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## The GRAND KNIGHT's Report - Brother Marc Morneau



Brothers,

It has been a few months since we last issued a Newsletter so we do have some catching up to do.

While we are not publishing Newsletters like we once did, the communication and flow of information between our Council and all of our members has never been better.

### Parish Breakfasts and Fish Fry Events



Since our last publication, our Council has held 3 Parish breakfasts' events and 2 Fish Fries. These events have been very well supported by our Parish family and I would be remiss if I didn't thank our area Councils and

This is because we have a full interactive website in which we have also added Facebook, Twitter and Instagram pages allowing all members as well as anyone who has access to social media to follow our Council's activities.

I would like to thank Brothers Brandon Bernardon and Felipe Da Silva for taking on the task of serving helping to manage our website and the on-going support of providing updates on the site and the pages.

A briefing of about 10 minutes at all upcoming general meetings will be dedicated towards taking members through the website in order to take advantage of all of its benefits.

Fourth Degree Assemblies for their support as well.

Brother Murray Harris (Breakfast) and Garry Hawco (Fish Fry) along with a strong support group of kitchen help have made these events successful fundraising events for our Council, our Parish and the many charities we support.

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**Children's Christmas Party, 2018**

On December 9 we held our second Annual Children's Christmas Party in the Parish Hall following the 11 am Mass. Our attendance almost tripled in size from last year and we had an overflow crowd of over 200 children, parents and grandparents attend. We had to take over the

Marian room to accommodate the crowd size.

A big thank you to Brother Lorne Clark and his wife Christine for taking over the chairmanship of this event! As very special thank you to Santa Claus as well!



*(The large crowd starts to arrive following Mass)*



*(Santa's visit is always popular with the Children)*



*(Event Chairman Lorne poses with our Chancellor Brother Dennis)*

**A very special thank you to Capri Pizza on Dougall Avenue for their support!**



## **Basketball Free Throw Championship 2019**

January saw the return of our Basketball Free Throw competition after a one year hiatus. With a new chairman in Brother Mark Danelon, we had a tremendous response from both parish schools. We had 31 participants from both Our Lady of Mt. Carmel and Holy Cross Schools and each one had at least 1 parent while some had 2 present along with some siblings.

We had about 80 people crowded in the gym at Mt. Carmel School for this event on a Saturday morning and it great to see this kind of response. Brother Mark along with the winners and their parents made the trip to Assumption High School



*(Brother Mark gathers 31 participants from our 2 Parish Schools and speaks to parents)*

for the District Championships. Six of the eight age and gender groups from our Parish Schools took home District Championships and will now move to the Regional event to be held in Belle River.

Brother Mark Danelon a relatively new Knight brought a fresh, new approach to this event and it became a family project as well with his wife, mother and father all taken up support roles. Brother Mark also participated in this event while a student at Christ the King School as a young boy, so this event and its great memories certainly played a role in his enthusiasm.



*(Our Lady of Mount Carmel School Gym was a busy place for this event!)*

## **Membership Drive :**

We have interviewed 2 new candidates for membership along with the transfer of another member to our Council recently. We encourage all members to encourage friends, family

members to consider joining our Order. We have a dynamic, engaged and very active Council that any member of our parish should be proud to be associated with.





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