



The Knights Flame



Holy Spirit Council #11460, Rochester, MN

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Grand Knight Message

Thanks to all of you who were able to attend this year's wine and cheese party. Once again Mother Nature tried to ruin the evening, but we overcame with attendance around 35 strong. Thanks to Larry Burgart and Tom Sand for providing a great variety of wines. Most in attendance took part in Larry's wine tasting challenge to see if we could determine the cheapest wine from the most expensive wine. I'm not sure what the results were, but wine "C" was awful. Thanks also need to go out to all of the wives who helped keep the cheese and cracker trays full when the Grand Knight fell down on the job! I really appreciated all of the help.

Thanks must once again go out to DeWayne Gallenberg who worked hard at the District and Regional Free Throw Contests. Alyssa Johnson won the 12-year-old category at districts, but was unable to compete at the regional level due to a basketball tournament. Adam Gallenberg made 19 of 25 free throws in the 11-year-old category and came in 3rd. Talk about tough competition. Melissa Price held a commanding lead during the regional competition until her competitor made 12 of her last 13 including the last 4 in a row to nip Melissa by one. Good job to all those who competed and thanks to all of you who helped at the contest.

Thanks to Brad Brech, John Lawson, and the rest of the pancake crew for doing a good job at the pancake breakfast on the 18th of February, in support of the 8th grade class trip to Washington D.C. I believe they raised almost \$400.00. The 8th graders and their parents worked very hard. Thanks again to all of you who helped out during the breakfast.

All of you should have received your membership statement over the past two weeks. Thanks to those of you who have already sent your dues in. I believe over half of you have already done so. Please make sure the rest of you do this as soon as possible. Also make sure you turn in your survey forms at the same time. We use these surveys to help make sure you get to work on, and/or organize the events that you are most interested in.

Our Annual Dinner and Dance has been set for April 20th. Please fill out the form inside the newsletter and get it back to Mike Madden as soon as possible. Along with that, please send your nominations for Family of the Year to Pat McCarthy. Thanks to Mike Madden for once again setting up this event. I hope all of you can make it.

Also, one last reminder that there will be a 2nd and 3rd degree at Noon, Sunday, March 25th at Lourdes High School. Please make sure you take part in this. For those of you already at 2nd and 3rd degree, you are welcome to attend to watch and welcome in our new 3rd degree Knights.

Jeff Block
Grand Knight

Birthday Celebrations

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

Gary Benike, James Buntrock, John Devlin, Jim Gostomski, Paul Graff, Chris Guibert, Steven Hansen, Tom Hunt, Greg King, David Loechler, Steven Loehr, Jim Owens, Duane Price, Andrew Streit, Kent Thielen, and Raymond Wiest.



Happy Birthday and thanks are in order for all you do for Council #11460.

Calendar of Events

Officers' Meeting	Thursday, March 8 th , 7:00 p.m.
Council Meeting.....	Thursday, March 8 th , 7:30 p.m.
St. Patrick's Day	March 17 th
1 st , 2 nd , and 3 rd Degrees - Lourdes (East door)	1 st 10am: 2 nd & 3 rd Noon .. Sunday, March 25 th
Founder's Day	KC's 119 th Anniversary March 29 th
Knights Flame Deadline	Friday, March 30 th
Officers' Meeting	Date ?, 7:00 p.m.
Council Meeting.....	Date ?, 7:30 p.m.
Palm Sunday.....	Sunday, April 8 th
Holy Thursday	Thursday, April 12 th
Good Friday.....	Friday, April 13 th
Easter Sunday.....	Sunday, April 15 th
Knights' Parish Dinner and Dance	KC # 1013 Hall..... Friday, April 20 th 6:00 Social, 7:00 Dinner, 8:00 Dance
Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast.....	Holy Spirit Gym Sunday, April 22 nd



February Pancake Breakfast:

Submitted by Brad Brech

Thanks to all that helped or attended the Pancake Breakfast on February 18th. Thanks to our new partner, Perkins, for their willingness to help us arrange our food supplies. Also, thanks go out to our resident bee expert, for the "Honey" of a Honey sale. Our profit from this event went to the 8th grade students from Holy Spirit, which will be going on a class trip to Washington, DC. Our next pancake breakfast is April 22nd, so mark your calendars.

Correction

Lat month's newsletter welcomed John McGuire as a new Knight. John has been a Knight with our council for some time. The welcome was meant for Leo McGuire. Leo participated in our last 1st degree and joined Council # 1013. Welcome Leo.

No February Minutes

Note that there are no minutes for February because it was 'Lite Night with the Knights'.

April Meeting

Our normal April meeting date falls on Holy Thursday. Please look in the Holy Spirit Church Bulletin or the April Knights Flame to verify the date of our April Meeting.

Family of the Year Nominations

It is time to consider nominations for our council's 2000 Family of the Year. The Family Committee is starting the selection process and is looking for nominations.

The major selection criteria are not only service to the Knights of Columbus, but also service to the Holy Spirit Community and the Rochester Area. If you would like to nominate a family, please fill out the form below and send to Pat McCarthy, or give him a call to submit a nomination.

Thanks for your help.

Your Name _____

Family you wish to nominate _____

Brief summary of why you feel this family qualifies for family of the year.

Send to: Pat McCarthy
2129 Valkyrie Court NW
Rochester, MN 55901
281-0747

Holy Spirit Knights of Columbus Parish Dinner and Dance



April 20th

6:00 p.m. Social Hour - 7:00 p.m. Dinner

Connect with monthly meetings
Please come to the Next Council Meeting
Thursday, March 8th at 7:30 p.m.
Holy Spirit Room 207

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