

# Knights of Columbus Council 996



## Pius XII Press



### GREETINGS FROM THE GRAND KNIGHT

Brothers,

Well, here we go into another month running. I hope that everyone has had a great summer and looking forward to the Fall to bring some new ideas in to help us grow as a council. Our biggest thing coming up is Oktoberfest. We will need lots of help again this year with set up, clean up, and booths. We also need some help with the prep of the German food, potato salad, etc. If you can help, just let me or Henry know.

We have filled some positions in our council. First, Waylon Horn has taken over the duties of Council Activities. Roger Donald and Jason Morland are our new Youth Activities director, but we are still in need of Family, Community, and Pro-Life Directors. If anyone could perform these jobs, we sure could use the help.

#### **CHURCH ACTIVITIES:**

I am in the process of having a meeting with Father Greg, Father McDougal, and Father Tom. These meetings will be with Tom Stoddard and the three men who represent these parishes, and myself. These men, so far, are Ronnie Dahlem for Immaculate Conception, Matt Hutchison for Christ the King, and we need someone for Saint Boniface. We will be letting the churches know that we are here, and willing to help them with anything that we can.

#### **RETENTION COMMITTEE:**

Gary, with help from Kyle DeJaeger and Mike Heathcott, has made great strides in this process by making numerous phone calls and receiving a positive response. Thanks to these three Brothers for their help. They have a very large job and need our prayers.

#### **COMMUNITY:**

I have spoken about helping the Fort Smith Boys and Girls Club with their Haunted House this year. This is a great way to help our community. They will need help on weekend nights through October, and they are aware of our commitment to Oktoberfest. However, we can help the other weekends.

#### **LOOKING AHEAD:**

At our next meeting, we need to stuff envelopes for Oktoberfest. We hope to see every one there. State Convention is also on our minds. We are working on this now, but will need to get very serious after Oktoberfest. Be ready to help!!

Vivat Jesus,  
Robert Collins, GK



## COUNCIL LECTURER DC. GREG PAIR

School is back in session, and our little ones are learning more and more. Not only are they learning about themselves, but about the world around them. Maybe it is time for each of us to take a look at ourselves. Where is our spiritual life at? It is where we want it to be? If not, then I need to get started and make sure it is where I want it to be. Some of the best places to search are within our own parishes. They offer us all kinds of opportunities to better ourselves spiritually. They offer Bible studies, prayer groups, Why Catholic, and many other activities. Check your church bulletin or call your church office to inquire. But, if you feel that you need more, how about Cursillo? This is a group of men and women who come together on a weekly basis to help build each others spirituality in a very informal setting. This is done with your friends on your schedule. If you are interested, see a Brother Knight who has experienced this wonderful weekend, or give me a call at 479-785-7972 or 479-459-3010.

Prayers and Blessings,  
Dc. Greg



## OKTOBERFEST NEWS DANIEL MOORE

We will have our final Oktoberfest meeting on Wednesday, September 8th, in the lounge starting at 7 p.m. This will be held to finalize details. All are encouraged to attend even if you are not running a booth. We will need help with setting up the acres and preparing all of the food for the brat booth.

Raffle tickets will be mailed out after the first meeting. Please see as much as you can.

Hope to see as many members and their families come out as possible!!



## OKTOBERFEST ARTS AND CRAFTS CLYDE CHANEY

**OKTOBERFEST IS CLOSER THAN YOU THINK!!**

We need Arts and Crafters to fill up the lower lot at Oktoberfest. If you know anyone who is in this type of business, please ask them to call Clyde Chaney at 479-461-9482, ASAP, and I will send them an application. We need at least 30 booths to make a good show. Or, please give them the application that is included in this month's bulletin. Thank you for your help!!



## SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS



1st-Michael Chilino, Andy DuBois, Ronnie Polk, John Reith  
 2nd-Jim Fuhrman, Darwin Haudrich  
 3rd-Marty Austin, James O'Hearn  
 4th-Walter Schulterman  
 5th-Gerald Cokely  
 7th-Rev. Jerome Calcagno  
 9th-Fred Goebel, Jr.  
 10th-Jesse Cabalar  
 11th-Charles Guillory  
 12th-Nicholas Gramlich, Patrick Wheeler  
 14th-Robbie Dahlem  
 15th-John Cardenas, James Korkames, Bobbie Milligan  
 16th-Ed Fiori, Gary Hamm  
 17th-Brad Butt  
 18th-Steve Ahlert, Daniel Moore, Dickey Spahn  
 20th-Leon Barwick, Edward Heinrichs  
 21st-Ronnie Dahlem, Shaun Weidman  
 22nd-Hoang Pham, Frank Shaw  
 23rd-Adrian Darter, Robert Moore  
 24th-James Borengasser  
 25th-John Furstenberg  
 26th-John Mackey, Michael Rainer  
 28th-Ed Baker, Johnathan Kerr, James Newman  
 29th-Mark Hampel, Joe Heiss, Randy Schluterman, Leonard Schmitz  
 30th-Mark Kordsmeier

**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, Dick Fuhrman, Doug Taylor, father of Jennifer (Taylor) and Austin Ervin, Bill and Louise Paino, Ben Hines, Betsy Schluterman, Marge Foldvary, Teddy Boyd, Jack Merrywell, Dr. Eric Stein, Robert Ulrich, Sarah Hutchinson, Hilda Spahn, Mary Drake, granddaughter of our former insurance agent Bob Moellers, and David Brooks, who is in the later stages of Huntington's Disease.

For our members that have died and their family members:

Brother Knight John Walter

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.

Editors Note: If you know of anyone who needs to be on one of these lists, please notify the Grand Knight or email at [susandubois@hotmail.com](mailto:susandubois@hotmail.com).



# SEPTEMBER 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Rosary-6:45 Business Mtg. @ 7:30 pm	2	3	4
			Hall Rented		Hall Rented	Hall Rented
5	6 Labor Day- Most kids our of school!	7 Card Night @ 7pm	8 <b>FINAL</b> Oktoberfest Mtg. @ 7pm	9	10	11 Patriot Day
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12	13 Columbus Club Mtg. @ 7:30 pm	14	15 Rosary-6:45 Social Mtg. @ 7:30 pm	16	17 Family Night @ 6pm	18
Acres Rented		Hall Rented	Hall Rented	Hall Rented	Acres Rented	Hall Rented Acres Rented
19 Ladies Aux. Luncheon 1pm	20	21	22 4th Degree Mtg. @ 7:30 pm	23	24	25 Card Toun. @ 7:30pm-Lounge
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26	27	28	29	30		
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Outside Guard	Jerry Spahn
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Trustee	Mark Lux
Trustee	Art Rideout

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**2010-2011 Columbus Club Board of  
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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.*

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