

Knights of Columbus Council 996



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GREETINGS FROM THE GRAND KNIGHT

Brothers,

I hope everyone had a blessed Easter with their family and friends. Our fish nights are over, and it was great to have so many families from all parishes visit during this Lenten season. A great big thank you to Clyde Chaney, Chris Brown, and Susan DuBois, along with their families, which helped make the fish nights a success. Also the Brothers that helped with clean up, a special thanks to all.

REMEMBER MEETINGS WILL RETURN TO 7:30 P.M.

State Convention has come and gone, and with 996, along with District 9 and 14 being the host this year, I believe that we represented our council and all of the councils of 9 and 14 well. I want to thank Mike Heathcott and David Tencleve for their leadership during the planning and the execution of the State Convention. I also want to thank Henry Moore, Jim Foldvary, and all of the Grand Knights and members of District 9 and 14, for whom we could not have had a great State Convention. This being my first Convention, and Fort Smith being the host, I could not have done this without their leadership.

Elections-We will need to form an election committee at our first meeting in May. I hope that some of the new 3rd degree members will consider running for an office. We need more new and younger members in office. Sheets will be available for sign up.

May Carnivals-As many of you know, the Immaculate Conception and Christ the King Carnivals are this month. The Knights of Columbus Council 996 have supported these in the past with our Funnel Cake booth. We need lots of help on these two weekends, so please sign up at the next meeting, or contact me at rmcollins2@att.net. The I.C. Carnival is May 6th and 7th, and Christ the King is May 20th and 21st.

Need Summer Help-Gilbert Koch is in need of a brother Knight to help him this summer with mowing and other work around the acres. This Brother will need to be retired in order to help during the week, as weekends will be rented, and not much work can be done during these times. If you are interested, please contact Gilbert or myself for details.

Bible Time Line-Do not forget about Bible Time Line starting at 6pm on meeting nights. Hope to see more of you there!!

Fraternally Yours,
Robert Collins, GK
Rmcollins@att.net



LADIES AUXILIARY
LORETTA COLLINS

What a blessed Easter holiday! I enjoy this time of year shared with family on this joyous of weeks. I hope everyone, despite the weather, had a wonderful Easter Sunday.

We had a great response to our bake sale, and I would like to thank all of the ladies who helped out with baking and bringing your items, and also to the ladies who helped that night to make it all such a great success.

Our next meeting is schedule for May 9th, same time and place. We will be having a drawing for a special door prize, and you must be in attendance to get your name in the drawing. I am also planning on another speaker later this summer to talk about personal safety, so please come out to hear the plans. We also need help to plan a “baby shower” for our community support to the Heart to Heart Pregnancy Center. Please take the time to go by there if you are unfamiliar with all the great things they do for our community.

I hope to see you all at the State Convention.

“Obstacles are those frightful things you see when you take your eyes off your goals.”

ACRES REPORT
GILBERT KOCH

I really appreciate all the members that came to help with the spring clean-up. A THANK YOU goes to Steve Ahlert, Matt Hutchinson, John Mackey, Anthony Moscher, Tony Reith, Bill Soller, and Dickie and Jayne Ann Spahn. (Yes, Jayne Ann is always willing to pitch in!) Thanks also goes to Gene Hatwig for use of his garden tiller in getting some of the work done.

Ed Schluterman has been my Thursday helper for the last number of years, and most of us know that he is not in good health at this time. I could not have kept up all of the mowing without him. THANK YOU ED—YOU ARE IN OUR PRAYERS!!

CONGRADULATIONS TO ALL OF THE COUNCIL 996
CLASS OF 2011 GRADUATES AND THEIR
FAMILIES!!
WE ARE ALL SO PROUD OF YOU!!!





MAY BIRTHDAYS



3rd-Michael Schluterman
 6th-Howard Kidwell, Richard Udouj
 9th-Kenneth Eckelhoff, Richard Worden
 11th-James Lopez
 12th-Robert Brown, Dan Hornung, Dennis Spahn
 13th-Bill DuBois, Edward Valley
 16th-Charles Knapp, Stephen Maestri
 18th-Scott Gleason
 19th-Greg Meyers
 22nd-Mark Hinueber
 23rd-Rick Carman
 25th-Matt Weisenfels
 28th-Phillip Boyd, James Lipscomb, Greg Spires, Harold Wille
 29th-Jeff Meares, Mark Urban
 30th-Leslie Stone

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FROM YOUR BROTHER KNIGHTS!!

FAMILIES IN NEED OF PRAYER

For our ill members and their family members:

Marilyn Reed, daughter of Lawrence and Lorene Komp, Louise Paino, Betsy Schluterman, Jack Merrywell, Dr. Eric Stein, Mary Drake, granddaughter of our former insurance agent Bob Moellers, David Brooks, who is in the later stages of Huntington's Disease, Margaret Newman, Kathy Furstenberg, Bob Lensing, Gerald Miller, Gertie Gramlich, Debbie (Pfeiffer) Baker, sister of Donald Pfeiffer and daughter of the late Brother Knight Louis Pfeiffer, John Bauer, Harold Wilie, former insurance agent of 996, Frank Post, father of Hubert Post, Susan DuBois, Art Rideout, Sr., Greg Meyers, Mary Carolyn Borengasser, mother of Richard, Gretchen Rideout (Art), Christine Wheeler (Pat), Kathleen Weidman (Daniel), and Susan Abbott (Jerry), Gerald Geisbauer, Ella Mae Ritzenthaler, sister of Doris Moschner and aunt of Brother Knight Anthony Moschner, and Ed Schluterman.

For our members that have died and their family members:

Brother Knight Bill Paino, Antoniette Hindman, mother of S. K. Phillip, sister of Mary McMahon (David), and Dolores Moellers (Bob). Bob was 996 insurance man for several years. Elizabeth Boerner Waddell, wife of S.K. Jack Waddell, mother of Brother Knights Harold and Greg Boerner, sister to Brother Knights Ed Schluterman and John Schluterman, JoAnn Vonderheide (Charlie), Ginny Klein (Frank), and Katy Reith. She also was the widow of Brother Knight Jim Boerner whom many of you may remember, JoAn Hornsey, wife of Brother Knight Jim, and mother of Brother Knight Stephen Hornsey, and Anne Sparks, wife of Brother Knight Lewis Sparks.

For our members serving overseas in the military:

Eric Elser, grandson of Agnes Elser and the late Brother Knight Larry Elser, and Joe Casanova, son of Cheri and Jack Danciu, both whom are in Afghanistan.

MAY 2011

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

1 2 3 Card Night 7pm Lounge 4 Bible Time Line-6 pm 5 6 I.C. Carnival 7 I.C. Carnival

Acres Rented Acres Rented Business Mtg. @ 7:30 pm Acres Rented Acres Rented Hall Rented

8 Mother's Day 9 Ladies Aux. Mtg. @ 7 pm 10 Columbus Club Mtg. @ 7pm 11 12 13 14 Card Tourn. 7:30 pm Lounge

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22 23 24 25 4th Degree Mtg. @ 7:30 pm 26 SHS Graduation 27 NHS Graduation 28

Acres Rented

29 30 Memorial Day 31 Most schools, public and Catholic, will be ending around June 3rd. Watch out for the kids and have a great summer!!



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*Meetings are held
the 2nd Tuesday
of each month
at 7:00 PM
All Council 996
Members are invited
and encouraged
to attend.*