

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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NEWSLETTER March 2018



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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE — JOHN D'ADDARIO

We begin March by waving good-bye to February and the unpredictable weather. Currently we are in the third week of the Lenten season. This should challenge us to deepen our faith prior to Easter.

Our Council has been very busy with a number of key programs that took place since the beginning of the year:

- We hosted the local Basketball Free Throw Competition at Notre Dame High School. Championed by Br. Tom
 Vermeltfoort, four councils and the assembly joined forces and over 200 youth in Burlington participated in this annual
 event.
- Two of our members were Knighted and we welcomed four members to our council.
- We sold just over 1,130 of the 1,200 printed of the 2018 Cash Calendar. Draws have started and will run until December 31. We have started planning for 2019 and invite everyone to embrace this worthwhile project that raises money for Charities in the Burlington Community.
- St. Raphael Lenten Breakfast saw 200+ supporting the event.
- St. John's Shrove Tuesday saw 100+ feasting on pancakes and sausages.
- Ash Wednesday was Valentine's Day and the start of Lent.
- We have a new Youth director who has just finish a Coat Drive and is working on a bursary award for the three high schools in the city.
- Plans will start shortly for the 2018 Annual Golf tournament in June. I encourage you to clean up those clubs and start talking about your foursome now. The committee will let you know the date shortly.

Upcoming Nominations and Elections

The General Meetings in March, April and May will include nominations and elections for positions available for next year's fraternal year on Kolumbus Club, Halton Columbus Charities and our Council's Executive. Please remember that you must talk to the person that you would like to nominate to run before you nominate him in the meeting. I encourage all of our members to offer your talent, so we can strengthen our council vacancies in the three executive bodies.

Committees

Committee work is another option. Be a part of our fundraising efforts by getting involved in the planning stages of an event. Do not be afraid to Chair an event because we have enough resources available to help you learn.

Directors

We have many directorships available that may be of interest to you: Service Program, Church Community, Communications, Lecturer, Membership and more. Go to our website and check out the previous series written by Brother John Schunk on what you can do as a Knight.

Volunteerina

Volunteers for the biggest contributor to our charities on an annual basis continues to be our Bingos. Brother Mario Colaianni and his team are always looking for help in this area. All Knights are welcome to come out as more hands make light work.

This Council has come a long way, and we want to grow and make our presence known in the Burlington Community. Be a part of the growing excitement of 5073. Say, "Yes, I want to be an active Knight that wants to make a difference." There is no shortage of things you can do to help!

Vivat Jesus! John D'Addario, Grand Knight **NEWSLETTER**



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

Robert Brand Adrian Burbano Ronald Caerels **Brett Faucher** John-Vincent Galliano Rev. Ronald Hodara Martin Kapuscinski Zeno Karcz Harry Murphy Ludwik Oko Colin Pye Normand Racine Richard Rottich Dennis Roy John Rynn William Wright



TO OUR BROTHER KNIGHT

AND HIS WIFE

WHO CELEBRATE

THEIR ANNIVERSARY

IN MARCH!

Michael and Maureen MacDonald

Prayer Requests

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

Riccardo Colaianni John D'Addario Michael Enright Linda Johnson Gerry Kelly Rick Lomas Teresa Milne Nazareth Family Leo Russell Leo Samson Gary Smith Paul Waters Patrick Crowley
Mike Downey
Father Hodara
Camillion Johnson
Mary Kent
Ignatius and Ita MacDonald
Harry and Meg Murphy
Ginny Rego
Eileen Salisbury
John Schunk
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.



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS STATE LOTTERY TICKETS!

A big THANK YOU to Brother Bill Manley who will lead us through the 2018 State Lottery campaign.

Tickets will be available at the next General Meeting on Monday, March 12, 2018.

HALTON COLUMBUS CHARITIES

Proposed amendments to By-Laws of Halton Columbus Charities

Adopted: February 15, 1987 Amended: January 13, 2003

Amended: January 8, 2018

Article II – Vacation Elections

Section 5. Vacation of Office

There are five points of order for the position of director to become vacated:

- a. around bankruptcy,
- b. declaring himself mentally incompetent.
- c. conviction of a crime,
- d. resignation,
- e. cease to be a member.

Add point (f):

Participation: board members to attend a minimum of two-thirds of board meetings within a given year. If this does not occur, remaining board members to give notice to retract the privilege of being a board member.

Article IV - Meetings

Section 1. Annual Meeting

The annual General meeting of the Halton Columbus Charities shall be convened at its Head Office and held in conjunction with the general meeting of the Knights of Columbus, Council 5073 on the second Monday

Was: April of each year

To: of the new year by the end of March of that

year.

Section 3. Meetings of Board of Directors

Was: The board of directors shall meet bi-monthly at

the organization's head office on the fourth

Monday of the month . . .

To: The board of directors shall meet monthly at the organization's head office on the second

Tuesday of the month, or as required . . .

Section 6. Quorums

Was: Ten Members shall constitute a quorum at

"annual or special general Meetings."

To: Ten Members shall constitute a quorum at

"annual or special general Meetings," including

a minimum of two HCC Board Members.

Article VIII –Finance Section 1. Financial Year

Unless otherwise ordered by board of directors, the fiscal year of the Corporation shall terminate on the

Was: 15th day of March in each year. To: December 31 in each year.

Which is to say, the reporting period updating to January 1 to December 31.

Change name from HCC Budget to Distribution Plan, Halton Columbus Charities - year

KOLUMBUS CLUB ELECTIONS

Election nominations began at the General Meeting on February 12 for the Kolumbus Club. Please do not nominate someone unless you have talked to them and received their approval to stand. The following people have been nominated and confirmed their wish to run for office:

Michael Enright (nominated by Henry Valcheff)
Tom Flannery (nominated by John D'Addario, GK)

Nominations will be accepted at the March General Meeting followed by the election for four Directors serving a three-year term.





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It has been a month since our inception and a lot of progress has been made.

Our First Annual Coat Drive collected 52 gently used coats that were donated to the Clothing Exchange at St. Christopher's Church where they will be distributed in our community.

The Council is in the progress of establishing a bursary that will be awarded on an annual basis, starting in June 2018, to a deserving student who makes a valuable impact in our community at each of the three Catholic High Schools in Burlington.

I have completed the Knight's Safe Environment Course and encourage all Brother Knights to complete this online course. The Safe Environment Guidelines are posted on our website and a copy is available in the Friel Room at Columbus Hall.

If you have any suggestions that can assist in our council's outreach to youth in our community, please forward them to me.

Tim Salisbury, Youth Director Council 5073

FIRST COMMUNION BREAKFAST February 11



A well attended First Communion Breakfast was hosted by the Knights of Council 5073 at St. Raphael's Parish Hall on February 11, 2018. First Communicants were from St. Paul's and St. Raphael's parishes.

CASH CALENDAR WINNERS FOR JANUARY 2018

<u>Date</u>	Ticket #	Winner	<u>Prize</u>
1	3665	Pat Healy	\$20
2	3535	Linda O'Connor	\$20
3	3176	Ken Paterson	\$20
4	3814	Margaret McNicolls	\$20
5	3198	Anne Kosnik	\$50
8	3530	Derek Tilley	\$20
9	3017	Mary Whalen	\$20
10	3867	Dell Kindy	\$20
11	3663	Bill Slatts	\$20
12	4086	Dave Fisher	\$50
15	3558	Dan Santone	\$20
16	3158	Tom Murray	\$20
17	3887	Alycia Roth	\$20
18	4120	Luke McNichols	\$20
19	4021	Kevin Hartman	\$50
22	3332	Petra Akeson	\$20
23	4021	Kevin Hartman	\$20
24	3393	Peggy Churey	\$20
25	3167	Rapheala Diesbourg	\$20
26	3304	Aida Romlewski	\$50
29	3801	Maria Hoyer	\$20
30	3774	Erica Chapman	\$20
31	3694	Ihina Clipa	\$20
New Year's Bonus	3111	Anne McLean	\$250
Date of Draw		Jan. 31, 2018	
Drawn by:		Gerry Kelly	
Witnessed by:		Harry Murphy	
Recorded By:		John Bennett	

We have begun planning the 2019 Calendar and are looking for help. If you want to be a part of the committee, please contact the Grand Knight through our website or kofc.cashcalendar@gmail.com

An important document you should read!

Supreme Council has issued a document that has information related to Corporation Councils.

Please go to our website, log in as a member and access it.

KNIGHTS' MONTHLY MOMENTS

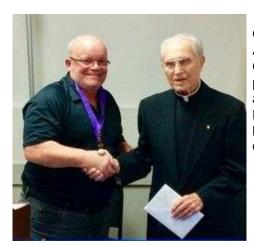


YOUTH ACTIVITIES COAT DRIVE On February 12, Council 5073 held its first annual coat drive. Gently used coats were collected.



BASKETBALL FREE THROW FINALS Brothers John Bennett and Joe Oreskovic at the District Basketball Free Throw on February 10 in Oakville.

Final results are available on Council 5073's website.



GIFT OF APPRECIATION GK John D'Addario presents a gift of appreciation to Fr. Ron Hodara for his time as 5073 Chaplain.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS DAY IN BURLINGTON





Mayor Rick Goldring reads a proclamation in council chambers about the Special Olympics Flag raising ceremony on March 7, at 10:30 a.m. at City Hall.

Special Olympians and their coach pictured with the proclamation and Mayor Rick Goldring.

DEGREE EVENTS



GK John D'Addario and Rohan Nazareth present 1st/2nd certificates to Br. Henryk Zysko (2nd from left) and Br. Joe Oreskovic (right).



GK John D'Addario and Membership Chair Rohan Nazareth present 1st/2nd Degree Certificate to Br. Martin Kapuscinski.

COAT COLLECTION HELD AFTER 5073'S GENERAL MEETING



Knights donated 52 gently used coats to be distributed at the Clothing Exchange held at St. Christopher's Church on Guelph Line.

It is our small acts of kindness that allow us to make a difference in our community.

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4 Fund-raising Spaghetti Dinner KofC Hall 4 and 6 p.m. sittings	5 Exec. Meeting 7 p.m.	6 Midnight Bingo 9:45 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	7 Seniors' Club 9:30 a.m.	8	9	10
11	12 General Meeting 7:30 p.m.	Halton Columbus Charities Mtg. 7 p.m. Healing/ Eucharistic Service St. Raphael Church 6:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m.	Seniors' Club 9:30 a.m. Matinee Bingo 12:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.	15 Twilight Bingo 3:45 p.m. to 6 p.m.	16	17
18	19 Kolumbus Club Mtg. 7:30 p.m.	20 Midnight Bingo 9:45 p.m. to 11:59 p.m.	21 Seniors' Club 9:30 a.m.	22 Prayer Cenacle 6:30 p.m.	23	24
25	26 Fraternal Night 7:30 p.m.	27	28 Seniors' Club 9:30 a.m. Matinee Bingo 12:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.	29	30	31

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