

The Knights' Time

ST. ROBERT BELLARMINE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BLUE SPRINGS, MO

St. Robert Bellarmine **Knights of Columbus Council #14745**

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The Grand Knight's Corner

My Brother Knights:

Being a Knight and making a difference!

Brothers, I would like to put out a challenge to all our members to make a difference in being a better Knight. I think we have a close knit group of Knights that really cares about the programs, fundraisers, support of our Priest, Fr. John, and the whole organization.

We have several men that have stepped up to the plate and delivered. Can you say to yourself that I am one of those men? I would say you are, if you washed dishes after an event meal, because nobody wants to do that job. As Grand Knight I hope to make a difference just as past Grand Knights Juan Hinojosa and Ken Yunker did.

If you are asking "what can I do to make a difference", I would say, ask in your prayers and your answer may come to be something you didn't expect.

Maybe you will decide to help with one or both of the upcoming fish frys. We will certainly need the help!

Also, Please remember in your prayers the Minx Family, Matt recently lost his father.

Dates to remember: This Wednesday for our meeting, March 5th---Ash Wednesday March 21st--- Parish Fish Fry April 4th--- Parish Fish Fry

Thanks be to God and peace be with you,

Tommy Grand Knight

Officers Officers:

2013 — 2014

Tom Webb - Grand Knight Fr. John Bolderson - Chaplain John Milosevich- D. G. Knight Frank Hays- Chancellor **David Bruns - Warden** Richard Adriano - Recorder Mike Meyers - Treasurer Wayne Ratzburg - I. Guard George Smith - O. Guard Wendell Vice - Financial Sec. Henry Marsh - Advocate Ken Yunker - 3 Yr. Trustee **Don Portz - 2 Yr. Trustee** Juan Hinojosa - 1 Yr. Trustee

Directors:

John Milosevich—Program Director David Bruns —Membership Dir. Frank Hays—Church Activities Dir. Frank Hays—Prolife Activities Dir. Matt Minx—Youth Activities Dir. **Bob Drake—Community Dir.** Ron Rey—Family Activities Dir. George Smith—Council Activities Dir.

Officers & Directors Meeting

Mar. 4th, 7:30 p.m. (1st Tuesday) St. Robert's Parish Hall

Next Council Meeting

Feb. 12th. St. Robert's Parish Hall KofC Rosary - 7:00 PM Business Mtg. - 7:30 PM (Refreshments following the Meeting)

Membership Report

My Brother Knights:

Please welcome our newest members - Matt Genasci & Tony Mesa. These gentleman completed their 1st, 2nd and 3rd degrees on 01-26-14. (picture of Matt & Tony attached)

Our grand Knight and I are scheduled to attend a statewide membership & recruitment seminar on 02-06-14. We will let you know what we find out.

A representative of the 4th Degree, Our highest degree representing Patriotism will be attending our meeting this Wednesday to give you additional insights into the degree and answer questions. This degree ceremony is held only one time each year in our area. This year the degree is scheduled for Saturday April 5.

David Bruns, Membership Director

Family Activities

My Brother Knights,

We had a great Super Chili bowl. Thank you to all of you that donated your time helping to make this a successful event, particularly to those "few" of you that helped clean-up after the Saturday dinner. Clean-up is never the fun part, but it is a critical component to any event - you are our unsung heroes.

Please remember our February-4th Sunday breakfast. It is February 23rd., several of our brothers will be on a Cursillo weekend and not available and I will be out of town, so please step up and volunteer. A sign-up is being circulated.

Blessings,

Ron Rey, Family Activities Director

COUNCIL ACTIVITIES



St. Robert's KofC Council 14745 Trivia Night, Saturday, February 8th

My Brother Knights,

Well, we had another great Trivia Night! I want to personally thank the more than 15 volunteers that worked the event and ensured that everyone

had a great time. Even after working for over four hours you all stayed and helped clean-up and put the hall back together - what commitment!

I want to especially thank Ken Horrell for donating so much of his time, not only in MCing the program, but with helping Paul Gros and myself put together the trivia question sets and program. One of these days, (once he outgrows his boy scout shorts) we'll actually get him legal, but for now he will simply have to remain our adopted Brother Knight for a Night! THANKS KEN!

God Bless & Fraternally Yours, Ken Yunker, Past Grand Knight



My Brother Knights:

Thanks to Wendell Vice, we now have found a local company, R&R Buttons, that will provide our KofC "dress shirts". While the prices are only a couple of \$s less per shirt, we can get all sizes, many more color selections, we do not have to pay any shipping charges, and we keep our money in the community.

These polo shirts are a 35/65% blend of cotton and polyester. They come with our embroidered KofC emblem, Council Name, number and your first name. Wendell is wearing Royal Blue. While there are many colors to choose from, the larger sizes (above XL are the ones with 4 dots). To date we have members with, White, Royal Blue, Navy Blue, and Kelly Green.

The cost is \$27 for S, M, L, and XL. Us "portly" guys have to pay a little more-(\$29=2XL, \$30=3XL, \$31-4XL & \$32-5XL). Since these will be customized with your name, we will need your money upfront.

If you are interested, please let Wendell know the following information if you wish to place an order:

Your full Name	e:	(Ken Yunker)
Name you war name?)	nt embroidered on the shirt	(Ken, Kenny, nick-
Shirt size:	(S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL, 4	4XL, 5XL)
Cost:	(\$27= S,M,L,XL, \$29=2XL, \$3	30=3XL, \$31-4XL & \$32-5XL).

Would you rather have long sleeves? Add \$6.00 to the cost.

Long Sleeve: Yes (Please circle if you want Long Sleeve)

The following information and check can be given or mailed to Wendell Vice.

Wendell's home address is:

Wendell Vice 8816 S Shrout Rd. Grain Valley, MO 64029

If you have any questions, please contact Wendell via: Email at wjvice99@comcast.net, or By phone - 220-9327



FEBRUARY 2014								
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
K of C						Men's Ministry Prayer Break- fast, 8am, Parish Center		
2 Rosary Before Mass 8:30 & 10:30am	3	4 Officers' Meeting - cancel due to weather	5	6	7	8 Trivia Night 4pm Set-up 6pm Doors Open		
9 Rosary Before Mass 8:30 & 10:30am	10	11 Officers' Meet- ing, 7:30pm, Parish Center	12 Council Rosary, 7pm Council Mtg, 7:30pm, Parish Center	13	14	15		
16 Rosary Before Mass 8:30 & 10:30am	17	18	19	20	21	22		
23 Rosary Before Mass 8:30 & 10:30am Parish Breakfast, 9 & 11am Masses	24 Respect Life Mtg. 7pm St. John's in the Lalande Rm.	25	26	27	28	K OF C		



Vacancy, Field Agent

Apparently our local KofC Insurance rep has moved on. In the interim if you need immediate assistance you can contact: Kevin Palmer or Frank Medina they will service your Knights until a permanent field agent is hired.

http://www.kofcmocw.org/ Missouri Insurance website
http://www.kofc.org/ Knights of Columbus Supreme website

Also, if you are interested in a possible career change, listed below is contact information on applying to be a KofC Insurance Representative for the BS and LS areas.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY:

The Knights of Columbus is seeking a Sales Representative for a career opportunity representing their insurance program in your area. We offer a complete benefits package with this full-time, professional level earnings potential position. In order to qualify, one must be eligible for membership in the Knights of Columbus. For more information, visit our Uknight Agency website at http://www.kofcmocw.org/ www.kofcmocw.org
If interested, email your resume to Gary Struemph, General Agent, at gary.struemph@kofc.org

For the Good of the Order

We pray for

- ...all the unborn and especially the aborted.
- ...an increase in vocations.
- ...our brother Knights and their families that are ill or in distress.
- ...the families of all our fallen brothers.

Grand Knight

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Wendell Vice wjvice99@comcast.net

Insurance Field Rep Opportunity

