



Knights' Notes

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April 2016 Issue

CLUBROOM HOURS

Sunday: Noon-9pm

Monday: 3pm-10pm

Tuesday: 3pm-10pm

Wednesday: 3pm-10pm

Thursday: 3pm-10pm

Friday: 3pm-Midnight

Saturday: 11am-Midnight

Bartenders may stay open later if there is sufficient business.

A REMINDER...

- **Council Meetings**
April 7th & 21st, 7PM
- **The House Finance mtg**
April 7th at 3 PM
- **Ladies Auxiliary mtg**
NO MEETING in April
- **4th Degree meeting**
April 14th 6 PM

HOLD THE DATES

- **Steak Fry**
April 1st

SICK OR IN DISTRESS

- Joann Schenk Neff
- Paul Leary
- Rose Tully

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FOR THE MONTH

HONORING ALL VOLUNTEERS

Blood Drive volunteers

Tinker & Burger crews

Volunteer Bartenders

and Roger & Terry K

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Knights of Columbus

our 4 Principles

Charity

Unity

Fraternity

Patriotism

GK Report

First of all I would like to thank all of the volunteers for March for the Fish Fry's and especially for the work that went into another successful St Patrick's Day. All you volunteers are wonderful. We had a good turn out but we have some corned beef left and we are selling it by the pound, we will freeze it. Call to see if we have any left if you are interested. The Fish Fry's have also had some real good attendances. Thank you all and thanks to the people that came out to eat too. I hope that you noticed the great looking Party Room now that Bedrock Painting / Bernie Wright finished painting and Matt Boylan installed the baseboard and trim that Barry Robinson provided. We also had the floor cleaned and waxed again.

We have a Steak Fry scheduled for Friday April 1st, it is a prepaid event with the last day

to buy tickets is March 26th, if it works out well we may try it again on the First Fridays of the month. I APPRECIATE EVERYTHING EVERYBODY DOES TO MAKE THIS COUNCIL BETTER.

Election of new officers is coming up soon. Now is the time to step up and speak up. We need to see new and young blood step up and be part of the running of this council. Not that there is anything wrong with the existing officers, but we always need new ideas. Consider stepping up to a Leadership role.

This is the beginning of Spring, hopefully we will see some new faces coming to the council and to the club. Volunteers are continually needed to help with various tasks inside and outside. Thank you, Steve

\$ DUES \$

Your 2016 dues were due by Jan 30th. leave the middle as but then the sentence after the sentence in red. please change it to say. We waited longer but we have sent the 2nd Notice if you had not paid by the end of February, PLEASE PAY your dues now. Thank you.

The Steak Fry is April 1st

10 Oz, Ribeye,

Bkd Potato,

Garden Salad,

?Texas Toast

Must buy tickets

in ADVANCE

before March 26th, \$12

Tim Kernes cooking

NEWSLETTER;

We are looking for a volunteer to take over writing copy and putting together this newsletter. Use template and input from several people and tell the printer where to put the copy. Please call Dennis at 309-825-2589 if you might be interested for more information.

Ladies Auxiliary News

The Ladies Auxiliary has no meeting in April.

THANKS to Bernie Wright and his company, Bedrock Painting, we have a nicer party room, with it being repainted and the vinyl baseboard being replaced with a wood base board. Thanks to Matt Boylan for installing it and to Barry Robinson for supplying it. Thanks to all of you.



Fish Fry

We want to thank you all for the great support we have had at the Lenten Fish Frys. Please let us know your thoughts about them or anything. We try to do things that you want and we always want to hear about your ideas, likes and dislikes. Thank you

First Degree

We are planning on hosting a First Degree induction ceremony at the club, Tuesday evening, April 12th at 7PM. Applicants with completed application should arrive by 6:45PM.

Nominations

It is time for nominations of officers for the coming year, 2016-2017. Please consider nominating some one or running for an office.

St Patrick's Day

Thank you all for such great support of our St Patrick's events, We served approximately 117 sandwiches and approx. 296 dinners. All of our costs will be calculated and then the club paid for the expenses and the council will then see the results. In a week or so I will be able to give a better answer. You need to remember that the club pays the bills, not just for food and beverages but for electricity, heat, water, supplies, telephone and TV, etc but also the Insurance, the real estate taxes, sales tax, liquor licenses, in other words everything. The council pays for meal costs they prepare and serve. The club also pays the mortgage and we are paying it down faster than the repayment terms.

BLOOD DRIVE

our next drive will be May 9th. 1:30 till 5:45 at the Club
THANK YOU for the support you have been giving us. We encourage you to consider donating if you have not been.



CLUB DRINK SPECIALS
 Monday \$2 Bottles
 Tuesday \$1 off of Mixed Drinks
 Wednesday \$10 Bud Family Buckets
 Thursday \$2 Bottles
 Friday \$10 Bud Family Buckets
 Saturday \$3 Bloody Mary's
 Sunday \$1.50 Bud & Bud Lite Draft Pints
 - or \$3.00 Import Draft Pints

Burgers

We have come to that point where the increase in the cost of Ground Beef has meant that we are losing money on each burger. So we will have to increase the price of a burger by .50 cents, back to what we used to charge. In addition, numbers of people have been ordering their burger and a glass of water. When other items are purchased it helps us to spread our costs. We have to pay for the glass as well as the water. What options do we have? Charge for water to pay for the glass? When a group of 8 comes in and orders burgers and 8 glasses of water, what do we do? We do have bottled water at a \$1.00

May

4th Wefer's
 11th O'Driscoll
 18th Braucht
 25th Jan Fries

June

1st Officers
 8th Doyle
 15th Cooking Cuties
 22 Tim Leary
 29 Mike Buttitta

The whole list is posted and available at the club.



Movie "Knight" "Animal House"

IT'S A TOGA PARTY

**Friday, April 15th, 2016 at 7 PM
 at the Club on the Big Screen
 Some Snacks provided, Please bring a Snack or heavy appetizer to share
 Enjoy an evening of laughs and fellowship**



CELL PHONE cords; if you have extra cell phone chargers/ cords, you might consider bringing it to the club, we occasionally get a patron that would like to charge their phone while at the club.

FOOD, CLOTHING and hygiene products. We want to Thank those that have contributed to the St Vincent de Paul collection box and we will be continuing to collect Non-Perishable food items and gently used clean clothing and shoes. As well as Hygiene products. Thank You

Knights of Columbus

Our Catholic faith teaches us to; Love thy Neighbor as thyself." Members of the Knights of Columbus can show love for their neighbors in various ways. Food donations to Our Food box at the club, by volunteering for Special Olympics or other help events. There is no better way to feel love and compassion than by helping others in need. Bob Wefer

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>We would like to publish Tinker menus in the newsletter. Tinker Meal cooking captains please contact Roger or Dennis BY THE 15TH OF THE MONTH BEFORE YOU ARE TO COOK, so we can publish your menu. Thank you.</p> <p><i>*Happy Birthday!</i></p>			<p>30 Tinkers Meal Tim Leary <i>Pork Chop sandwich, fries & slaw</i> <i>*Stephen Sweeney</i></p>	<p>31</p>	<p>Apr. 1 April Fool's Day Steak Fry No at the Door Sales <i>*Leo Carroll</i> <i>*Everett Kuntz</i> <i>*Robert Weber</i></p>	<p>2 11:30 Burgers & Hot Dogs Weis</p>
<p>3</p>	<p>4 <i>*Richard Kuchefski</i></p>	<p>5 5:30 Chicken Dinner 7:00 Line Dancing Women's Health Night @ ISU</p>	<p>6 Tinkers Meal Mike Buttitta <i>Italian Breaded Ckn a-la-Dom /Pasta, Sld, G Bread</i> <i>*John Power</i> <i>*Joshua Longman</i></p>	<p>7 3:00 House Finance 7:00 Council Meeting <i>*Charles Finlen</i> <i>*Richard Lamb</i></p>	<p>8 <i>*Ted Mc Naney</i></p>	<p>9 11:30 Burgers & Hot Dogs Forks & a Spoon <i>*Glenn Weidig</i></p>
<p>10</p>	<p>11 <i>*Randolph Zarecki</i> <i>*Lee Doyle</i> <i>*Leo Ensenberger</i></p>	<p>12 5:30 Chicken Dinner 7:00 Line Dancing First Degree initiation @ 574 <i>*Daniel Miller</i> <i>*Larry Mulcahey</i></p>	<p>13 Tinkers Meal Weis <i>Fish Tacos</i> <i>*Russell Benjamin</i></p>	<p>14 6:00 4th Degree Meeting</p>	<p>15 <i>*Robert Shipley</i></p>	<p>16 11:30 Burgers & Hot Dogs Kernes</p>
<p>17 <i>*William Slingsby</i> <i>*Charles Stevens</i></p>	<p>18</p>	<p>19 5:30 Chicken Dinner 7:00 Line Dancing <i>*Ralph Dinges</i> <i>*Deo Kiwanuka</i></p>	<p>20 Tinkers Meal Teri <i>Tenderloin sandwiches</i> <i>*Charles Cresci</i></p>	<p>21 7:00 Council Mtg <i>*Marty Haas</i></p>	<p>22 <i>*William Davis</i> <i>*James Dee</i></p>	<p>23 11:30 Burgers & Hot Dogs Bramley</p>
<p>24</p>	<p>25 <i>*William Cunningham</i> <i>*Joseph Luber</i></p>	<p>26 5:30 Chicken Dinner 7:00 Line Dancing <i>*John Roszkowski</i></p>	<p>27 Tinkers Meal Cutie Pies <i>Swiss steak, mshed potato? veggie & pie</i> <i>*Edward Ensminger</i> <i>*John Spencer</i></p>	<p>29</p>	<p>29 <i>*James Mikel</i></p>	<p>30 11:30 Burgers & Hot Dogs Noonan</p>
<p>May 1</p>	<p>2</p>	<p>3 5:30 Chicken Dinner 7:00 Line Dancing</p>	<p>4 Tinkers Meal Wefer <i>Chop Suey, etc.</i></p>	<p>5 House Finance Council Meeting Ladies Auxiliary mtg</p>	<p>6</p>	<p>7 11:30 Burgers & Hot Dogs O'Driscoll</p>

News & Upcoming Events

- **WOMEN'S Health night**, April 5th, but not just for Women, Men are also invited, at ISU, Bone Center, Brown Ballroom, I believe 3PM till 7 PM
- **House Finance** meeting April 7th at 3 PM
- **The Council** meetings will be April 7th and 21st, both at 7 PM
- **Ladies Auxiliary** has **NO MEETING** in April
- **4th Degree Social & Meeting** 6PM at **Bandana's**.
- **Movie Night** Friday, April 15th, Please note a different day / date, This will also be a Party night, TOGA PARTY
- **At the March 3rd meeting** the winning name drawn was Mark Kraft, not present so \$208 carries over to next mtg
- **Look for your name somewhere in this newsletter to win a free Tinker's meal. The winning paid up council member name will appear in an out-of-place location. Read your Knight's Notes; look for your name; win a free Tinker's meal.**



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