



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Council 11187 Pickerington, Ohio 43147



July 4 - Happy Birthday Day America



Dear Brother Knights,

It's a short period between meetings this month, as we just had our rescheduled June meeting, and we are just a little over a week before our first council meeting for the 2008/2009 Fraternal year!

I am delighted and honored to be your Grand Knight for this upcoming year. I am sitting here looking at a blank page on my computer screen, with the computer saying "Well? We're waiting!" I'm sure many of you are thinking the exact same thing.

The first item I received from Supreme last month was the Grand Knight's Kit. As I opened the box, and started looking through the items, I felt a sense of excitement and anticipation as I started going through the many books, flyers, and instructions on how to conduct meetings, and have a successful fraternal year. There's only one small item that the kit does not include: People to make it happen. That's where WE come in. Not ME, not YOU, but US. We have a great opportunity ahead of us to make Star Council this year. We have great opportunities to support our Parish. We have great opportunities to support our community. One is too small a number to accomplish anything great. It will take teamwork from all of us in the council this year to make great things happen.

There are many programs in our council, Membership, Church, Youth, Family and Respect Life just to name a few. These programs have Program Directors. This does not mean they have the job alone to accomplish what they need to do. They need your help as well. I would like to see us get volunteers into these programs quickly so we can get our Fraternal Year off to a great start!

On July 23rd, we will host a First Degree Ceremony for five new members coming into our Council. What a great way to start out, with five new faces. Please make it a point to come to the Ceremony and welcome these men into the Knights!

On behalf of My Family, and my fellow Officers and their Families, we wish

you and yours a fun, safe, and patriotic Fourth of July. God Bless!

Frank Piper

Grand Knight

As a reminder, the 1st Saturday meeting, (following the Rosary, Knight's Mass and social) is always an open meeting. I encourage you to attend.

Installation of Officers

The installation of officers will be held on August 2, 2008 following the 1st Saturday Mass. Please attend and show your support of your newly elected Officers.

Something missed ...

Ever have that feeling that you have overlooked something and can not remember what it was ... well I was reminded that we overlooked one of our "of the Year" awards. It was a very important award winner and I am very sorry to have overlooked it. We forgot to congratulate our "Chaplain of the Year" in which we nominated Deacon Hector Raymond.

With my sincerest apologies I will have an Award for presentation at our next meeting.

Jesus V. Garcia III, PGK, PFN

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A Person's a Person

Many of our young people are amazing! Recently, National Right to Life sponsored a Pro-Life essay contest and the two winning entries were printed in the June 2008 *National Right to Life News*. Both of these essays were excellent, well written and well researched. I decided to share the junior level (grades 7-9) winner with you:

A Person's a Person

By Clare Kossler

"A person's a person no matter how small." Parents everywhere in America read their children Horton Hears a Who to teach them that they should treat everyone the same no matter what their differences are - size or otherwise. No one seems to have read that story to our government. It insists on allowing abortion, and yet the fetuses being killed are in fact just little people. Maybe America should take a leaf out of Dr. Seuss's book by remembering that a person's a person no matter how small, and permanently ban abortion.

Some people think that fetuses aren't people. Our nation made the same mistake many years ago when we didn't count African Americans as people. This caused us to enslave them. Eventually, we managed to stop slavery determining that African Americans were in fact people.

We can determine that fetuses are people by our scientific studies and technologically advanced ultrasounds. At six weeks, the unborn child's heartbeat begins and the head begins to form. At ten weeks, the essential organs are already working. Later on, when the doctor performs an ultrasound, it is a baby that the mother sees on the screen - not just a dispensable part of her body. Just like slavery was stopped when it was clear African Americans were people, abortion should be stopped because fetuses are people.

A little contradiction resulting from abortion is that a fetus has protection from a murderer but not its own mother! The argument can be made that a murderer has killed a fetus that is wanted. The mother just kills an unwanted "part" of her body. But, the reality is that we pro-life activists do want that baby. We are like Horton, who begs, "Please don't harm all (our) little folks who have as much right to live as us bigger folks do." Every

life is important, and for all we know, that baby could change the world forever. A fetus should be protected in all circumstances, regardless of who is trying to harm it.

When America finally figures out that everyone counts, even a tiny fetus, we can be the country our founding fathers had hoped for. We look back on slavery and think that the government was so blind as to ignore it. Fifty years from now, people will look back on abortion and think that we are the blind ones. Is that really the impression we want to make on history?

Quotes from Horton Hears a Who, Suess, D. (1954) New York, Random House Inc.

Statistics from Fetal Development and Growth (2008). Retrieved 1/16,2008, from Epigee Women's Health: <http://www.epigee.org/fetal.html>

Isn't amazing how a young junior high school girl puts things in perspective? Are you going to be blind or will you stand up against abortion?

Article taken from *National Right to Life News*, June 2008, 512-10th St. NW, Washington, DC 20004.

Edd Chinnock

Council Respect Life Coordinator



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Engaged Couple Sponsorship Program...

The parish needs more participation in the Engaged Couple Sponsorship Program.

Contact David Justus for more information on this program please email Dave Justus at justusdj@insight.rr.com

Business Meeting Minutes 25 June, 2008

Meeting opened at: 7:33pm

Roll of Officers: Recorder, 1 Year Trustee - Excused

Reading of the Minutes: A motion was made to accept the minutes as published in the newsletter. The motion was seconded. There was no discussion and the motion was passed.

Chaplain's Report: No Report

Report on Admissions: No Report

Grand Knight's Report: The Grand Knight thanked the council for the fine year we had, at the end of the reporting season we garnered 1400 out of a possible 1500 points. Not bad at all ... The membership committee was handicapped by our cleaning of the rolls. We will start the year with a first degree in July including about 6 new members.

It was a year that flew by. The Grand Knight reminisced that a year ago at the end of the June Meeting Lloyd handed him the gavel and he started working for the Council. Nothing we did would have been possible without the entire Councils support. The Grand Knight then offered his thanks to the Council for their help and support.

The Grand Knight reminded everyone that the Council had a year that saw the pancake breakfast go straight into the fish fry season ... a lot of work. In addition we had the wife's appreciation dinner, family fun fest, St. Patrick's Day party, Blue Coats dinner and even the Free throw contest.

Then the Council had the great honor of hosting Fr. Dave Schalk's ordination party ... and if you caught the bulletin the following week, Father Jim gave us a great compliment ...

"I wish to take a moment and thank everyone in the parish who came together to help celebrate Fr. David Schalk's 1st Mass and reception that followed. It certainly was a beautiful celebration and one that will be long remembered both by Fr. David and the entire parish. I want to thank particularly the Knights of Columbus for the

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incredible reception that they put on following the first Mass. The food was absolutely first rate. They were assisted by Parish Life as well as the youth of the parish. So many came together to lend a hand on that eventful day. We were blessed with an absolutely splendid day in every way. Often in late May there is a faint glow in the sky due to golden pollen that fills the air so profusely. Last Sunday, it was more than the pollen in the air that created the aura about our parish grounds that will long be remembered.”

We are in the process of handing out the “of the year awards” And as listed in the newsletter, Knight of the Year went to Harry Clyburn, he has his hands into so many activities both in and out of the Knights that it is well deserved. Lady of the Year went to Marg Pizzuto, she was always around helping ... Family of the Year went to John and Eleanor Samborsky again they were always around to lend a hand ... Our Youth of the Year went to Stuart Ferguson, his work with the squires was always first rate, I am pretty sure that he also was nominated for Squire of the Year by the Circle. The Grand Knight presented the Family of the year to John and Eleanor Samborsky at the meeting.

The Grand Knight then offered his congratulations to all the new officers he reminded everyone that you are all invited to the 1st Saturday business meetings, these are always open to the membership.

Communications: No Report

Treasurer’s Report:

The magnet business is picking up. We current have XXXX with an invoice for XXX. Our council reserves (CD’s) are XXX the XXX in savings. We have created a projected budget for next year with a negative income. The estimates are high on the expenses and low on the income.

Financial Secretary’s Report:

Bills: The bills were reviewed and passed to the trustee for approval, and then paid.

Trustee’s Report: No Report

Chancellor’s Report: No Report

Advocate’s Report: 1st degree on 23rd of July

Report of Service Committees/Programs:

Membership: We have 5 candidates awaiting the First Degree. John Kirchner, Gary Tosten, Dick Patten, Ken Conley, Scot Wilson.

Program Director: Finished year with 1400 points

Church Director: We are booked through Nov. 17 for adoration we need someone for the 24 and have space in Dec.

Squires: The Squires are going to their State convention this month, and should have a few more awards for the wall.

Respect Life: pamphlets were handed out about how to get involved in respect life. Edd will be acting as recorder and is looking for someone to take over respect life. For the respect life bus we are looking for a 1 night trip. We will now need to make a decision about renting a bus and/or hotel rooms. The price, based on 40 people per bus is \$200.00 per person.

Report of Standing Committee’s:

Ordination Party: We had 16 4th degree Knights. The Church was packed and everyone came over for the benediction. A DVD was made so it can be viewed later as an event.

Kroger Cares Program: No report

Unfinished Business:

Statue: The Grand Knight has received the base dimensions of the statue, but that did not include the center to center distance of the mounting ears ... once we get that we will look at the current base and make any necessary adjustments. We also need to look into the dedication plaque and see what kind of design we want.

New Business: The gavel was handed over to Frank the New Grand Knight for the new business and to close to meeting. A round of applause was give to Jesse for a job well done.

Support for Knight to assist with expenses: A motion was made to donate up to \$XXXX to assist in covering expenses for going to Pilot dog training for a brother

Knight and his wife. The motion was seconded. The brother Knight thanked the council for the offer but suggested we donate instead to the Pilot dog organization. It was moved to table the motion until next month and more information could be reviewed.

Reynoldsborg Parade on the 4th of July. Everyone was reminded and encouraged to participate in the Reynoldsborg 4th of July parade.

4th Degree Report: I remind all the SK’s that the meetings are held at Seton and was the main reasons for starting the Assembly on the east side. The Social starts at 6:30 pm and the business meeting follows at 7:30 pm. Terry Reine was offered congratulations on his appointment as the Faithful Navigator of the Assembly.

Labor needed for Swing set assembly. On the week of July 7th we are looking for assistance in laying down mulch and assembling a swing set for the church preschool. An e-mail will follow.

PGK Pin presentation: Jesse was presented with his Past Grand Knight Pin and once again thanked for his service.

District Deputy Report: We are attempting to contact the District Deputy to install officers on August 2.

Lecturer’s report: The Lecturer handed out a paper that helps you renew your relationship with your spouse. He then talked about unique influences on faith.

Grand Knights comments: The Grand Knight related how he sees the council as a garden and it is our desire to improve the garden over the years and that is his goal for this year.

Prayers: Maureen Patterson, Joan Marie Trainer, Annie Mast (Lucretia Garcia’s Aunt), Robert Eckley and family (Lucretia Garcia’s uncle), Frank and Theresa Iannaggi and their family, Patricia Lunsford, Charles Johnston, Jan Hartman, Roger York, Jeff Samborsky, Carry Ebert, Molly Pingel.

Terry Reine

Recorder

KofC Kroger Cares Cards.

Help support our Council by purchasing a KofC Kroger Cares Card. Our Council receives 5% of all purchases made with your KofC Kroger Cares card. The Cards are good for any purchase made at any Kroger (gas included) and are rechargeable and our Council gets 5% when you recharge

They also make great gifts for the holidays. Cards start at \$25 (any value up to \$500 is available upon request).

Contact: Terry Reine - Phone 856-3653 or by e-mail at boilers4us@insight.rr.com, or see me at the next meeting



For more information on Pro-Life Activities

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Can you Identify this?

Or better yet do you remember what happened on July 19, 1969?

Let me know if you can identify the picture and answer the question ... I will put your name in the newsletter if you get either question right.

Perpetual Adoration

Since Perpetual Adoration started at Seton, the Council has been responsible for the Monday 5-6 am. hour and we have filled by using the call list. When I call, please sign up for a time or call me at 863-6419 to sign up.

Ray Creamer,

Church Director

July 2008

- 7 Mike Elston
- 14 Gregory Calhoun
- 21 Tom Blaies
- 28 Scott Huffman

August 2008

- 4 Christopher Harr
- 11 Michael Kasson
- 18 Mark Hertenstein
- 25 Ron Glanzman

September 2008

- 1 Jesus Garcia
- 8 Charlie Higdon
- 15 Mark Holroyd
- 22 Mark Hauser

October

Knights of Columbus Council 11187 or 4th Degree Assembly 2900 Shirts

(Please Print)

Name on shirt _____

Shirt Information

Council 11187	QTY _____	Polo _____	Dress _____	Sleeve (Dress Only)	Long <input type="checkbox"/>	Short <input type="checkbox"/>
Assembly 2900	QTY _____	Polo _____	Dress _____	Long <input type="checkbox"/>	Short <input type="checkbox"/>	Short <input type="checkbox"/>

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO "QUALITY STITCH" and place in Jesus Garcia's church mailbox

QTY _____ * \$30.00 = _____

Size: Med Large XL 2XL 3XL

2008/2009 Council 11187 Calendar (tentative)

July 2008	
2	Squire's Meeting
4	Happy Birthday America
5	Rosary/Mass/Meeting
9	Business Meeting
16	Assembly Meeting
17	Squire's Car Wash
25	1 st Degree/Social

October	
1	Squire's Meeting
4	Rosary/Mass/Meeting
8	Business Meeting
13	 Columbus Day
13	 Council Anniversary
15	Assembly Meeting
17	Wives Appreciation Dinner
22	1 st Degree/Social
26	2nd/3rd Degree
31	Halloween
	Family Fun Festival

January 2009	
1	Happy New Year
3	Rosary/Mass/Meeting
7	Squire's Meeting
11	3rd Pancake Breakfast
14	Veteran's Day
18	Free Throw Contest
21	Business Meeting
28	Assembly Meeting

April	
1	Squire's Meeting
3	5th Fish Fry
4	Rosary/Mass/Meeting
5	Palm Sunday
8	Business Meeting
9	Holy Thursday
10	Good Friday
12	Easter
15	Assembly Meeting
22	1 st Degree/Social
25	Measure Up
26	2nd/3rd Degree
26	Blue Coats Dinner

August	
2	Rosary/Mass/Meeting
6	Squire's Meeting
13	Business Meeting
20	Assembly Meeting
27	1 st Degree/Social

November	
1	Rosary/Mass/Meeting
5	Squire's Meeting
11	Veteran's Day
12	Business Meeting
16	1st Pancake Breakfast
19	Assembly Meeting
26	1 st Degree/Social
27	Thanksgiving Day

February	
4	Squire's Meeting
7	Rosary/Mass/Meeting
8	4th Pancake Breakfast
11	Business Meeting
18	Assembly Meeting
25	1 st Degree/Social
25	Ash Wednesday
27	1st Fish Fry

May	
1	Measure Up
2	Rosary/Mass/Meeting
2	Squire's Meeting
6	Mother's Day
10	Business Meeting - Elections
13	Assembly Meeting- Elections
20	State Convention
22	
23	
24	
25	Memorial Day
27	1 st Degree/Social

September	
1	Labor Day
3	Squire's Meeting
6	Rosary/Mass/Meeting
10	Business Meeting
17	Assembly Meeting
24	1 st Degree/Social

December	
3	Squire's Meeting
6	Rosary/Mass/Meeting
10	Business Meeting
14	2nd Pancake Breakfast/Santa
17	Assembly Meeting
24	1 st Degree/Social
25	Christmas
31	New Year's Eve

March	
4	Squire's Meeting
6	2nd Fish Fry
7	Rosary/Mass/Meeting
11	Business Meeting
14	St Patrick's Party
18	Assembly Meeting
20	3rd Fish Fry
25	1 st Degree/Social
27	4th Fish Fry

June	
3	Squire's Meeting
6	Rosary/Mass/Meeting
10	Business Meeting
17	Assembly Meeting
21	Father's Day
24	1 st Degree/Social

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 2008	
2	Squire's Meeting
4	Happy Birthday America
5	Rosary/Mass/Meeting - Cancelled due to holiday weekend
9	Business Meeting
16	Assembly Meeting
17	Squire's Car Wash
25	1 st Degree/Social
August 2008	
2	Rosary/Mass/Meeting - (Installation of Officers)
6	Squire's Meeting
13	Business Meeting
20	Assembly Meeting
27	1 st Degree/Social



Prayer Corner

Maureen Patterson, Joan Marie Trainer, Annie Mast, Robert Eckley and family, Frank and Theresa Ian-naggi and their family, Patricia Lunsford, Charles Johnston, Jan Hartman, Roger York, Jeff Samborsky, Carry Ebert, Molly Pingel, all of military home and abroad, our Priests and all in the ministry.



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K of C First Saturday Mass

First Saturday of the month Mass,
starts at 8:30 am, with a Rosary service
for vocations. This is a great way to
support our Parish!

Council:
www.kofc11187.org

Assembly:
www.kofcassembly2900.org

2007/08 Officers Phone List	
<u>Chaplain</u> Fr. Jim Klima	833-0482
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<u>Advocate</u> Eugene Ebert	833-9643
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<u>Warden</u> Mike Philips	834-5663
<u>Inner Guard</u> George Schneider	833-1782
<u>Outer Guard</u> Ed Tavares	552-3985
<u>Lecturer</u> Hector Raymond	833-0671 x 243
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<u>2nd Year Trustee</u> Dick Petersen	868-8615
<u>1st Year Trustee</u> Mike Croyle	361-3183