

THE KEALEY KNIGHT LETTER

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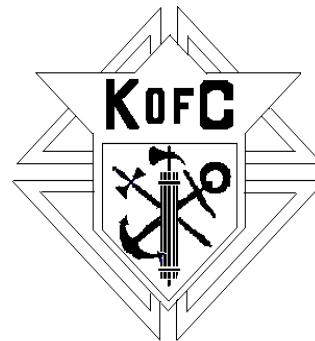
From The Grand Knights Desk,

Dear Brother Knights and Family

Spring is finally here. Lasts month's 43rd annual Saint Patrick's Day parade and after parade party were huge successes. Thanks to PGK Jim Rogers and the entire Parade Committee for all the hard work and the many months that went into planning, organizing and running these great events. This month we have a lot going on within the council. April 3rd will be the Children's Easter Egg Hunt, April 10 will be the Oldies but Goodies Dance to support KOVAR, April 15 -18 will be KOVAR weekend, April 18th will be our monthly breakfast and finally on the 24th we will be holding our 1st Corn Hole Tournament where we will be challenging the other 4 Families for bragging rights. All proceeds from this will also go to support KOVAR. The Council Lounge will be closed Good Friday April 2nd and reopen on Saturday April 3rd.

As you read this message, the Nominating Committee will be interviewing candidates for Officer's positions for the 2010-2011 fraternal year. Our council has been blessed with dedicated leadership for many years. In order for the council to continue to be successful we need every able-bodied member to consider being an Officer. Elected positions include: Grand Knight, Deputy Grand Knight, Chancellor, Recorder, Treasurer, Advocate, Warden, and Inside/Outside Guards. The slate of Officers recommended by the nominating committee will be posted on the bulletin board and elections will be held at the regular meeting on 18 May 2010. The slate of officers presented by the nominating committee is by no means final. Any 3rd degree member may, at the time of the election, "run off the floor" and challenge any of the nominees. Brothers please consider stepping up to the challenge, this is your opportunity to become actively involved in the future of this council.

Congratulations to Bob and Anna Boyd for being selected as Family of the Month for March. Bob and Anna are very active in the council. Bob hosted the Christmas Party, helps with preparing the Bingo packages, is chairing a Corn Hole tournament this spring and is there to assist whenever you need him. He participates one way or another in just about everything that goes on in the council. Anna like Bob is always available to support whenever asked. They are also very active in their community and well deserving of Family of the month. Congratulations Bob and Anna. The brother I have selected for Knight of the month for March is Brother Matthew Tomazic. Matt has only been a member for a short time but in that short time he has become a valuable asset to the council. Matt provided helped with the lounge ceiling, works Bingo on Team



**FATHER ROBERT B. KEALEY
COUNCIL #3548**

3 and helps out with all the picnics. He makes himself available to help out whenever needed. He is a dedicated Knight and I am proud to have him as part of our council.

Brothers, we have lost another Bingo caller. Theresa Clous, the caller for Team 2 can no longer call for Bingo due to her work schedule changing. I would like to thank Theresa for all she has done during her tenure. She not only called on her assigned days but has also filled in for other callers when needed. Theresa is a great caller and we, plus the Bingo players, will miss her. With that being said we are now in need of callers for Teams 2 & 3 and floor workers for most of the other teams. Anyone that would like to call or knows someone who would like to call please contact any one of the bingo managers, Ed Lambe, Ken Wiley, Tim Dolan, Berry Clark or myself and we will get them trained and on a team. It is only once every fifth week for a few hours and well worth the effort. Remember, the proceeds from bingo are used to keep the council operating.

Vivat Jesus!

Bill Dewey

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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

April has arrived. Spring is in the air and summertime activities are just around the corner. As always we will need volunteers to chair / assist with the various up and coming events. I would like to personally thank the St Patrick's Day Parade Committee for all the year round planning and hard work that went in to planning and coordinating the parade. You really make this council the "Best in the South". The up and coming Degree are important for anyone seeking and seat in the council this coming year.

Please make note of the following events:

- **Apr. 2 BAR WILL BE CLOSE GOOD FRIDAY**
- **Apr. 3** Children Easter egg hunt
- **Apr. 6** First Degree Council 3548
- **Apr. 7** Second Degree Council 367
- **Apr. 10** Oldies Night
- **Apr. 15-18** KOVAR weekend
- **Apr. 16** Lasagna Dinner @ 530 PM all processes to KOVAR
- **Apr. 20** Social meeting, Fraternal Benefits meeting spouses welcome
- **Apr. 24** *Cornhole Tournament*

Regarding KOVAR weekend, there is a sign-up list on the bulletin board in the lounge. To make this campaign a success we need your support, please sign-up for at least one two hour segment. For more information please see me. For donations to CFC, United Way and Virginia State Campaign through your work place the following designations apply:

CFC: #42569

Virginia State Campaign - State Employees - #735

United Way Campaigns in the Greater D.C. Area - #8838

I have been working on our electronic mailing system for this pass year. I would like to take this to the next step, which is mailing our newsletters out electronically. Below is a list of e-mail address that have come back to me in error. Please e-mail me your correct address so I may add to our group.

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Fraternally,

Don

April Birthdays

Dennis Arnold, John Barrineau Jr, Andy Cabaniss, Paul Decker, William Decker II, John Drumm Jr, Paul Earnest, John Ehlers, Nicholas Emons, Joseph Flowers, John Harwood, Lawrence Hemenway, Reon Hillegass Jr, Henry Jones, Joseph Kennedy, Timothy Lane, D. Lawrence, Steven Martin. Gerald Mathei, Father David McGuire, Timothy Mertz, John Miller, Thomas Modlin, Terry Pocock, Joseph Query, Dennis Rogers, Vincent Saccone, Charles Sharpley, Kevin Shea, Michael Smirne, Matthew Telinde, John Thomas, Joseph Trombetta, Richard Tumminelli, Terry Williams, David Wood, Eric Zborowski, John Zoby.

Sick & Distressed

Any member who knows of a member or spouse who is sick or in distress please contact

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Contact Joan Waller at 587-4667