



KNIGHT KNOTES

August 2017

Knights of Columbus
OLLH Council 11432
Harbor Beach, MI

Grand Knight Knotes



Brother Knights,

Knights of Columbus Family Week is August 13th – 20th, which fits nicely with our summer picnic. This year the picnic is Sunday August 20th from 1:00 PM – 5:00PM at Steve Schwab's

house – 2500 N. Lakeshore Rd(M-25) about 3.5 miles north of Harbor Beach. Everything is provided(food/drink/games); bring your family & come out and enjoy the day.

We held a 1st Degree on meeting night before the meeting. From the Bad Axe Council was Dale Hortsel & Steven Cossier; from our Council was our NEW Chaplain Father George Amos. Congrats! & welcome to our Order.

The Knight of the Year is presented to a Brother Knight who clearly distinguishes himself by participating in many of the program activities, & who represents the interests of the Council. We presented this year's award to Father Bill at his farewell luncheon.

The Family of the Year is presented to a Family who sets an example of Family participation in the Council, the parish & the community. We will vote for the Family of the Year at our August meeting. The past 5 Family of the Year Award (s) have gone to: 2016 – Dan Bischer. 2015 – Gerald Schroeder. 2014 – Russ Talaki. 2013 – Mike Guza. 2012 – Bob Emming.

Our next big fundraiser is the 21st Annual Golf Classic Benefit. This year's event is September 9th at Ubyly Heights Golf & Country Club. We can always use "Auction Items" if you have anything you would like to donate. And as always, we need volunteers(8-10) to work the event. If interested please let me know (jwhowison@yahoo.com) or (989)415-3250.

There is a Corporate Communion at St. Rock in Caseville on Sunday, October 8th at the 8:00AM Mass. RSVP To DD Carl Taus

Dr. Manuel Teves' funeral was July 10th at Holy Name of Mary Parish. Our council will be doing a rosary for him on August 27th before the 8:30 Mass.

Jim Roberts passed away Thursday, August 3rd. His Funeral Mass was Monday, August 7th. We will have a rosary for him in October.

The next food distribution pick-up for Community Connections is Tuesday, September 5th at 10AM @the Harbor House. Call Pat Lapine 479-6003 if you can help.

Attendance Drawing: Harvey Geiger's name was drawn at the July meeting. He was absent with notice but still missed out on the \$130 jackpot The jackpot for August is up to \$140.

Officer's meeting is 6:00PM in the church basement.

Fraternally,
John W. Howison
Grand Knight

Family Picnic this Sunday!

August 20th 1:00 - 5:00

2500 N. Lakeshore Dr.

Games, Food, Drinks provided

Bring the family and the grandkids

Calendar of Events

August 16 7:00 Monthly Meeting

August 20 1:00-5:00 Family Picnic at

Schwab's house

Sept. 5th 10:00 food distribution @ Harbor House

Council Officers

Chaplain:

Father Bill Spencer

Grand Knight:

John Howison
(989)415-3250

Financial Secretary:

Carl E. Siemen
(989)479-6807

Insurance Field Agent:

James R. Swartz
(989)479-6101

District Deputy:

Carl Taus

State Deputy:

Kenneth B. Unterbrink

Deputy Grand Knight:

Dan Bischer

Chancellor

Marc Moreno

Recorder:

Paul C. Ginther

Treasurer:

Steve Schwab

Advocate:

Bob Sopczynski

Warden:

Steve Oglenski

Inside Guard:

Jerry Jewell

Outside Guard:

Earl Braun

Trustee for 3 Years:

Allen Messing

Trustee for 2 Years:

Carl Taus

Trustee for 1 Year:

Bob Wruble

Meeting Notes

Date: Wednesday July 19, 2017 TIME: 7:00pm

Installation of new members before regular meeting

Warden Report on Membership: Gary, all accounted for

Prayer: John Howison

Pledge: John Howison

Roll Call of Officers: 11 officers present, 3 AWN

Reading of Minutes: Motion to approve by Gary Polega, 2nd by Jerry Jewell, motion carried.

Admissions Committee: Bob Swartz

Associate 68 3 Inactive

Insurance 82 10 Honorary Life

Total 150 2 Disability

Grand Knight Report: John Howison

- A. Thank you to members for highway clean up
- B. Thank you from color polusia program
- C. Thank you from scholarship from Kaitlyn Gentner
- D. Thank you for Fr Bill's party
- E. Continue to send in monthly worksheets to Carl

Chaplain's Report : Fr George

Thank you members for doing what we do and our good works and sacrifices

Treasurer's Report: Financial Secretary's Report: Steve

Income \$175,000

Expenses 2,131.47

Assets: 46,699.80

Liability: 9,002.35

Motion to approve by Jim Swartz, 2nd by Fred Lorkowski, motion carried

Financial Secretary's Report: Carl

Q-ball \$562 Life Saver & Roses \$276

Supreme 578 Newsletter 49

\$100 each to: Len Goniewich, Pic DeFrain, Madelyn Stacer, Al Messing

Motion approved by Bob S. 2nd by Bob Sopczynski, motion carried

Chancellor's Report: Mark

Vocation collection was \$794. Dr Teves donation \$40 to school. Nick Gornowich will install changing station

Service Program Report: Bob Wruble

91 Council members sold 1,175 tickets

We will continue to award 5 scholarships next year.

Unfinished Business:

1. Bob Swartz updated members on church and school projects
2. Fr George will prioritize parish funding
3. Jim Swartz suggests golf outing proceeds for Fr's house remodeling projects
4. Bob Sopczynski motion to purchase a professional

sound system for \$900. 2nd by Mark Marino, motion carried

Old Business:

New Business:

1. Baptismal floor update: heating blanket will hopefully take out moisture and get back to normal
2. Motion by Carl Seiman to donate \$100 to all Messing family for expenses. Support by Gary Polega, motion carried
3. Rosary for Dr Teves in Aug
4. Vote on Knight Family of the Year next meeting
5. Family picnic at Steve Schwab's house on Aug 20th at 1pm
6. Golf outing on Sept 9, will need 5 tables

Field Agent Report: N/A

District Deputy Report: AWN wife is having surgery

Good of the Order:

Certificate of Appreciation

Knight of the Month: Harvey Geiger

Family of the Month: Bob & Regina Wruble

Certificate of Appreciation: 4 members at \$100

Prayer List: Madelyn Taus, Fr Bill Spencer, Al Messing, Fran Schulte, Jim Roberts, Derik Pfaff, Phil Perick, Len Goniewiecha

Closing Prayer: Dave Booms

Prayer for Deceased Members: Paul

Prayer for Vocations: John

Shirt Drawing: Lloyd Kramer, Dave Sieman, Clark Ramsey

50/50 Drawing: Bob Sopczynski **Amount:** \$10

Earl Braun **Amount:** \$5

Attendance Drawing: \$130 Harvey Geiger (not present)

Meeting Adjourned at: 8:15 PM, cards and lunch followed

Come and enjoy our Parish picnic!

K of C Yearly Dues are PAST due, PLEASE REMIT ASAP, Thanks

Program Director: James Kucharczyk
 Church Director: Marcelino Moreno
 Vocations Chairman: David Booms
 Community Director: Gary Booms
 Pro-Life Chair couple: Gary & Joann Wolschleger
 Health Services: Darrell Connell
 Council Director: Gerald Schroeder
 Public Relations: Steve Schwab
 Family Director: Pat Lapine
 Youth Director: Bob Wruble & Darryl Connell
 Membership Director: Carl Taus
 Recruitment Com. No. 1: Gary Booms
 Recruitment Comm. No. 2: James Swartz
 Recruitment Comm. No. 3: Daniel Bischer
 Retention Chairman: Carl Siemen
 Insurance Promotion: James Swartz
 Lecturer: Fred Lorkowski

Service Program Personnel

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