



# KNIGHTLY NEWS

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## Grand Knight Message



### Four Guiding Principles

Brothers, as we progress through this fraternal year and the degree dates set for this month and in keeping with the spirit of our Order that began 134 years ago, I encourage all my fellow Knights to reflect on the four guiding principles of our Order, namely:

- **Charity** - Our Catholic faith teaches us to Love thy neighbor as thyself. Members of the Knights of Columbus show love for their neighbors by conducting food drives and donating the food to local soup kitchens and food pantries, by volunteering at Special Olympics, and by supporting, both spiritually and materially, mothers who choose life for their babies. Knights recognize that our mission, and our faith in God, compels us to action. There is no better way to experience love and compassion than by helping those in need, a call we answer every day.
- **Unity** - None of us is as good as all of us. Members of the Knights of Columbus all know that, together, we can accomplish far more than any of us could individually. So we stick together, we support one another. That doesn't mean that we always agree or that there is never a difference of opinion. It does mean that as a Knight of Columbus, you can count on the support and encouragement of your brother Knights as you work to make life better in your parish and community.
- **Fraternity** - The Venerable Michael J. McGivney founded the Knights of Columbus, in large part, to provide assistance to the widows and children left behind when the family breadwinner died, often prematurely. The Order's top-rated insurance program continues to do this today, as do individual Knights, who last year gave more than 10 million hours of their time to assist sick and/or disabled members and their families. In the Knights of Columbus, we watch out for and take care of one another.
- **Patriotism** - Members of the Knights of Columbus are patriotic citizens. We are proud of our devotion to God and country, and believe in standing up for both. Whether it's in public or private, the Knights remind the world that Catholics support their nations and are amongst the greatest citizens.

All the good works we do are based on these four core principles. These **guiding principles set down by our Founder, the Rev. Father Michael J. McGivney**, should be uppermost in our thoughts and actions as we live our lives as Catholic Gentlemen. I encourage all of my Brother Knights to continue the journey and advance through their 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Degree Exemplifications so as to realize the rewards of full Knighthood. Thank you to all our Knights for all that you do and for all that we are able to do in the name of Walter Pollard Council #5480, Knights of Columbus.

**Vivat Jesu, Dan Richard - Grand Knight**

### Family and Knight of the Month

**Brother Walter and Debbie Troyan.** April's Family of the Month can always be found willing and able to help in any capacity that is asked of them. You can find them supporting any Council event either by just attending or volunteering their time. Walt can be seen at Council meetings as one of our worthy guards, which he has done for a few years. Debbie is an active member of the Catholic Daughters of America. They help support their parish of St Jerome, but I am most proud of their support of Council 5480. Please help me congratulate Walter and Debbie Troyan as our Family of the Month.

**Brother Jeff James.** April's Knight of the Month has been a stalwart volunteer in support of the Council's bingo operations for many, many years. He is not only in charge of the counter operations, but he also sells instant cards on the floor when the need arises. He does this religiously, despite lower back and knee pains. Even though he does not like change, he enthusiastically championed the instant game changes that needed to be made for more money to be brought in for Charity. Through his efforts, the bingo operations will be able to provide more financial assistance to other charitable organizations. This Brother has shown a keen interest in the workings of our Council in his attendance at Council meetings and 5480 Club meetings. Please help me congratulate Brother Jeff James as our Knight of the Month.



Brothers, as many of you know I have been traveling frequently for work lately. I had a last minute trip to Milan, Italy and a few people mentioned that I had to go and see the Cathedral while I was there. I wish I could remember exactly who told me to make this visit, because it was inspiring. This cathedral is very impressive and I had the opportunity to pray the rosary while there, but even more impressive is the fact that this massive church took nearly 600 years to complete. The singularity of purpose and unity that must have existed to continue this undertaking for more than 30 generations. Not only did the work continue through dozens of architects, engineers and stone workers, but the church looks like one cohesive design. These thousands of men and women working on this church worked their entire lives on a tribute to God that for many was not completed in their lifetime. Unfaltering however the work continued transitioning from generation to generation the vision of this Cathedral was passed down and continued to the completion that has stood for nearly another 600 years and will likely continue for many more. I believe we can take a lesson from this for our own work, together, and with our clear purpose of Charity, we can be a force that makes a positive change that will last far beyond our brief time on this Earth and inspire other to continue the work we begin.

*Vivat Jesu, Jon Sargent – Deputy Grand Knight*



### **Only Having Insurance “Through Work” Doesn’t Work**

Do you know anyone whose life or career has drastically changed during these years of economic downturn? It’s very likely that someone in your immediate or extended family or group of friends is facing financial uncertainty. Maybe there’s a possibility that you (or your spouse) could lose your job or change employers. Too many people have often relied on group term life insurance as their only safety net. Often, this insurance is an employee benefit provided at low or no cost. The existence of this coverage might convince someone that personally-owned life insurance is not necessary.

But only having “through work” insurance can leave you and your family vulnerable. Most group life insurance policies are limited in amount, which may be tied to salary or some other benchmark. These numbers are often capped, and this cap may be dangerously low when compared to your family’s actual needs. In fact, a detailed needs analysis that evaluates your specific situation, will likely show that any employer-provided coverage falls short. In addition, the amount of group insurance offered is almost always reduced, sometimes dramatically, when you retire. You could one day find yourself without coverage, and if your health has changed (which it will as you age), you might also find yourself unable to secure individual protection. At the very least, it will definitely be more expensive. While group life insurance can help, it does not replace the need for individually owned life insurance. I’ll be happy to meet with you and provide a no-cost needs analysis, so you’ll know exactly where you stand.

**Moving On:** It is with a heavy heart that I inform you that I am no longer a Knights of Columbus Field Agent effective as April 1, 2016. For the time being your contact will be the new Richmond Diocese General Agent, Bob Abbate until he has assigned / recruited another Field Agent(s). He is located at 4646 Princess Anne Road Suite 106 Virginia Beach, Va. 23462. His office number is 757-495-1492. It has truly been a pleasure working with all of you regardless of how long. Take care and may God Bless you and your families.

**Todd Curtis, FIC Phone – (757) 847-9981 Email – [Todd.Curtis@kofc.org](mailto:Todd.Curtis@kofc.org)**



Bothers, let’s continue to grow our membership! Please get those **Form 100s** in as soon as possible. Put them in the Chancellor's box as soon as possible! **Upcoming Degrees in the local area:**

<b>Degree</b>	<b>April 2016</b>	<b>May 2016</b>	<b>June 2016</b>
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Degree</b>	<b>April 26 (5480 - Walter Pollard)</b>	May 19 (511 - Hampton)	<b>June 14 (5480 - Walter Pollard)</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Degree</b>	April 13 (7469 - Yorktown) April 20 (367 - Norfolk) April 28 (8240 - Chesapeake)	May 2 (12378 - VA Beach) May 18 (8116 - West Point) May 26 (14059 - Richmond)	June 4 (6546 - Richmond) June 7 (12589 - Williamsburg)
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Degree</b>	April 2 (511 - Hampton)	May 14 (12117 - VA Beach)	June 4 (6546 - Richmond)

**Fraternally Yours, R. Dean Jernigan, Chancellor**



# APRIL 2016



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
27 MAR Easter Sunday	28 7 PM Bingo	29	30	31 7 PM Bingo	1 APR  <i>Nocturnal Adoration (OLMC) 3PM-6AM</i>	2 3rd Degree Council 511
3 Devine Mercy Sunday	4 Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord  7 PM Bingo	5 7:30 PM Assembly Meeting Dine-In	6 Blood Drive	7 7 PM Bingo  1st Degree Council 510	8 7 PM Lounge Open	9 4th Degree (Roanoke)
10	11 7 PM Bingo	12 7:30 PM Council Meeting	13 VA KofC Annual Meeting Regis and Hotel Reservation Deadline  2nd Degree (Council 7469)	14 7 PM Bingo	15 Federal Tax Day  Council Scholarships Forms Due	16 9 AM Adopt-a-Spot  8:30 AM Color Corps Certification  KOVAR (OLMC)
17 KOVAR (OLMC)	18 7 PM Bingo	19 7 PM 5480 Club Meeting	20 2nd Degree (Council 367)	21 7 PM Bingo	22 7 PM Birthday Knight	23 Cub Scout Pack 242 Italian Dinner (OLMC – After 5 PM Mass)  6 PM Public Safety Appreciation Dinner
24 2 PM Groovin' Picnic	25 7 PM Bingo	26 7:30 PM Council Meeting 1st Degree Council 5480  FY16-17 Budget Submission Due	27	28 2nd Degree (8240)  7 PM Bingo	29 7:30 PM Movie Knight (The Martian)	30  <i>VA State Meeting (Herndon) 29 APR – 1 MAY</i>
<b>May 2016</b>				<b>June 2016</b>		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 MAY: Virginia State Tax Day</li> <li>2 MAY: 2nd Degree (Council 12378)</li> <li>3 MAY: Assembly Meeting (Officer Elections)</li> <li>5 MAY: Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord (National Day of Prayer)</li> <li>8 MAY: Mother's Day</li> <li>10 MAY: Council Meeting</li> <li>15 MAY: Pentecost</li> <li>14 MAY: Adopt-a-Spot; Annual Appreciation Dinner; 3rd Degree (Council 12117)</li> <li>18 MAY: 2nd Degree (Council 8116)</li> <li>19 MAY: 1st Degree (Council 511)</li> <li>24 MAY: Council Meeting</li> <li>26 MAY: 2nd Degree (Council 14059)</li> <li>29 MAY: Corpus Christi Sunday / USS Scorpion Memorial Ceremony</li> <li>30 MAY: Memorial Day</li> </ul>				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3-4 JUN: Nocturnal Adoration (OLMC)</li> <li>4 JUN: 2nd Degree (Council 6546) / 3rd Degree (Council 6546)</li> <li>7 JUN: Assembly Meeting / 2nd Degree (Council 12589)</li> <li>14 JUN: Flag Day</li> <li>14 JUN: Council Meeting &amp; 1st Degree (5480)</li> <li>18 JUN: Adopt-a-Spot</li> <li>19 JUN: Father's Day</li> <li>20 JUN: World Refugee Day</li> <li>21 JUN: Catholic Fortnight for Freedom Begins</li> <li>21 JUN: 5480 Club Meeting</li> <li>28 JUN: Council Meeting</li> </ul>		

✂️ ..... Cut along the dotted line and keep the calendar at hand to attend our events ..... ✂️

**SICK, RECOVERING & DECEASED:** Brothers we ask for your prayers and support for Brothers in need of healing. We also ask for prayers for the deceased. If you are aware of a Brother Knight or his family member in need of our prayers, contact Clement Danish or the Grand Knight.

- **SICK & RECOVERY.** FEB 2016: Mary Litzinger (PGK David Litzinger's Wife); Dolores Carota (wife of Leonard Carota, PGK, FDD, PFN); Michael Chittenden.
- **DECEASED MEMBERS, RELATIVES AND FRIENDS.** MAR 2016: Andres Eulogio Siochi Jr. (father of Brother Deacon Anton)

**NAMES WILL REMAIN ON LIST FOR ONE MONTH. PLEASE RENEW YOUR PRAYER REQUEST IF CONTINUED PRAYERS ARE DESIRED. CALL CLEMENT DANISH (877-2751) OR THE GRAND KNIGHT WITH REQUESTS OR QUESTIONS.**



## Roaring Knights April 2016 Bartender Schedule

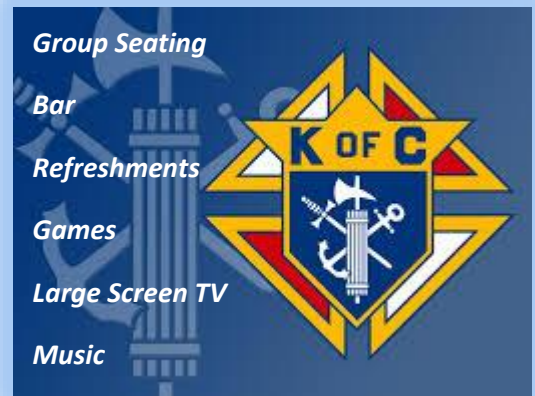


## Knights Den Lounge Information



APR	Day	Description	Bartenders
1	Friday	Latin Night	Umit, Rios
5	Tuesday	Assembly Meeting	Umit, Howard
8	Friday	Open Night	Rios
12	Tuesday	Council Meeting	Kelley, Humphrey
15	Friday	Billy Mitchell	Schirm, Rios
22	Friday	Birthday Night	Koch, Kerstetter
26	Tuesday	Council Meeting	Silva, Carrota, Schirm
29	Friday	Movie Knight	Rios

If a knight is interested in tending bar or cannot make it to bartend ***please call*** Alberto Rios at 814-5393 or



For All Lounge Rentals, Please Contact:  
Lewis Stokes (PGK) - Lounge Manager  
Phone: 757-872-7840 Email: lssyms@verizon.net

## APRIL 2016 BIRTHDAYS

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CAREY A KURTYKA - 1-  
THOMAS E MC GRATH - 1  
STEPHEN C PINCUS - 1  
DANIEL J GOERGEN - 2  
BOYD L HILL - 2  
ADRIAN R RIVERA - 2  
PAUL D CLARK - 3  
FRED R KULIS - 3  
RICHARD G BRYSON - 4  
DONALD R CONNELLY - 5  
MICHAEL J ALVES - 6  
ANDREW J BLIK - 6  
JAMES C HAINES SR - 7  
ALOSIO A LABAN - 7  
ERIK J MORGAN - 8  
PETER S GIBINO - 9  
ALEX D LAYMAN - 9  
THOMAS A WUNDER JR - 9  
DR KERMIT B ASHBY - 10

JOHN S CRAIN - 10  
ALEXANDER N SCHRODER - 11  
DANIEL C CURRAN - 12  
EVERET JEFFRIES - 12  
DAVID L ALVESTEFFER - 13  
D ANDRE J B FOSQUE - 13  
ROBERT A JONES - 13  
THOMAS J YAGER - 13  
RICHARD A CONWAY - 15  
JAMES P HEALY - 15  
LAMBERTO O BRAZA - 16  
ROBERT D JERNIGAN - 16  
JOSE LOMELL - 16  
KEVIN S TAYLOR - 16  
ANDREW A CANELLAS - 18  
AUSTIN K FARINHOLT - 18  
HAROLD K HAIRSTON - 18  
WILLIAM J SCHRODER - 18  
PATRICK F BAKER - 19  
SEAN M DISTEFANO - 20

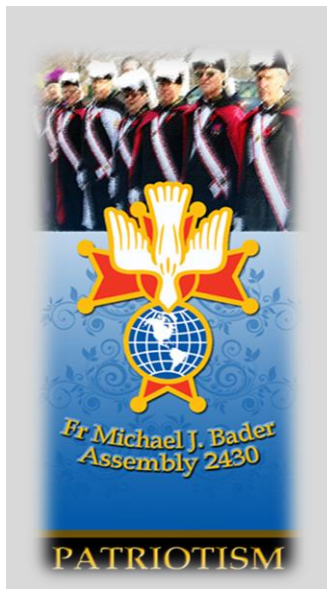
DONALD K HOFFMAN - 20  
WILLIAM C PRICE JR - 20  
ARMAND F BETZ - 21  
WILBUR CESAR C CALOPE - 21  
TERRENCE K MARTIN - 21  
STANLEY J BAKER - 22  
PAUL K BRANSFORD - 22  
JASON T DOMZAL - 23  
DANIEL L DRISCOLL - 23  
ROBERT OBRADOVIC - 23  
PETER J TOMAINO JR - 23  
THOMAS J IPPOLITO - 24  
CHARLES A MENNO - 25  
TIMOTHY P REAGAN - 25  
JOHN W HILT - 28  
JOHN J MC LEAN - 29  
STEPHEN P RASCHKE - 29  
ROBERT M BENCAL - 30  
ANTHONY R BLAND - 30  
BENJAMIN G MACALINO - 30

**Make Sure to Check out the New and Improved Knights of Columbus Supreme Website**

<http://www.kofc.org/en//index.html>



# FR. MICHAEL J. BADER – ASSEMBLY 2430



## ASSEMBLY DIRECTORY

### Faithful Navigator

SK Harold Hairston 877-1566

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SK Father Tyson J. Wood 878-2257

### Faithful Captain

SK David Litzinger 719-4028

### Faithful Pilot

SK Rick Schirm 310-3242

### Faithful Comptroller

SK David Brin 851-0907

### Faithful Purser

SK Wilfred Wotke 877-3316

### Faithful Scribe

SK Julio Santiago 593-7988

### Faithful Admiral

SK Carroll Kelley 877-4865

### Faithful Inner Sentinel

SK Reco Cotton 508-1398

SK Jim Kazmer 897-0119

### Faithful Outer Sentinel

SK Ricardo Miranda 282-1945

SK Ted Langevin 872-6751

### Color Corps Commander

SK Carroll Kelley 877-4865

### Sick and Distress

SK Tony Merendino 872-7113

### Trustees

1 Yr – SK Chuck Olson 867-7878

2 Yr – SK Louis Federico 870-0573

3 Yr – SK Thai Nguyen 232-0889

*From the Faithful Navigator*

### **The Fourth Degree – A Group of Distinctive Men...**

The first charter membership of the Fourth Degree of the Knights of Columbus was in 1900. The Grand Exemplification was held in New York City at the Lenox Lyceum. More than 1100 Knighthood Degree (Third Degree) candidates attended the ceremony. The Fourth Degree, sometimes referred to as the “Visible Arm” of the Order, has as its primary purpose to foster the spirit of patriotism and to encourage active Catholic Citizenship. Requirements for Fourth Degree candidates are the same as members in the Order which include men, 18 years of age or older, and who are practical (that is, practicing) Catholics in union with the Holy See. This means that an applicant or member accepts the teaching authority of the Catholic Church on matters of faith and morals, aspires to live in accord with the precepts of the Catholic Church, is in good standing in the Catholic Church, to “include” being a Knighthood Degree member of the Council. There is no required time period. The utmost purpose of the Fourth Degree is to cultivate and exalt the spirit of patriotism (the Order’s fourth principle) and citizenship of the Knights of Columbus through active membership in the Fourth Degree Assembly. On Saturday, April 9, 2016, qualified Knighthood Degree Brothers are invited and encouraged to take that final step to full Knighthood at the spring exemplification to be held at “St Elias Maronite Catholic Church” in Roanoke, Virginia. This is a one-day exemplification (see flyer). Cost is \$70.00, \$30.00 luncheon fee (non-candidates). A tour of downtown Roanoke and shopping excursion is planned for the ladies. Please note that dress is formal (tuxedo). Please see me, The Faithful Comptroller or the Faithful Admiral for “discounted” tuxedo rates. Deadline for Form-4 candidate approval is at the April 5th Assembly meeting. Help us grow the Assembly.

### **Thank you...**

Heartfelt thanks to more than 60 Sir Knights, spouses and widows who attended our Dine-Out at Jefferson Diner on March 1st. Good food, good service, good time had by all as they were entertained by blues singer “Bobby Blackhat”. (See photos below).

### **Upcoming Events...**

- April 5 - Assembly Meeting, Dine-In
- April 9 - Fourth Degree Exemplification (Roanoke)
- April 16- Color Corps Certification, hosted by J F Kennedy Assembly 1164 (see flyer)

### **Assembly Elections...**

May 3- Assembly Elections for next fraternal year will be held at the May 3rd meeting. Thanks to all who have stepped forward to serve and for the nominating committee in their true diligence with the interview process.

*Patriotically Proud, Harold Hairston*

# NEWS FROM AROUND THE COUNCIL & ASSEMBLY

## *Sir Knights Dine Out and Enjoy an Evening of Blues*

Assembly 2430 Sir Knights and their families enjoyed good food, fun and entertainment at the Jefferson Diner on March 1, 2016. The group was treated to the blues music of Bobby “Blackhat” Walters – a talented recording artist, harmonica player, vocalist, and songwriter.



## *Council Brothers Support “Lenten Fish Fry” at OLMC*

Brothers and volunteers from Council 5480 supported Lenten Fish Fry at Our Lady of Mount Carmel in St. Michael’s Hall on Friday, March 11, 2016. The Fish Fry served over 200 people and provide the OLMC community with lively conversation and fellowship during the Lenten Season. Special thanks to the Council 5480 team: Brothers Joe Harris, John Chesney, Jon Sargent, John Silva, Dave Litzinger, Tony Bland, Nikolas Gonzalez, George, Angelo Cavone, Jim Healy, Julio Santiago, Clem Danish, John Clements, Umit Dulvalco and Dave Taylor.



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## *Council 5480 Celebrates Family with a Dance*

On March 5, 2016, Knights of Columbus Council 5480 held its Annual Father/Daughter – Mother/Son Dinner Dance in the Fellowship Hall of St. Jerome's Church from 6:30PM to 9:30PM. Approximately 97 guests enjoyed an evening of fellowship, laughs, food and of course music and dancing. Since rescheduled event fell during lent when time with family is encouraged, it provided those in attendance an opportunity to enrich their family life by spending a fun evening together.



Guests were served pastas coated with homemade garlic butter or traditional tomato sauces, homemade meatballs, grilled sausage, peppers and onions prepared by event volunteers. Freshly made bruschetta crustini rounds and mixed green salad rounded out the menu along with an assortment of cupcakes, cookies, brownies and other delicious sweets generously donated by the Catholic Daughters of America.



Coordination and execution of the event was made possible through the dedicated efforts of 20 hardworking volunteers consisting of Brother Knights, their spouses, children, Catholic Daughters of America, and St. Jerome's staff and parishioners.



# EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Nocturnal Adoration

Our Lady of Mount Carmel *hosts Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on the first Friday-Saturday of each month.* Brothers and their families are invited to pray for one hour in the *Blessed Sacrament Chapel.* Nocturnal Adoration hours are 3:00 p.m. on Friday 6:00 a.m. on Saturday. Upcoming Nocturnal Adorations: 1-2 April; 3-4 June; 1-2 July.

## Fraternal Year 2016-2017 Nominating & Budget Committees Formed

In March 2016, Council 5480 *formed two key committees to chart our leadership and fiscal course for Fraternal Year 2016-2017.*

- **Leadership:** If you want to serve in a council leadership position next year, please contact a member of the Nominating Committee in April; members will vote on the proposed slate of officers during a Council Meeting in May 2016 (nominations are also accepted from the floor). **Nominating Committee:** PGK James Healy (Chairman), PGK Chuck Olson, PGK Dominick Bavacqua, SK Bob Blymyer, SK Ted Langevin. If interested in serving in leadership position next year, please contact a member of the Nominating Committee ASAP.
- **Budget:** If you have an idea or initiative you would like to be considered for resourcing, please submit it in writing to the budget committee by the second Council Meeting of the month on April 26, 2016. **Budget Committee:** DGK Jonathan Sargent (Chairman), PSD Ron Gorman, PGK Gabriel Franco, PGK Dominick Bavacqua

## Movie Knight

Join us in the lounge for Movie Knight on the Fourth Friday – April 29, 2016 at 7:30 PM. The April feature will be *The Martian* - a 2015 film based on Andy Weir's 2011 novel *The Martian*. Damon stars as an astronaut who is mistakenly presumed dead and left behind on Mars. The film depicts his struggle to survive and others' efforts to rescue him. The film's ensemble cast also features Jessica Chastain, Kristen Wiig, Jeff Daniels, Michael Peña, Kate Mara, Sean Bean, Sebastian Stan, Aksel Hennie, and Chiwetel Ejiofor.



## Blood Drive! Volunteers and Donors Needed!

Council 5480 we will be *supporting a Blood Drive on 6 April! Please consider donating blood to support this vital cause.* We also need volunteers to help during the drive to process the donors and to give out refreshments. To volunteer, please contact Frank Dougherty. Phone: 757-595-2380 - Email: [fado41@yahoo.com](mailto:fado41@yahoo.com). Thank you to all that supported the *Peninsula Agency on Aging (PAA) meal packing in March!*

## Last Call! Council Scholarship Applications

Council Scholarship forms will be available in lounge and meeting room. Due to limited funds scholarships *are limited to students attending Catholic Schools in our area*, namely Our Lady of Mount Carmel and Peninsula Catholic High School. **Forms are due back by April 15, 2016.** Awards may be limited to two per family. Any questions about forms can addressed to Committee Members, the Grand Knight Dan Richards, or Committee Chairman SK Joe Drozdowski. Email: [drozdow@verizon.net](mailto:drozdow@verizon.net).

## KOVAR CAPTAINS Needed

Brothers all, we need several *volunteers to work as KOVAR CAPTAINS at OLMC Masses the weekend of April 16/17.* The task is to ensure that there is at least a Knight and a Friend at each exit after MASS. CAPTAINS also distribute Tootsie Rolls to all stations and tally funds collected. The KNIGHTS are there to collect for KOVAR, in partnership with Friends (there for support and express their appreciation). The Friends will also wear a KOVAR Apron, Tootsie Rolls. We do NOT want all Knights or all Friends at any one door, but work as a partnership. Children and grandchildren are welcome to participate! Contact PGK David Litzinger to volunteer for a Mass: (757) 719-4028 [davidlitzinger@verizon.net](mailto:davidlitzinger@verizon.net).

## Congrats to 5480 Bowlers!

Congrats to the *bowlers that represented Council 5480 and placed at the VA State KofC Bowling Tournament* on February 27, 2016 hosted by Bishop Ireton Council 6189. Our bowlers excelled in the Good Ole Boys and Gals Division with the first place team of Fernanda Kelly, Rosaria Tietjens, Sako Braza, Debbie Troyan (score: 1697); second place high game for an individual by Frank Humphry (Score: 185); ladies high scratch game by Fernanda Kelly (score: 178). Full Results: <http://www.vakofc.org/2016-bowling-tournament.html>



***KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
FOURTH DEGREE  
Virginia District***



**Exemplification**

**Saturday, April 9, 2016  
St Elias Maronite Catholic Church  
5730 Cove Road NW  
Roanoke, Virginia 24017**

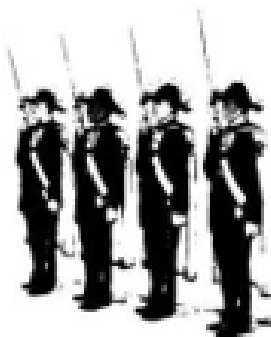
**Exemplification Fee: \$70.00  
Dress is formal (tuxedo)**

*For more info...See your Faithful Navigator (Harold Hairston), Faithful Admiral (Carroll Kelley), or Faithful Comptroller (David Brin) or visit the State website:  
<http://www.vakofc.org/exemplifications.html>*

## *Color Corps Certification*

Saturday, April 16, 2016, 8:30 a.m.

Hosted by: John F Kennedy Assembly #1164  
1 McGivney Lane  
Hampton, VA 23664



### *Did You Know? The Official Uniform of the 4th Degree?*

<b>Basic Uniform</b>	Black Tuxedo, Plain White Tuxedo Shirt, Black Bow Tie, Black, Black Socks and Cummerbund and White Gloves
<b>Regalia Colors</b>	Fourth Degree Member – Red Cape and White Chapeau with Black Handle Sword
<b>Navigator &amp; Former Navigators</b>	White Cape and White Chapeau with White Handle Sword
<b>Commanders</b>	Purple Cape and Purple Chapeau with White Handle Sword
<b>District &amp; Associate Marshals</b>	Green Cape and Green Chapeau with White Handle Sword
<b>Master &amp; Former Masters</b>	Gold Cape and Gold Chapeau with Gold Handle Sword
<b>Vice &amp; Fmr Vice Supreme Masters</b>	Light Blue Cape and Light Blue Chapeau with Gold Handle Sword

### **OLMC TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE**

**April 16th & 17th**

*"Knowing Our Values, Achieving Results"*

**KOVAR** is a Virginia Knights of Columbus Charity established in 1971 to provide financial assistance through grants and home loans to tax exempt organizations providing training and assistance to citizens with intellectual disabilities.

**April is "Autism Awareness Month", please consider signing up to assist with the TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE at one of the Masses the weekend of April 16 & 17 April at Our Lady of Mount Carmel. Sign-up sheets will be at the Assembly Meeting on April 5 and the Council Meeting on April 12<sup>th</sup>.**

Saturday, 16 Apr at 5:00 pm

Sunday, 17 April at 8:00 am

Sunday, 17 April at 10:00 am

Sunday, 17 April at 5:00 pm

This year we will be assisted by the Catechists, Friends & Family from the Special Religious Development (SPRED) community. Afterwards the SPRED Room will be open for an OPEN HOUSE and tour.

# EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Cub Scout Pack 242



will host an

### *Italian Dinner*

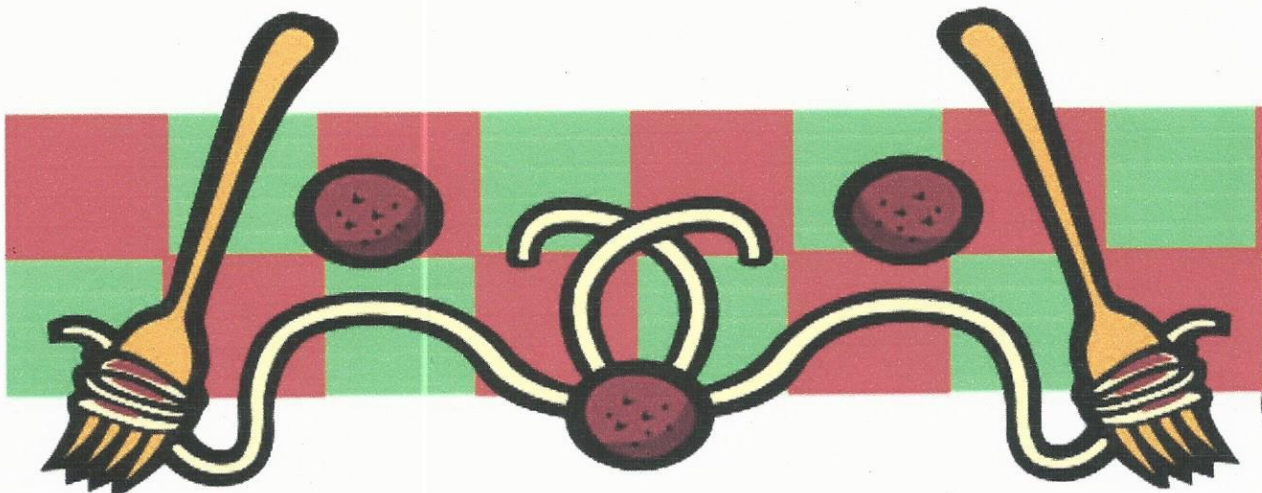
**When: Saturday - April 23, 2016  
Immediately Following 5 PM Mass**

Where: OLMC School Cafeteria

Cost: \$7/ person in advance \$10/person at the door

Join us for spaghetti w/tomato sauce, meatballs, bread, salad, and dessert!

Contact Robbie DeBartolo at (757)286-4253 or [allbrite@widomaker.com](mailto:allbrite@widomaker.com) to RSVP or for details.



## EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PUBLIC SAFETY  
APPRECIATION DINNER**  
*Saturday, April 23, 2016*

*“Celebrate Those Who  
Protect and Serve  
Our Community”*

**Doors Open at 6:00 p.m.  
Dinner Begins at 7:00 p.m.**

*Cost: \$10.00*

*RSVP April 14, 2015*

*Thai Nguyen, ([thairific@gmail.com](mailto:thairific@gmail.com) or 757-232-0889),*

*Event Chair*



**April 24, 2016**

**5480 Picnic Shelter**

**2–6 p.m.**

**BBQ CHICKEN AND FIXIN'S!**

**\$ 5.00/MEMBER**

**\$10.00 MEMBER FAMILY (UP TO 4/FAMILY)**

**\$ 7.50/NON-MEMBER ADULT**

**\$ 3.00/NON-MEMBER CHILD 12 AND UNDER**

**SIGN UP IN THE LOUNGE TO ATTEND OR  
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## 116th Virginia State Annual Meeting

**April 29 - May 1, 2016**

**For Annual State Meeting information and to  
register – visit:**

<http://www.vakofc.org/2016-convention.html>

### **2016 Virginia KofC Annual Meeting:**

Location: Hyatt Dulles Hotel in Herndon,

Dates April 29 to May 1, 2016.

Registration Deadline: April 13

Hotel Rooms: \$99 per night (special K of C rate). Hotel reservation deadline is April 13.

Friday Events: Golf Tournament; first annual Knights of Columbus Clay Target Invitational, at the Bull Run Shooting Center; tour of the Saint John Paul II Shrine near the Basilica of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C. Friday Night Entertainment: Horizon Band, door prizes, silent auction, and raffle.

Saturday Events: Annual Awards Breakfast, Ladies Luncheon and the Saturday Evening Banquet.



**ANNUAL APPRECIATION DINNER  
SATURDAY, MAY 14, 2016**

**COCKTAILS START @ 6:30PM**

**DINNER @ 7:15PM**

**\$25 couple OR \$15 person  
KOVAR donation**

**TO HONOR:  
COUNCIL'S KNIGHT AND FAMILY  
OF THE MONTH AND YEAR**

**YOUNG MAN AND WOMAN OF THE YEAR**

**THOSE WHO PROTECT AND  
SERVE OUR COMMUNITY**

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# COUNCIL 5480 WALTER POLLARD DIRECTORY

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