

# Knight News

Granite City Council 1098 – Assembly 0224

October 2017



Grand Knight  
Dwayne Saul



Faithful Navigator  
Elmer Long



Ladies Auxiliary  
President  
Cheryl Moe



Columbus Home  
President  
Jerry Lilley

## A Word From the Grand Knight

Welcome Brother Knights,

September was a busy month with some great council activities. We started the month off with the Labor day parade. What a great day, full of great weather and a great time shared with my Brother Knights and their families. The streets were full of smiles from all, smiles for all the people that support this city we live in. Like always, a special thanks to Joe Schuler for all his work on organizing the food, candy and the KC float. We followed that up with the annual family picnic, again what a great time. Thanks to my cooks Mike, Chad, and Rob, and not forgetting Stretch for the two huge cakes. The petting zoo animals were a hit again this year, what a beautiful smile it brings to the faces of everyone there, including that camel. The bounce house, slide and games were incredible once again this year. Both donated by one of the KC's biggest supporters, Tribout's. Without a blink of an eye, the following weekend the knights jumped into supporting our less fortunate, the disabled with our annual I.D. tootsie roll drive. Huge thanks to Paul Hellrich for all his time and hard work putting all the places together. There are so many more people to thank for all their help in putting on all of the above activities. I want to thank you all because I personally know one person might take a pat on the back but it takes people from his council, families, and friends to make it all happen. Thank you all.

Many of you should all have the vocational raffle books. The deadline to have the money in will be October 24. Just a reminder, the money raised goes to so many people that rely on money like this to do what they need to do, so please take that chance by buying or selling the booklet and returning to the KC's by this date. Just another reminder, only full books can be returned with the stubs filled out and front cover still attached.

Coming in October will be our always great Halloween party. Mark your calendar for Saturday, October 28. Starting times will be between 5:30 and 6 o'clock. Please sign up in the meeting room.

We again lost two brother knights in the recent months. Please pray for the families of Brother John William Papa and Brother Wilber Hemken. May God call upon them to eternal rest.

Also please pray for the people and the continued support needed from hurricanes that went thru Texas and Florida.

**Fraternally,**  
**Grand Knight, Dwayne Saul**  
(email: [dsaul@gckc.org](mailto:dsaul@gckc.org))

## KC Meeting Attendance/50-50 Winners and Losers

- August 22 Dominick Arnotti won the 50-50 and Edward Hagnauer failed

## DATES TO REMEMBER

October 24 –  
Deadline for the  
return of the  
Vocational Raffle  
Books

October 28 –  
Halloween Party;  
Starting time  
between 5:30 and  
6:00pm; Sign up in  
the meeting room

## Bingo News

There is a 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday  
Bingo in October  
that will be hosted  
by the Cauble Bingo  
Team (877-4542)

to win the attendance drawing.

- September 12 Bill Rotter won the 50-50 and Dan Schaus failed to win the attendance drawing.

## From the Faithful Navigator

The news for the month of September includes I. D. Drive for the week of Sept 15 and 16. We were a little shy when it came to volunteers for the locations that we had to serve. With just 3 locations to collect from we should have enough people with the membership that we have. Some of us had to double up on locations. Why?????. We will sell the remaining tootsie rolls through Bingo games and what is left through the membership.

We had an Honor Guard for the Right to Life Mass at Holy Family Church at 9 a. m on Sat 23rd. We had a total of 11 people for the Honor Guard about 5 of them were outside of Tri-Council.

The list included the following: Elmer Long 0224, James Ridenour 0224, Zach White 0224, Larry Ruder 0224, Paul Mills 0024, John Hopkins 3442, Bill Bulve 3442, Dean Gaston 3442, Leon Lubber 0231, Lowell Wellen 0231, Mar Tebbe Grand Master. Thanks Guys for the showing.

We had a new member proposed to the Council. The application was revoked because of the By-Laws for entrance to the Knight of Columbus. One question on the applications reads: Are You a PRACTICAL OR PRACTICING CATHOLIC? This has to do with whether you are in good standing with the church. If you are, the answer is YES. IF YOU ARE BAPTIZED, BUT DO NOT ASPIRE TO LIVE IN ACCORD WITH THE PRECEPTS OF THE CATHOLIC CHURCH, then the answer is NO. This has been gleaned over on the application. Let's be careful on all applications in the future. The application mentioned could not be accepted and the applicant understood.

### **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**

**(eflong5@yahoo.com)**

## **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.

## **From the Financial Secretary**

With moving into the fall time of the year Halloween fast approaching I hope this finds everyone in good health.

Our membership stands at 459 total members, 13 Honorary members and 75 Honorary Life members, with the two newest Honorary Life Memberships issued to Thomas J Miller Jr. and Joseph A Groboski.

Our past effort, the Tootsie Roll (ID Drive) went well. The weather was warm but not bad. We are presently selling the excess Tootsie Roll Box of 50 roll for \$5.00, a great way to help the Knights and get you off to a great Halloween for kids in your neighborhood.

Our present effort is the sale of Vocations Support Program Raffle booklets. We sent out all booklets we were issued to members for a chance to win 1st prize of \$10,000 followed by 19 additional prizes. Please return the sold booklets by October 23 or bring to the social meeting that evening. Please help.

Keep the following military personnel in your prayers: e-4 Nolan Yehling, US Air Force stationed at Qatar, nephew of Paul Yehling and Grandson of Mark Yehling.

Again all the best, please help sell or purchase the Vocations Support Program Raffle booklets.

Have a great Fall.

**Paul Hellrich**

## **From the President of the Ladies Auxiliary**

The Holiday Seasons are approaching fast: Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Years. It is a very busy time of year for everyone. I hope everyone will have time to relax and enjoy the seasons.

At our last meeting we discussed Sparkles and Sweets. Most think it is a good idea to continue. At our October meeting, we will vote if we should continue. Love to have everyone present.

We are looking for some new ways to raise money, some new type of fundraisers. Put on your thinking caps and see what happens. Please bring your ideas to our next meeting.

If you have moved or changed phone numbers, please give Diane Vivod a call so she can update our roster.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, October 17, 7:00 pm. Looking forward to seeing you.

**Cheryl Moe**

## Picture Gallery

### Labor Day Parade



### KC Family Picnic





# Calendar for Granite City Council 1098

October 2017						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>1</b> Schuler Bingo Team 558-3043	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> Degree Workday	<b>6</b> Wilbur/Alsop Bingo Team 452-6041	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b> Gray Bingo Team 709-3970	<b>9</b> Columbus Home Meeting 7:00pm	<b>10</b> KC Business Meeting 7:30pm	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> Degree Workday	<b>13</b> Dan Saul Bingo Team 798-0537	<b>14</b>
<b>15</b> Softball Bingo Team 451-8988	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> 4 <sup>th</sup> Degree Meeting 7:30pm  Ladies Aux Meeting 7:00pm	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> Degree Workday	<b>20</b> Friedel Bingo Team 876-5109	<b>21</b> November Newsletter Items Due
<b>22</b> Cauble Bingo Team 877-4542	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> KC Social Meeting 7:30pm  Deadline for Vocational Raffle Book Return	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> 5 <sup>th</sup> Degree Workday	<b>27</b> Hutson/Levy Bingo Team 973-5459 or 971-9817	<b>28</b> Halloween Party (starts between 5:30 and 6:00pm)
<b>29</b> Cauble Bingo Team 877-4542	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>				

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