

Knight's Council 11187

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"3rd Degree Knights that want to become 4th Degree should see Charlie Giametta"



The Bishop and the Boys



Grand Knight Knotes

FELLOW KNIGHTS:

The Free Throw contest (regional level) was held at the Josephunon on Saturday,

February 28.

Upon entering the regional competition, 6 of our 10 Section Council winners had

emerged from the district competition. Five of those were able to compete in the regional finals. Congratulations to Committee Chairman, **John Morrison** for a great and consistent effort.

The first Lenten Fish Fry was a success. Approximately 170 dinners were served on the first of three nights.

Committee chairman **Bob Snider** wishes to thank helpers **Bob McDonald, Mike Monin, Dave**

McKenna, Vin Delucia, Bernie Holland, Bob Miller, Hector Raymond, Dan Bauer, Bob Wolf, Charlie Tagliareni, Larry Van Orman, Fred Barwick, and Harold Egler. Remaining dates are March 13 and March 27.

Two items up for a vote at the Business meeting on March 9:

1. Election for the position of Warden. Brother **Bob Snider** has been appointed to fill this open position and is willing to serve if elected.

2. Budgeted item needs expansion and confirmation. \$1500 has been proposed as an addition to the parish-improvement budget.

A St. Patrick's Day dinner is planned. Knights and their families are invited to a traditional dinner of corned beef and cabbage in Bishop Her-

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Bowling!

We are thinking of organizing a K of C mixed couples bowling league for the Fall of 1998. Many people have expressed an interest as a

way to have fun and meet other people in the K of C organization.



Once I ascertain that there is enough interest I will contact some bowling establishments to schedule possibly every other Sunday starting in September, at approximately 7 pm.

If you are interested, please call **John M. Pizzuto** at 759-9770 (home) or 833-1111

At February's meeting, we had two presentations after the regular business activities for our entertainment and educational pleasure. John Hearty, a volunteer with Catholic Social Services, spoke briefly on the activities of Catholic Social Services and then left a plea for assistance with our Council. (This is the Bishop part...) Catholic Social Services annually sponsors "Breakfast with the Bishop". This year's breakfast will be held in the Ballroom of the Adam's Mark Hotel in Columbus on Monday, 4 April 1998, from 7:45 am until 9:15 am. During this breakfast, Bishop James A. Griffin and Samuel Gresham, Columbus Urban League President and CEO, will address the topic "Role of the Clergy in Support of the Family". Catholic Social Services is taking on a new strategy to get the parishes more involved. For this event, they have decided to work through the various Knights of Columbus councils for publicity and support within the local parishes. The request has been made. Now, how will we respond?

Once John completed the Bishop discussion, two of our "boys" led a discussion on preparations for the end of our days. Brother Jim Tesmer, our Knights of Columbus Insurance Agent, spoke briefly on the insurance programs available within and for the Knights of Columbus. Brother David Shaver then spoke in more detail on wills and estate planning. Remember,

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man Hall on Tuesday, March 17. Dinner is planned for 6:30. Make your reservations by clipping the reservation form from this notice and putting it in Bob McDonald's mail box no later than Sunday, March 15 at 1PM.

A bus for the 2nd and 3rd Degree on April 26? The "2 by 20" challenge is hereby made. If 20 knights agree to put up \$2 each, we will charter a bus for the occasion.

Membership is always a priority. The revised schedule of 1st degree dates scheduled through June follows:

- Monday, March 16: Candidates call 7:30, Degree at 8 PM
- Monday, April 24: Candidates call 7:30, Degree at 8 PM
- Monday, May 18: Candidates call 7:30, Degree at 8 PM
- Monday, June 15: Candidates call 7:30, Degree at 8 PM

We are counting on all of you.

George Williams,
Grand Knight

Eight Dog Knight



Eight brother Knights ventured to the wilds of South Carolina for a Golf Vacation. After leaving the safe haven of Columbus, the Knights turned into Golf Dogs.

- J.B. Boblett (Big Dog)
- Joe Drignat (Junk Yard Dog)
- Steve Walter (Bull Dog)
- Bob McNicol (Mac Dog)
- Fran Vendetta ("A" Dog)
- John Pizzuto (Money Dog)
- Bud Joos (Bud Dog)
- Warren Meisner (War Dog)

The Dogs left Columbus Tuesday, February 24th, at about 7:00 AM, and arrived in Santee, South Carolina about 5:30. They celebrated with a putting contest at the practice putting greens at the Ramada Inn (and had a few beers). All commented on the unusual bird calls heard throughout the trip. The rest of the time was spent in a marathon of golf:

- Feb 25. Santee National (36 holes)
- Feb 26. Lake Marion (36 holes)
- Feb 27. Cooper Santee (36 holes)

The match scheduled for Saturday morning was rained out, so the Dogs wagged their tails and headed home. Shoney's will not forget the Dogs of Knight!

Lecture...

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the magic number is 625. That is the number of thousands of dollars which can be passed on without incurring federal estate or gift taxes. Your will is the document containing the bequeathing language to pass on your earthly possessions to whomever you choose. Decided not to create a will? The State of Ohio will then take responsibility of distributing your goods by the order defined within the Ohio Revised Code. You may want to rethink your decision. Will get probated through the court when we pass on. What doesn't get probated? (Remember the magic 625?) Those things free from probate include insurance policies, "payable on death" bank account and stock holdings, trusts and items with joint tenants and survivorship such as homes and other accounts. Items such as these which do not get probated do into fall under the requirements of the magic 625! Brother Shaver also spoke on durable power of attorney, living wills and selection of executors. In closing, you need to thoughtfully consider the planning of your estate. A standard will costs about \$150 to create. As Nike used to say, Just do it!

March Lecture

For next month, we will once again have two topics of interest. Deborah Miller of the Pregnancy Care Center will be joining us to receive the contribution which we have designated for the center. She will also speak briefly on the activities of the pregnancy Care Center. Our own Father Steve Hawkins will be with us to share his views on the life, country and culture of Ireland. As most probably already know, Father Steve has traveled to Ireland on various sabbaticals and has first-hand experience on the topics. He will gladly entertain questions.

See you on 9 March 1998!
Carl Kipp, Lecturer

Saint Patrick's Day Dinner Reservation Form

Name: _____

Number attending: _____

Choice of Dinner: _____

- A) Traditional Corned Beef and Cabbage
- B) Classic Cabbage and Corned Beef
- C) Old-Fashioned Corned Beef and Cabbage
- D) Famous Recipe Cabbage with Corned Beef Topping
- E) Irish Style Corned Beef with Side of Cabbage

Golf League

There is still an opportunity to join the Golf League. We will be playing on Thursday nights at Pine Hill Golf Course. Our tee times are from 4:15 to 5:07 PM.

The cost is \$152 for 18 weeks of golf, and must be paid by April 3rd.

Please leave a note in Bud Joos' mailbox, indicating your interest in joining, along with your name, home phone, and work phone.