



# Knights' Notes

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## November 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...

- Oct 28th, **Adult Halloween** @ club
- Oct 31st, **Halloween**
- Nov 1st, **last day Stk Fry tkts**
- Nov 3rd, **5PM House/Fin mtg**
- Nov 3rd & 17th **Council mtg 6 PM**
- Nov 3rd, **Ladies Auxil mtg 6 PM**
- Nov 4th, **Stk Fry**
- Nov 9th, **AED/CPR training**
- Nov 10th, **4th Degree mtg, 6PM**
- Nov 11th, **Veteran's Day, Spaghetti**
- Nov 21st, **Voc Raffle money turned in**
- Dec 6th, **last date to sign up for Children's Xmas Party**
- Dec 10th, **Children's Christmas Party**

### HOLD THE DATES

- Oct 28th, **Adult Halloween** Costume Party
- Nov 8th, **VOTE**
- Nov 11th, **Spaghetti Supper**
- Nov 14th, **Blood Drive**
- Nov 16th, **Thanksgiving Tinker's Meal**
- Nov 21st, **Vocation Raffle \$ turned in**
- Nov 23rd, **NO Tinkers meal**
- Nov 24th, **Thanksgiving**

### SICK OR IN DISTRESS

- Fr Greg Ketchum, he is back at work!
- Lee Doyle
- Bob Sengpiel
- John Sciutto
- Ted McNaney
- Steve Sweeney

### IN GOD'S CARE

- John Dehorty, 8/28/16 his DOD was to late for Sept news

### FOR THE MONTH

HONORING ALL VOLUNTEERS

Blood Drive volunteers

Tinker & Burger crews

Volunteer Bartenders

and Roger & Terry K

## GK Report

Dear friends and Family of the Knights of Columbus

I would like to thank all of the burger crews and the tinker meal crews that volunteered their time to help the Knights of Columbus. It is greatly appreciated and we are looking for more people to help by starting their own crew or putting their name on the fill in list. If you have 3 to 5 friends or family members its a great way to get together every other month, have fun with the people on your team and help the club.

I would like to congratulate Mike O'Driscoll and Deb, Matt Boylan and Jamie, for (to my knowledge) breaking the record of \$300.00 in burgers and fries on a Saturday. I would also like to thank Doyle and Teri Tjaden, Jim Smith, Terry Kieswetter and everyone for all the help with the garage sale. Also thank you to all of our members that donated their items so the garage sale could be the success it was. Thank you to Steve Scudder for organizing the ISU tailgate that was another great success and good time. Thank you to Mike and Tina Weis for another fun movie night on Thursday.

November 4th is the next Steak Fry. Tickets can be purchased at the club before

the 2nd of November. We will be selling tickets for the Ladies auxiliary basket and 50/50 drawings that night as well. I am very excited to announce our new Facebook page. It is "Next to Nights". There were so many other pages out there I decided to start this page so it would be our own, and easy to find once we get the word out. It will have all the social activities listed on it as well as cheese burgers, chicken dinners, tinkers meals or anything I forgot to put in my report. This way we can stay up to date and help our members and new members by using social media to get the word out. Please like and share "Next to Nights" and I would love any and all feedback on our new page.

I wish everyone safe travels to you and your loved ones as we are traveling to get together to celebrate Thanksgiving. I am very thankful for each and every member of the Knights of Columbus for all that you do for me and the club as well. Happy Thanksgiving. Thank you for taking your time to read this report and I look forward to seeing you at the club. May these notes find you healthy and happy, and may God bless us all.

Sincerely your Grand Knight  
Tony

## Tootsie Roll Drive Update

The Tootsie Roll Drive was successful BUT I had really hoped for much more K of C member support. We had 18 K of C people, 10 of them were ladies; wives, girl friends, sister, daughters, ONLY 8 K of C members. We can and need to do much better. The total dollars raised is \$9968.54, this amount keeps dropping each year, with more K of C members volunteering we can do a lot better. **THANKS AGAIN TO all of our volunteers. Dennis**

**Adult Costume Party;** We have not had one for several years so we want to have one again. Bring your friends, we encourage wearing a costume, have some fun. After 7 PM. Oct 28th.

## CPR / AED Device Training

we have 6 members who have said they will participate in an approx, 1 1/2 hour training class. we have set Nov 9th at 6:30 at the club for training. Please let Dennis know that you would also like to take the class, we really want 12 attendees. LEARN how to, maybe save the life of a loved one. YOU can learn this and make a difference to someone. **FREE, 309-825-2589**

### Ladies Auxiliary News

Ladies Auxiliary News Ladies will meet at the club Nov 3rd at 6 PM for our next meeting, We hope you will attend. Thank you, Teri

### Spaghetti Supper



Veteran's Day, Friday Nov 11th  
We will have Salad, and Garlic Bread and Spaghetti. Please come and enjoy dinner with friends, bring anyone, you would like, OPEN to the Public. served by the 4th Degree \$7 Adult \$3 Children under 12 5:30 till 6:30 or we run out.

### Thanksgiving Dinner

Nov 16th, Wednesday  
5:30 till 6:30  
Appetizers, Relish tray, Turkey, dressing, Mash Potato, Cranberry, Jello salad, breads, Desert .



### Steak Fry

Hopefully, you all have your tickets to the Steak Fry, Friday Nov 4th.

### 5th Sunday Rosary,

We have a 5th Sunday again this month. Oct 30th we will say the Rosary again, and as we forgot to discuss this at our council meetings and the newsletter will go out before we meet again, I am saying that we will do this again at St Mary's, after the 9:00 Mass again. In the chapel 5 to 7 minutes after mass is over. Thanks

### BLOOD DRIVE

The Blood Drive will be Nov 14th from 1:30 until the last appointment at 5:45. PLEASE make an appointment even if you may arrive at a different time. The number of Red Cross workers is determined by the number of people that are coming. So, please try to give us a time so we have enough workers to keep the donor line moving. Thanks, Dennis

### Children's Christmas Party

be sure to sign your children up by Dec 6th at the club for the party. We need to know the number of guests to have the right number of gifts for SANTA to give out. 2 PM Dec 10th

"If it were not for a former seminarian, Fr. Michael J. McGivney – We the Knights of Columbus would not be the organization we are today."

V O C A T I O N	1000	K of C Charities Inc Benefit for ILL Vocations Support Program  1ST PRIZE \$10,000 2ND PRIZE \$2,500 ADDITIONAL PRIZE \$1,000 THRU \$100 VOCATIONS SUPPORT PROGRAM Annual Fundraiser December 2, 2016	R A F F L E
	Name:		
	Address:		
	Phone:		

WINNER NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN

Raffle tickets for the State Council Vocations Support Program were available starting Sept 5th AT THE CLUB. IF YOU HAVE not picked yours up please do so. PLEASE support your council and this program. A book of tickets costs \$15.00. \$6 goes to the State Council to cover prizes and costs and Financial Support to each Illinois Seminarian attending a major seminary. **\$9 of each book remains with our Council to support a local seminarian of the Peoria Diocese.** Our goal is to provide at least one \$500.00 stipend to a seminarian.

Raffle books must be returned to the clubrooms by Monday, November 21st so they can be forward to the State Council Office for inclusion in the drawing on December 2nd, 2016. **If you live out of town send your \$15 check and 15 return labels and we will apply to your tickets for you.**

**Dec**  
7th Cooking Cuties  
14th Kernes  
21st Tim Leary  
28th Officers

We are in the process of building a new list, please come confirm your dates for 2017, Thank you

The whole list is posted and available at the club. Captains please advise Dennis of your menu before the 17th of the previous month to be in news.

### Movie "Knight" "Oh Brother, Where Art Thou"

a star packed funny show  
Nov 10th, 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

### 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

**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. We have started over with our drive for the fiscal year July 1st through June 30th, 2017. Please help us build our poundage of donated items for the new fiscal year. **170 lbs** since July 1st, Thank you. Jim Spachman

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	1 <b>Last Day to buy Stk Fry tkts</b> 5:30 Chicken Dinner <i>*Lawrence Wittenborn</i> <i>*Anthony Witte</i>	2 <b>Tinkers Meal</b> Kernes <i>A two Sausage plate w/ 2 sides &amp; Dessert</i>	3 5 PM H/F mtg. 6 PM Ladies Auxil. mtg 6 PM Council Mtg	4 <b>Steak Fry</b> <i>*Daniel Kerber</i> <i>*Rob Baughman</i>	5 11:30 Burgers & Hot Dogs Mulcahey
6 <i>*Donald Coffey</i>	7 <i>*Robert Wefer</i>	8 5:30 Chicken Dinner	9 AED/CPR Training <b>Tinkers Meal</b> Officers <i>Menu to come</i>	10 6:30 4th Degree Movie Knight 7PM	11 <b>Veteran's Day</b> <b>Spaghetti Supper</b> <i>*Richard Carroll</i>	12 11:30 Burgers & Hot Dogs Killian <i>*Herbert Jordine</i>
13 <i>*Dennis Fries</i> <i>*Richard Novak</i>	14 <b>BLOOD DRIVE</b> <b>Donate &amp; Save a Life</b>	15 5:30 Chicken Dinner <i>*Kevin Kinsella</i> <i>*Michael Ficek</i> <i>*Eric French</i>	16 <b>Tinkers Meal</b> Jan Fries <i>Thksgvg Dinner</i> <i>*Thomas Hilton</i> <i>*George Tilton</i>	17 6:00 Council mtg <i>*Robert Brady</i>	18 <i>*Michael Nelson</i>	19 11:30 Burgers & Hot Dogs to come
20 <i>*John Penn</i> <i>*Stephen Horton</i>	21 <i>*Richard Ott</i>	22 5:30 Chicken Dinner <i>*David Brockmann</i>	23 <b>NO Tinkers Meal</b> <i>*Emeka Nnakwe</i>	24 <b>Thanksgiving</b>	25 <i>*Steve Whalen</i>	26 11:30 Burgers & Hot Dogs Weis
27 <i>*Gregory Rackauskas</i>	28	29 5:30 Chicken Dinner <i>*James Horton</i> <i>*Gene Cwick</i>	30 <b>Tinkers Meal</b> Doyle <i>Ham, Scalloped Potatoe, Salad, Grn Bns, Roll, Dessert</i> <i>*Jeffrey Knauf</i>	Dec. 1	2	3 11:30 Burgers & Hot Dogs Bramley
4	5	6 5:30 Chicken Dinner	7 <b>Tinkers Meal</b> Cooking Cuties <i>Mini meatloaf, M. Potato, Grn Bns, Roll, Dessert</i>	<p><b>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.</b></p> <p><b>Thank you.</b></p> <p><i>*Happy Birthday!</i></p>		

## News & Upcoming Events

- At the Oct 6th mtg, the name Dr. Anthony Pecora was drawn and at the Oct 20th mtg the name Dennis Fries was drawn. Only Dennis was present and won. So we start over building the \$ pot.
- **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.**

### T V Raffle

The K of C is a member of F.O.C. which is the Fraternal Order of Clubs. We meet once a month to help each other out. And to try to make sure we do not step on each others efforts. The FOC will be raffling off a 43" flat screen TV on Nov 13th. Tickets are on sale at the member clubs now. \$3 for one, 2 for \$5 or 5 for \$10. Proceeds will be given to local charities before Christmas. Thanks

Entering the Holiday Season it's not to early, To Pray for Peace and to Remember our loved ones, family and friends. THEN, STOP and look at how well off we are compared to most of the rest of the World. And MAYBE, we can each be a little nicer to others, to smile more at others, be friendlier to everyone and maybe a little more generous to those in need !



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**Please Keep Our Grounds Clean, Put Cigarette butts in the proper containers. Come to your club and see what you can do to help. Water the flowers, weed or pick up trash**

Tell them you saw their ad in the K of C newsletter.

If you would like to have an image of your business card displayed in this newsletter, please email Dennis: [jfdf143@gmail.com](mailto:jfdf143@gmail.com)

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