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4527 DATEBOOK

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- 23 Second and Third Degree exemplification at St. James School, Madison, WI
- 28 Business Meeting - 7:00 p.m.

NOTES

Articles for the newsletter are due by the 10th of the month. Contact Dan Kelly with any additions or deletions to the sick list as well as any deaths.

GOLF LEAGUE NON-GOLFERS: DON'T FORGET THE 10TH HOLE AT THE CLUBHOUSE IS OPEN TO ALL KNIGHTS WHETHER GOLFERS OR NOT ON WEDNESDAY EVENINGS DURING GOLF SEASON. GOLFERS START ARRIVING AT 6:00 P.M. WITH THE EVENING ENDING AROUND 8:00 P.M. PLEASE CHECK US OUT!

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

First of all, we finally did it, after fifteen months of negotiations we finally turned title of the property at 5256 Verona Road over to the Catholic Multicultural Center West (CMCW). Tim Endres and myself signed the papers on July 28, 2016. I thank all the participants, the lawyers William Fahey for the Council and Gregory Paradise for the CMCW, Msgr. Kenneth Fiedler, Pastor Our Lady Queen of Peace, Andy Russell Director CMC and council members Joe Daniels, Jeff Kingston, Don Wersal, Pat Bergen, Tim Endres, Mike Mach, Bill Thiemann, myself and other Council members for their contributions, ideas and discussion on how to protect the interests of both parties.

The Bountiful Breakfast on July 31 was a success; we collected a little over \$1000 with expenditures of \$520 and we donated \$400 to the charity fund for next year's sister night. I thank the KC ladies who helped set up on Saturday and served on Sunday. The ladies donated their tips of \$52 to the charity account. Thank you to Tom Parslow, John fox and all the council members who worked both Saturday and Sunday including past District Deputy Bill Cross.

Paul Bariola is always looking for volunteers to help take the excess produce from the farmers market on Saturdays at the Sheboygan Avenue and Hill Farms location. Contact Paul Bariola if you can volunteer.

We are planning a Pizza euchre night for the October Membership meeting because of construction in the kitchen by CMCW. Details will be available in the next newsletter.

We will be trying to establish parish round tables for our three main parishes. The round table would have periodic meetings with the pastor and parish council members to ask what we as the Knights can do for your parish. I am looking for at least two volunteers from each parish.

Let's continue our recruitment program from last year where we had five new members. We will try to double this membership by scheduling church drives during the year at the various parishes. Currently the State Officers have scheduled a church drive for St. Thomas Aquinas for the weekend of August 27th and 28th before and after all Masses. If you are interested in helping please contact me at (608) 213-3693 and I will let you know the status of this drive.

Finally, I would like to welcome Kevin Hutchison and James Gallagher who took their first degree at the clubhouse on July 28, 2016.

Daniel Kelly, Grand Knight

BIRTHDAY BOYS - SEPTEMBER 2016

John Kroeger	9/06	George Gilbert	9/18
Michael Bennett	9/07	George Carran	9/24
Thomas O'Connell	9/12	Kurt Arenz	9/25
Mark Boeckelman	9/14	Terry Adams	9/30
John Grimm	9/14	Michael Collins	9/30
Jeffrey Schraml	9/17		

FOR WHOM WE PRAY

Please include in your daily prayers the following Brother Knights, spouses and family members.

Ray Genin	Jerry Quinn
John Murphy	Hank Curran
Gary Emerson	Ralph Richardson
Gene Kruska	Ray Knudtson
Eleanor Watson	Dave Ryan
Linda Gorman	Ray Shunk
Donald Klink	George Rauch

LUKE HOUSE MEAL PROGRAM

We have the privilege of serving lunch at Luke House on Thursday, September 29, 2016. We carpool from the Queen of Peace parking lot at 10:00 a.m., or you can meet us at Luke House, 310 S. Ingersoll Street at 10:30 a.m. Please let me know if you can help or if you have any questions. Thank you. Dan Kelly - 608-213-3693.

IN MEMORIUM

Our condolences and prayers are extended to the family members, extended family members, and friends of the following Brother Knight who has died.

DR. BERNARD JAEGER, DDS

DOB: February 26, 1922
 JOINED: February 1, 1958
 DIED: July 16, 2016

CARD PLAYING**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #531 CLUBHOUSE
5137 Verona Road, Madison, WI 53711**

Knights of Columbus #531 has invited us to join them on Wednesday's at 12:30 p.m. for card playing. Everyone is invited to join the fun.

IMPORTANT MESSAGE

Effective June 20, 2016 the 288-9503 telephone number at the Clubhouse will no longer be available. Therefore, all calls must be placed on the 288-9357 number.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS 531/4527**Annual Golf Jamboree**

Edelweiss Chalet Country Club - New Glarus, WI

Thursday, September 15, 2016

All KC members and non members are encouraged to attend.

For more information or questions contact Dave Shaw at davidshaw221@hotmail.com or 608-836-5546.

SAVE THE DATE

October 13, 2016 Pizza Euchre Night. Wives and significant others are invited to attend.

More details will be in the October newsletter.

OLD FOLKS ARE WORTH A FORTUNE

Old folks are worth a fortune: with silver in their hair, gold in their teeth, stones in their kidneys, lead in their feet and gas in their stomachs. I have become a lot more social with the passing of the years; some might even call me a frivolous old gal. I'm seeing five gentlemen every day.

As soon as I wake, *Will Power*, helps me get out of bed. Then I go to see *John*. Then *Charley Horse* comes along, and when he is here he takes a lot of my time and attention. When he leaves, *Arthur Ritis* shows up and stays the rest of the day. (He doesn't like to stay in one place very long, so he takes me from joint to joint). After such a busy day, I'm really tired and glad to go to bed -- with *Ben Gay*. What a life!

P.S. The preacher came to call the other day. He said that at my age I should be thinking about the hereafter. I told him I do - all the time. No matter where I am - in the parlor, upstairs in the kitchen or down in the basement - I ask myself, "Now, what am I here after?"

CONGRATULATIONS TO QUEEN OF PEACE PARISH AND THE CATHOLIC MULTICULTURAL CENTER EXPANSION!

Last week in the Wisconsin State Journal and the Catholic Herald there was an article regarding the expansion of the Catholic Multicultural Center (CMC) to a Fitchburg facility donated by the Knights of Columbus at 5256 Verona Road to the CMC. This is very positive news! With the Catholic Multicultural Center taking over the ownership/operation of the Knights of Columbus facility with a continuing leasehold use by the Knights of Columbus, these two local apostolates with their respective missions within the Church will be able to coordinate the use of the facility to further the mission of each apostolate. The expansion of the CMC's "Culinary Creations" catering program to the facility (with a kitchen) benefits not only the schools, churches, and other groups served by the program, but also benefits those trained and employed by Culinary Creations with an eye to a career in the food service industry. This program is helping ex-convicts learn job skills so that they can contribute positively to our society. It is an elusive second chance for them to re-enter society. It also benefits the larger Madison community. At the same time, the Knights of Columbus are free from the obligation of maintaining and financially supporting a building, which can prove difficult, while maintaining a location to continue holding their meetings and plan their other good works of mercy that are so vital to our community.

Thank you to all of our parishioners who so generously continue supporting the wonderful work of the CMC and the Knights of Columbus! Your support is bringing about so much good in our community!

Father Bart Timmerman

CAREER OPPORTUNITY

The Knights of Columbus is seeking a Field Agent for a career opportunity representing their insurance program. We offer a complete benefits package with this full-time position. In order to qualify, one must be eligible for membership in the Knights of Columbus. For more information, please contact Michael Roznowski, FICF, LUTCF General Agent, (608) 721-4057 or Michael.Roznowski@kofc.org.

KC LADIES

Ladies, don't miss our next adventure – a tour of the Sjolinds Chocolate Factory in Mount Horeb on Thursday September 1st! Our one-hour learning tour begins at 10 a.m. and includes chocolate tasting! There is a \$5.00 per person fee which you can pay before the tour. Lunch will, of course, be a part of our day. Reservations are needed before August 28th. Please contact Sue at 848-8476 or smcdonald@tds.net. We will carpool from the Clubhouse at 9:30 a.m. and drivers are needed.



On Thursday, October 6th, we will visit Cave of the Mounds. How long has it been since you saw all those stalactites and stalagmites? It should be a really cool place to visit! Cave of the Mounds is celebrating 75 years since the cave opened for tours! Margaret is in charge of this event and will take reservations until September 29th. Please call her at 274-7973. Margaret will be gone part of September, so if you can't reach her, please make your reservation with Alice at 271-4056.

We are eagerly looking forward to the sunrise Mass and breakfast on Sunday, August 14th, at Tom Kretschman's airfield. We will tell you all about it in the next Knight Letter.

Thank you to all the Ladies who volunteered at the July 31st Bountiful Breakfast. The KC's told us how much they appreciated your help. Thanks, too, Ginny for getting all of us organized again.

Remember that all wives, or widows, of KC members are encouraged to participate in our activities at any time. We do not charge dues nor have an official membership roster. We just gather to enjoy each other's company and try new adventures, while growing in our Catholic faith. For questions, call Betty Blumer at 277-9621.

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