



# KNIGHTLY NEWS



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## MEETINGS

The next regular meeting will be held on Thursday, February 16, 2006, at the K of C Hall, starting at 7:30 PM. Luncheon will be served after the meeting.

The next building committee meeting will be on Thursday, February 2, 2006 at 7:00 PM, followed by the finance committee meeting.

## ATTENTION LADIES

The next Ladies Auxiliary meeting will be held on Thursday, April 6, at 7:30 PM at the K C Hall. Fish fry workers for Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup>, Vernita Eichholz/ Marlene Pieper; Mar. 3<sup>rd</sup>, Mary Anne Barth/Mary Stoverink; Mar. 10<sup>th</sup>, Sharon Scully/ Ruth Rothermich; Mar 17<sup>th</sup>, Julie Christy/ Jan Peirick; Mar 24<sup>th</sup>, Audie Lang/Betty Bruegenhemke; Mar 31<sup>st</sup>, Vernita Eichholz/Martha Kaufhold; Apr 7<sup>th</sup>, Audie Lang/ Wilma Sitzer; Apr 14<sup>th</sup>, Marlene Pieper/ Mary Anne Barth.

## PEP DARTBALL

The annual PEP Dartball will be held on each Tuesday in February at the KC Hall. The workers for those nights are: Feb. 7<sup>th</sup>, Julia Christy/Audie Lang; Feb. 14<sup>th</sup>, Betty Bruegenhemke/Joan Pieper; Feb. 21<sup>st</sup>, Julie Christy/Wilma Sitzer; and Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>, Martha Kaufhold/Audie Lang.

## REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please remember the following in your prayers: Brothers James Borgmeyer, Wilbert Burkemper, Richard Fetsch, Elroy Hoeber, Joe Pieper, Roy Sommerhof, Bob Walsh, the wives of Brothers Charlie Fierling, Glennon Griesenauer, William Grumich, Paul Kerkemeyer, the granddaughter of Jerry Davis, the mother of Brother John Kues, the son and brother of Brothers Orville and Dennis Maher, the mother of Brothers Walter, Theodore, David and Hubert Molitor, the mother-in-law of Brother Hubert Molitor, the mother of Brother Don Phillips, the brother of Brother Joe Reller, the stepsister of Jerry Sitzer, the father-in-law of Brother Paul Wilmes and the mother of Joe & Bill Wolf and all who have cancer or who are ailing.

## COUNCIL OFFICERS

Grand Knight: Kevin Hudnut.....978-3639  
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Dep Grand Knight: Fred Doering III.....379-1672  
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Recorder: Juan Ante.....314-313-5826  
Advocate: Robert Hudnut.....272-0038  
Warden: Kevin Hale.....379-2565  
Treasurer: Michael Sullivan.....240-3393  
Inside Guard: Henry Prinster.....272-4768  
Outside Guard: Larry Buehler.....240-5819  
Lecturer: Ronald Haas.....240-5239  
Trustees: Donald Forbeck.....272-5065  
Michael Yerion.....272-8158  
William Wolf.....272-3154  
Program Director: Kevin Hale.....379-2565  
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## HOME ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

President: Donald Aubuchon.....980-3220  
Vice President: Bernard Orf.....272-3956  
Treasurer: Joseph Wolf.....272-4167  
Secretary: Donald Forbeck.....272-5065  
Hall Rental: Robert Crangle.....240-3441

## LADIES AUXILIARY

President: Audrey Lang.....272-3857  
Vice President: Carol Joseph.....240-8841  
Treasurer: Mary Stoverink.....397-1757  
Secretary: Wilma Sitzer.....272-2443  
Sergeant at Arms: Marlene Pieper.....272-4722  
Chaplain: Stella Riechmann.....240-8462  
Trustees: Jeanette Thomas.....240-9331  
Bonnie Molitor.....978-2207  
Joan Pieper.....240-3415

## RECERTIFICATION

The First Degree Team is in need of new members and of being recertified. If you are interested, contact the Grand knight.

## DUES PAYMENT TIME

A reminder to members to pay their 2006 dues as soon as possible. 42 members have already paid their dues - thank you all very much! If any member is suffering financial hardships that will not allow them to pay their 2006 dues, they should speak to the Grand Knight or the Financial Secretary.

## FIRST FRIDAY FISH FRY

The next first Friday fish fry will be on Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup> with serving from 5:00 PM to 7:30 PM and as always we can use desserts. All those who are scheduled to work at the fish fries are asked to please remain and help with the final cleanup. If you are scheduled to work and you can't make it, it is your responsibility to find someone to replace you. If you are not scheduled but can work, your help would be appreciated.

Team # 1 Larry Buehler 240-5819

2/3 3/24 4/14

W Kaufhold.....272-3367 W Christy.....978-1443  
R Schwane.....265-0213 R Schmersahl.....332-1669  
Cronk E.....240-8197 R Winkelmann.....978-1250  
R Haas.....240-5239 F Lindsey.....240-8475  
D Lammert.....240-1522 H Prinster.....272-4768  
J Bland.....240-3034 G Thornhill.....978-3295  
L Arthur.....327-4509  
H Hisaw.....397-2065 J Mooney.....240-9111  
T Schwane.....978-2299 M Monroe.....240-3852  
R Wilmes.....272-5663 G Sestak.....447-3950  
D Johnson.....240-1045 R Lepping.....240-4604  
E. Fieseler.....240-2771 T J Winkelmann.....978-1250  
J Piel.....978-3560 L Arbutti.....332-0959  
K Kirchoff.....294-0146 C Burkemper.....240-5516  
R Bell.....978-0458 S Finnegan.....978-0559  
G Haas.....240-6193 K Flesch.....240-7001  
P Sullivan.....294-2758 J Kwarta.....240-3179

## BASKETBALL FREE THROW

The Basketball Free Throw contest will be conducted on the council level on January 29, 2006 for boys and girls in the following age groups: Boys and girls 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 as of 1-1-2006. Registration will be at 12:30 PM, shooting will start at 1:00 PM.

## WELCOME

We welcome new Brother Knight Neil Fredrick who received the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> degrees on Jan. 8<sup>th</sup> and Steve Jones who transferred in from Rolla Council.

## HORSESHOES

The 2006 season is on the horizon!!! The annual meeting will be held March 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM. We are always looking for new players. Captains from 2005 - please find out who on your teams plans to play this year.

## HALL CLEANING

The hall cleaning work list for February is as follows:

**Joe Wolf capt 272-4167**

K Beach.....294-3127 W Christy.....978-1443  
B Crangle.....240-3441 E Cronk.....240-8197  
D Hinds.....379-0470 M Gentemann.....639-6908  
J Hunn.....673-2103 W Kaufhold.....272-3367  
J Kilgariff.....240-9417 S McAndrew .....379-2699  
R Mrazik.....978-1544 D Niehaus.....240-6180  
J O'Brien.....696-1111 K O'Brien.....696-1111  
P Ohlms.....240-6792 T Owens.....978-2981  
S Patton.....240-2480 B Peirick.....978-1786  
M Probst.....272-1000 W Schwendeman..240-4672  
M Stehr.....978-1936 N Stoverink.....397-1757

## ACTIVITIES

Home Association Meeting Feb. 2, 2006  
Fish Fry Feb. 3, 2006  
Charity Committee Mtg Feb.11, 2006  
Regular meeting Feb. 16, 2006  
First Degree Feb. 16, 2006  
M C Gentemann Tournament Feb. 18, 2006  
4<sup>th</sup> Degree Apr. 1, 2006

## CONDOLENCES

Our condolences are extended to the families of Brothers Larry Buehler whose aunt and uncle died and James, Gerald, Mark and James, Jr. Bruegenhemke, Kevin Gilbert, Stephen Mulherin and Paul Renaud whose sister-in-law and aunt died

## FIRST DEGREE

We will have a first degree at the meeting on February 16<sup>th</sup>.

## M C GENTEMANN MEMORIAL EUCHRE TOURNAMENT

There is a euchre tournament scheduled for Saturday, February 18, 2006 at the K C Hall to benefit the Special Olympics. This will be a 4-man tournament where you keep same partner all evening. There will be lots of attendance prizes. If you wish to donate an attendance prize please let Marge Gentemann or Dennis Henson know. If you would like to help to get attendance prizes or work at the euchre, contact Dennis Henson at 294-0599. For more information check [www.thecompass2269.com](http://www.thecompass2269.com).

## FOURTH DEGREE

Have you thought of joining the 4<sup>th</sup> Degree? If you have been a 3<sup>rd</sup> degree member for at least six months, and are in good standing, you are eligible for this honor. If this is something you might be interested in, please contact the grand knight at 978-3639 or the financial secretary at 978-7639 for an application and more information. Applications must be submitted before the end of January.

## GOOD OF THE ORDER

Brother Clarence Thessen was not present at the last meeting and missed the \$50.00 attendance prize.

Brother Ronald Yeamans won the 50/50 of \$17.00.

## FIELD AGENT REPORT

I have a Fraternal Benefits Night scheduled for Feb. 21, 2006 at the St. Paul Knights of Columbus Hall. This event will start promptly at 7 P.M. and will go till about 8:30 P.M.

Topics are:

Long Term Care and Medicare Part D  
Guest speakers are:

Charlotte Litle and/or April O'Hara from Garden View Nursing Home in O'Fallon and a Speaker, yet to be announced, from the Medicare Offices in St Louis.

I asked St. Paul, and they said that maybe we should open this up for both councils in the area.

So, you and your council members and their wives are cordially invited to attend the first ever "Long Term Care and Medicare Part D" Fraternal Benefits Seminar.

Those that are eligible for Long Term Care Insurance, ages 40 - 85 should be invited to attend. Generally, ages 40 - 75 are the ones that attend these types of seminars.

There is no selling, no admission charge, FREE!

Members are asked to RSVP by Feb. 15, 2006 by calling,

Ron Martin (636) 456-5707

Insurance Agent or

Mike Wilke (636) 281-1149 Financial Secretary for St. Paul Council.

Ron Martin