

The Knightly News



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Grand Knights Letter

Brothers,

Well here we are in June. The thought of snow is a distant memory as we bask in the warm (not hot) early summer days. May was a busy month doing the Lord's work. We had the Pasta Dinner, thanks to the Prince and Princess of Pasta Jim and Claire Tierney. Although it looked a little iffy after Mass, those wonderful meatballs and spaghetti drew in a good crowd. Thanks Jim and Claire. On the same night the State Convention was in full swing thanks to the Knights that supported that event.

Our largest fund raiser of the year, the Fr. Julius J. Cilinski Golf Tournament was held on Thursday, May 22nd. Once again Tom Browne did a remarkable job and the Golf Tournament was a huge success. However, this year was different from years past. Because of the IRS rules regarding tax deductions we had to change the way our very generous sponsors could viably receive tax deductions. Council, in fact all councils, are 501.c.8 organizations which define them as charitable organizations but they cannot offer IRS code 501.c.3 deductions to donors. organizations are charitable organizations that can offer tax deductions to its donors. Fortunately for us, Virginia Knights of Columbus Charities, Inc. (VKCCI) is a 501.c.3 organization. Through the extraordinary efforts of Tom Browne and the VKCCI staff, particularly our own Richie Head, we were able

to afford our donors the tax deductions they deserve while making sure that the funds we raise go to a Knights of Columbus charity in Virginia. There were a lot of hoops to go through, but in the end the Golf Tournament raised a net \$4584.11 for VKCCI; \$2000 for the Parish; with a total charitable funds raised of \$6584.11. That's a double eagle in my book! Way to go Tom and crew.

Just because we can, the Council also supported the Confirmation at St. Andrew's Thursday evening. Thanks to Mark Barnes, Joe Beres, Tom Martin, Mike Paulucci, Tom Canavan, Steve Munchak, and Tom Yehl and Mike Lynch from the Father Nudd Council who were the Color Corps Honor Guards for Confirmation.

We also had the Council Elections. The officers for Fraternal Year 2014-2015 are:

Grand Knight Deputy Grand Knight Chancellor Treasurer Recorder Warden Advocate Inside Guard Outside Guard Outside Guard Trustee- 1 Year Trustee- 2 Year	Tom Martin Ed Rollins Michael Paulucci Mark Friedlander Jeff Gillespie Tom Browne Bryan Skokan Mauricio Bertrand Steven Bahr Rob Davis Michael Michlowski Rich Flaherty James Auwaerter
Trustee- 3 Year	Al Grimmig

Knight of the Month

Once again, this month's Knight of the Month did a spectacular job of planning, coordinating, breaking new ground and artfully executing a very big and complex event. Not only did you acquire sponsors and donors for the Fr. Julius J. Cilinski Memorial Golf Tournament, you forged a new relationship with the Virginia Knights of Columbus Charities, Inc. to afford sponsors and donors legitimate tax donations. Your efforts, expert planning and flawless execution raised a net \$4584.11 for VKCCI; \$2000 for the Parish; with a total charitable funds raised of \$6584.11. It gives me great pleasure to recognize Brother Tom Browne as May's Knight of the Month.

Family of the Month

Once again it gives me great pleasure to recognize the James Tierney Family for the outstanding job they did on the Pasta Dinner. This event requires a lot of preparation, culinary skills and just plain hard work. Thank Jim and Claire for making this a wonderful event. I know the whole Parish and Council join me in recognizing your wonderful gifts and talents.

Congratulations to these fine Knights for stepping up to be officers. I trust all of you will support them in the upcoming year.

Also as a first, we now have a Fr. Julius J. Cilinski Council Ladies Auxiliary! Debbie Grimmig is the President, Mary Bartoletta is the Treasurer and Hannah Marter is the Secretary. From humble beginnings, great things happen. Please let your wives know about this wonderful group of women who are dedicated to supporting the Council, developing charitable works (like a Baby Shower for mothers to be in crisis pregnancies) and developing a social network of Council wives with FUN activities.

Remember you are invited and encouraged to attend the Annual End of Year Awards Night on Tuesday, June 17th in Monsignor Hannan Hall at 7:30 PM. We will recognize the Young Man of the Year, Young Woman of the Year, the Family of the Year and the Knight of the Year. We also have a few special recognitions to present. I will even feed you cake. What's not to love? Please come and celebrate these recognitions with us.

As this fraternal year draws to a close on June 30th I want to take this opportunity to thank all of you for the wonderful support you have provided me the past two years. Being your Grand Knight (again) has been a privilege

and an honor. We have done some amazing things these two years and we have made many peoples lives better for it, deepened our Spirituality, cared for the Unborn, taken care of our widows and supported Fr. Kelly and Fr. Bergida and the Parish at large. None of this have been possible without dedication of all you Knights, your wives and your families. In particular, the Council Officers through their untiring efforts made sure all of our events were successful. They made the impossible possible and made it look There is no finer group of Catholic gentlemen, Knights or Brothers. Thank you so much.

Special thanks to Father Kelly for all the support he and Father Bergida provided throughout the year. Thanks also to the lovely and very patient ladies (Donna, Cate, and Roseanne) in the Parish Office who worked with us to schedule meeting rooms, events, bulletin announcements and keep me out of trouble, which was a challenge.

And a very special thanks to all the wives of the Council. Your thoughtfulness, kindness and support are much appreciated as is your tolerance to let your Knights support the Council and forego pressing events (chores) at home. You all are very sweet.

And most of all my eternal gratitude to my

lovely and understanding wife, Debbie. Without her understanding, support and love I would not have been able to achieve whatever successes the Council has accomplished. Your guidance and suggestions were wonderful even if I didn't realize at the time! Your devotion, love and support sustained and strengthened me. Thanks Sweetheart.

And remember ...

"We believe because we are Catholics. We volunteer because we are Knights"

Thank you and God Bless you all,

Al Grimmig Grand Knight

Deputy Grand Knight's Letter

Brothers,

My two years as Deputy Grand Knight have gone by fast and I have learned a lot. It will be a challenge following in the steps of GK Al Grimmig. In fact, next year is already here. I'm already working on next year's budget and activities. I need to step up my running speed.

But first, let's talk about last month. May was very busy. We supported a Pasta Dinner, the School Carnival, Father Cilinski Memorial Gold Tournament, and donations for KOVAR at Shopper's Food Warehouse. The leads for these events were Rich Flaherty (Pasta Dinner), Jim Tierney (Pasta Dinner), Mark Barnes (Carnival), Brian Skokan (KOVAR), and Lou Cernak (KOVAR). But there were countless others who supported these events.

We were scheduled for "Knights at the Races" in June, but there was no afternoon weekend races, so we cancelled this event this year.

We have two more KOVAR events in June both on Father's Day weekend. We will be collecting donations at both Centreville Giant supermarkets. Please check our website for available dates and times. You can sign up on the website. Family members can join as well. In addition, we will collect donations after all Masses on Father's Day weekend. There is no signup, but please help with as many Masses as possible.

Our annual Awards Ceremony will be Tuesday, June 17 at 7:30pm. Family members are invited.

We have not determined the date of the Installation of Officers, but the date of the Past Grand Knight Dinner is planned for Friday, August 15.

I thank everyone for their support.

Sincerely,

Tom Martin

Deputy Grand Knight

First Degree Knights Eligible for the 2nd Degree

Buonocore, Matthew M.; Clarey, Thomas J.; Clavin, Thomas V.; D'Ercole, Matthew J.; DiToro Henry "Hank" J.; Dubois, John P.; Durden, Tedd A.; Esteves, Fernando A.; Fruchterman, Robert J.; Gambone, Michael A.: Gillespie, Jonathan P.: Gomes, Anthony A.; Gonsalves, Trevor S.; Heintz, Karl R.; Hoffman, Michael J.; Hudson, Brian M.; Hugo, Timothy M.; Kelly, Charles A.; Klos, Eric J.; Landstreet, Michael W.; Lannon, Matthew H.; Lima, Silvino R.; Lovejov, John M.; Lozano, Carlos; Markel, Thomas A.; McCabe, Korey P.; McCormick, Samuel D.; McCullough, Charles W.; Murphy, Michael S.; O'Keefe, Stephen T.; Olszewski, Michael E.; Pichocki, Jeffrey P.; Popp, Richard A.; Poumade, Nathan J.; Princi Jr., Peter J.: Rebeiro, Barnabas: Reilly, Patrick J.; Schechtel, Lawrence P.; Scholl, Patrick D.; Sepulveda, Rafael; Smith, Christopher R.; Smith, Christopher A.; Spasaro, Charles J.; Stash, John H.; Strada, Joseph A.; Strauch, Gregory J.; Taylor, John F.; Truong, Lap V.; Tubach, David A.; Ungerecht, Todd E.; Wuest, Robert G.; Zapiain, Frank A.; Zeller, Randel L.

Second Degree Knights Eligible for the 3rd Degree

Carolla, Russell A.; Catalano, Joseph P.; Eichenlaub, Craig C.; Farrell, Patrick T.; Ferrick, Richard E.; Hauser, John R.; Henebery, John K.; Hott, Richard A.; Kelly, Dennis J.; King, Michael W.; Lis, James F.; Lynch, Andrew D.; Mancil, Michael D.; Mazzatenta, Onofrio L.; McGurk, Shannon L.; McMenamin, William J.; Metcalf, David; Michlowski, Michael J.; Miller, Neal R.; Pugsley, Matthew Q.; Sawka, Stephen E.; Shaw, Brian D.; Shedlick, Edward P.; Speidel, Tim R.; Williams, Jeffrey

Third Degree Knights Eligible for the 4th Degree

Alvarez, Pedro O.; Aronhime, Samuel S.; Bahr, Stephen M.; Banick III, William M.; Barrett, Richard F.; Bartoletta, Joseph J.; Bertand Flores, Mauricio R.; Bifareti, Lawrence V.; Bonsiero, Francis, C.; Bowie,

Shane R.; Bozzo, Stephen E.; Brendel, Kevin; Brosnahan, John J.; Brown, AJ; Burford, Jan T.; Burnham, Richard J.; Byers, Michael R.; Caputo, James; Carr, Matthew C.; Cernak Jr. Louis J.; Chechile, David B.; Chechile, Michael G.; Chusing, Carlos A.; Chusing, Eduardo M.; Clune, Kevin S.; Coy, William A.; DeLisi, Frank; DiGrado, Joseph P.; Doherty Matthew W.; Doherty Nicholas J.; Donahue, Terrence S.; Dorr, Carl B.; Dubois, Henry R.; Feeney James J.; Fells, Robert M.; Forneris, James P.; Fowler, Steve B.; Freeman, Eric A.; Fullwood, Charles R.; Gallaher, Joseph P.; Gelles, Robert L.; Gillespie, Jeffrey R.: Greco, John W.: Hill, Douglas: Hoffman, Mark W.; Humm, Michael P.; Hungate, Martin L.; Imhoff, Gary M.; Juanpere, Pedro A.; Kelly, Brendan J.; Kelly, Edmund W.; Kelly, Fr. John D.; Lalli Jr., Joseph A.; Ligor, Douglas C.; Loprieno, Stephen F.; Lugo, Rafael A.; Marter, Joseph.; Martin, Gregory M.; Martin, Richard K.; Masterson, Michael F.; May, John W.; Mayer, Christopher T.; McCrum, R. Timothy; McDonald, Alan R.; McGinn, David R.; McKenzie, Paul A.; Messina, Sr., Thomas; Millis, Derek E.; Morgan, Patrick J.; Morson, Roberto; O'Brien, Mark R.; O'Grady, Michael Palliparambil, Joseph J.; Perez Ponce, Jorge M.; Pichardo, Carlos A.; Powers, Stephen L.; Princi, Peter J.; Rafferty, Brian P.; Rodriguez, Manuel.; Roser, Jr., John F.; Salem, Jad G.; Sepulveda, Ralph.; Sheil, Michael O.; Sheil, Patrick D.; Skouby, David C.; Thompson, Richard T.; Torch, Mark A.; Tortorich, E. Thomas; Trampert, Paul J.; Vennitti, Jr., John A.; Richard A.; Violette, Lawrence Warcholak, Daniel P.; White, Kevin M.; Yeronick, Sean M.

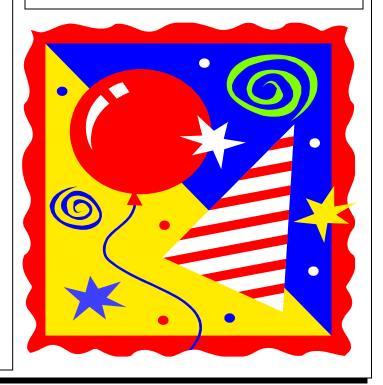


June Birthdays

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Lauren Borkowski	6/1
Robert Martin	6/2
Karen Banick	6/3
Shelley Morgan	6/3
Bryan Skokan	6/3
Andrew Caputo	6/4
Suzann Hott	6/4
Richard Long	6/5
Helena Truong	6/5
Mark Barnes	6/7
Katie Powers	6/7
Mary Ralston	6/7
Judy Bourgeois	6/9
Matthew Babauta	6/10
Debra O'Grady	6/10
Shannon O'Grady	6/10
Neal Miller	6/11
Greg Zahn	6/11
Mary Rozner	6/12
Anthony DiGrado	6/13
Hai Hill	6/14
John Hauser	6/15
Carlos Lozano	6/15
Christina Alvarez	6/16
Brian Carroll	6/18
Glenn Cooper	6/18
William Coy	6/18
Martin Hungate	6/18
Reva Olszewski	6/18
John Vennitti	6/18
Sarah Browne	6/19
Julianne Byers	6/19
Mark Mulholland	6/19
Julia Freeman	6/20
Terrie Rollins	6/20
Melissa Thompson	6/20
Ann Carolla	6/21
Nalan Martin	6/21
Heather Truong	6/22
Peyton Olszewski	6/23
Joanna McCullough	
Jessica Ferrick	6/27
Caroline Vicars	6/27
Maureen Hill	6/28
Joyce Hoffman	6/28
Kathy Roser	6/29
Karen Pichocki	6/30

June Anniversaries

Doug & Linda Hill	6/2
Manuel & Maria Rodriquez	6/2
Carlos & Sarah Pichardo	6/4
Alan & Mitzi McDonald	6/8
Paul & Judy Bourgeois	6/9
Henry & Cynthia Dubois	6/11
Christopher & Angela Smith	6/11
Richard & Genevieve Thompson	6/11
Rickey & Doris Dean	6/12
Richard & Kathleen Wolff	6/12
Mike & Barbara Mesce	6/13
Richard & Maria Vetsch	6/13
Robert & Maureen Rey	6/14
Randy & Deborah Zeller	6/14
Matt & Therese Lannon	6/19
Matt & Mary Doherty	6/20
Stephen & Maureen Bozzo	6/24
Michael & Zarela Mancil	6/26
Larry & Mary Ann Vicars	6/26
Larry & Barbara Bifareti	6/27
Richard & Anita Popp	6/27
Dan & Ann Warcholak	6/27
Steven & Nancy Halter	6/28
Jack & Marsha Hudson	6/28
Kevin & Cheryl McCabe	6/28
Stephen & Veronica Loprieno	6/29
David & Bridget Metcalf	6/29
John & Kathy Roser	6/29
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Office	Name	Spouse	Phone
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Outside Guard	Joseph Marter	Hannah	703-222-4280
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Lecturer	James Auwaerter, PGK		703-209-6448
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Council	Vacant		
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KOVAR Co-Chair	Bryan Skokan	Bonnie	703-629-1831
KOVAR Co-Chair	Lou Cernak	Joann	703-322-0242
KCIC	James Auwaerter		703-209-6448
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Retention	Al Grimmig,	Debbie	703-802-0530
Council Hall	Al Grimmig,	Debbie	703-802-0530
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District Warden				
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Assoc. State Chaplain	Rev. John Adam Abe		757-229-3631	
State Secretary	Steve Burnley			
State Treasurer	Rosario Chechile	Gerry	703-266-8755	
State Advocate	Stephen Raschke, Sr.			
State Warden				
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