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Grand Knight's Message

Vivat Jesus Brothers,

I have a lot of good news to share so here goes.

A 2nd degree was held at the Columbian Center on Feb 18th for 2 districts. A total of 10 councils were invited and 11 candidates passed the scrutiny of the 2nd degree team. Of the 11 candidates 3 were from this council, the largest group from any council. Congratulations to Mike Zacharias, Lin Diacont and Rick Newcomb upon their 2nd degree.

On Feb 14th there was a Valentines buffet at Peking Restaurant. A total of 54 were able to attend and all I have heard is compliments. Great job Ray Santucci on a job well done.

Next business meeting we will have 5 candidates for 1st degree. Please come to show support for your new brothers. I will be unable to attend this business meeting but am leaving you all in the capable hands of DGK Frank Gerloff (*be easy on him*).

This upcoming St. Patrick's Day has us at **Rare Old Times**. Andy & Cindy Jennings have been so generous to us in the past and are allowing us to collect at the door for **SCAN (Stop-Child-Abuse-Now)**. Half the admittance fee goes to **SCAN** and is our once a year fundraiser for this very worthy cause. Besides being named Friends of the Knights, please stop by **Rare Old Times** and thank them for their support. I try to stop by as often as possible and thank them over a glass of stout.

It looks like spring is around the corner so let us all enjoy this time of rebirth.

Dave DeHetre GK

P.S. I am searching for daycare of the 2 apples of my eye both 1 years old. If interested please contact me.

Deputy Grand Knight's Message

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Compelling Value

Dear Brothers-

My selling profession has challenged me in many ways over the past sixteen years! I know virtually every office product/furniture manufacturer in existence today. Many of these companies have succeeded beyond my expectations because of their internal marketing philosophy called, "Compelling Value." I'm sure this particular phrase has application to possible associations within the company you work for, or you have simply heard this statement in some type of media format?

What does Compelling Value mean and what could it possibly have to do with the Knights of Columbus? First of all, compelling means:

demanding attention and convincing. Value means: **to consider or rate highly.** Do you believe that our council has Compelling Value for you and your family? I certainly hope that you answered in the affirmative and here are a few bullets why:

- You were asked by a Brother Knight to consider joining our council because he felt that you "**rated high**" as a Catholic Gentlemen, and you'd serve God, our council, and family well!
- You may not realize it, but the leadership of our council **values** you as a Brother Knight. We have a multitude of fraternal activities designed to offer you and your family the opportunity to be of service to God, our council, and the worshipping community of Redeemer, Father Jim, and the Mechanicsville community in general. You see, it's through the service to others that we truly answer the call from God to serve others selflessly, You are a Knight of Columbus because of the **attention** a fellow Brother Knight showed to you prior to your first degree. Continue to show your loving attention to God and family. Seek out a candidate from our community and show him the same degree of **attention** to consider joining our council as your sponsoring Brother did for your first degree.
- Lastly, God must rate **highly** in our daily lives. We have been provided with so many wonderful gifts and talents. God wants us to use our gifts and talents, so please continue to stay active in all of our fraternal activities.

Please come to the March business meeting on the 6th @ 7:00. Brother Soniat will have sign-up sheets for all our KOVAR dates in the spring. Our Kovar goal this year is \$4,500.00 and we need the "working support" of every single Brother to attain our goal. I know we can exceed our goal through the collective efforts of all our Brothers and family members.

Brother Mike Bonelli and PGK Tad Stilwell have been working diligently as the coordinators of the State Bowling tournament that will take place at the end of this month here in Mechanicsville. As the host council for this tournament, we must have your assistance to produce this great event. Here again, we will have sign-up sheets at the March 6th meeting for a host activities that will take place during the weekend.

God Speed,
Frank

FRATERNAL

BIRTHDAYS

Andy Davis	3-2
Mike Ritz	3-2
Mike Smith	3-3
Pete Florey	3-4
Bill Taylor	3-8
Ed Ceol	3-10
Bubba Crawford	3-10
Steve Martin	3-11
Ed Cutright	3-21
Mike Williams	3-22
Joe Jones	3-25
Clint Norris	3-26

ANNIVERSARIES

Roy & Barbara Theisen	3-2-1957
Kevin & Theresa Harvey	3-3-1979
Norm & Sheila Gallagher	3-8-1980
Happy 20 th	
Mike & Joann Bonelli	3-12-1977
Bob & Mary Kemmler	3-14-1981
John & Carol Keymont	3-15-80
Happy 20 th	
Bob & Deborah Miller	3-23-89
Tommy & Betty Sties	3-23-91
Andy & Margaret Davis	3-30-85
Happy 15 th	

PLEASE KEEP OUR SICK IN YOUR DAILY PRAYERS SEND A CARD OR GIVE A CALL

Dana Nelson, Lisa Lippa, Grace Cox, Walter Harris, Jack Mc Neice, Jean See, Brother of Dave Wallo, Sister of John Pohida, Daughter of Robert Moran, Dan Baird and the Father in law of Tom Schnurman.

Also remember John & Jane Castelvecci in your prayers. Jane lost her mother suddenly a short time ago.

CHEERS2000

Friday Cheers this year starts May 5 and runs through Sept 1. This is our major fund raiser and we need everyones help. Please be generous with your time.

River City Real Beer Fest this year is May 20 & 21. It is going to be held on Browns Island instead of the Bottoms.

Again this year on Wednesdays we will be needed at the waterfront turning basin, during May and June. More details will be given at our general meeting in March as well as the April newsletter.

Please mark these dates on your calendar..

Thanks for your help.

State Free Throw Competition

Stephanie Keymont, the daughter of fellow council member John Keymont, will represent the council at the state free throw competition. I would like to thank brothers Ray Santucci and John Keymont for their help at the council competition.

March 2000

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Vocations Month	2	3	4
5 1pm Free Throw Finals	6 7:00pm Monthly Meeting	7	8	9	10	11 4th Degree Cent. Ball State Mtg
12	13	14 10am Rosary	15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day Rare Old Times	18
19 St. Joseph's Day	20 7:00pm Directors Meeting	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29 Founder's Day 1882	30	31 Welcome Visiting Bowlers	

April 2000

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 April Fool's Day Squires Month Va. Knights Bowling Tournament
2 Va. Knights Bowling Tournament	3 7:00pm Monthly Meeting	4	5	6 PGK G. Kirk McClure's Birthday	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 7:00pm Directors Meeting	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27 KOVAR	28 KOVAR	29 KOVAR
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Do you have email?

If you have and use email, please let us know. Simply send an email to admin@kofc11042.org and include (1) your real name (sometimes those clever email addresses can be quite confusing) and (2) Yes or no to the question "Would you like to be notified of council information and news via this email address?" I will respond to your email message once I receive it.

And please visit our web site at <http://kofc11042.org>!

Ron Reger, Webmaster

JOIN US

Next Business Meeting
Monday March 6th, 2000



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