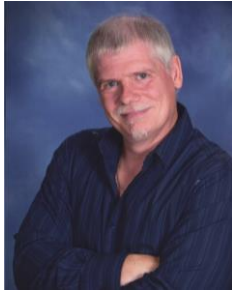


Knight News

Granite City Council 1098 – Assembly 0224

July 2017



Grand Knight
Dwayne Saul



Faithful Navigator
Elmer Long



Ladies Auxiliary
President
Cheryl Moe

Columbus Home
President
Jerry Lilley
Picture not yet
Available

A Word From the Grand Knight

Welcome Brother Knights,

I want to thank the following brother knights that have been chosen to become a new officer or remain an officer walking by my side (not behind me) for the 2017-2018.

Officers effective 7-01-2017

Worthy Grand Knight – Dwayne Saul
Financial Secretary – Paul Hellrich
Worthy Deputy Grand Knight – Zachary White
Worthy Chancellor – Stephen Cauble
Worthy Recorder – Robert Hutson
Worthy Treasurer – Dennis Riggs
Worthy Advocate – Paul Yehling
Worthy Warden – David (Mike) Levy
Worthy Inside Guard – Lester White
Worthy Outside Guard – Frank Vivod
Worthy Trustee 1st year – Cale Clements
Worthy Trustee 2nd year – Jerry Calentine
Worthy Trustee 3rd year – Keith Melton

May brought scholarships for College and High School students. A big thanks to chairman Andy Yurko and his committee members for the outstanding job. The recipients and sponsors will be listed later in this newsletter. The Memorial mass had great weather and the use of a brand new tent provided by the Columbus Home. May also brought KC night at the Cardinal game bringing home a win.

June brought 2 new 1st degree members: Chase Gansner and Jacob White, Welcome to the Council. Current brother, Jim Yobby received his 2nd and 3rd degree on June 11, 2017 in Edwardsville. Congratulations to all.

The council's next blood drive will be held on July 18th. It will be held in the gym from 2:00 – 7:00, all are welcome.

The councils Installations Dinner will be held on August 12th. Doors will open at 5:30 and installation of officers will begin at 6:00 and dinner will follow. There will be a signup sheet in the council room, open to Council members, families and deceased member's spouses. Please sign up.

Please pray for the families of recently deceased members, Ed Essington and Ralph Vesci.

Please have a safe and Happy 4th of July.

**KC Meeting Attendance/50-50 Winners and Losers
May 23,**

DATES TO REMEMBER

July 18 – Blood drive
held in Columbus
Home Gym from
2pm-7pm

There will be no
Ladies Auxiliary
Meeting in July

Aug 1, 2, and 3 –
135th Convention
will be held in St.
Louis

Aug 12 – Councils
Installation Dinner;
Doors open at
5:30pm; Installation
will begin at 6:00pm

Bingo

There is a 5th Sunday
Bingo in July that
will be hosted by
the Softball Bingo
Team

Mike Levy won the 50/50 Drawing and Robert Stegemeier failed to win the attendance drawing.

June 13, 2017

Jim Yobby won the 50/50 and Kerry Bundy failed to win the attendance drawing.

Fraternally,

Grand Knight, Dwayne Saul

(email: dsaul@gckc.org)

From the Faithful Navigator

Due to a family situation for the past two months, I am sending news from the last meeting of the Fourth Degree. The big news is that the 135th Convention will be held in St. Louis at the Convention Center, Aug.1, 2, 3. Anyone wishing to go must register by going to www.kofc.org/convention registration. Tickets and name tags will be picked up at the Convention desk upon arrival opening night.

With the election of new officers, the only change in officers was the replacement of two trustees, Brian and John. We voted to keep the Chalices we are currently buying, because of the price and the fact that new chalices from another company do not come with a K C emblem on them. I would like to thank all those who attended the meeting. Brother Knights our attendance for the Fourth Degree meeting seems to have declining. What can we, as Brothers, do about it? One thing that every Knight can do is remind each other that the meeting is the 3rd Tuesday of the Month. Will we have a celebration of the installation of Officers In August? We will discuss this at the July meeting on July the 18th.

We will have a couple of people registering for the Supreme Convention, please see any of the officers. The Assembly 0224 will pick up the tab for the dinner

Thanks to the membership for the confidence in me by electing me to a second term as Faithful Navigator.

Before closing our meetings the Knights recite a prayer for military personal around the world

“Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need. Amen.”

I also ask you to pray to St. Michael the Archangel Patron Saint for all Police Officers.

“Oh Almighty God, whose great power and eternal wisdom embraces the universe, watch over all policemen and law enforcement officers Protect them from harm in the performance of their duty to stop crime, robberies, riots and violence. We pray help keep our street and homes safe day and night. We

recommend them to your loving care because their duty is dangerous. Grant them your unending strength and courage in their daily assignment. Dear God, protect these brave men and women, grant them your almighty protection, unite them safely with their families after duty has ended. Amen.”

May God bless the Tri Cities Knights of Columbus.

May Saint Michael the Archangel Defend us in our Travail.

Elmer Long

Honoring Those Who Serve

The 4th Degree Knights of Columbus would like to honor those family members who are so proudly serving in our national defense.

If you would like to include any service men or women in this section, please send your name and the name, rank and location of the individual you would like to honor to news.1098@gkcc.org or provide this information to Jim Rotter. Thank you for your assistance.

From the Financial Secretary

Congratulations to our two new members - Chase Gansner and Jacob White also to James Yobby who received his 2nd and 3rd degrees. We now have 460 members, 73 are Honorary Life, and 16 are Honorary. This will be my last newsletter as Financial Secretary and I want to thank everyone who has helped me in the past seven years. It has been fun, but it is time to move on. Please give Paul Hellrich your help as well.

Richard Haack

From the President of the Ladies Auxiliary

I trust everyone is having a wonderful summer. Totus Tuus took place June 18-23. We had a great deal of fun. Thank you to all who pitched in.

Just a reminder, we will not have a meeting in July. At our August meeting we will install our officers. Gert Petty is planning something special for us to eat. So come out and have some fun.

Cheryl Moe

2017 Knights of Columbus Scholarship Awards

On May 23rd for the 19th year Knight Andy Yurko chaired the annual Knights of Columbus Council 1098 college scholarship presentation. \$750 was awarded to 12 students entering a college of their choice. \$500 was awarded to 2 students entering a Catholic high school. The award was presented to the Holy Family recipient at a mass at Holy Family Church. The award was presented to the St. Elizabeth recipient at a mass at St. Elizabeth Church. Assisting Knight Yurko were committeemen Bob Stegemeier and Jim Rotter as well as the Faithful Navigator Elmer Long and the Grand Knight Dwayne Saul.



Scholarship Awards

\$750 Award to Attend the College of Choice

College Recipient

1. Bradley Affolter
2. Katie Calentine
3. Matthew Chastain
4. Mel Steven Coonce
5. Danielle Folkerts

6. Chase Gansner
7. Riley Girardier
8. Natalie Holloway
9. Benjamin Lombardi
10. Daniel Petty

11. Ryan Witt

12. Matt Woods

Knight Sponsor

- Daniel McIntyre
 Jerry Calentine
 Edward Lenzi
 Jerry Calentine
 Tony Bellue
 Daniel Folkerts
 Robert Hutson
 Phillip Acenbach
 Edward Lenzi
 Paul Mills
 Carl Petty
 Jim Petty
 John Haug Sr.
 Alfred Haug
 Fred Trittschuh

\$500 Award to Attend a Catholic High School of Choice

High School Recipient

1. Lacey Melzer
2. Edith Pointer

Knight Sponsor

- James Bohn
 Ronald Pointer

Grade School

- St. Elizabeth
 Holy Family

High School

- Father McGivney
 Father McGivney

Congratulations to all the recipients and their families and best wishes to all the recipients as they continue their academic careers.

Photo Gallery

Volunteers who placed flags at Calvary Cemetery and 4th Degree Honor Guard at the Memorial Day Mass



Thanks to all of our KC members and their families who continue to volunteer their time and talent to make our programs successful.



Calendar for Granite City Council 1098

July 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 Schuler Bingo Team 558-3043	3	4 Independence Day	5	6 5 th Degree Workday	7 Wilbur/Alsop Bingo Team 452-6041	8
9 Gray Bingo Team 709-3970	10 Columbus Home Meeting 7:00pm	11 KC Business Meeting 7:30pm	12	13 5 th Degree Workday	14 Petty Bingo Team 877-3584	15
16 Softball Bingo Team 451-8988	17	18 Blood Drive (KC Gym) 2pm-7pm 4 th Degree Meeting 7:30pm No Ladies Aux Meeting	19	20 5 th Degree Workday	21 Friedel Bingo Team 876-5109	22 August Newsletter Items Due
23 Cauble Bingo Team 877-4542	24	25 KC Social Meeting 7:30pm	26	27 5 th Degree Workday	28 Hutson/Levy Bingo Team 973-5459 971-9817	29
30 Softball Bingo Team 451-8988	31	Note: There is a 5th Sunday Bingo this month hosted by the Softball Bingo Team.				

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