

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE — ROCCO DEVITO

As Spring Shrouds Us All

As we roll out of the winter blues and bound into spring, we are reminded of the Easter season and the revival that we experience with our religious beliefs in the forefront of our excitement. Alleluia he has risen, he has truly reason, indeed. As resurrection is a new beginning, we also regenerate ourselves during this special time. We are truly blessed to have two special times every year to be reunited with fellow humans in God's love through our happiness and joy through the celebration of both Advent and Lent! It is so much easier to help others when we feel such joy during the Easter season. We feel gratitude for the repentance that we receive at these special times, like the wiping of a new slate. The deleting of the past deficiencies of the last few months we become anew. This celebration goes hand-in-hand with the early leaves poking through the recently frozen ground and with the budding trees, soon to flower, and we must not forget the robins of spring happily hopping around our yards staking out their territories in preparation for the nesting and bringing of new life. We too find an added hop to our steps as we walk in the crisp spring air that seems to warm the atmosphere and the deep caverns of our hearts. Let us not forget the reason for the resurrection, to bring in of new life, not the old forgetful self-centered life of the past, but a new life of recommitment to a servitude to all. Make your promises emit from your heart to making a better world. Make your smiles traverse your face from ear to ear. Make you handshakes enthusiastically and sincere. Hug as you have never hugged before. And love as God loves you! Allow this resurrected spirit to motivate you to embark on the life of servitude that Jesus initiated with his mission on earth.

May you and your families feel the hope of new beginnings, love and happiness during this joyful Spiritual Easter season as we celebrate the Risen Christ.

Rocco DeVito Deputy Grand Knight



to our Brother Knights who are celebrating their special day during the month of April

> Frank Barich Riccardo Colaianni Yves Isabelle Stephen Kportufe Rick Lomas Ignatius MacDonald Michael MacDonald William Manley Ronald Milne Jerry Ponikvar Alan Read John Schunk



TO OUR BROTHER KNIGHTS AND THEIR WIVES WHO CELEBRATE THEIR ANNIVERSARIES IN APRIL!

> John and Catherine Bennett Paul and Barbara Catena Gregory and Tamara Huckle Vincent and Elaine Meehan Alan and Eleanor Read

Prayer Requests

In charity, unity and fellowship let us pray for the needs of our Brother Knights and their families.

Craig Celeste Deacon Patrick Crowley Brett Faucher Paul La Fontaine Linda Johnson Mary Kent Bill O'Riordan John Schunk Dick Vaughan

Ricardo Colaianni The Johnson Family Darryl Judd Rosemary Madden Colin and Maria Pye **Deacon Rob Thomas**

PRAYER IN TIME OF NEED

Lord Jesus, you came into the world to heal our infirmities and to endure our sufferings. You went about healing all and bringing comfort to those in pain and need.

We come before you now in this time of need asking that you may be the source of our strength in body, courage in spirit and patience in pain.

May we join ourselves more closely to you on the Cross and in your suffering that through them we may draw our patience and hope.

Assist us and restore us to health so that united more closely to our family, the Church, we may give praise and honour to your name. Amen.





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Knights of Columbus - 2018 Cash Calendar February 2018 Winners

Date	Ticket	Winner	Prize
1	3235	Natalie D'Addario	\$20
2	3475	John Csordas	\$50
5	3395	Mary Simon	\$20
6	3347	Bob Flake	\$20
7	3079	Colin Pye	\$20
8	4102	Bill O'Rourke	\$20
9	3253	Anne & James Donaldson	\$50
12	3534	J&M O'Connor-Legate	\$20
13	3478	Ken Fleming	\$20
14	3904	Michael Enright	\$20
15	3646	Jeff Liu	\$20
16	3138	Melanie O'Brien	\$50
19	3382	Steve Montague	\$20
20	3830	Paul Szupranowicz	\$20
21	4199	Timeena Cervoni	\$20
22	3261	John Schunk	\$20
23	3357	Joe Mangiapane	\$50
26	4109	David Foster	\$20
27	3724	Eric Muller	\$20
28	3207	Phil Brand	\$20
/alentine's Day	3018	Jessica Buchanan	\$150

Date of Draw: February 28, 2018

Drawn by: Gerry Kelly Witnessed by: Harry Murphy Recorded By: Jere Hartnett



Dear Brother Knights,

As of March 25 we have approximately 42 members that have not paid their 2018 membership dues. This message is for those Knights; if you have already paid

your dues, thank-you for your support of our council and community.

If you have not paid your dues and did not receive your 2018 statement, please send me an email at greg.huckle@outlook.com and I will email you a copy ASAP. Please verify we have your correct mailing address.

There are lots of ways you can pay your dues!

- Pay online. Send me an email indicating you want to pay online and I will email you a secure link to pay.
- Pay by mail. Send your cheque payable to KofC 5073, and mail to 2400 Industrial Street, Burlington ON L7P 1A5.
- Pay at the next general meeting. You can pay with credit card, *Interac flash*, cash or cheque.
- Drop off your payment at the hall in the members' mail slot, attention Greg Huckle.

After receiving your payment, I will send a confirmation of payment and tell you how to get your membership card.

Thank you for your continued support of our council and the Knights.

Vivat Jesus,

Greg Huckle Financial Secretary

Go to our website for the final results of the Ontario Region2 Basketball Free Throw Competition.



GENERAL MEETING March 12, 2018 Issues Addressed

1. A motion was presented and seconded by Br. Ron Milne that council approve the Halton Columbus Charities Distribution Plan for \$26,000. Carried.

A second motion was tabled to accept the changes to the by-laws. It was seconded by Br. Mario Colaianni. Carried.

- 2. Election Chair, Paul Catena, announced that the nominations and elections for the Kolumbus Club resulted in Brothers Michael Enright, Tom Flannery and Tom O'Brien being acclaimed. Four vacancies were open, one of which still needs to be filled.
- 3. Nominations are now open for the Halton Columbus Charities. Three Director positions are open.

 Nominations will be open again at the April General Meeting. Brothers Mario Colaianni, Ron Milne, Rohan Nazareth and Tom O'Brien were nominated at the March General Meeting. Please note that you must talk to a fellow brother and receive his confirmation before submitting your nomination.
- 4. Voting on a motion to financially support the attendance of the Grand Knight and Past Grand Knight and their guests at the Annual State Convention in Toronto. The amount is not to exceed \$1,000 for the attendees. Seconded by Br. Paul LaFontaine.

Please come to the April 9, 2018, General Meeting and be prepared to respond to items 3 and 4.

Bill Manley, Recorder



St. Gabriel's Parish Spaghetti Dinner
- New Date – Sunday April 15

Brothers, if it is your turn to cook, why not consider taking the family out to Spaghetti Night.

St. Gabriel's Knights of Columbus Council is running this event and it promises to be a good time.

Want more information? Contact Stephen Clarke at stgabrielskofc@gmail.com





I hope this finds you and your families well and looking forward to spring and the warmer weather that will give us more opportunities to enjoy the outdoors and all our city and region has to offer.

I would like to thank all Brother Knights who came out to support Team Ayden for the Spaghetti Fundraiser at the hall on March 18 for Juvenile Arthritis.

Our efforts like this make a difference to the youth in our community. I hope you will continue to support our efforts to assist the youth effort(s), either through activities that are lead by our council or opportunities we find to partner with others to deliver youth programming to the community such as our efforts with Team Ayden.

We want to be the difference.

I challenge Brother Knights to continue and support the excellent start we have made. If you have an idea, bring it forward – discuss it – get involved – support it – make it happen.

Tim Salisbury Youth Director

KNIGHTS' MONTHLY MOMENTS

RECRUITMENT AWARD



DGK Rocco DeVito receives a recruitment award from newly appointed District Deputy Vic LeFebvre at the general meeting on March 12.

TEAM AYDEN FUND RAISER FOR JUVENILE ARTHRITIS



The Columbus Hall was the venue for this event on March 4 which was championed by Br. Frank Miele. (L to R) Br. Bernie Moorcroft, Henry Valcheff, Rohan Nazareth, Dennis Duserault and (in front) Past Grand Knight Leo Russell.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS FLAG RAISING BURLINGTON CITY HALL



The Special Olympics flag was raised at Burlington City Hall during Special Olympics Week in Burlington. The Knights of Columbus – Burlington presented a cheque for \$1,250 to Special Olympics to help send three Special Olympians and a coach to the international competition in July. After the event, refreshments were provided by St. Phillipe's parish.

ST. ANTOINE DANIEL AND 5073 COUNCILS PREPARE A PANCAKE BREAKFAST



Brothers from our council helped host a pancake breakfast on March 18. Patrons were treated to real maple syrup from Quebec and maple candy sticks.



Br. Henry Valcheff from 5073 kibitzes with one of the many patrons in attendance.

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Easter Sunday	2 Exec. Meeting 7 p.m.	3 Midnight Bingo 9:45 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	4 Seniors' Club 9:30 a.m.	5	6	7
8 St. Patrick's Breakfast Following 9 and 11 a.m. Masses	9 General Meeting 7:30 p.m.	10 Halton Columbus Charities 7 p.m.	11 Seniors' Club 9:30 a.m. Matinee Bingo 12:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.	12 Twilight Bingo 3:45 p.m. to 6 p.m.	13	14
15 St. Gabriel's Spaghetti Dinner	16 Kolumbus Club Mtg. 7:30 p.m.	17 Midnight Bingo 9:45 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	18 Seniors' Club 9:30 a.m.	19	20	21
22 St. John's Parish Breakfast	23 Fraternal Night 7:30 p.m.	24	25 Seniors' Club 9:30 a.m. Matinee Bingo 12:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.	26 Prayer Cenacle 6:30 p.m.	27	28
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