

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



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Grand Knight's Report

I 'm pleased to announce that Steve Gonzalez has volunteered for the post of Council Director. Steve, many thanks.

August 2 is priest and religious appreciation dinner in Grapevine.

There are also parish committees meeting monthly over the summer including Fund Raising, Vegas Night (9/10), and the Carnival (now known as Fall Festival 10/8).

If you can attend or help with any of these events, please do.

August 9 First Degree

. The UKnight Website is a new fundraising opportunity for individual councils, as well as the Western Metroplex Chapter and the Texas State Council, to receive substantial revenue from participating in the website.

Here's how it works:

1. The Council will be invoiced \$100.00 for its Council UKnight Website for the upcoming twelve month period.
2. Individuals placing ads on the website will pay \$100.00 per year to post their ad on the council's website.
3. Current free ads on the website will be left in place through September. After that advertisers must pay \$100.00 for the coming year for their ad.
4. The \$100.00 will be split as follows – Council \$40.00, Chapter \$15.00, State \$10.00, UKnight \$35.00.
5. Ads will be seen on any council website within 100 miles of the council website in which the ad is placed.

Simply put, if five individuals advertise on a council's website, the Council would receive \$200.00 vs the \$100.00 it invested in paying for the website, plus of course would have access for all of its members to all of the council information that is available throughout the year on the website.

Additional Chairman and Contacts

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Samaritan House

Bruce Mallory 817-439-1179

Simply put; the more advertisers, the more revenue. It's a good deal all around. Please do two things to help the process along:

1. Send copies of the form 185 for each of your councils to Field Agent Steve Michlik (cc'd on this message)(mailing address below) so he can contact each council directly and set up the billing for those that want to participate.

3321 Jomar Drive
Plano, TX 75075

2. Promote the UKnight Website and all of it's advantages to each of your councils.

If you'd like to see some of the websites that are already up and running you may go to any of the council sites listed below to see what's available. To see the ads currently posted click on the UKnight Market Center Tab.

- www.kofc759.org
- www.kofc7736.org
- www.kofc9299.org
- www.kofc10930.org
- www.kofc13408.org
- www.kofc9748.org
- www.kofc8512.org
- www.kofc7099.org

Council 10930 Events in August/September

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>
Membership Meeting	Aug 9
First Degree	Aug 9
Officers mtg	Aug 23
Chapter Mtg	Aug 24
Casino night	Sept 10
Major Degree	Sept 10
Membership Mtg.	Sept 13
Bishops prolife banquet	Sept 24
Parish Breakfast	Sept 25
Officer's mtg.	Sept 27
4 th degree	Sept 30

Family of the Month

Ramon & Debbie Carrasquillo – August Family of the Month

Ramon has been a Knight since 2008, recruited by Charlie Parr. He has been Chancellor for 2 years as a recent job change prevents him from attending most meetings. He is with Knights on Bikes and has participated in the Parade of Lights for the past 3 years and the Christmas parade for disadvantaged children. He's been an usher at St Thomas for over 6 years and helps with parish breakfasts. He is a 4th degree Knight. He is updating the council website adding historical information to it. He works for Fed Ex as a driver

He and his wife Debbie are both from Puerto Rico but they met while he was living in Oklahoma City. He drove to Ada OK to make a delivery and asked to use the phone . Debbie lived at that house so they met and one thing led to another. He was driving the 90 miles from OK City to Ada for a while just so he could go to Church with Debbie. The deacon at the church in Ada had a godson who was a priest in OK City who helped Ramon complete his initiation into the Church

Debbie and Ramon married and moved to OK city. They have been married 11 years and have 2 children along with 2 children from Ramon's earlier marriage. Fed Ex transferred them to Ft Worth 8 years ago (which was just fine with Debbie who likes it here.) She trained as a paralegal but switched to teaching. She is getting a master degree in education. Ramon's hobbies are motor cycles and car repair. They both enjoy movies and swimming

Knight of the Month

Knight for Aug 2011- Richard Schiefelbein

Richard has been a Knight for about 10 years. He came to Ft Worth in 1984 transferred here by BNSF from Minneapolis. He grew up in Chicago. He is presently a consultant to two railroads concerning government contracts. He is a weekday lector, RCIA team member and Catechist at St Thomas. At Holy Trinity he is a lector and Eucharistic minister, teaches Bible studies, is on the pastoral council, is the stewardship committee chair and is an instructor for "keeping children safe". He also does much work for the Diocese such as moderator for the Diocesan Pastoral Council, was on the "Planning for Growth Committee," that recommended St. Thomas build a new church and Holy Trinity acquire the 10 acres adjacent to the church property, and is on Committee for implementation of the Roman Missal, new Mass translations. His hobbies are education (he has an MBA and a 4 year certificate in Advanced Biblical Studies) and enjoys reading

Birthdays



HAPPY August BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:

MARIANO	CERDA	8/3
LOUIS	PANTOJA	8/4
HAROLD	GREEN	8/7
GREGORIO	LOPEZ	8/7
DAVID	NORTMAN	8/7
BILL	HEWLETT	8/9
CONRADO	LUNA	8/13
KENNETH	HARMON	8/15
JEFFREY	KING	8/17
MICHAEL	OWENS	8/19
GARY	GREEN	8/22
ANTHONY	WORLEY	8/23
CHARLES	RAMIREZ	8/24
JOHN	SALITORE	8/24
NEAL	WALSH	8/25
CLARK	JOHNSON	8/26
LUIS	MUGA	8/26
FRANCISCO	CASTILLO	8/27
HARRY	YOUNG	8/28
DENNIS	COPENHAVER	8/29
GARY	DUPRE	8/29
EDWARD	CERVANTEZ	8/30

The entire Council wishes you all a grand and enjoyable “**Happy Birthday.**”

Major Degree 9/10

There is a major degree September 10, 2011 at Denton Council 4771. Contact Grand Knight Curt Lampkin if you are interested in attending.

We recommend that all 1st degree members go since this is one of the few scheduled this year (in fact it's the only one so far)

Vegas Night Fundraiser 6:00 PM Saturday, September 10

St Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church is holding a fundraiser 6:00pm September 10 at Sokol Hall 6500 Boat Club Road, Fort Worth. Knights Gary Green, Joe Bason, and Bruce Mallory are leading the effort. An Italian dinner, two drinks, casino games, and a silent auction are included for the \$50 advance ticket price. There is a \$30 ticket option for those that would rather not eat. Proceeds will benefit the new building fund. For Tickets, contact St Thomas the Apostle, 2920 Azle Ave, Fort Worth 76106 (817-624-2184).

Contact Bruce Mallory 817-439-1179 if you would like to help the night of the event. We will need help at the door and with the silent auction.

FOR THESE WE PRAY

For those who are sick in spirit, mind or body:

Bernadette Svacina (Wife of Frank), Betty Stover (Tommy Jones' Mother in law), Charlie Parr, Diana & Gary Pearson, Dora Simpson (Wife of Roy Simpson), Earl Seitz (Knights' Insurance agent), Eddie Cervantes, Ed Landwehr, Eric Ahrend, Evagalina Alvarez (Daughter of Joe “Mario”

Torres), Father Bob Leonhardt, ,Fermina Orlando (Grandmother of Ramon Carrasquillo), Harold Green, Jack Titus, Jerry Long, Joe Kozel, John Phillips, Josala Rivera (Nephew of Ramon Carrasquillo), Julian Pena (Father of Rafael Pena), Kenneth Krivanek, Lucille Sperry (Mother of Glenn Sperry), Lydia C Nieves (Grandmother of Ramon Carrasquillo), Mary Ann Kozel (Wife of Joe), Martha Boenisch (Widow of Charter Member Albert Boenisch), Nettie Naugle (Tom Konen's Mother in Law), Pete Gomez Sr., Thelma Belz (Sister of Glenn Sperry), Verl Daiker, David Garcia, and Mark Johnson (relative of Terry Peffers).

For the repose of the Soul of:

Alva Dennison (Dan), Bobby McWilliams, Coy Summers (Brother in Law of Larry Loftus), Dennis Mauppin (Brother of Charles Mauppin), Dione Jolly Sandoval (Daughter of Errol Jolly, Wife of Jose Sandoval), Eleanor Haley (Ron Hawk's Mother in Law) Fred Bolliger, Gerald Parr (Brother of Charles Parr), Helen Dowling, Leonard Belota (Mike Beacon's Father in law), Robert Chirko (Jan Nowicki's Brother in Law) Rex Foss (Brother of Fred Foss), Steve Meek (Tommy Jones' Brother in Law), Teresa Kennedy (Daughter of Pat Edwards (Tommy)

Please pray also for:

Our Seminarians (Noel Albiter, Manuel Holguin, and James Wilcox), our Military, our Missionaries, and victims of fires, tornados and flo

Meeting topic suggestions

Wheel Chair Mission

Last year we had 90 Councils that supported the wheel chair program, thanks to you, we raised \$119,000 that resulted in benefitting 793 immobile persons. To make this year even better please have your council consider contributing \$150 towards the purchase of a wheelchair. Fundraisers towards this activity are easy and very worthwhile. Checks need to be made payable to AMERICAN WHEEL CHAIR MISSION and sent to: Sam Szalwinski , State Council Chairman UH4 Margate, San Antonio, Tx 78232.

Patriotic Essay Contest for Youth

This program is to open the doors of young minds, enabling our youth to be creative and thoughtful. Encourage students, grades 8 -12 to write essay on "The Responsibility of Catholic Citizen in a Free Society." Essays need to be 500 -700 words. Reach out to your parochial schools administrators, CCD coordinators, or local youth from your own council or parish. Essays need to be submitted to your Council for judging by October to be eligible for District Judging in November. Further advancement for Diocesan will take place in January followed by State Finals in March 2012. Certificates are available free from Supreme Council For additional details see Supreme Web Page.

RSVP

It is almost "Back to School Time" again which also includes Seminarians. August is the time to ask your Diocesan Vocations Directors for a list of Seminarians in your Diocese's so that you can get the list out to your Councils, Assembly's, and Squires Circles. As you collect the lists of Seminarians, please forward a copy to the state Vocations Chairman, Tom Watters Sr. PO Box 154126-Irving, TX 75015, or email twattersassoc@netzero.com.

State Golf Tournament

37th Annual Johnny Lopez K of C State Tournament will be played on September 23, 24 and 25, 2011 at Bear Creek Golf Course in Katy, Texas. Entry forms or more information can be obtained by e-mailing DaryIEntropatentrop@att.net

Family of the Month

Identify a family of the month at the Officers Meeting or the first week of the month. Submit Supreme Form 1993a which can found at the Supreme website under council forms. The form needs to be submitted to Supreme by the 15th of the month. Note make it easy and submit the form electronically. Just pick a family and submit the form! Call Joe Naderer for details: (361) 215-1750 (Cell).

40 Days for Life Fall Campaign

Each Council is encouraged to participate in 40 Days for Life. This 24 hour, 7 days a week campaign, which lasts for 40 consecutive days, provides a prayerful, peaceful presence outside of abortion clinics. Knights are encouraged to take on the "Knight Hours" which are from 7PM to 7AM when called upon. For more information go to www.AOdaysforlife.com or contact your Diocesan Pro Life Chairman.

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HT = Holy Trinity, ST = Saint Thomas the Apostle, STPH = Saint Thomas the Apostle Parish Hall, STCR = Saint Thomas the Apostle Council Room

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