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GRAND KNIGHTS MESSAGE

Brother Knights I once again request your help as volunteers. The Fish Fries start Friday Feb. 28th and Tony Arbanas needs a couple of volunteers to thaw out the fish. It is usually delivered on Tuesday and allowed to thaw in a cooler, but still needs to be rinsed off and dried before it can be cooked. With close to 480 lbs of fish to be handled he needs your help. I did it for over 10 years and have retired from that job so Tony would like to hear from you. Two people can handle the job on a Thursday and Friday. Over the past several years Gene Wolf has been making the coleslaw and portioning other products. Gene has injured his back so a replacement is needed for those jobs. Please show your loyalty to your council and help our fish fries be a success by stepping up and helping.

The end of our fraternal year is approaching and we need knights to step up for the positions of various officers. Elections are held in June and begin service in July. All positions are open except for Financial Secretary and Chaplin.

In May we will be having our annual Past Grand Knights' dinner showing our respect for those who have served our Council in previous years. This dinner is for everyone and not just Past Grand Knights. It will be the first Sunday in May from 2 pm - 5 pm. Also at that meeting we will announce the family of the year and the knight of the year. You can make reservations by calling Paul at the hall or Deb and Tim Pelliter.

Our family of the month is the Batcke family. The Knight of the month is Paul Arbanas.

God Bless
Vivat Jesus!

Denny Z. dzzvirzdinis@gmail.com

MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

Wednesday, Mar. 5th
at 7:30 pm

Wednesday, Apr. 2nd
at 7:30 pm

G.K.Dennis Zvirzdinis 745-7818
D.P.K.Keith Lickley 819-0797

Fin. Sec. Tony Arbanas..... 534-6600
Bldg. Corp. Pres. Dennis Stolcenberg 532-5393

.....District Deputy
Dan Urbanowski..... 532-0271

ANNIVERSARIES

MARCH

Date	Years
02 Daniel & Joyce Roberts.....	41
21 Michael & Diane Smigiel.....	26
21 Devin & Betty Ortega-Ferguson	22
27 John & Robin Thull.....	6

PGK DINNER & AWARDS CEREMONY

Our Past Grand Knights Dinner and Awards Ceremony will be held in the North Hall from 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm on Sunday, May 4, 2014. The cost is \$15.00 per person.

All Past Grand Knights and our Current Grand Knight is free. Please call Denny Zvirzdis at 531-0684 or Tim/Deb Pelletier at 261-4271 to RSVP.

Thank you, Tim & Deb Pelletier



SICK & HEALTH



Please keep the following Brother Knights and their families in your prayers:

Fr. Ted, Sherry Adams, Francis & Vi Barth, Tim Bergevin, Margaret Bugarella, Jim & Linda Bulkowski, Patricia Chichester, Don & Sandy DeLuca, Ray & Genevieve Diehl, Jack DiPiazza, Bill Eitel, Robert & Donna Huebner, Helen Krebill, Marie Martin, Bill Ogiego's Mother (Dorothy), Tracy Page, Ray Punches, Carol Stewart, Gerald Tobin, Dan & Karen Ann Urbanowski, Mark & Linda Vogl, and Roger Wells

Please pray for the families Herbert J. Huffman (a lifetime member) and Doug Bouwman, who passed away.

If you know a member who should be on our prayer list, or if you wish to have your name removed call Jeremy and Nikki Batcke at 616-261-3321 or email bishophaas4362leader@yahoo.com.

Date	Years
01.....Steven & Jessica Kurylowicz	25
05.....Keith & Lori Matulaitis	23
08.....Leonard & Pat Reynolds.....	42
12Sam & Virginia Stellini	67
14S.K. Richard & Marie Martin	63
14.....Jack & Joyce DiPiazza	43
14Harry & Jeanne Anne Hudson	53
16James & Lorretta Polmanteer	59
19.....S.K. Richard & Sharon Stolcenberg	24
19.....Patrick & Dana Franzoi	6
20Perry & Gelorus (Gigi) Kubizna	51
22David & Dorthy Cleary	68
22Stanley & Vera Herda	64
22.....Howard & Virigina Smith	42
23.....Gregg & Pam Larabel	49
26S.K. Raymond & Genevieve Diehl.....	67
26.....Kenneth & Beth Kaminski	34
26.....Robert & Yvonne Carpenter	34
26.....S.K. Daniel & Karen Ann Urbanowski .	40
26Eugene & Shirley Wolf	62
27.....James & Ella Bluhm.....	40
27.....Gerald & Linda Hoogterp	40
27.....Christopher & Barbara Miron	18
29.....David & Sandra Dzierzyc	23
29.....James & Kathy Krebill	42

OFFICER ELECTIONS

In just 2 short months we will be holding elections for officers for the next fraternal year. Every position is open except Financial Secretary and 2 of the Trustee positions. Please call either Dave Arbanas at 647-2569 or Tim Pelletier at 261-4271 if you want to run. The qualifications are, you have to be a Third Degree Knight in good standing.

The elections will be held at our May 7th Council Meeting.

Thank you, Tim Pelletier, Trustee

BREAKFAST FOR THE HAVEN

The Haven, 1565 Cedar Street, supports an overflow of boys, ages 13-17 from the Kent County Juvenile Detention Center. These boys are going through the court system because of charges ranging from misdemeanors to felonies. There could be up to 20 boys at the Haven at any one time.



The stay for these boys is anywhere from 25 days to 5 months. Monday through Friday, lunch and dinner is cooked by a full-time employee, Meredith Nichols. Breakfast during the week is cold cereal, toast and fresh fruit. Lunch and dinner on the weekends is from the leftovers from during the week.

Breakfast on Saturday and Sundays is where the K of C gets involved by cooking a hot breakfast for the boys and guards. Bishop Haas Council cooks the breakfast the first Saturday of each month, which is 12 times a year.

What's involved? You do not have to be a chef or a cook. If you can heat ready made sausage, hash browns and scrambled eggs, you are an expert. Some cook pancakes and French toast as well. You start about 7:00 am and can be out of there by 8:30 am. All of the clean-up is done by the boys. Serving is done by the counselors.

How easy is that? This can be done by one Knight, but two is more fun. Get a friend and volunteer to help a troubled teen with life.

ANNUAL M. I. DRIVE: APRIL 11th, 12th & 13th

...FOOD DISHES NEEDED...

Anyone wishing to fix a dish for the M. I. Drive weekend could you call Deb Pelletier at 616-261-4271 and let her know what you would be bringing so she knows how to set up the table and so she will have an idea of what there will be. (examples could include: SOUPS, SALADS, FRESH VEGGIES AND DIP, CHIPS AND DIP, CHEESE AND CRACKERS, BREAD, BUNS, SALTINE CRACKERS, OR DESSERTS.). anything would be appreciated and enjoyed by our many workers.

The kitchen will be opened during the following times:

Friday, April 11, 2014	11:00 am - 4:00 pm.... after 4:00 the Fish Fry will be in the big hall starting at 5:00 pm.
Saturday, April 12, 2014	11:00 am - 8:00 pm....
Sunday, April 13, 2014	11:00 am - 4:00 pm....

Hope to see you during the M. I. Weekend, look for us someplace in the building.

Thank you, Tim and Deb Pelletier
616-261-4271



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MARCH		APRIL		MAY	
3	6:30-Bingo	1	6:30-Bingo	5	6:30-Bingo
4	6:30-Bingo	2	6:30-Bingo	6	6:30-Bingo
5	6:30-Bingo	2	7:30-Council Mtg.	7	6:30-Bingo
5	7:30-Council Mtg.	7	6:30-Bingo	7	7:30-Council Mtg.
10	6:30-Bingo	8	6:30-Bingo	12	6:30-Bingo
11	6:30-Bingo	9	6:30-Bingo	13	6:30-Bingo
12	6:30-Bingo	14	6:30-Bingo	14	6:30-Bingo
17	6:30-Bingo	15	6:30-Bingo	19	6:30-Bingo
18	6:30-Bingo	15	7:30-Officer's Mtg.	20	6:30-Bingo
18	7:30-Officer's Mtg.	16	6:30-Bingo	20	7:30-Officer's Mtg.
19	6:30-Bingo	21	6:30-Bingo	21	6:30-Bingo
24	6:30-Bingo	22	6:30-Bingo	26	Memorial Day
25	6:30-Bingo	23	6:30-Bingo	26	No Bingo
26	6:30-Bingo	24	7:30-Bldg. Corp.	27	No Bingo
27	7:30-Bldg. Corp.	28	6:30-Bingo	28	No Bingo
31	6:30-Bingo	29	6:30-Bingo	29	7:30-Bldg. Corp.
		30	6:30-Bingo		



In order to quickly and easily identify a deceased member of the Knights of Columbus, The Grand Rapids Press has agreed to reproduce our Emblem (as shown) along with the obituary of the K of C member. However you must do your part, so we can do our part. First, you must inform the funeral home to include our emblem and to mention the deceased was a member of the Knights of Columbus #4362. Second, you must notify us. You should call the current Grand Knight or any of the current officers listed in our monthly Leader. Please help us show our respect for our deceased Brother Knights.

Hall ManagerPaul Arbanas534-3089