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Grand Knight's October Message

Brother Knights:

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO!

September was quite a month! The Silver Rose, 2 Vandy parking opportunities, B.R.A.S.S., a 2nd and 3rd degree, The Youth Soccer challenge and then some of you squeezed in Cursillo and others were helping with FRATERNUS, our new and exciting program for boys 11-18 at OLOL.

I am trying to recover from the weekend outing where the OLOL chapter of Fraternus and the Cathedral's chapter met at Camp Marymount. There were about 80 boys/men there from Saturday 8am til Sunday 2pm. Fortunately--it did not rain. I did find that I am not very good at Capture the Flag but I held my own sitting around the campfire (Must be the lessons I learned from working Vandy parking). Besides fun and games, there were discussion sessions (SQUAD TIME), King's Messages, Adoration, Reconciliation and of course Mass. An excellent blend of spirituality and youthful activities. I know several of the men, like me, are glad that ibuprofen was invented. (I KNOW YOU ARE FEELING MY PAIN.)

October is another busy month - Octoberfest (10/10), 2 more Vandy parking opportunities (10/9 and 10/23), 40 days of Prayer for Life, selling Smoke Turkeys, and Fraternus every Monday night. I am sure there is something else I am forgetting. WE STILL NEED HELP for Vandy parking on 10/23!!!! Please volunteer.

Our next meeting is Sunday 10/17. Hope you can be there and BRING someone new to join us at our 1st degree.

One of my spiritual reflections this weekend was thanking God for all that YOU Brother Knights do....and with ALL of your hectic schedules.

THANK YOU and God Bless, GK Jon

"Reflect on your present blessings, of which every man has plenty; not on your past misfortunes of which all men have some." Charles Dickens

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 10/09 4th Degree Exemplification - Clarksville**
- 10/09 Vandy Parking**
- 10/10 Octoberfest**
- 10/12 Officer's Meeting - 6:30pm Black Eye Pea**
- 10/15 JP11 Homecoming (all degrees) - 6:30pm**
- 10/17 4th Deg Assembly Mtg. - 5:00 pm**
- 10/17 Council Mtg. - Social Hr 5:30pm, Mtg 6:30 pm**
- 10/23 Vandy Parking**
- 10/30 Homebound Meals**
- 11/06 Vandy Parking**
- 11/13 25th Anniv Celebration Mtg**
- 11/20 Tootsie Roll Drive**
- 11/20 Vandy Parking**

A black cat crossing your path signifies that the animal is going somewhere.

No one is in charge of your happiness but you

Did You Know

That the families of service members can obtain the Order's prayer book through the KofC Information Service at www.kofc.org/cis/

That the custom of Halloween was brought to the US by Irish immigrants?

That the KofC has college councils at 244 schools worldwide with 160 in the US?

That the original jack-'o-lanterns were made from turnips as there were no pumpkins in Europe?

That the first college council was chartered at Notre Dame in 1910 and is still going strong?

That the name jack-'o-lantern came from an 18th century Irish folk tale of Jack tricking the devil?

The butcher backed into the meat grinder and got a little behind in his work.

New Insurance Representative

We have a temporary Representative for our KofC insurance. He is Kevin Van Dusen. If you have any questions on your insurance or want a new policy, please contact him at 423-505-2827 or by e-mail at Kevin.VanDusen@KofC.org.

Applications were being taken in late September for the position of this area's permanent insurance representative.

A 5-year-old boy was sitting down to eat leftovers when his mother asked him to pray before his meal.

"Mom, do we have to?" the hungry boy asked. "We already prayed over this last night." - Catholic Digest

JP11 Homecoming

Once again our Assembly and Council have been asked to present the Colors at JP11's Homecoming on Friday, Oct. 15. We would like to make a good showing, so please consider joining us.

If you are 4th degree, please wear all your regalia. If you don't have full regalia but do have tux, just wear that.

If you are 1st, 2nd or 3rd degree and want to join us and show our unity, than please come. All we ask is that you wear what you would wear to church on Sunday. Also wear your KC name tag. If you have KC shirt, you can wear that.

We will gather in the auxiliary gym. Park in the upper parking lot at school. Need to be there NO LATER THAN 6:30 pm.

Any Questions call Ed Corbitt @ 615--822--2755 or 615--945--8651.

God loves you because of who God is, not because of anything you did or didn't do.

25 Year Celebration

On Nov. 13, Council 9132 will celebrate our 25th year anniversary. A committee headed by Bill Grist and Frank Fox is now planning the festivities which will take place at and following Saturday night Mass with Knights and their spouses invited.

So reserve the date on your calendar.

Envy is a waste of time. You already have all you need.

Highlights from the September Meeting

There were 58 Knights in attendance.

Grand Knight Comments:

Thanks from Reese Klingenberg for everything the Knights have done for them and she donated \$100 to council.

Congrats to our new Second/Third Degree members.

Gerry Dawald (2nd)

Mark Gierla, Noel Lotz, and Pierre Gagnon (3rd)

Vandy parking has made \$2000 so far with 5 more games to go.

Financial Report: \$18,238.

OLD BUSINESS:

Vandy Parking – Sign up sheets are now out. Still need personnel for upcoming games. Kids not allowed but spouses may volunteer.

Smoked Turkeys – Starting to take orders October 3rd. Need help at masses to take orders.

BRASS - Coming up soon (Sept 25th). Some Knights will be riding but still require volunteers to kick this off. Need at least 15 volunteers by 7 am. See Larry Phillips.

NEW BUSINESS:

Octoberfest – 10/10. Randy has team for kitchen. Still need volunteers for other areas (especially set up and clean up).

Jerry Tachoir request – local parish (Holy Name) in need of a sound system. Motion made for \$500 and passed. Roy Edwards may have sound system that is compatible and funds may not be required.

4th Annual Thanksgiving 5K/5Miler Run/Walk – See Larry Phillips if you want to volunteer.

Upcoming Degrees – 3rd Degree Jan 8th, Nashville.

4th Degree October 9th, Clarksville.

Soccer Challenge – kick off date is 9/26 at 1 pm. Still need volunteers. Contact Michael Manor.

25 Year Celebration – Will kick off with the 5:30 Mass on Nov. 13th. See Bill and Frank with any ideas or to volunteer.

Seniors Pancake Meals on Wheels – October 29th. 7-11 am - 4 volunteers needed for 6-9 am; 3 volunteers needed 9-11 am. See Donnie Petre. Motion passed for \$250.

Doug Blake's Annual Neighborhood Party – Set for October 16th.

FOURTH DEGREE REPORT: No report.

DISTRICT DEPUTY REPORT: No report.

FIELD AGENT REPORT: If you have any specific questions contact Steve Sullivan or Grand Knight.

Knight of the Month – Gerry Dawald - for golf tournament.

Family of the Month – Jon and Kim Hoscheit - for golf tournament

You grow up the day you have your first real laugh - at yourself. - Ethel Barrymore

Soccer Challenge

Our annual Soccer Kick-off Challenge was held on Sunday, Sept. 26. A total of 10 youth competed. The winners are eligible to compete in the Middle Tennessee Region challenge scheduled for October 23rd with the finals October 30th.

The winners of our challenge were:

	Boys	Girls
10yrs	Skylar Cummings	Suzanne Fowler
11yrs	Cole Hyatt	Emily Fenton
12yrs	---	Allison Fowler
13yrs	---	Kaylyn Cummings
14yrs	Zach Janson	

Only Irish coffee provides in a single glass all four essential food groups: alcohol, caffeine, sugar and fat. - Alex Levine

A father is someone who carries pictures where his money used to be. - Catholic Digest

Fraternal Benefits News

Are you a true provider or are you just pretending to be?

When it comes down to protecting your family, choose life insurance. It's the smart choice.

Life insurance protects against dying too soon or living too long. It also provides mortgage protection; enables your children to get an education; allows you to have money for final expenses and emergencies; or can be used as a retirement fund.

The life insurance you purchase today will supply your family with the needed money to obtain their dreams. Don't masquerade as a provider. Be a true provider. Be an insured member.

If you have any questions, please contact me by e-mail at Kevin.VanDuesen@KofC.org or by phone at 423-505-2827.

Vivat Jesus! Kevin Van Dusen

Q. What should a jogger use to wash his track shoes?

A. Running water

New E-mail

Brother Alan Baldrige who had to move back to Michigan due to his employment situation has a new e-mail address. It is shadow4412@charter.net. Alan asked that you keep him in your prayers as he is again having employment problems.

How many drunken sots does it take to change a light bulb?

Twenty-one - one to hold the bulb and 20 to drink until the room spins.

BRASS

Saturday, Sept 25, was a great day for the annual Bike Ride Across Scenic Sumner as the hot weather broke and it was a cool sunny day. We did not have as many participants as usual and that is too bad.

Thanks go to Larry Phillips for chairing this event each year.

Larry said, "It was a great day for those that attended and the help of Brother Knights was wonderful. Thanks to all who helped.

"A special thanks to the "Knight Riders", a group of Knights who participated in the ride. We will continue to work on making BRASS a successful event for the K of C. Thanks to all who gave their time."

It's OK to let your children see you cry.

Indian Lake Loop

Larry Phillips reminds us that the Indian Lake Loop is coming on November 25th and although it is not a K of C event, the Knights have been a major volunteer part of the run.

This event is on Thanksgiving but most of the work is done before your family wakes up. If you can help, see Larry, who will have more information at the October meeting.

During a visit to my doctor, I asked him, "How do you determine whether or not an older person should be put in an old age home?"

"Well," he said, "we fill up a bathtub, then we offer a teaspoon, a teacup and a bucket to the person to empty the bathtub."

"Oh, I understand," I said. "A normal person would use the bucket because it is bigger than the spoon or the teacup."

"No" he said. "A normal person would pull the plug. Do you want a bed near the window?"

Need a Priest?

Recently one of the Knights had a medical emergency and said they did not know how to get in touch with a priest.

If this happens to you, call 824-0250 or if you can't remember that, call the main OLOL line at 824-3276 and the recording will inform you.

MR Foundation Tootsie Roll Drive

This year's annual Tootsie Roll drive to fund our effort to provide housing in Sumner County for the mentally disabled will be held on Saturday, Nov. 20.

Once again we will take to intersections to request donations and pass out Tootsie Rolls. So put the 20th on your calendar and make room for a few hours to help.

Vandy Parking

Help is still needed for all the Vandy parking dates. This is a good money raiser for our council as we have raised \$2000 so far this season. But we must fulfill our commitment every week to keep this opportunity.

Please sign up for at least one week at the October meeting or by calling Ricky Rector at 855-1416.

Homebound Meals

Traditionally Council 9132 has helped Hendersonville Homebound Meals by supplying some manpower for their annual fund raising pancake breakfast at Hendersonville High School.

The perennial chairman of this effort, Donnie Petre, says that this year the breakfast is on October 29 and the Homebound meals group would like us to supply 4 volunteers for the 6am-9am shift and three volunteers for the 9-11am cleanup.

if you can help, call donnie at 824-1267 or by e-mail at drpetre@yahoo.com.

Fallen Knights Ceremony

Prior to the Sept Council meeting a ceremony was held to recognize the Fallen Knights of our Council in the Memorial Garden. Especially remembered was Bill Klingenberg who passed this past year.



With the Honor Guard in the Background and with PFN Dave Eliskovich and Father Eric Assisting, GK Jon Hoscheit Reads the List of Fallen Knights at the Memorial Service

Photo by Bernier



Ed Corbitt Leads the Honor Guard and Participants from the Memorial Service

BRASS Doings



I Don't Think Jim Cunningham and Gerry Rousselle Know They Are Supposed to Paint the Road Not Each Other.



Jerry Rousselle, Doug Ebelhar, and Tony Domning Man the Peanut Butter/Jelly Sandwich Assembly Line at BRASS



Photo by Bernier

We Even Had Some Knights Riding in BRASS. Except for Mike Manor All of Them Opted for the Short Course. Good Going, Mike



Photo by Bernier

The Riders Are Off

Soccer Kickoff Doings



Glen Word Was Really Happy at the Soccer Challenge. He Had His Own Unbroken Chair. If You Don't Know the Background, Ask Glen



Soccer Kickoff Chair Mike Manor Looks Over the Results of the Competition

