11638:** *No Report.*

**8464:** *No Report.*

**District: 12.**

**7264:** *1/22/11 hike for life, Corp. Comm. End of Jan., held tootsie roll drive.*

**8468:** *No Report.*

**9748:** *No Report.*

**10816:** *No Report.*

**District: 13.**

**759:** *12/10 Catering event, 12/12 Burritos & Sausage Sun., 12/16 Christmas Social, 1/6/11 Bus. Meeting, 1/20/11 Officers Meeting, 2/20/11 Blood Drive, 3/26/11 Major Degree.*

**4101:** *No Report.*

**7641:** *Delivered poinsettias to our deceased members widows, 12/16 hosting a Christmas party, 12/19 Breakfast with Santa at St. Michaels, 12/31 New Year's Eve dance, 1/7/11 monthly fish fry, 1/9/11 holding a Corp. Comm., 2/26/11 doing Vegas night.*

**9644:** *No Report.*

**District: 14.**

**8895:** *No Report.*

**9299:** *Having a social planning meeting, this Sat. having Christmas party.*

**7736:** *Having a blitz next month, sending care packages to members family in our service.*

**14549:** No Report.

**13363:** No Report.

**District: 15.**

**2813:** Doing football at the hall & 4<sup>th</sup>. Degree meeting, 1/26/11 having chapter meeting, 2/19/11 having a major degree.

**4709:** The cooks for the meal where Mark & Lilly & Mandy Weasl, Victor & Belinda Vela, Joe & Shirley Chaves, 12/19 Kids Christmas party, 12/31 new years eve party, 1 St. degree 12/16/10.

**7458:** Helped transfer the silver rose, 11/13 Had fund raiser dance at the American Legion hall.

**7175:** 12/12 Christmas party, Held Christmas Mass for deceased members.

**District: 16.**

**14339:** Had a good Christmas party, having a meat raffle 40 & 2/ 30 Lbs. tickets \$1 or 6 for \$5.

**1167:** No Report.

**1459:** Having party at nursing home & will go to hospital & sing songs there to, Having 4 wheel raffle.

**11905:** No Report.

**District: 19.**

**7099:** 12/12 Tamale sales with Hispanic ministry, 2/5/11 Free Throw.

**8493:** Held blood drive & Pancake breakfast.

**9884:** 12/5 Membership blitz, 12/16 Christmas party.

**13408:** 12/20 Christmas party, 12/31 New Year's eve party.

**District: 20.**

**11423:** 11/7 had a pancake breakfast, 11/19 1<sup>st</sup>. degree, 11/30 held spaghetti dinner, 1/28/11 1<sup>st</sup>. degree

**8512:** Worked T.M.S., Held membership blitz, Held veterans day picnic, Christmas party last Sun., 11/15 held volunteers dinner, started scholarship fund.

**14679:** Christmas party tomorrow night, did good on book sales, having golf tournament in Jan.

**District: 21.**

**9868:** 12/11 Council Christmas party, T.B.A. Council free throw, 1/20-23 men's Retreat at Montserrat.

**10930:** 11/26 Parade of lights, 12/3 River Oaks Parade, 12/4 River Oaks fundraiser, 12/4 Council Christmas party, 12/14 Presentation by Laura Sotelo from Catholic Charities, 1/11/11 1<sup>st</sup>. Degree, 1/12 Council free throw.

**12575:** No Report.

**District: 22**

**2045:** No Report.

**4771:** No Report.

**14789:** Held a mixer, nothing from our council for the next month we are in finals,

**12553:** No Report.

**District: 23** All Four Council's are Dormant.

**8347:**

**9503:**

**12445:**

**9548:**

**District: 24**

**6269:** having a 1<sup>st</sup>. degree tomorrow night at the hall.

**10375:** No Report.

**13470:** No Report.

**11230:** No Report.

**4<sup>th</sup> Degree Assembly Reports:**

**3<sup>rd</sup>. Texas District Rep: Ruben Cisneros:** Next Exmp. for the 4<sup>th</sup>. Degree are 4/30/11 & 10/1/11.

**Cardinal O'Connor:2662:** Color Corp. for Veterans Day In the Colony, casino night party in Denton, 12/20 Christmas party, C.C. 12/11 Our Lady of Guadalupe in Carrollton, 12/12 in the Colony.

**General Worth: 1089:** We were in Veterans Day parade, held Memorial Mass on Thanksgiving Day, 12/18 Christmas party.

**L.W. McKenna: 2043:** No Report.

**Mary Queen of Peace: 2112:** We marched in community parade in Mansfield, We met the troops each Month.

**One Nation Under God: 2958:** No Report.

**Pope Paul VI: 2291:** No Report.

**Lee Wolf: 2720:** Hosted running of the rose & feed everyone & feed everyone after.

**San Juan Diego: 2857:** 1/9/11 holding a re-ob, 1/12 Bus. Meeting, 1/15 Meet the troops, 1/16 pancake Breakfast, 1/20 pro-life mass at St. Michael's, 1/22 pro-life bus trip to Austin, 1/23 honor guard at S.E.A.S, 2/7 ladies appreciation dinner.

**James Gallagher:** 12/20 Rotating meetings between St. Ann & St. Andrew.

#### **Insurance Reports:**

**John Regan:** No Report.

**Nels Pearson:** No Report.

#### **District Deputy Reports:**

**11 – Charles Renner:** No Report.

**12 – Dan Delgado:** No Report.

**13 – Andy Bahl:** No Report.

**14 – Carlos Ortiz:** No Report.

**15 – Duane Oefinger:** 12/16 1<sup>st</sup>. degree at 4709, 2/19/11 Major degree at 2813.

**16 – Ken Braziel:** 14339 has a intrem G.K., all my council's have made their charity goal, we are trying To reactivate a 4 degree assembly in the Munster area.

**17 – Greg Frost:** No Report.

**18 –**

**19 – Craig Modrzywski:** Talked about Bishop Pick up we need help.

**20 – George Webster:** 1/22/11 holding free throw at St. Rita's, 1/29 1<sup>st</sup>. degree at St. Rita's.

**21 – John Thibodeau:** 1/11 1<sup>st</sup>. Degree, see schedule on Field Agents website.

**22- David Petty:** *No Report.*

**23- Boyd Burris:** *No Report.*

**24- Jack Schooley:** *No Report.*

**Diocesan Deputy Report: Tony Fontanelli:** *The midyear Diocesan Training Conference is on 1/22/11 At 2813 from 9 Am to 12:30 PM, lunch following. 12/16 we will have 2 1<sup>st</sup>. degrees, one at 6269 at 7 PM & the other at 4709 at Beach & Yucca, We have a good start on charity keep it up.*

**Diocesan Team Leaders:**

**Charity: Leonard Gruca:** *Reported on the R.A. dinner & the bowl a thon all went very well Dues are due please pay them, we are at 56% of charity, we have 18 quick start council's.*

**Culture of Life: Joe Jordan:** *No Report.*

**Youth & Squires: Pat Henz:** *Soccer challenge is over, free throw is on 2/11/11 at U.N.T.*

**Special Olympics: Carlos Ortiz:** *No Report.*

**Vocations: Leroy Lay:** *No Report.*

**Clergy Support: Jerry Price:** *No Report.*

**State Reports:**

**Football Tickets: Dennis Stark:** *Football tickets if you have some send them back to me*

**Educ. & Training: Craig Modrzywski:** *Fraternal survey & Special Olympics reports are due, New sheet to outline suspension handed out at mid-year meeting please review it. B.P.U.P drivers Are needed, please help if you can.*

**Fund Raising, All Councils Active: Boyd Burris:** *Form 2630 for round tables is due in June call Me if you need help, Reactivation of council 8347 is going well.*

**Collage Council's: Tony Gutierrez:** *We are trying to reactivate St. Thomas More council, we are on School Break.*

**Past State Deputy: Leo Hanus:** *10/15 11 we will have a hike for life, 8/6/13 Supreme convention in San Antonio TX.*

**Old Business:** *It was reported by Pat Henz that John Malachi needs help with the Fort Worth Degree team help if you can.*

**New Business:** *Motion made for 250.00 for a full page ad for the state convention, it was 2<sup>nd</sup>. Vote taken And passed, Motion made for \$100.00 for expense for free throw, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Vote taken & passed*

**Ladies Report:** *We had a good meeting.*

**Next Meeting(s):** 2813 at 8pm.

**Good of the Order:** *Joe Grimaldo,*

**Repose of the Souls:** *Mariana Francisca Villegas-Singleton, Fr. Carl Szura, Thomas Holtz Cal Echols, Bobby McWilliams, Lorraine Brown, Fred Bolliger, Alva Marie Dennison.*

**Prayers and Special Intentions:** *Jerald Floyd, Larry Kral, Jerry Harkness, David Dorrsick, Larry Steacy, Lillian Connole, John Murphy, Jeffard & Mary Jeffries, Our Military, Rachel De Rosario, Fernando & Lucda & Diego De Lawanago, Betty Zipper, Mark Zipper, Denise Martinez, Lillian Connole, Gwendolyn Washington, Fr. Thu Nguyen, Don Harahan, Eric Linton, Mary Ann Norton, Steve Fischer, John Shiffer, Gwen Wills, Pat Gruca, Jack Bibbs, Lonnie Tubbs, James Carter, Ronnie Borton, Amalia Cisneros, Charlie Phillips, Betty Young, Pat Trace, Bruce Mallory, Tom Garcia, B. J. Fenoglio.*

**Closing Prayer:** *Host D.D.*

**Meeting was adjourned:** *At. 9:15 PM.*

***Respectfully submitted:***

***Keith Lefever***  
***Secretary***





# Knights of Columbus

BISHOP DUNNE COUNCIL, No. 2813  
P.O. Box 331886  
Fort Worth, Texas 76163

January 10, 2011

Worthy Grand Knights and District Deputies,

It is my pleasure to announce that the Knights of Columbus Council, Bishop Dunne Council 2813, will be hosting a Major Degree on Saturday February 19, 2011. All activities will be held at the Council Hall, 4500 Columbus Trail, Fort Worth, TX

## Schedule of Events:

### Time:

8:00

8:30

Following mass

10:30 Sharp

### Activity:

Registration, then a pause for mass

Mass

Registration (Continuing) and breakfast

Conferring of Candidates into 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Degrees

Knighting Ceremony and lunch. Candidates and families will eat free, all others will be charged \$5.00 per person.

The dress day will be what you would wear to Sunday Mass, but **please no shorts flip flops, tee shirts, ball caps or tank tops**. Remember that the Fort Worth Chapter is a leader in the state for tradition and this event will be considered as such.

For additional information and details, please contact one of the following:

Host Grand Knight:	Jack Bibbs	817-249-3215
Host District Deputy	Duane Oefinger, PGK	817-426-1290
Officer of the Day	John Malachi, PGK	817-293-8897
Host Field Agent	Andrew Wheaton	817-706-6879

A Passion to Serve,

Duane Oefinger PGK  
District Deputy #15  
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Jack Bibbs  
Grand Knight  
[Jacklbibbs@aol.com](mailto:Jacklbibbs@aol.com)





# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Council #:		(Please check your available times)		
Name:			Driver	Greeter
Passenger Capacity:		Anytime-	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Address:		Thursday (2/10)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
City/State/Zip:		Friday (2/11)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
E-Mail Address:		Saturday (2/12)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Work Phone#:		Sunday (2/13)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Home Phone #:		Monday AM (2/14)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cell Phone#:		Monday PM (2/14)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Tuesday (2/15)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Wednesday (2/16)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Comments:			Return Drivers:	
		Wednesday (2/16)	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		Thursday (2/17)	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		Anytime-	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		If you prefer to pick up a specific Bishop, please indicate his name and Diocese:		

Send or email the completed form to:

**David & Connie Kerr**  
**5412 Gregory Drive**  
**Flower Mond, TX 75028**  
**Email: DKerr65361@aol.com**

# Texas State Council



## FREE THROW CHAMPIONSHIP



Date: March 5, 2011

Where: Antonian High School

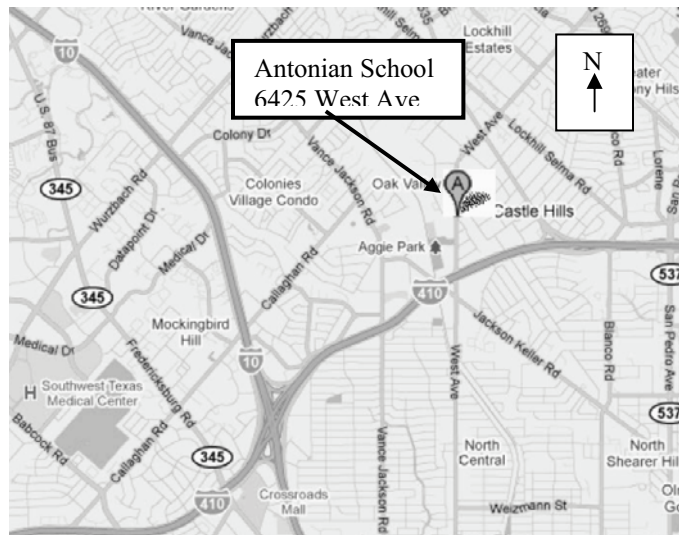
6425 West Avenue, San Antonio, Texas

Times: Registration: 8:00 to 9:30 AM

Competition Start: 9:30 AM

For Additional Info call: Jesse Aguilar @ (210) 464-5601

Directions: NW Loop 410 exit West Ave (North) 0.3 Mile to school.



### Near-by Hotels:

1. La Quinta, 5922 West Ave @I-10 (210) 734-7931
2. Marriott, Northwest, 3233 NW Loop 410 (210) 7377-3900
3. Holiday Inn-Airport, 77 NE Loop 410 (210) 349-9900
4. Sleep Inn, 8318 W. I-10, (210) 344-5400