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Deputy Grand Knight's Message – Michael Mark

Brother Knights:

Happy New Year and welcome to the beginning of a new decade. We have gone through a tumultuous 2019 and we need to be cognizant of the fact that we have to grow and rebuild our council into a success for years to come. This means that we must have all hands on deck, and everyone must participate in as many council activities, projects and events as possible to help make a difference for the less fortunate within our community. We must improve fraternity and unity more than ever amongst ourselves. We have to involve our families and friends to come out and participate in our events in order to bring us closer to each other and to get to know each other's families much better. In Christ, we are just one big happy family. We have a lot of fun events planned for this year, but without your help, it can't happen. I urge everyone to join a planning committee for these events like trivia night, golf tournament, car show, 60^{th} anniversary celebration of our



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council in Burlington, just to name a few. Remember, many hands make light work.

I am very grateful for the support of our Chaplain, Father Roshan D'Souza who has taught us to love one another as brothers in Christ. We must show compassion, humility, forgiveness, and respect to each other.

With Father Roshan's guidance, I am sure that we will be able to accomplish great things as a council and do some excellent charitable work within our community.

Vivat Jesus,

Michael Mark

Deputy Grand Knight (Acting Grand Knight)

Ephesians 4:32

Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you.

1 Peter 3:8

Finally, all of you, have unity of mind, sympathy, brotherly love, a tender heart, and a humble mind.

Matthew 5:9

Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.



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Galatians 6:2

Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ.



In the month of December, we suffered the death of a brother Knight. Brother John McCarthy died on December 5th, 2019. Brother John was very active in our council for many years and was a close personal friend of mine. At one point, he served as our Lecturer, and was still serving as a director of the Burlington Kolumbus Club until his illness took the better of him in the fall of 2019 and he eventually passed away to be with our father in heaven. A funeral mass was held at St. Patrick's parish on December 12th at 11 am where 3rd degree brother Knights formed a procession in honor of brother



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Knight John McCarthy at the church where brother Knight John McCarthy and his family attended for many years. I had the honor of presenting John's family with a framed resolution of condolence certificate on behalf of Council 5073 at the funeral home on the evening of December 11th, 2019.

Brother Knight Steve Germann's mother, Mary Germann passed away on December 6th, 2019. The funeral was held at St. Raphael's Roman Catholic Church on January 3rd, 2020 at 11 am. Visitation was held from 10 am at St. Raphael's Roman Catholic Church. Cremation for Mrs. Mary Germann has already taken place. There was a reception held at the church hall following the funeral mass.

Brother Steve Germann was an active member of Council 5073 for many years and transferred to Mary Mother of God Council a number of years ago. He continued to serve and do the Lord's work as an active member of the degree team for the Mary Mother of God Council, as well as serving in many capacities within that council. Many of our senior brother Knights knew Steve and his family quite well. Steve Germann is an active parishioner at St. Raphael's Roman Catholic Church for many years serving in many ministries including the pro-life initiative, as well as being an active member of St. Raphael's choir. I attended Mrs. Germann's funeral mass and had the pleasure of meeting Steve's family and close friends.

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The Big Band Concert Project

Written Notice of Motion:

Whereas the four (4) Councils of Burlington and the Pope John Paul II Assembly have annually participated in a joint venture to sponsor a Big Band Concert at the Burlington Performing Arts Centre, and

Whereas the committee needs "seed" money to book the facilities and advertise the event, and

Whereas the expected budget for the event is \$3,750.

I move that Council 5073 commit to an expenditure of \$750.00 representing our one-fifth share of the budget.

Moved by: Lee Brown

Council will vote on the motion to commit the expenditure of \$750.00 representing our one-fifth share of the budget at the January 13th general meeting.

The Big Band event is scheduled to take place on February 23rd, 2020.

COUNCIL 5073 VACANCY NOMINATIONS DECEMBER 9, 2019

The following Brothers were nominated at the December 9th meeting for the following offices:

GRAND KNIGHT Vacant
CHANCELLOR John Sagan



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ADVOCATE Colin Pye
TRUSTEE (two year term) George O'Brien

Those nominated who cannot attend the January 13, 2020 Meeting MUST provide a written acceptance of the NOMINATION. E-mails may be sent to Financial Secretary Lee Brown at leebrown3113@gmail.com or to the District Deputy, Vic Lefebvre at lefebvrevj@outlook.com will satisfy as a written acceptance. Failure to provide this acceptance will result in the nominee being removed from the ballot.

Nominations will be reopened at the January 13, 2020 meeting. At that meeting, further nominations will be accepted from the floor. If you would like to nominate a brother, please obtain his permission before you nominate him. All nominations at that meeting will require a seconder.

If you would like to serve in any of these positions, please ask a Brother to nominate you.

Council Trivia Night

There will be a Trivia night held on the evening of March 6th of 2020.

- -Details will follow in late January
- -Anyone wishing to assist me in organizing this event can contact me directly at mysmark18@sympatico.ca

Golf Tournament for 2020

The council would like to organize a golf tournament in June of 2020 and invite brother Knights from other councils, as well as people from our community. A planning meeting should take place as early as January of 2020, and brothers Larry Edwards, Jere Hartnett,



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Michael Mark, John Sagan and Jim McCarthy would like to be members of this golf Committee. Details of this meeting will follow in January, 2020. Any brother who is interested in helping out by working with us on the golf committee is most welcomed to do so.

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
29	Happy Birthday Robert B Flewelling	• Happy Birthday William Mather	 New Year's Day Cobbs Bakery - Pickup 	2	3	• Happy Birthday Gordon S Campbell Mario Colaianni
5	• Council Executive Meeting	• Happy Birthday Donald J Williams	 Cobbs Bakery - Pickup Senior's Club 	9	Happy Birthday Joseph N Madden	11
12	• Council Business Meeting	• HCC Board Meeting	Cobbs Bakery - Pickup Senior's Club Happy Birthday Scott J Harrison Frank J	• Assembly Meeting	17	18



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19	Kolumbus Club Board Meeting	21	• Cobbs Bakery - Pickup • Senior's Club • Happy Birthday Fr. Roshan L Dsouza	• Happy Birthday Rev. Fr. Raymond Modeski	24	25
26	• Fraternal Meeting -Safe Environment Training Night		• Cobbs Bakery - Pickup • Senior's Club • Happy Birthday Gilbert J McGee	30	• Happy Birthday William S McCarthy	1



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Brother Mark Herod has an announcement for all brother Knights

Knights of Columbus charity Desktop computers available for purchase!

Are you looking for a second desktop computer for your home or office?

We currently have a few desktop computers which have been donated and then completely fixed up and re-purposed!!

Completely reinstalled with the following features:

- -Windows operating system
- -Microsoft office
- -Antivirus
- -Adobe acrobat reader
- -iTunes

Price- \$100

*Please support the Knights of Columbus charity by purchasing a computer for yourself or someone you know.

100% of the proceeds go towards Knights of Columbus charities and our catholic community



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(Due to the fact that these are refurbished computers they do not come with a mouse or keyboard as It is unhygienic to recycle keyboards and mice. You can pick up a brand new mouse and keyboard at any computer shop for approximately \$20 or \$30)

Please support the Knights of Columbus charity by purchasing a computer for yourself or someone you know

If you are interested please contact brother Mark Herod at Mark@herod.ca
289-242-1121



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Council Contact Information

Once we have the elections conducted at the general meeting on January 13th, 2020, we will have an updated list of the Council Executive Officers.

Burlington Kolumbus Club Board

Larry Edwards- President

Justin Hill- Vice President

John Enhaynes- Treasurer

Alan Benoit- Director

Bert Van Dalen- Director

Chris Beaver- Director

Arnold Artenzia- Director

Mario Carr- Hall Manager

Lee Brown – Financial Secretary (Ex-Offcio)

Michael Mark- Acting Grand Knight (Ex-Offcio)

Halton Columbus Charities Contact Information

Once the election on December 17th has taken place, we will have an updated list of Directors and Executives. President- TBA



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