



The Knights Flame



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Grand Knight Message

Last month I discussed getting involved more with the Knights' events by volunteering rather than by waiting to be called. This month I'd like you to focus on the activities we do as Knights. We need to be on the lookout for additional activities that we can use our manpower to support. Last year the Hope Lodge came calling and we were able to help them out by setting up all of their bedroom furniture and as it turned out we also did some dry walling for their laundry facilities. This activity was born out of a presentation Joan Rose gave to our council about the Hope Lodge and a request for a donation. It was suggested by some Knights that we could do more for the Hope Lodge with our manpower than we could with our funds. So keep those eyes open throughout the year and bring any ideas you may have to the officers meetings for discussion.

I'd also like to remind you that our golf tournament is just around the corner. If you haven't already done so, please get yourself a 4-some together and mail that entry form back to me as soon as possible. This should be an easy event for us to fill and we have not yet done so the first three years. I truly expect to fill the event this year with your help. For those of you who do not wish to golf, but want to help out that day please give me a call. Also make sure you get those door prizes to me as soon as possible. If every one of you were to just ask one place of business for a gift certificate or two we'd have enough prizes to send everyone home with something. I hope to see all of you there. Thanks.

In God's Love,
Jeff Block
Grand Knight

Family Picnic

In celebration of KC Family Month, a family picnic was held instead of the regular August meeting. On Thursday, August 12th, about 80 people gathered in the church courtyard for hamburgers, hot dogs, chips, beans, and brownies. The evening was sunny and temperate, perfect for lemonade and root beer. The fellowship was rich and enjoyable. The kids played on the playground equipment and on the athletic fields.



After the excellent meal, we had an Installation of Officers. The Installation was lead by Ken Mueller and Emery Van Hook.

Thanks to Jim Decker, Pat McCarthy, Larry Burgart, and their spouses for their organizational efforts.

Birthday Celebrations

Happy Birthday to the following Knights who have birthdays in September:

Pete Bushman, Kevin Callahan, David Dykstal, Thomas Dylla, Lee Erdmann, Terry Lee, Lynn McMahon, Charles Mosier, Phil Oliveto, and Darren Smith.



Calendar of Events

Feast of Mary	September 8 th
Officers' Meeting	Thursday, September 9 th , 7:00 p.m.
Council Meeting	Thursday, September 9 th , 7:30 p.m.
Knights at the Dome	Friday, September 10 th , 7:05 p.m.
Triumph of the Cross	Tuesday, September 14 th
Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast	Holy Spirit Gym Sunday, September 19 th
Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament	Northern Hills..... Friday, September 24 th , 12:00 noon
Knights Flame Deadline	Friday, October 1 st
Marathon for Non-Public Education.....	Saturday, October 2 nd
Officers' Meeting	Thursday, October 14 th , 7:00 p.m.
Council Meeting	Thursday, October 14 th , 7:30 p.m.
Lourdes Auction	Saturday, October 23 rd
Spirit Run.....	Saturday, October 30 th

Holy Spirit K.C.'s Pancake Breakfast to Benefit National Catholic Youth Conference Attendees

The Holy Spirit Knights of Columbus Council #11460 will be serving a pancake breakfast on Sunday, September 19th. Proceeds from this breakfast will go to help our teens attending the conference in St. Louis. Mark your calendars now, and stop by that Sunday after the morning Masses to help support our teens!

Please contact Brad Brech at 282-5229 if you would like to help.

Summary of Knights activities

Submitted by Jeff Block



Many projects were required at Holy Spirit School over the past few weeks and I'd like to thank the Knights who donated their time and efforts to make everything go smoothly in time for school to start. Gary Benike, Mike Madden, and Tim Tracy helped in getting the computer tables put together. A special thanks to Ron Gaines for his effort in moving the tables into the computer lab as we built them. Brad Brech, Cal Christensen, and Chad Blomgren helped in putting together the 75 new desks that had come in for the new classrooms. A special thanks to Cheri Block who also chipped in about 2 hours of her time. Tom Sand, John Lawson, Larry Burgart, and Mike Madden helped in putting together the new library shelves and transporting them to the library. Thanks again to all of you who in many cases had short notice in volunteering your time.

Door Prizes Needed!!!! Last Chance!!!!

For this years Knight's golf tournament we would like **each** Knight to provide a hole/door prize that will be given away at the tournament. This can be as easy as asking your favorite restaurant/bar/store/etc. for a gift certificate or two or maybe provide a sleeve of balls, tees, gloves, hats, towels, umbrellas, etc. Many of you have already been doing this for the past 3 years and this year we'd like to have all the Knights do the same. Please get your door prizes to Jeff Block prior to the September 9th Knight's meeting (The earlier the better, however, they will be accepted up until the day of the tourney).

5th Annual Spirit Run and Festival



Plans are underway for the 5th Annual Spirit Run and Festival to be held at Holy Spirit on October 30th, 1999. Many volunteers are needed each year to make this event a success! Please consider helping out. Questions can be directed to Larry Burgart at 288-5227. More information will be available at the September and October Council meetings.

If you would like to help, please contact Larry Burgart at 288-5227.



Marathon for Non Public Education

The Marathon for Non Public Education will be held on the morning of October 2nd, 1999. Again we need volunteers to help with traffic control and food distribution for this event.

Please contact Bill Reiland at 281-2549 if you would like to help.

Be patient enough to live one day at a time as Jesus taught us,
Letting yesterday go and leaving tomorrow until it arrives

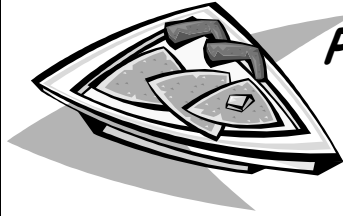


Coming up:

Pancake Breakfast

September 19th after the morning Masses

Holy Spirit Gym



Knights of Columbus Golf Tournament

September 24th - 12:00 shotgun start

Northern Hills



Connect with monthly meetings
Please come to the next Council Meeting
Thursday, September 9th at 7:30 p.m.

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