



# KNIGHTLY NEWS



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O'Fallon Council #2269

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## MEETINGS

The next regular meeting will be held on Thursday, May 21, 2009, at the K of C Hall, starting at 7:30. Luncheon is served after the meeting.

The next building committee meeting will be on Thursday, May 7, 2009, at 7:00 P.M.

## ATTENTION LADIES

The next Ladies Auxiliary meeting will be July 16th at 7:30 p.m. The Ladies Auxiliary plans to go to The Village of the Blue Rose restaurant on June 18th. Husbands are invited to attend also. The Ladies Telephone Tree will be used to make reservations to Stella Riechmann. LeAnn Jones missed attendance of \$25.00. Welcome to new member Carol Prinster.

## RAFFLE WINNERS

The Quilt was won by Celeste Schneider, the \$200.00 cash prize went to Blanche Stroud, the Afghan was won by Larry Manion, the \$100.00 cash prize went to Bernice Ginnever and the \$50.00 cash prize went to Jeanne Borders. Thanks to everyone who participated in the raffle.

## GOOD OF THE ORDER

Brother Msgr. Richard Lubeley was not present at the last meeting and missed the \$65.00 attendance prize.

Brother Fr. Gene Bendel won the \$21.00 50/50.

## CONDOLENCES

Our condolences are extended to the families of Brothers Robert Grewe who died, Stanley Patton whose father died and Gerry Prinster whose mother died.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations and welcome to new members Isaac Eckhart, Brian Eisenbath and Joseph Landgraf.

## COUNCIL OFFICERS

Grand Knight: Bill Schwendeman.....	240-4672
Chaplain: Rev. Eugene Bendel.....	240-3721
Dep Grand Knight: Vince Scully.....	978-8668
Financial Secretary: Ronald Gardiner.....	978-7639
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Chancellor: John Kues.....	751-4695
Recorder: Juan Ante.....	314-313-5826
Advocate: Robert Hudnut.....	272-0038
Warden: Nick Bizelli.....	661-5530
Treasurer: Ronald Yeamans.....	272-3367
Inside Guard: Henry Prinster.....	272-4768
Outside Guard: Larry Buehler.....	240-5819
Lecturer: Ronald Haas.....	240-5239
Trustees: Dennis Maher.....	272-1114
Donald Forbeck.....	272-5065
Fred Doering III.....	297-7292
Program Director: Kevin Hale.....	379-2565
Youth Director: Mark Martin.....	281-3547
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## HOME ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

President: Jerry Schnyder.....	272-8153
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: Carol Joseph.....	240-8841
Vice President: Rita Thornhill.....	978-3295
Treasurer: Sharon Scully.....	978-8668
Secretary: Alice Forbeck.....	272-5065
Sergeant at Arms: Marlene Pieper.....	272-4722
Chaplain: Stella Riechmann.....	240-8462
Trustees: Audrey Lang.....	272-3857
Jeanette Thomas.....	240-9331
Bonnie Molitor.....	978-2207

## ACTIVITIES

Home Association Meeting	May 7, 2009
Charity Meeting	May 11, 2009
Texas Hold'en Tournament	May 16, 2009
Regular Meeting	May 21, 2009
Election of Officers	May 21, 2009
Adopt-a-Street cleanup	May 23, 2009

## FINANCIAL SECRETARY

We still have 35 members that are not current with their dues. Knight alert letters will be sent about the end of May.

## NO FISH FRIES IN MAY, JUNE, JULY, AUGUST OR SEPTEMBER

Thanks again to all who helped with the fish fries, especially during lent.

## CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT



The 18<sup>th</sup> Annual K of C Charity Golf Tournament will be held on August 14<sup>th</sup> at the Warrenton Golf Course. Anyone interested in helping with the tournament should contact Ron Schwane - 265-0213, Rich Schmersahl - 332-1669 or Dennis Maher - 272-1114. Committee members are currently accepting hole sponsors and donations. If you are in a position to acquire something for the tournament, please contact one of the committee members.

## LADIES APPRECIATION DINNER

Each year, the members of Council #2269 offer a small thank you to all the ladies who help to support the council in its activities and charitable fundraisers by inviting them to an appreciation dinner. The date of the dinner this year has been scheduled for **Saturday June 27, 2009**, following the 5:00 P.M. Mass. Ladies, please keep this date open. If you wish to attend, **please call Bill Wolf at 272-3154 or e-mail at [wwolf@mail.win.org](mailto:wwolf@mail.win.org) by June 20<sup>th</sup> to reserve a great meal.** The Ladies eat free and the meals for the men will be \$20.00. If you would be interested in helping to plan and work the dinner please call the Deputy Grand Knight at 240-4672.

**“Return Service Requested”**

**HALL CLEANING**

The hall cleaning work list for May is as follows:

**G Schnyder capt 272-8153**

J Bauer.....272-8268 R Blais.....240-2120  
G Colbert.....240-1968 Jim Cox.....980-2916  
T Daugherty..272-5972 R Deterding.....240-1537  
C Giesmann..240-9631 C Hood.....474-9047  
R Huber.....281-1161 A Hudnut.....240-5313  
B Hudnut.....272-0038 S Elfrink.....240-6238  
D Maher.....272-1114 D McAteer.....240-6718  
M Monroe.....240-3852 J Niehaus..314-713-2531  
G Nytes.....294-0284 Ralph Pieper...240-3415  
K Schulte.....240-4560 N Doering.....294-7292  
G Dames.....240-4671 J Meister.....978-9008

**ELECTION**

We will have election of officers at the meeting in May. If you are interested in being an officer or would like to nominate someone, contact the Grand Knight. It would be great to have at least two candidates for each office.

**ADOPT-A-STREET PROGRAM**

The council has become involved in the O'Fallon Adopt-a-Street program. Brother Juan Ante is our council captain on this effort. Each month, on the Saturday after our meeting, council members will meet at 9 am at the hall and will pick up debris on 3rd Street.

**LEFT AT KC HALL**

Within the past couple of months, a 3 quarter length black coat was left at the KC Hall. If you know who it belongs to, please contact Bill Schwendeman or Jerry Schnyder.

**HORSESHOES**

The qualifying sheets for the State Horseshoe tournament sponsored by Guardian Angel Council #4311, in Oran, MO are here and are in the customary place at the hall. It will be held on August 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> with a Mixer on Friday evening, August 14<sup>th</sup>.

**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Please remember the following in your prayers: Brothers Jim Beauvais, John Bland, James Borgmeyer, Rich Cierpiot, Eugene Cronk, Jerry Davis, Rich Fetsch, Jim Herr, Dave Huddleston, Bill Kirchoff, Elmer Loeffler, Phil Meyers, Leroy Ortals, Joe Pieper, Henry Prinster, Roy Sommerhof, Earl Wehmeier, Ron Yeamans, the wives of Brothers Curtis Burkemper, Charlie Fierling, Alan Hartman, the grandson of Brother Andy Barth, the granddaughter of Brother Jerry Davis, the grandson of Brother William Grumich, the brother-in-law of Brother Joe Gryzmala, the mother-in-law of Brother David Huddleston, the grandson and nephew of Brothers Bob and Kevin Hudnut, the sister-in-law of Brother Kevin Hudnut, the aunt and sister of Brother Bill Kirchoff, the brother of Brother Bob Mueller, the daughter-in-law of Brother Frank Peirick, the mother-in-law and father-in-law of Brother Mike Saali, the father-in-law of Brother Paul Wilmes, the mother of Brothers Joe and Bill Wolf, the mother of Brother Mike Yerion and all who have cancer or who are ailing.

**HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY  
TO ALL THE LADIES**

**NEW FUNDRAISING EFFORT!!!!**

The council has chosen to expand our fundraising efforts by offering chances to win the popular Baseball Mania Sweepstakes, which offers each entrant a chance, for \$10 each, to win prizes during the final 17 weeks of the Major League baseball season starting June 9, 2009. More details of this are available by seeing one of our Co-Chairmen for this effort: Mike Saali at 978-7754; Nick Bizelli at 661-5530; Mike Catalfano at 9561-3591 or Ron Gardiner at 978-7639 or on line at [www.charitymania.com](http://www.charitymania.com)!

**CHARITY POKER TOURNAMENT**

The O'Fallon Knights of Columbus is pleased to announce the formation of a Texas Hold'em tournament to help raise funds for the different organizations the council assists. The tournament will be held monthly at the hall on 202 Third Street. Registration begins at 6 PM - tournament starts around 7 PM. The buy-in is \$15 with the option to purchase a 5000 chip for an additional \$5. There will also be 50-50 tickets sold during the first two periods of play. There will be a \$50 cap on the 50-50, the more tickets sold, the more drawings will be held. The tournaments will be at 7 PM. on the third Saturday of each month. The bar will be open and serving til 12 am. Results of 1<sup>st</sup> tournament: 1st place- Jeanne Kues; 2nd place- Justin Finkbeiner; 3rd place- Jason Niehaus; We raised \$281. Next tournament is May 16th.