

# E-TEMPO



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**Recorder**

Phil Voglewede

**Treasurer**

Gerry Ruedinger

**Advocate**

Larry Wavrunek

**Warden**

Bill Meier

**Trustees**

Gary Pluta – 1<sup>st</sup> year

Mark Ruminski– 2<sup>nd</sup> year

Fred Melk – 3<sup>rd</sup> year

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### Grand Knight's Message

I would like to again ask that all members of our council to attend our next business meetings, I would like to see ALL chairs in our chambers full. I know we all have busy schedules, but I am asking all of you to spare a little bit of your time on Tuesday. Come and pray the Rosary with your fellow Brother Knights. We will have a small social gathering after if anyone is interested.

Vivat Jesus,

R. Schreiber  
Grand Knight

### 4th Degree Exemplification

The next one is on October 12, 2024 in Green Bay. See GK Schreiber for more information.

### Bulk Polo Shirt Order

GK Schreiber floated the idea of doing a bulk order of polo shirts for those who are interested. There was universal support for the idea. GK Schreiber will investigate getting it from Knights Gear or from a outside vendor and report back at the business meeting.

### St. Al's Hospitality

We will host hospitality Sunday, October 13 at St. Al's. Treasurer Ruedinger will get all the juice and milk. We need to have help after all Sunday masses (not Saturday).

### October Activities:



- 8 Business Meeting 7:30 pm  
Rosary at 7:00 pm
- 22 Officer's Meeting 7:00 pm

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## Business Meeting Minutes

September 10, 2024

GK Schreiber opened the meeting at 7:30 pm at SHSST.

Officer	Name	Present
Grand Knight	Ryan Schreiber	Present
Chaplain	Fr. Henry Nguyen	Present
Financial Secretary	Ken Keefer	Present
Deputy Grand Knight	John Ruskiewicz	Excused
Chancellor	Russell Kerkman	Present
Recorder	Philip Voglewede	Present
Treasurer	Gerry Ruedinger	Present
Advocate	Larry Wavrunek	Present
Warden	Bill Meier	Present
Trustees	Fred Melk	Present
	Mark Ruminski	Absent
	Gary Pluta	Present
Guards	David Goehring	Present
	Ken Skowronski	Present

There were 14 members present. There were two seminarians present, one already a knight and another that inquiring about being a knight. The meeting minutes from the August meeting were approved.

### CHAPLAIN REPORT

- Fr. Henry reminded all of the word from the gospel, Ephphatha, which means to be opened. He challenged all to be open to the word of God and to be open to do His will.

### TREASURER'S REPORT

- Treasurer Ruedinger reported that we have \$12,837.08 in our checking account.

### GK REPORT

- Beer Sales
  - The beer sales at the SMOT Fair were fairly successful. More details follow in the notes.
- Thank You Letter
  - We received a letter from the School Sisters of St. Francis for our recent \$400 gift.
- Membership
  - GK Schreiber asked all to bring other members to the meeting.

### MEMBERSHIP REPORT

- We have a prospect that has signed up from SMOT. He was a former member that is interested in coming back into the council.
- It was moved that Art Hubacz be admitted to the council.
- GK Schreiber will follow up with the candidate.

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## **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

- Sheepshead Tournament
  - We have 19 signed up so far which is consistent with prior years.
  - Trustee Melk will follow up with a reminder email to potential players.
  - We are still accepting gift cards and beer and wine.
  - We have a \$50 donation from one participant that cannot come.
- Charities
  - SMOT Stained Glass Windows
    - FS Keefer noted that SMOT is looking for money from the Knights for their stained-glass window fund.
    - Treasurer Ruedinger noted that we have money in the budget.
    - It was referred to the Charity Committee.
  - U-Cat Bibles:
    - FS Keefer noted that last year, we gave U-Cat bibles to SMOT.
    - We have not received a request for the bibles this year.
  - Coats for Kids
    - There was a request from SMOT for coats for kids for the food pantry.
    - It was referred to put into the budget for next year.

## **4<sup>th</sup> DEGREE REPORT**

- Trustee Pluta noted that St. Leonard's had a large donation for the veterans that was run from the Assembly.

## **DD REPORT**

- Passed
- Our new DD is also the State Advocate, Dr. David Kruetz, who was invited to the meeting.

## **FINANCIAL SECRETARY REPORT**

- FS Keefer reported on the bills:
  - \$157.70 to Trustee Melk for Sheepsheads supplies.
  - \$200.00 to Lisa Weber for the 50/50 raffle winner.
  - \$112.06 to Consumer Beverage for beer for the SMOT Fair.
  - \$33.98 to Consumer Beverage for wine for the Packer party.
  - \$22.41 to Dave Goehring for ice for the SMOT Fair.
  - \$100.00 for cash for the SMOT Fair
- FS Keefer reported on the deposits:
  - \$1007.95 for sales from the SMOT Fair
    - We netted \$573.40 profit.
  - \$62.30 for dues for a member in arrears.
  - \$210.00 for Sheepshead registrations.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

- None.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- None.

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### **GOOD OF THE ORDER**

- Family of the Month for August were Dave and Donna Vanness and will be presented by Dave Goehring.
- Knight of the Month for August was Bill Meier and was presented at the meeting.
- A closing prayer was made for ill and ailing members.

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### **Lifesavers for Life**

We have dates for St. Mary's on October 26 and 27.

### **Coats for Kids**

We are giving away Coats for Kids on November 3 at St. Mary's.

### **Harvest Festival**

We need enough knights to run it on November 9th at 5pm at SMOT. We are manning the bar. We need 4 people.



Congratulations to the following Brother Knights who are Celebrating Birthdays in October.

SK Richard J Briski  
Rev Thomas P Cassidy  
Roger M Fields  
Thomas A Hampel  
Edward A Hannan  
Mark D Koncki  
Rev Pat R Murphy  
SK Rev Pedro J Ruiz Aular  
Nathan G Schacht  
Rev Quang Tran

