



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.

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COUNCIL 10243

GREEN BAY,
WISCONSIN

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Next Council Meeting
Monday, Jan. 21st

GRAND KNIGHTS COLUMN



December was a fairly light month from an activity standpoint. We had a great Christmas social after the meeting, and I'd like to thank John Murphy for volunteering his wife Sandy Murphy as Coordinator. She and all of the wives did a marvelous job in preparing favorite recipes and making the social a huge success. Another highlight of the December meeting was the selection of finalists for the Poster Contest. Did you notice the recent bulletin which featured one of the entries on the cover?

The Salvation Army bell ringing in honor of Dan "Danny Mac" McLaughlin was very successful again this year. Special thanks to Jim Janssen for coordinating the schedules and to all of the Knights and their families that participated.

Well, how did you start the New Year? Did you make a lot of resolutions that

UPCOMING EVENTS

Council Meeting - Monday, Jan 21st, First Degree at 7:15, Meeting to follow. Special guest Dr. Jack Hale. Christmas Poster contest winners. *Contact: Dan Barrington 465-4521*

Annual Knights of Columbus Appreciation Dinner- Sunday, February 10th. Reception 5:00, Dinner 6:00, Entertainment by a Baylander Barbershop Quartet to follow. The Woods. \$15.00 per person *Contact: Pat Mongin 468-0440 or Rick Noe 468-3194.*

Ash Wednesday, Lent begins, February 6th.

Booyah Sale at St. Bernard's - Saturday February 16th Cut Vegetables 8-10 AM & Sunday February 17 sell Booyah 8:30 - 11 *Contact: Bill Bartelme (465-6900)*

Council Meeting - Monday, Feb 18th, Rosary at 7:15, Meeting to follow. *Contact: Dan Barrington 465-4521*

Booyah Sale at St. Bernard's - Saturday March 15th Cut Vegetables 1-3 PM & Sunday March 16 sell Booyah 8:30 - 11 *Contact: Bill Bartelme (465-6900)*

Easter Sunday - March 23rd. Our Savior has Risen.

Spaghetti Dinner- March 29th, (Server Appreciation) After 4:30 Mass. St. Bernard's Multi-Purpose Room. *Contact: Dave Catalano 496-0170*

Tootsie Roll Drive - April 25th-26th, Wal-mart East and all masses. *Contact: Pat Mongin 468-0440*

Special Intention - April 27th, 9:00 Mass, St. Bernards. For our fellow knights and their families.

HONOREES

Congratulations to the Council's Honorees

Knight of the Month
Bill Bartelme

Family of the Month
Wes and Jennifer Swisher

WEB LINKS

K of C Council 10243
www.communitynews.org/kcfolder/knights.htm

K of C State
www.wikofc.com

K of C Supreme
www.kofc.org

SPECIAL OCCASIONS**BIRTHDAYS**

01-15 Edith (Weldon) Kiernan
 01-18 Ricky A Tlachac
 01-21 John E. Schmitz
 01-23 James E. De Wane
 01-24 William C. Griesbach
 01-28 Sandra (Roger M) Heesacker
 01-31 John H Laurant
 02-02 Paul L Tilot
 02-02 Nathan J. Castner
 02-02 Carrie (Kenneth M.) Greetan
 02-03 Mary (Richard E) Noe
 02-06 Lynne (Scott M.) Mc Kenzie
 02-06 Colleen (Donald F.) Hoff
 02-08 Ray J. Demerath
 02-08 Susan (James E.) De Wane
 02-10 Rene (Ernest A.) Remondini
 02-11 David E. Doering
 02-11 Patricia (Clyde G.) Engebos
 02-13 Richard H. Damp

**ANNIVERSARIES**

01-08 John F. & Sandra Murphy
 01-16 Thomas N & Mary Marquardt

**ETERNAL REST**

01-30-1996 Arnold Chaloupka
 02-12-1996 Alvin Cisler
 01-29-1999 Daniel P. McLaughlin
 01-28-2002 Harris D. Charles

by now have been forgotten? If you have, don't be too hard on yourself. Many resolutions are broken before the end of the first week in the New Year. Make a resolution that is very easy to keep. This year, resolve to make at least one person smile each day by making their day just a little better. It doesn't take much. Maybe it is just opening a door for someone who has their hands full. Perhaps, it is just a hello to that person in Church who seems preoccupied, or it could be a family member who just needs a minute of your time. The possibilities are endless and it is such an easy resolution to keep. Try it.

Now if you aren't sure how you can keep that resolution, join us in our many activities over the next few months. At our January meeting we will have special guests, Dr. John Hale and the Poster Contest winners. In February we will be honoring Family of the Year for 2007 at our Appreciation Dinner. There will be booyahs to cut vegetable for and Dave Catalano has promised another delicious Spaghetti Dinner right after Easter.

The Tootsie Roll Campaign in April will give us an opportunity to try and surpass our record setting efforts from last year. Aspiro and the Diocesan Ministry for Special Needs will be our recipients again this year. Please put these events on your calendar so you can help out.

Finally, the main item on people's minds should be selling State Charity Raffle Tickets. Our goal is to sell 10 tickets per member and I know we can do it. Now is the time to sell the tickets, don't wait until the last minute!

Fraternally,
 Dan Barrington, Grand Knight

Unity

BLOOD SAVES LIVES
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BLOOD DONATIONS 2007

YEAR TO DATE TOTAL = 138 PINTS / 92%
2007 GOAL 150 PINTS

RED CROSS ONE-A-WEEK CLUB UPDATE.

Still do not have year ending numbers, however through November we had 138 donations with our target number being 150. On behalf of the Red Cross organization I would like to thank everyone who helped out this past year. No matter what our final donation total is, we did very,very well, and you can all feel proud of your efforts. Here's to a healthy and prosperous 2008. Thank You. Rick Noe One-A-Week Coordinator.

POSTER CONTEST WINNERS

At our meeting last month we voted on the Poster Contest entries. This month we will be presenting the winners with their awards at the January meeting. The winners will have their posters submitted to the next level of competition. Come meet our winners and wish them continued success.

CORPORATE COMMUNION

Council 4505 at St. Philips is rescheduling the Corporate Communion which we announced at our December meeting. Grand Knight Dennis Dionne has notified us that due to the conflict with the Packer playoff game, the KC Corporate Communion will be rescheduled for another date, possibly in February. It will be at a 4:00 p.m. Saturday Mass but the date has not been finalized. All members and their families are encouraged to attend. There is no social or other event planned after the Mass. As soon as the details are finalized, we will be getting the word out to everyone.

DUES REMINDER NOTICE

The annual billing for our fraternal dues went out in December. So far just less than half of our membership has responded. So, if you are one of those who set this aside to take care of it latter, now would be a good time. The holidays are behind us and 2008 is in front of us and it is a time to start getting organized once again. Not only is it important to get your dollars to help defray council costs, it is equally important to get your fraternal survey in to report your volunteer hours so both our Council and our National Organization get the credit for your hard efforts. So before you forget, find your check book and your survey form and fill them out and get them in the mail. A big "Thank You" to all of you who have already taken care of this requirement. Rick Noe , Financial Secretary



St. John the Evangelist Homeless Shelter

413 St. John St., Green Bay, Ph: 436-9344
Providing a Warming Center Every Night
6:00p.m.-9:00a.m.

Wish List

FOOD ITEMS

Peanut Butter & Jelly
Lunchmeat
Cereal
Breakfast Bars
Sugar, salt & pepper
Kool-aid type mixes
Frozen concentrated juices
Coffee (regular & decaf)
Coffee creamer
Bread (wheat & white)
Fruit
Soda
Milk

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

Facial tissue & paper toweling
Paper plates (small & large)
Disposable cups & bowls (hot & cold)
Plastic silverware
Stir sticks (for coffee)
Large Handle tie bags (36-40 gal)
X-Large garbage bags (50 gal)
Dish cloths & Dish towels
Light bulbs 40-60 Watt
Quart size Ziplock bags
Storage bins (18 gallon or larger)
Aluminum foil, plastic wrap
Disposable gloves (food service)
Brown paper lunch bags
Coffee filters (medium size)

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Large duffel bags & backpacks
Bike chains & locks
Pocket planners
Matches (book type)
Disposable ear plugs
Over the Counter Meds
Band-aids
Booklights
Puzzles & Cards
Magazines & books
Bus tokens
Gas cards
Grocery/Discount Store
Gift cards
Flashlights
Safety pins (medium & large)
AA batteries

**** ANYONE ABLE TO DONATE
ONE OF THESE ITEMS, PLEASE
E-MAIL ME SO WE DON'T GET
DOUBLES (lynneanne@mail.com)**

CLEANING ITEMS

Disinfectant spray
(for shower)
Disinfecting wipes
Dish soap
All-purpose cleaner

SPECIAL ITEMS**

Standing towel
drying rack
Large garbage can
for recyclables
2—20 ft. or longer
extension cords

OFFICE SUPPLIES

Copy paper (white)
Sticky notes, legal pads
Black permanent markers
Self-adhesive folder fasteners
Scotch tape
Wide masking tape
Stamps
Legal and letter size
envelopes
Staples
HP Office jet 6210 All-in-
one Ink Cartridge
(#94 Black--#95 Color)

CLOTHING ITEMS

Sweatshirts (M-XXL)
Slippers/slipper socks
Bras
NEW underwear
Jackets/Coats
Hats
Insulated hiking boots (10-12)
Men's shoes (10-12)
Women's shoes (8—8 ½)
Men's jeans
Women's P.J.'s and Robes
Shower flip flops

**THANK YOU
SO MUCH
FOR CARING &
SHARING!!!**

cost for all of this is only \$15.00 per person. Please make your reservation now by either calling Pat Mongin at 468-0440 or Rick Noe at 468-3194..

KNIGHT AND FAMILY OF THE YEAR

Also at our January meeting, we will be voting for the Knight of the Year and Family of the Year for 2007. The winners will be honored at our Appreciation Dinner in February. Let's have a good turnout for this selection process.

Charity

BELL RINGERS

Once again our Council did an outstanding job in honoring our deceased Brother Knight Dan "Danny Mac" McLaughlin with a great turnout for Salvation Army bell ringing at Copp's in Bellevue. Hearty congratulations on another fine job by Jim Janssen in coordinating this event. A huge thank you goes out to all Knights and their families who participated.

GLAD YOU ASKED

WHAT IS THE STATE CHARITY RAFFLE ALL ABOUT?

Each Council is assigned a target number of tickets based upon the number of members in their Council. The goal is to sell 10 tickets per member. Our Council goal this year is 1400 tickets.

The purpose of the Charity Fund as stated in the Mission Statement is to

"alleviate sorrow, ease financial burdens and restore hope to families of victims of accident and illness. This will be accomplished by providing funds for charitable causes, disasters and catastrophic situations."

There are two major events or fundraisers that the Knights conduct each year. The Tootsie Roll Campaign is to assist those with cognitive challenges and the Charity Raffle to provide resources for all other needs.

Recently grants from the Charity Funds provided \$2,000 to a 69 year old woman from Green Bay who has been fighting uterine cancer for three years and her finances have been drained; \$1,000 to a 53 year old man from Mishicot who is on Social Security Disability because of a lung condition whose home was recently destroyed by fire

These are just two of the grants given to persons in the Green bay Diocese. Grants are made to persons in each of the 5 Diocese in Wisconsin.

"Remember-we make a living by what we do, but we make a life by what we give".

Leon Janowski is our Council Raffle Chair. He has served in this capacity for a number of years and does an outstanding job. He has recently sent tickets to each member. Please help us help others by selling your tickets.

CHARITY REQUEST

The Executive Committee recommends that \$250 be donated to the Green Bay COTS (Churches Offering Temporary Shelter). In accordance with an approved council recommendation \$250 was provided to Alison Paoletti for education expenses.

ANNUAL APPRECIATION DINNER

Our annual appreciation dinner has always been a fun event and this years will be no exception. The event will be held on February 10th at The Woods with the reception starting at 5:00PM and dinner around 6:00PM. We will be honoring all of the Knight's and Families of the month recipients as well as announcing the Knight and Family of the Year honorees. Come out and congratulate all of the winners and join in the fun, as we also have live entertainment by the Baylander Barbershop Quartet. The