



# KNIGHTLY NEWS



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O'Fallon Council #2269

December 2017

## MEETINGS

The next regular meeting will be held on Thursday, December 14, 2017 at the K of C Hall at 6:30 PM.

The next building committee meeting will be on Thursday, December 7, 2017 at 7:00 PM.

## ATTENTION LADIES

WHAT A PARTY!!! Thanks to Debbie Moynihan and Kathy Niehaus for the FUN EVENING!!! The festive decorations got us ready to party. Then the PRICE IS RIGHT game was enjoyed by all but especially by Ann Schulte who won a nice prize! The food products used in the game were donated to St. Vincent DePaul. THANKS to Ron Goodwin and Jason Niehaus for tending bar and helping us have a GREAT time!

Prior to the party we had a short meeting. Main business was the approval of the new budget. Reminders that the Queen of Hearts every Tuesday. Prize is up over \$2800. Debbie Moynihan will go into a little more detail about the BUNCO March 4th at our December meeting. BIG CHANGE: THE FASHION SHOW DATE IS CHANGED. Set-up will be JUNE 5 and the FASHION SHOW WILL BE NEXT JUNE 6th. Mark your calendars! The theme is A GARDEN TEA PARTY.

Workers for PEP darts on November the 14th are Sharon Scully, Carol Sell, Wilma Sitzer and Rita Thornhill. There were 40 young people who were at the October event. Everyone was reminded that the December collection will be for Mary, Queen of Angels. Diapers and new or slightly used clothes are needed from baby to about 12 years of age. We ended the meeting with the \$15,000 check presentation to Jerry Herbert of the Meet Life Committee. His wife Chris and Ed Spence were also at the presentation. Theresa Meyer won the \$20 attendance prize. Even though we had 31 members present, Karen Panther wasn't and so missed the attendance award. So, the prize is now \$35. Watch the newsletter next month. Due to the proximity of Christmas, the meeting may be the second Thursday of December. More on we will have our December meeting on Thursday Dec 14, 2017 at 6:30 pm. This was changed from Dec. 21st.

## COUNCIL

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## ACTIVITIES

Home Association Meeting Dec. 7, 2017  
Queen of Hearts Raffle Dec. 5, 2017  
Charity Meeting Dec. 12, 2017  
Queen of Hearts Raffle Dec. 12, 2017  
Regular Meeting Dec. 14, 2017  
Adopt-a-Street cleanup Dec. 16, 2017  
Queen of Hearts Raffle Dec. 19, 2017  
Queen of Hearts Raffle Dec. 26, 2017

**No alcohol is to be brought on to KC property.**

## THERE ARE NO FISH fries UNTIL LENT

### GOOD OF THE ORDER

Brother Greg Doering was not present at the last meeting and missed the \$55.00 attendance prize.

Brother James Pendergast won the 13.00 50/50.

## CONDOLENCES

Our condolences are extended to the families of Brother Knights James Cole whose brother died, James, Gerald and Mark Bruegenhemke whose nephew and cousin died Gerald Prinster whose sister died and Mike Reesor whose sister-in-law died.

## DISTRICT DEPUTY

I would like to start off asking once again to ask men of the Parish to join us in Charity, Unity, Fraternity & Patriotism. Most men don't join unless asked so just ask and tell them the great things the O'Fallon K of C does if you need form 100s there are plenty at the hall. There is no reason that your council shouldn't be STAR Council Every year. if you know of any member, member family or members son or daughter you think deserves recognition let the Grand Knight know or you can go to [WWW.mokofc.org](http://WWW.mokofc.org) and click on links of interest then state forms and nominate under Knight, Family or Youth of the month.

## QUEEN OF HEARTS

Queen of Hearts raffle is every Tuesday, early bird special 6 tickets for \$5 from 5-6 PM, then each ticket is \$1 until the drawing at 7 PM. The grand prize currently is in excess of \$3000 and rapidly growing. Come have fun and support this event and the Knights!

Thanks to Bryan and his guys who sell tickets and tend bar to make the Queen of Hearts possible every Tuesday.

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### HALL CLEANING

The hall cleaning work list for December is as follows: Saturdays starting at 10:30 AM

D Moynihan 240-8918 capt

C Bess.....240-5716 L Rossi.....265--2272  
T Dickherber.978-1386 R Schmierbach.379-9129  
R Fetsch.....978-1483 B Powers.....272-0822  
D Johnson.....240-1045 J Jordan.....272-2006  
D Louvall II.....936-8904 D Kopp.....281-0795  
J Krietemeyer...397-4844 D Mesecher..978-2654  
H Prinster.....272-4768 L Swagman...978-4604  
R Venessa.....661-5078 P Wilmes.....240-7117  
R Wilmes.....272-5663 R Yeamans....272-3367  
D Loeffler.....240-3125 J Bland.....240-3034

### GRAND KNIGHTS CORNER

Sunday December 3<sup>rd</sup> will be recruitment Sunday at church. The recruitment table will be set up in basement of church and we need recruiters to man table; if you can help contact Tracy at 314-397- 5463, if you can cover a mass. In the future, all 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday masses will be at 8 AM at Assumption. Please email or call me with which mass you desire to help out, ([michael@catalfano.com](mailto:michael@catalfano.com) 314-750-1436).

### BUILDING

Work is progressing on the remodeling of the hall with meetings with the engineers. Send out for bids in November.

### REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please remember the following Knights and their families in your prayers:

**Brother Knights:** Juan Ante, Robert Atwater, John Bland, Al Buechler, Curtis Burkemper, Irwin Dierkes, Ted Kane, Jim Kwarta, Bob Lepping, Phil Meyers, Bob Schulte, Keith Schulte, John Vogel, Lawrence White, Paul Wilmes, Ron Wilmess; Mike Catalfano, Fred Doering, Charlie Fierling, Edward Griesenauer, Sr, Les Hoeckelman, Rick McLeish, Phil Meyers, Charles Pabst, Stan Patton, Don Swoboda, Ron Yeamans

**Sons:** Jerry Pieper, Vince Scully

**Daughters:** Curtis Burkemper, Ron Haas

**Brothers of Knights:** Les Hoeckelman, Bob Mueller, Ron Yeamans, Joe Wilmes

**Sisters of Knights:** Les Hoeckelman

**Mothers:** Nick Doering, Greg Doering, Joe Doering, Fred Doering III

**Fathers:**

**Son-In-Law:** Don Phillips

**Grandson:** William Grumich

**Granddaughter:** Henry Prinster

**Brother-In-Law:** Larry Buehler, Pat Hunt

**Sister-In-Law:** Les Hoeckelman

**Daughter-In-Law:** John Vogel

All who have cancer and are ailing.

**A VERY BLESSED AND MERRY  
CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW  
YEAR TO EVERYONE**

### KNIGHT OF THE YEAR

The Annual Knight of the Year dinner for O'Fallon Council was held on Saturday, November 4, 2017 at the K C Hall. Brother Ron Goodwin was the recipient of the knight of the Year Award. There were a number of members eligible for 25, 50, Honorary and Honorary Life Memberships.

### SOFTBALL PARTICIPATION

Members of the council have expressed an interest in possibly getting together a softball team or two for entry into the State Softball Tournament (held in O'Fallon) or a recreational summer league. Del Carr has volunteered to head up looking into this if there is enough interest. If this is something you'd be interested in doing, please contact Del Carr. There will be more information in upcoming newsletters regarding this.

### FINANCIAL SECRETARY

Everyone should open their wallet and look at their membership card - if it does not have the year 2017 displayed, then you are delinquent in paying your dues. There are 42 Brothers that have not yet paid their 2017 Membership Dues. The Council Trustees will begin contacting these Brothers soon.

### FIRST DEGREE INITIATION

For Tony Stein and Tommy Vandiver at 6:30 pm.