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Grand Knights Message

Simon Peter said unto Him, "Lord whither goest thou?"
Jesus answered him, "whither I go, thou canst not follow me now, but thou shalt follow me afterwards."

John 13:36

Dear Brother Knights,

On this Independence Day, *whither goest thou?*

Is the Lord Jesus part of your Independence Day celebration? Throughout our country's great history, from the founding fathers to the current times, we, the people of the United States, have paid tribute and thanks for the blessings and graces that God has bestowed upon our nation.

Let us remember that, thanks to God, we've had such good fortunes, and we do not forget our Lord made July 4th, 1776, possible when several men in Philadelphia signed the document declaring to the world the famous principle of belief; **"We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their CREATOR with certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty, and pursuit of Happiness."**

We, the Knights, must remember that these men were vocal and willing to stand up and make their views known. Today we must do the same to protect our Catholic principles by practicing our faith and becoming more vocal and known in our community. We must become independent from the tides of political correctness and not be embarrassed to be Catholic. Share your faith! Do not follow the tide. Society wants to make you one of them – do not follow Jesus, follow us. Society thinks It's perfectly okay to express and practice one's sexual, pro-abortion, and assisted suicide views, but forget about expressing or defending any of yours, you may offend someone – stay quiet and continue to accept the views of the immoral culture of death.

So, this Independence Day, Brother Knights, *whither goest thou?*

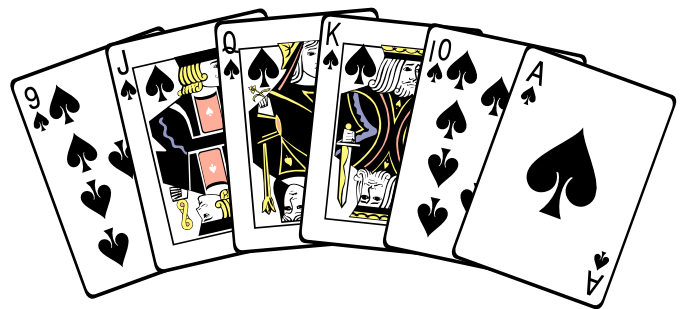
Robert Chmura, Grand Knight

May your family and you have a spectacular Fourth of July!
God bless America, my home sweet home.....

Our New Council Officers for 2009

Chaplain	Fr. Van Nguyen
Grand Knight	Robert Chmura
Deputy Grand Knight	Mikhail Alnajjar
Chancellor	Tom Davis
Warden	Mike Luzzo
Recorder	Russell Daniel
Treasurer	Larry Bast
Advocate	Hector Maffei
Financial Secretary	Jon Rowley
Inside Guard	Mike Farrance
Outside Guard	Jesse Martinez
Council Trustees	Kevin Linn 3 Year
	Dave Ward 2 Year
	Jim McGrath 1 Year
Columbian Club Trustees	Loris Heller 2 Year
	Ron Rourk 1 Year
Brotherhood Fund Committee	Gary Soehnlein
	Rod Becker
	Mac MacDonnell

Congratulations gentlemen!



Pinochle

Next pinochle night is Sunday, July 12, at the KofC Hall. Bring a favorite dish for potluck dinner at 6:00 pm or just come for the game at 7:00 pm.

Call Rod Becker 627-2175 for more details.

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Your electronic guide to Council news and events

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Bulletin submittals must be received three days before the end of each month to be guaranteed a spot. E-mail me at mandc627@clearwire.net, write it out and bring it to a meeting, or call me at 946-5443. Thanks!

Committee News

- **KCHELP** is looking for fellow Knights willing to help deliver much needed hospital equipment to those in need. Call *Andy Reisenauer 735-6111*.
Thank you to all for your donations to KCHELP. It's making a huge difference in the program and community.
- **New bartenders and house men are needed!** This a great opportunity to help in a different way. Training is provided. Call *Tim Fontiane 308-1289*.
- **Checked out Hall equipment needs to be returned** for a full accounting. As a general rule, if you have some, return it on time or if you need some please make arrangements ahead. Borrowing it may interfere with scheduled functions.
- **Live @ 5 nights for July are the 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd.** Please check your calendars and be ready to help. It's become our biggest fundraiser of the year. Volunteer for morning setup, tending bar and/or take down help. Call *Jim McGrath at 628-3981*.
- **Aluminum Cans can be saved for Pennies for Heaven.** Save your cans in plastic garbage bags. At the KofC Hall, put the filled bags in the southeast corner of the fenced area under the mulberry tree. Accumulated cans will be taken for recycle and profits donated to the Pennies for Heaven and State Seminary Funds.

“Kudos”

New 1st Degree Member – June 10, 2009

Welcome to the Knights, Jim McBride. *Congratulations!*

A **Star District Award** was presented to last years District 17 District Deputy, Ron Kimball of Richland Council #3307, at the Washington State KofC Convention. Ron was District Deputy through the 2007 and 2008 fraternal year. *Congratulations Ron!*

Year-end Pennies for Heaven drawing winners for 2009

Name	Number of Times Drawn
Mac McDonell	3
Dick Koellner	2
Larry Reid	1
Kevin Linn	2
Don McBride	1
Gary Soehnlein	1
Rod Becker	missed the meeting

Each drawing prize is \$5

Correction to last months bulletin.

Don McBride is our new State Secretary-elect.

His nomination was put forth and read by Ron Kimball, PGK and DD.


Happy July Birthdays

Don Baker	Tom Bander	Lajos Barany
Bill Baumgartner	Jeff Bieber	Tom Bock
Greg Coffey	Russell Daniel	Don Decker
Roger DeVoir	Jerome Durbin	Father Gomez
Larry Jacobs	Pat Kenny	Owen Kramer
Mike Lane	Tim Maynes	Guy Mitchell
Ben Pesek	Jack Pierce	Andy Reisenauer
Michael Rung	Harland Schultz	David Schwegel
Ryan Seidel	Len Sevigny	Gary Soehnlein
Mark Tavelli	Berwick Voisin	John Weis

Chili Cookoff August 8th

Council #3307 and the Christ the King Dads group are holding the First Annual Chili Cookoff on Saturday, August 8. If you have a barn burning, tail kicking chili recipe that you want to enter, then get your team together and join the party. Each team will cook up a large batch of their chili and be judged by the customers and a select group of "celebrity" judges. You'll even get a prize for best decorated canopy. All proceeds will be split between KCHelp and new bleachers in the Christ the King School gymnasium. For more information, please call *Kevin Linn* at 375-0465.

Prayer List of Knights and Friends



Les Young; Mac McDonell; Trina Huntington; Carma Kimball; Al Rizzo; Fr. Jim Northrup; Kyle Quinns new son; Adam Hopfinger; Jerry Rhoads and his mother; Dick Brouns; Leonard Hanses; Tim Maynes; Cesar Collantes; Dan Haggard; George Polyak; Clara Weil; Hector Maffei; Bernie Lewis; Miguel Pineda Jr.; Pete Todish; Jack Clark; Ben Jirik; Betty Polk; Rose Baalman; Mike Farance; Andy Anderson; Ted Przybylski; Willis Rappe'; Laurie Wasner; Bob Lyness; Anne Casey; Leona Maasen; Roger St. John; Kay Gerke; Virginia Opgenorth; Connie Duran; Jim McConnell; Glenn Horstman; Joe Krupar; Taylor McGrath; Ron Rourk; Antonio Mota; Ruth Plummer; Sister Rachel Elias; Ralph Sanner; Roy Abraham; Marie Gants; Nancy Kenny, wife of Pat Kenny; Don Deckers brother; Bob Baemmersts mother; Shirley Moran, daughter of John Moran; Vonda Prindiville; Ray Brodaczynski; Frank and Elizabeth Jasen, parents of Bill Jasen; Br. M. Eugene Brodaczynski and Barbara Brodaczynski, brother and sister of Ray and Richard Brodaczynski; Kathleen Monrean, daughter of Jack and Shirley Monrean.

Mass Cards

Robert Chmura takes care of Get Well Cards and Mass Cards for deaths. Contact him at 375-5065 if you know of anyone who needs a card.

4th Degree News

Sir Knights,

It is with great pleasure I announce that we have a 4th Degree storage cabinet located in the board room. This cabinet is for storage of donated regalia to be loaned to new members of the Color Corps. Fellow Sir Knights and families of members that wish to donate regalia and or tuxedos please contact Martin D. Prisc at 628-1333 or Tim Fontaine at 420-4420.

Memorial Day Services

I wish to thank the following Color Corps members that participated in the Memorial Day Services at Sunset Memorial Gardens.

Al Rizzo, Don Decker, Jack Fastabend, Andy Reisenauer, Gary Soehnlein, Mike Luzzo (new Color Corps member), Larry Reid (new Color Corps member).

Your Participation was greatly appreciated!

Martin D. Prisc, Color Corps Commander

Flagpole dedication at the new Richland Public Library

On July 17, at 10am, the 4th Degree Assembly will dedicate the new flagpole as a patriotic duty to our community and country. All members of the Knights and their families are encouraged to attend.

Don't forget, help is needed to complete the Basilica's "top Floor" a domed mosaic depicting scenes from Christ's life. We are asking assembly and council members to consider donating \$5.00 each to this effort. Anyone willing to contribute any amount is more than welcome. Send donations to the council hall at:

4th Degree, P.O. Box 486, Richland Wa. 99354

Live@5

One of many fund raising events.

**Live Good Music - Fellowship
Great Family Entertainment**

Nine Thursdays this Year!

May 28,

June 4, 11, 18, 25,

July 2, 9, 16, 23

Workers are needed for the Beer Garden, morning setup, or serving refreshments and teardown.

Something for everyone. This is a great opportunity to listen to terrific music while raising money for KofC charitable activities.

Contact:

Tom Davis 539-4055 for Details

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
July 2009			1 Trustees Meeting 7:00	2 Live@5 Tables to John Dam Plaza 7:30 am	3	4 Independence Day 
5	6 Bingo 7:00 pm	7	8 Reg KofC Meeting 7:30	9 Live@5 Tables to John Dam Plaza 7:30 am	10	11
12 Pinochle Potluck 6:00pm Cards 7:00pm	13 Bingo 7:00 pm	14	15 Leisure Club 12:00 pm 4th Degree Meeting	16 Fiddlers <hr/> Live@5	17 Rental	18 Wedding
19	20 Bingo 7:00 pm	21	22 Reg KofC Meeting 7:30	23 Boy Scouts <hr/> Live@5	24 Boy Scouts Fundraiser	25 Boy Scouts Fundraiser
26	27 Bingo 7:00 pm	28	29 Round Table	30	31	