

GRAND KNIGHT REPORT

Fellow Knights and Columbus Club members,

We hope everyone is enjoying their summer. The elections of officers were held in June, and there are not many changes to report. Mike Puhr will be retiring from his role as club coordinator. If you get a chance, stop in and thank him for his years of service. We cannot thank him enough for his tireless dedication over these years. We have activities planned at the hall and patio, please see website and our Facebook page to see what you may want to attend. With any club or civic organization, support from its members is vital to the continued ability to run such a club. Please jump in and help at breakfast or tacos or any other event you feel called to. September 14, will be our 4th annual golf outing, please try to get a foursome to play, if you cannot then think about sponsoring a hole. This event has had great support and participation, and we thank everyone for that.

Now regarding business at the club; we have been informing everyone in the last few newsletters that things have not been good, and we continue to struggle paying the bills to keep the doors open. I'm sorry to say that things have not improved, and the directors have found it necessary to form a committee to look into the sale of the building. This decision was not one easily made, and we didn't want it to come to this. Many people have worked hard over the years to have this building. We will continue to conduct business as usual, we are not closing the doors yet. Please read more details below.

Allen Rathgeber, Grand Knight

BUILDING FOR SALE

With the increasing cost of doing business, maintenance expenses, continued decrease in sales in the club, bookings in the banquet hall, income from video gaming machines and lower membership participation, there is not enough income to support the building. Certainly, we would have come to this point some years ago without the support, generosity and patronage of many good people who have helped over all these years. If you're reading this, you are probably one of those people who helped when you could. With that being said, the directors of the Columbus Club along with the officers of the council have come to the decision to put our building up for sale. This decision was not reached easily. We have signed an agreement with Classic Homes to list the building and property for us. If you know of anyone who may be interested in purchasing the building and property, please let us know. PLEASE NOTE -WE WILL CONTINUE TO BE OPEN AND HOLD EVENTS UNTIL A BUYER IS FOUND!

TRUSTEE REPORT

It is with great sorrow that ownership of our hall is drawing to a close. I remember the dedication, determination, and foresight of our officers as we broke ground for this facility. Over time we have invested a great deal of blood, sweat, and tears. **Please note, however, that this does not signal the end of our Council or Assembly!!** We will continue to pursue our goals of Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism but in a different format. As officers, we are looking forward to offering more support to our parishes and families rather than exhausting our time and efforts to maintaining a building. We will be more focused on our core mandates as stated above. We appreciate your continued support as we transition, and we humbly ask for your prayers as we set sail on a new beginning.....

Vivat Jesus

ROB MUSGROVE, TRUSTEE

Club Coordinator Report

I have retired as Club Coordinator/ Treasurer (and many other hats) effective July 1, after 7 years of dedicated service. I appreciate each and every one of you that has helped me or participated in any way. Many events have been planned for the next several months that everyone can and enjoy and participate in. We have quit the "Happy Hour" as it didn't increase patrons. We have moved the Queen of Hearts drawing back to Monday and have added a payout, based on the card turned, each week. We are utilizing our wonderful patio more by having several events outside. As always if you would like to get involved, (believe me we need more help on crews) let us know. I won't be a stranger but need a much-earned break. I will close out the month of June and the fiscal year for the Columbus Club, and continue to run the events I have scheduled. Again, from the bottom of my heart thank you.

The Importance of Social Media for Events

SK Nights, Brother Knights, Ladies, and Columbus Club members, we have a web page and two Facebook pages to promote and share our events. The way you can help is first and foremost go to our Facebook pages and like them. Next share them with your Facebook friends. Finally click on our events and share them on your Facebook page. **PLEASE VISIT AND LIKE US ON FACEBOOK:** www.facebook.com/knightsofcolumbusdanville or www.facebook.com/danvillecolumbusclub. The web site has changed from Supreme, this is the new website to log in. www.uknight.org/CouncilSite/?CNO=754.



COLUMBUS CLUB LOUNGE HOURS



Monday 4-9, Tuesday closed, Wednesday 4-9, Thursday 4-9, Friday 4-10, Saturday 4-10, Sunday closed. We will open earlier and close later for special events. Come on down everyone is welcome.



QUEEN OF HEARTS RAFFLE BACK TO MONDAY

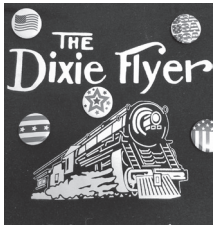
The Queen of Hearts Raffle is every Monday night (except holidays) with the drawing at 7:00 pm. Ticket costs are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. Tickets will be available during normal business hours and up to 15 minutes prior to the drawing. Every card drawn will be a winner if you are present. If the Queen of Hearts is drawn you must be present to win the jack pot. Everyone is welcome to participate.

Tacos Every Wednesday from 5-7pm

 Come and enjoy the best Taco's & Taco  Salads around, every Wednesday. Tacos are \$2 & salads are \$3.50. Carry outs are available for an additional fee of 50 cents. Margaritas \$2 and "Corona" buckets – 5 beers for \$12. Everyone is welcome.

SWISS STEAK DINNER–AUGUST 23

Our most popular dinner is the Swiss Steak Dinner, so we are doing it again. Spend an evening eating great food and enjoying fellowship on Friday August 23. Dinner will be served from 5:30 – 7:00pm. The dinner will consist of Swiss Steak with mashed potatoes, corn, green beans, dinner roll, and dessert. The cost will be \$10. Everyone is welcome.

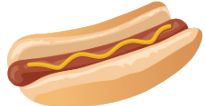



The Dixie Flyer Band–Aug 23

The Dixie Flyer Band, one of our more popular bands, will again be performing in the hall for your listening and dancing pleasure. Come enjoy this great band from 7:00 – 10:00pm. Cost for this is only \$5 cover at the door. Everyone is welcome.

DANVILLE DAN'S JULY - 9 The Catholic Vicariate Family night with the Danville Dan's July 9th. Contact your Parish office for free tickets.

BURGERS AND DOGS ON THE PATIO SATURDAY, JULY 27 AND AUGUST 24

Welcome summer and enjoy the weather as we will be cooking pound burgers and pound hotdogs on the patio. The cost for a burger will be \$5 and a hot dog \$5. This will include hand cut homemade fries. You may eat on the patio or in the lounge. We will serve from 5:30 7:30pm. Hang around after the meal for the band   Left 4 Dead. Everyone is welcome.

LEFT 4 DEAD
ACOUSTIC

SATURDAY JULY 27 AND AUGUST 24

The Left 4 Dead Band will again be entertaining us on July 27 and August 24, on the patio. This is a great band playing with all acoustical guitars. They will play from 7:30-11:30pm. Everyone is welcome.



BREAKFAST AYCE JULY 28 AND AUGUST 25

Breakfasts are from 7:30am – 11:00am. Menu consists of Scrambled eggs, French toast, pancakes, waffles, potatoes, sausage gravy, biscuits, bacon, sausage, orange juice, coffee and milk. Adults \$8.00, Children, (12 and under), \$4.00. Please note date change to 4th Sunday. Everyone is welcome.



Annual Tootsie Roll Drive Sept. 20 & 21

The annual Tootsie Roll Drive is coming Sept. 20 & 21. We are looking for extra help with the Tootsie Roll Drive. For two days Friday & Saturday, you can put in a few hours each day or one day whatever fits your schedule. Many hands make light work! If you can help, please contact Mike Maxwell at 497-4955.



GloBingo – September 28, 2019

The Danville Columbus Club will be hosting Glo Bingo on Saturday, September 28, 2019. Doors will open at 6:00pm with the games starting at 7:00pm. The proceeds of the event will benefit the Palliative Care Alzheimer's Unit at the VA, and the Knights of Columbus.

Tickets will go on sale July 28 and are sure to sell out quickly. Tickets are \$20 each and can be purchased at the club during normal business hours or by calling Mike at 260-1983. Tickets will also be available on line by going to www.Glo-bingo.com.

Any unsold tickets will be available for purchase at the door for \$25. Game sponsorships are available for \$100 per game if you are interested. There will be food, 50/50 raffle, door prizes, and many other chances available throughout the night.

MEETING SCHEDULE COUNCIL

FOURTH DEGREE

2nd Monday..... 6:00 p.m.

MEMBERSHIP MEETING

2nd Monday..... 7:00 p.m.

COLUMBUS CLUB DIRECTORS

4th Monday 6:00 p.m.

OFFICERS

4th Monday 7:00 p.m.

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All Day



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5-7 pm



SUMMER

Upcoming Events

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| July 7 | Logan Kirby in the Lounge |
| July 27 | Burgers and Hot Dogs on the Patio |
| July 27 | Left 4 Dead Acoustical on the Patio |
| Aug 4 | Logan Kirby in the Lounge |
| Aug 23 | Swiss Steak Dinner |
| Aug 23 | Dixie Flyer Band |
| Aug 24 | Burgers and Hot Dogs on the Patio |
| Aug 24 | Left 4 Dead Acoustical on the Patio |
| Sept 14 | Golf Outing |
| Sept 20 & 21 | Tootsie Roll Drive |
| Sept 28 | Glow Bingo |