

THE KEALEY KNIGHT LETTER

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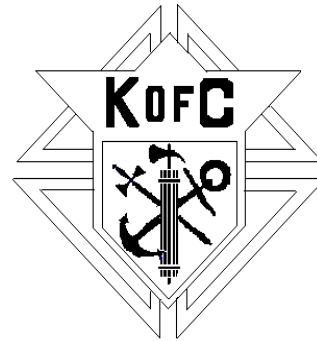
From The Grand Knights Desk,

Dear Brother Knights and Family

What a great month we had in July. It was full of activities. Dave Nelson and his crew hosted a great picnic on the 4th. The animal petting zoo was a hit with the children and also a few adults. The food was delicious and plentiful, thank you to everyone that brought in a salad or a covered dish, the deviled eggs were delicious as always – ML. On the 18th we held the 18th Annual Crab and Seafood Feast with the Five Families Organization. A round of applause goes out to all the Brother Knights and their family members who came out and helped to set-up, serve and shut down the event. On Sunday 19 July Cutty Sark Executive Chef Mark Wray and Deputy Grand Knight Don Fuss served a wonderful breakfast. Thank you Mark and Don and thanks to all the brothers who helped with these events.

In keeping with the Order's longstanding "In Solidarity With Our Priests" campaign, the Supreme Knight has called upon all Knights to actively participate in the "Year for Priests" declared by Pope Benedict XVI. If any brother Knight has an idea on how or what we can do to show our gratitude and support of our Priests or wants to hold an event to recognize and celebrate them please let me or one of my officers know.

This year has also been designated as Year of the Volunteer by the Virginia State Council. With all the events, that our council holds, I think we should be the "Poster Council" for this theme. I would like to get the Friday Knight dinners back on track. It was mentioned to me awhile back that some of our members would be more than willing to put on a dinner but can't afford the outlay of money that it takes to purchase the food and supplies. With that in mind at the last council meeting we voted on and passed a budget for the year that allows any member wanting to put on a dinner to be advanced \$300.00. The advance is to be paid back to the council with the proceeds from the dinner. So come on you culinary wizards, let's get the



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dinners started again. There are plenty of volunteers willing to help.

Lastly, at our council meeting Deacon Jonathon mentioned that any brother, family member, relative or acquaintance sick, infirmed and in need of a priest should call the parish and leave a message if no one answers. Either he or Father Dan would respond immediately. It was also mentioned that if you call on a weekend to use the emergency number or the message may not be answered until Monday morning.

The next meeting on 4 August will be a 1st degree. The meeting will start at 7:30pm. Vivat Jesus!

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Pete Wellman is in charge of the locker rentals. Rents for the 2009-2010 year are now due at \$5 per year. Please contact Pete by January 30 to retain your locker' Call Pete at 480-9332 for more information.

KOVAR

We are honored to again help those in our community with mental retardation through our Knights of Virginia Assistance for the Retarded Program. Let us all remember our many blessings and recognize those mentally retarded children and adults require love, understanding and acceptance with a chance to grow and develop as we all do. Our council goal for the 2009-2010 campaign will be announced. May God bless you and your families with his eternal love and peace.

Just a reminder when you contribute to the United Way or your Combined Federal Campaign. You can contribute to KOVAR by writing in the code # 42569. Thanks again, all I need is a copy of the receipt so I can have proof that the council has contributed the reported amount.

Matt Telinde

Deputy Grand Knight Report

As we begin this new council year, I will be serving as your new Deputy Grand Knight. I would like to invite you to stop by and enjoy an evening with friends and family. Bar open daily at 4 P.M. If you have any suggestions for Friday night dinners and any event you would like to see come back to the Knights, please let me know. Please feel free to contact me at my email: [Deputy GK 3548@aol.com](mailto:Deputy_GK_3548@aol.com) . Please make note of the following events:

Aug 4th 1st degree Council 3548

Aug 14th Council 3548 Ocean View golf tournament

Aug. 16th Breakfast At council 3548 9 am till 11AM

Aug 21th Steam shrimp dinner 6PM till 8 PM

Aug 25th 1st degree council 418

Aug 29th In and Out Dinner Council 3548

Your input is always welcome @ [Deputy GK 3548@aol.com](mailto:Deputy_GK_3548@aol.com)

Fraternally, Don Fuss

Running Of The Rose 2009

A Silver Rose will be traveling through the Commonwealth of Virginia **July 26** thru **August 16**.

The **Our Lady of Guadalupe Silver Rose Program** began in 1960 as a project of the Knights of Columbus Columbian Squires of North America to honor the Blessed Virgin under her title of Our Lady of Guadalupe, Patroness of the Americas.

August Birthdays

Stanley Bailey, Rev Stephen Baker, Hans Berg, Benjamine Billinski, David Brothers, Luis Cantreras, Ralph Carrop, Martin Champaco, Henry Connolly, Petyer Decker Jr, Peter Decker III, Michael DeLaura, Christopher Demeo, John Dobay Jr, Edward Doherty, Jamie Eadie, Robert Foglia, Steve Graeff, Richard Gustwiller, John Hardee, Dale Holden, William Jeter, Garry John, Nabbie Johnj III, James Kearns II, Father William Kennedy, Robert Kock Sr, Robert Kubilus, Lowell Martin, Edward McGowan, Richard Morris, James Murphy III, Steven Murray, Timothy Ozmon, James Rapisardi, Eugene Siebels Jr, Cecil Smithson, Frank Speeney, Martin Thomas, Richard Torlane, David Waller, Rev Brian Yanofchick, Lamar Youngs.

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