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Newsletter 2017



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE - COUNCIL 8306

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Council 8306 General Meetings are held the 1st Wednesday of each month at 7:00pm in the Parish Hall

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Greeting Brother Knights!

Brothers, as you read this Deputy Grand Knight and I will be in Dallas for the 113th Annual Knights of Columbus Conference. This weekend is anything but rest and relaxation. It starts Friday and concludes Sunday, with a lot of important information in-between. There will be priests and deacons, Bishops, Arch-Bishops and possibly even Texas' own Cardinal! I am once again excited to represent our council at this conference.

Our next business meeting is Wednesday, May 3rd. Please make all efforts to attend. We will be discussing the upcoming Cornyval.

It has been brought to my attention that our meetings are running longer and longer. I respect and value your time. I ask in advance that if you have the floor, please be mindful of time. A short 2-minute informative speech can easily become a 10-minute repetitive session. Be mindful of your allotted time when speaking to the membership.

Brothers as always it is a pleasure and honor to serve this council. Please feel free to contact me directly with any comments, questions or concerns. I look forward to seeing each of you at our next business meeting. In the meantime, May the Grace of The Holy Spirit Be With You ALWAYS!

May God Bless You All. VIVAT JESUS!

Reynaldo Maldonado, Jr.



Grand Knight



Knights of Columbus Officers

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Membership Director	Steve Mendoza
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Additional Appointments

40 Cans for Lent Food Dr.	Dennis F. Chaput
Altar Server BBQ	Phillip C. Loverde, PGN
Bereavement	Richard C. Zepeda
Blood Drive	Marcus R. Garcia
Breakfast with Santa	Daniel A. Wayt
Cemetery Grass Cutting	Marcus R. Garcia
Cornyval	William J. O'Brien
Easter Egg Hunt	Marcus R. Garcia
Knights Xmas Party	Steve Mendoza

Knights Habitat House	Donato Rios Jr. PGN
Knights Shirts & Hats	Albert J. Reyes
Knights Softball Socials	Isaias S. Dominguez
Riggs Rd. clean-up	Lawrence J. Kovach, PGN
Scholarship Committee	Richard C. Zepeda
Taco/Donut Sales	Melquiadez Velazquez
TX Knights Football Tickets	Thad R. Taubert
Admissions Degree Chairman	Louis Garcia

Financial Secretary Notes:

Hello Brothers, please let me know anything that you need or are missing. For Example Name Badges, Membership cards, not receiving emails, etc.

The Second Notice for Membership dues for 2017 was due on February 28th. If I did not receive your payment by now, you have been placed in retention, which means the retention committee has reached out to you to attempt to collect payment or discuss your options. This is the first step in suspension from the Knights of Columbus. Please reach out to me if you have any questions or any type of financial difficulty that is not allowing you to pay your membership dues. The last thing we want as a council is to suspend a member, so please communicate with me so it can be avoided. If you no longer wish to be a Knight of Columbus, please send me an email letting me know you wish to resign your membership.

Please send payments to
Hector Torres-May
1703 N Loop 1604 W, Apt 15308
San Antonio, TX 78258

You are able to mail me any dues payments (only checks and money orders) or bring them with you to the meeting (you can pay cash at the next Council Meeting). You can now also pay your dues online at <https://squareup.com/store/Knights8306>. Please make sure your payment comes only directly to me and try to not give your payment to any other brothers including current officers as they will not be responsible if your payment is lost. Also, please do not drop in your payment at the Church Dropbox as that will result in a church donation to Our Lady of Guadalupe. 2017 Membership Cards were sent out by mail to all members that are current on their dues and for those that did not pick it up in the previous meetings. Please make sure you bring your membership card with you to the council meeting. If you have not received your 2017 membership card, please contact me or come see me at the meeting. Again, Please let me know if you have any questions or financial troubles. All matters of financial issues will be handled privately. We say thank you in advance for taking care of your dues in a timely manner.

Please visit www.kc-olg.org and familiarize yourself with our new website. There are many great things to check out and navigate.

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April Knight of the Month: Larry Kovach

April Family of the Month: Dennis Chaput and Family

Please welcome our new Transferred Knights!

- Roberto Rocha
- Chris Walding
- Josue Ortiz

Brother Knights:

Note: If you have any photos of our Knights involved in a project, event, or accomplishment. We would love to see what our Knights are doing these days; Please email me at gtfreund@outlook.com.

2017 SCHOLARSHIPS

Our Council Scholarship committee has selected the following students to be awarded \$600.00 each from our Council Scholarship Fund.

Tyler J. Faichinger Brandeis H.S.
B. Mc Andrew Brandeis H.S.
Raul Ramon Diaz O' Connor H.S.
Julie Jumamil O' Connor H.S.
Jaclyn Hernandez O' Connor H.S.

BY: Richard C. Zepeda
KC Scholarship Chairman

May 2017


Knights

3	8:00 AM	Mass-Special Intensions for Priests/Staff
3	6:00 PM	Officers/Directors meeting
3	7:00 PM	Cornyval Meeting
3		Nomination for Board Members
4-7		Helotes Cornyval
6	6:00AM	Cornyval Parade@ Parish Hall-Cooking
6	7:00AM	Cornvval Parade @ Parish allStart Selling
8	TBD	Cornyval Clean-up/Breakdown Booth
21	8:30-12:00	Blood Drive
21	6:30	Taco/Donut Breakfast
TBD	8:00 AM	Cemetery Grass cutting/clean-up

Upcoming Events



Riggs Road Clean-up
 POC: Bro. Larry Kovach
 (601) 527-7849 or (210) 601 7023



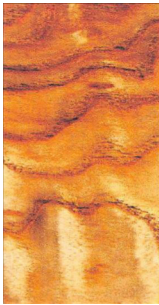
POC: Bro. Marcus Garcia (210-219-1458)



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Our Bro. Knights who Mowed & Trimmed at the cemetery before Easter:
 Lee Charvet, Thomas Charvet and Phil LoVerde

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Happy Birthday

MAY 2017

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Bro. Larry Hernandez 210-683-3667

2	Alvaro Frausto, Jr.
3	Rev. Gerald R. Hammel
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5	Craig F. Stong

5	Rene Velasquez, Jr.
7	James John Ruiz
7	Delfino R. Zavala
8	Thomas L. Bomhack

8	Christopher D. Kiser
10	Alejandro Garcia
13	Jorge Contreras Perez
13	Jeff D. Pepper
14	Jeff M. Taylor
15	Mark Loiselle
15	Jacob S.Ulczynski
18	David J. Lucero
18	Richard G. Willigus III
19	Jefferson W. Goodwin
19	Gordon B. Lewis
23	Jimmie R. Belmares
24	Michael D. Easter
26	Jose G. Dominguez
26	Mark V. Kreipe
26	Roger H. Plasse
31	Ramon R.Gallegos, Jr.

As your professional Knights of Columbus insurance agent, I look forward to helping us grow in a fraternity in any way that I can.

Richard Barrera



210-487-1841

ROUND & ABOUT



Vickie & Bro. Tony Sanchez, Arriving at Jim's for lunch 4/19/17

CORNYVAL

Brother Knights, this is the second CORNYVAL update. Items will be presented in bullet statements format.



- --Need ice chests. Please bring them to the May 3 meeting
- --Due to the popularity of the Spazmatics band, there will be a \$5 cover charge at the CORNYVAL on May 4
- --If you have any of the Styrofoam chests that are normally kept in the Knight's closet, please bring them to the May 3 meeting
- --To save the vendor's passes that I've been given, please try to arrive at CORNYVAL prior to the opening of the gates. You don't need a pass to get in before the gates open
(CORNYVAL is free on Sunday, May 7)
- --I think we should plan on arriving at 5:30 a.m. at the PCC on May 6 to start cooking.
- --I would really like to lock down the drivers of the gators in advance, so don't hesitate to contact me at 695-6262 or 441-1117 if you would like to volunteer.
- --If you have any ideas or suggestions feel free to contact me.

Thank You, Brother Knights. Bro. Bill O'Brien