



Knights' Notes

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November 2019 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...

- Nov 7th, Ladies Auxil mtg. 6 PM
- Nov 7th, Council mtg. 6 PM
- Nov 7th, BCHA mtg. 7 PM
- Nov 11th, **Blood Drive** 1:15-5:45
- Nov 11th, Veteran's Day
- Nov 14th, 4th Degree mtg. 6 PM
- Nov 20th, Thanksgiving Tinkers, 5:30PM (Reservations req'd)
- Nov 21st, Council mtg. 6 PM
- Nov 28th, Thanksgiving, **Club Closed**
- Nov 29th, Vocation Raffle **deadline**

HOLD THE DATES

- Dec 18th, Tinker's Meal

SICK OR IN DISTRESS

Joe Fries

IN GOD'S CARE

Fr. Deo Gratias, no info yet
Kevin Buenerkemper, Oct 6th

FOR THE MONTH

HONORING ALL VOLUNTEERS

Blood Drive volunteers
Tinker & Burger crews
Volunteer Bartenders
and Terry K

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newsletter as well as other info, or
visit our Facebook page;

Next to Knights

Club Ph; 309-828-9671

generally after 2 PM

GK Report

It's November and things are on pace! Hope you had a chance to enjoy some fun at YOUR Club in October!

First of all we had our successful Octoberfest on the 12th. Although there were skeptics this turned out to be a good and profitable event! We served near 70 people, tripled the usual bar sales for a Saturday and food was profitable! Thanks to all that attended and for all the volunteers that helped! What a great night! Special thanks to Ron, Steve and the Ladies Auxiliary for the help and support! We should try and have an event like this each quarter.

Next we had another 'special' Tinker's Meal Cooked by Steve, Kyle and Crew: a 'Breakfast at Dinner' Special that was well received and more profitable than most of our weekly dinners! The crew has been asked to repeat this again and have offered to do it in February, third Wednesday as usual. Thank you to this crew!

In November we will have our Annual Thanksgiving Dinner! Please let the bartender know if you are planning to attend as we would like to have an estimate of head count. No need to prepay if you can't, but let us know how much to prepare. Thank you! Please see more info in this newsletter.

I appreciate all the support we have received this term and hope it continues, also an early invitation to those members that are interested in becoming an Officer and joining a great Fraternal organization as a Leader! If you're interested please contact me or another Officer.

We will be putting together Burger crew assignment for next year soon, if you have preferences, want to have or join a crew or suggestions please let me know.

I am grateful for the support I have received and I hope I can count on this continuing in an effort to make us the best Council in the world! Thanks again!

49th Annual Knight's Tootsie Roll Drive

An UPDATE to last months report, In going through all of the sign up sheets, or at least the names that got put on the sheets that I now have, I SEE a few names of club associated names that I missed. So, Thank you to these volunteers. Jim & Kaite Carstens and daughters Lindsey and Callie, John Kerrick, Tony and Diane Witte, Don & Mary Margaret McHugh, and non K of C friends, Annie Ventura, Tom and Rose Grampp and Jennifer and Loella Aurora and Katie Clothier. Apology for missing these volunteer names the first time. Thanks, Dennis

OCTOBER FEST

October 12th, Saturday

This was a great event and we have many people asking for us to do this again next year. It was successful on the food side and the bar side, While Jan and I were there we noticed that the band played some great tunes, but most of the people were not in the same room as the band, (maybe our 7 and 6 others) I wonder how the band felt? Maybe people came in later from the bar, I certainly hope so.

Ladies Auxiliary News

The Ladies would like to thank everyone who came to our FIRST October Fest! Thank you to everyone who volunteered their time. Pat Burns won the raffled Basket. The Ladies will be raffling off a Christmas Wreath, hand made and donated by Kristi's Mom plus 4 different \$25 gift certificates from Merle Norman. See the Bartender for details. The Ladies will have their meeting, Thursday Nov 7th, 6 PM. Walter Kraft



BLOOD DRIVE

The November Blood Drive will be Nov 11th. We will start at 1:15 with the last appointments at 5:45. Please put this on your calendar and plan to come donate. Reservations are helpful, that is how the number of Blood workers are determined. You can call the Red Cross at 309-662-0500 to make an appt. Please, if you tend to run a LOW IRON Count, please try to boost that number by eating or drinking foods that will raise your Iron count. Thank You. I really need to have some fresh volunteers, I need 2 or 3 volunteers to take an hour and make phone calls. Please contact Dennis Fries, 309-825-2589, THANK YOU

REMEMBER TO

SUPPORT YOUR

COUNCIL & ITS ACTIVITIES

Vocation Raffle

As we have said VOCATION RAFFLE Tickets are available at the club, if you have not received any or you have not paid for your book yet please either get a book at the club or PAY SOON for the books you have. THANK YOU, this is a raffle that our club wins because we get a share of the ticket money for books sold. And this is how we fund our Support a Seminarian, that we do twice a year. So, PLEASE Support this Raffle and buy a book or two. Money and ticket stubs must be turned in by or before Nov 29th..

Reach out and ask someone to join the K of C!

Tinkers Meals

October through February we will have Tinker's Meals on the THIRD Wednesday of each month. Please make note of this change for the next few months. That is when the cooks are available. except for Thanksgiving it is traditional that we do it on the Wednesday of the week before Thanksgiving. Thank you for your understanding.



THANKSGIVING DINNER

WE will be serving a Traditional Thanksgiving Dinner on Nov 20th for the Tinkers Meal, starting serving at 5:30, YOU MUST have a Reservation. Call the Bar to do so. We do not want to run out of food nor have a lot left over and wasted. So, please call and let us know your name and the number in your party. Thank you. Relish tray, cheese dip and crackers, Special Breads, Turkey, dressing, mashed potato, cranberry, dessert. \$10 per person, \$5 Child.

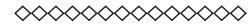
Newsletter Editor Wanted

We **STILL NEED** someone to take over putting this newsletter together monthly. It is not difficult and starting help is available. Call Dennis at 309-825-2589 This need has been advertised for almost a year, and as I will be retiring soon, we will need such person soon. Dennis

Tinker Meal Crews

November 20th

The cooks will be O'D and Steve Montgomery and the menu will be the traditional Thanksgiving Dinner again.

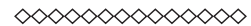


Please come and support Tinkers meals. Please realize that it takes about 35 meals paid for just to cover the cost of the food and prep. So, lets make it worth it and have a good turn out. Thanks



December 18th

the crew will be; **TO COME** and the menu is also; **TO COME**



Cooking Crew leader please advise Dennis by the 15th of the month with what you will cook on your Wednesday next month. Thanks.

Please Pay Your Dues

Dues are due January 1st, 2019,

Dues Notices have been sent / mailed out to members at least 4 times. If you have not paid you have probably been notified of of being dropped as a member if you do not contact Mike right away. We do not want to lose any members, so please take steps to pay your dues.

Thank you

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Wednesday \$10 Bud Family Buckets
Friday \$10 Bud Family Buckets
Saturday \$3 Bloody Mary's

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Oct 27	28	29 5:30 CHICKEN DINNER	30 NO TINKERS MEAL	31	Nov 1 Happy Hour <i>*Anthony Witte</i>	2 11:30 - 1:30 Burgers & Corn Dogs Doyle
3	4 <i>*Daniel Kerber</i>	5 5:30 CHICKEN DINNER	6 NO TINKERS MEAL	7 Council mtg 6 PM Ladies Auxil mtg 6 PM BCHA mtg 7 PM <i>*Robert Wefer</i>	8 Happy Hour	9 11:30 - 1:30 Burgers & Corn Dogs Kyle & OD
10	11 <i>*Richard Carroll</i>	12 5:30 CHICKEN DINNER <i>*Herbert Jordine</i>	13 NO TINKERS MEAL <i>*Dennis Fries</i>	14 4th Degree mtg 6 PM	15 Happy Hour <i>*Michael Ficek</i> <i>*Eric French</i>	16 11:30 - 1:30 Burgers & Corn Dogs Mulcahey Tenderloins by Mike Boylan <i>*Thomas Hilton</i> <i>*George Tilton</i>
17 <i>*Robert Brady</i>	18 <i>*Michael Nelson</i>	19 5:30 CHICKEN DINNER	20 TINKER MEAL O'D and Steve Montgomery Traditional Thanksgiving Dinner <i>*Stephen Horton</i> <i>*John Penn</i>	21 Council mtg 6 PM <i>*Richard Ott</i>	22 Happy Hour <i>*David Brockmann</i>	23 11:30 - 1:30 Burgers & Corn Dogs, Steve Montgomery <i>*Emeka Nnakwe</i>
24	25	26 5:30 CHICKEN DINNER <i>*William Adams</i> <i>*Carol Yeazle</i>	27 NO TINKER MEAL <i>*Gregory Rackauskas</i>	28 Thanksgiving Holiday Club Closed	29 Happy Hour <i>*James Horton</i>	30 11:30 - 1:30 Burgers & Corn Dogs Noonan <i>*Jeffrey Knauf</i>
Dec 1	2	3 5:30 CHICKEN DINNER	4 NO TINKER MEAL	We would like to publish Tinker menus in the newsletter. Tinker Meal cooking captains please contact Dennis by the 15th of the month before you are to cook, so we can publish your menu. Thank you. <i>*Happy Birthday!</i>		

"Fill us at daybreak with YOUR love, that all our days we may sing for Joy." Psalm 90:14

'Do not believe all that you hear from the mouths of protesters and quoted by the media" anonymous

News & Upcoming Events

- Council meeting of Oct 3rd the winning name drawn was; Steve J Haas, Not Present and at the Oct 17th council meeting the name drawn was; David Stanczak, also Not Present, so the pot of \$217 rolls over to the next meeting on Nov 7th.
- 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.
- Please refer to the page one REMINDERS and HOLD THE DATES for things that we might be reminding you of. Thanks



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