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Maryhill Council 6024 Knights of Columbus

*The little Council with
the Big Heart*

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October is the
Month of the
Rosary

- ◆ Halloween Party
October 28, 11:00am
to 1:30pm
- ◆ November 11, 10:00
am till 2:00 pm
brunch following the
Remembrance Day
Services at Church
- ◆ Vegas Night Novem-
ber 17

The Knightly Informer

Vegas Night November 17

Over the last 45 years we have been running a big wheel event to give away prizes and money on the spin of the wheel. This charity event has produced hundreds of thousands of dollars in charity donations and we have people who have attended regularly for many years. We

moved this event to the Bridgeport Rod and Gun near Maryhill when we sold our hall as it is too big an event to fit in the community centre. For the past 15 years Mike Runstedler and family have been running this event brilliantly. See page 7 of this Informer for a list of donations

since 2011. Come out to see why people like this event so much. Watch for the Valpak flyer in the mail for your \$5 voucher for funny money to spend at the event.

Council Executive for 2018

Chaplain	Fr. Ron Voisin	Advocate	Mark Braun
Grand Knight	Tim Vegh	Inside Guard	Stephen Kuntz
Past Grand Knight	George Isley	Outside Guard	Vincent Harris
Financial Sec.	Tim Runstedler	Informer	Gerry Goetz, Tim Vegh
Deputy G K	Open	For the Sick	Gerry Goetz
Chancellor	Gary Embro	Lecturer	Tim Runstedler
Trustees	Peter Tillich jr. (1yr)	Pro-Life	Gerry Goetz
	Jim Kahue(2yr)	Programme Director	Open
	Open (3yr)		
Recorder	Tom Runstedler		
Treasurer	Paul Goetz		
Warden	Doug Zinger		



Tim Vegh

Grand Knight's Message

Just when I think we are running our few executive Council members to the max they surprise me. The Golf tournament which has been a good success for the last few year was better this year and we were able to give the hospice of Lisaard house/Innisfree house \$5000 or two full days of operating costs. Great Job Tom Runstedler and all those who helped out or participated in the event.

Our School BBQ for meet the teachers night was a good success with over 300 meals served of hotdogs and hamburgers. This is an annual event that allows the Teachers to have an evening to meet the Parents without having to worry about organizing food or cleanup.

Our District number has been changed to number 118 as we are now joined with the two councils in Waterloo, the old Council 5135 and the one recently formed by DD Tim Runstedler Waterloo University Council 16859 and the Elmira council 8192. This rearrangement will not affect us and we still have Br. Tim Runstedler as the District Deputy but it reduces the number of councils he was responsible for from 6 to 4.

I know the following looks like a listing in the Jobs section of the newspaper but understand that our Council is growing short of leaders and remember that all of these positions will be supported by all of us and perhaps wives and family as well.

The Vegas night is well in hand for November but the kid's Christmas party a few weeks later is still without a chairman. Woolwich township has promised physical help and some food for the event and the CWL have also volunteered but we need a leader of the event. Please consider running this event.

We are looking for a Committee chairman for the long running program of Basketball Free Throw. This is a great community building event to expose young people to the work of the Knights. Brother Gary Embro has been running this for the last few years and has passed the torch. Please consider taking on this little event; there are many people who will help if we have a leader.

We are also looking for a person to head up the Car Show in June. Brother Doug has given notice after ten years of successful shows and he is willing to train anyone

who wants to volunteer. Please do not let this wonderful community event die for lack of leadership.

Supreme is hopeful the old Programme Directors position will have more prominence. This Job oversees the various events and coordinates the resources of the council. Please consider putting your name forward for this appointed job.

And lastly but not without importance we are looking for a Deputy Grand Knight to help run the council when I cannot, and to eventually take the position of Grand Knight. There has never been a better time to be a Grand Knight as we have three Past Grand Knights who are active in the council and will train you. I know it looks like a tough position but you might surprise yourself with your abilities.

Your Council needs you. The pace of life has ever grown and we all struggle to find time. Consider what the priorities of your life are and see if you can rearrange some of those priorities to include giving your time to the Knights. I know parents with young kids are struggling to meet time commitments but what example are you showing them in not volunteering?

Tim Vegh Grand Knight

We are still looking for a Deputy Grand Knight, Trustee, and a Programme Director

The kids basketball free throw contest, and the Car Show need leaders from our council or the events might not run

In Memoriam

Please pray for Phyllis Haley (Bruder) mother of brother John who passed away August 22, 2018, wife of the late Herb Bruder. Also for Br. Cyril (Pat) Zinger father of Br. Doug and Son in Law Br. Danny Strickler, Grandfather to Br. Dwight and Joe of our council. He passed

away Sept 23, 2018.
"Do not let the past disturb you. Just leave everything in the Sacred Heart and begin again with joy"
St. Theresa of Calcutta



Pro Life

Forty days for Life starts September 26, and runs until November 4. Try to Pray one hour at the Vigil site between 7:00am and 7:00pm on King street across from Freeport Hospital. It is helpful for the committee to sign you up

so they are not forced to put some one in as a replacement.
The opening Rally for 40 days will be Wednesday October 3 at 7:00 St. Agnes Parish 75 Bluevale Rd N. Waterloo
The KW Life Chain is September 30 from

2:00 to 3:00 pm in front of the Kitchener City Hall. This a memorial day for babies lost to abortion.

Come to the Halloween Party for Kids
12 and under, October 28, from 11:00 to 1:30 pm for fun, crafts, and games.
It will be held at the Maryhill Heritage Community Centre.
There is food available to be purchased and there is no admission.



Cards At the Community Centre

The Card Party begins Wednesday Oct 3, 2018 and continues each Wednesday until April. It is held at the Maryhill Heritage

Park Community Centre 58 St. Charles St. East. Maryhill. The Games are euchre or solo and for more information call

Paul Kraemer
519-648-2568 or
Mike Weber
519-648-3061





The 2018 Golf Tourney

Well it was another year with another great success. On Aug 18 the Maryhill Knights put on the 7th annual tournament at Grand Valley Golf Course. Despite the 3am thunderstorm that day, by 7am the sun was out and we had a beautiful day on the course. We had our largest turn out with 60 golfers and raised \$5000.00 for the Lisaard House Hospice. It was a fun day of laughs, playing around all the water, good food, and prizes. We had a large amount of sponsors for the holes and the prizes. A lot of people came together with many generous donations to make this a successful event. Please take note at the hole and prize sponsors listed as these generous places should be recognized for their contributions. Without them, and the help of all the volunteers, this event wouldn't be what it is. We look forward to doing it again next year, and hope to keep growing this event. Thank you to all who supported this event.

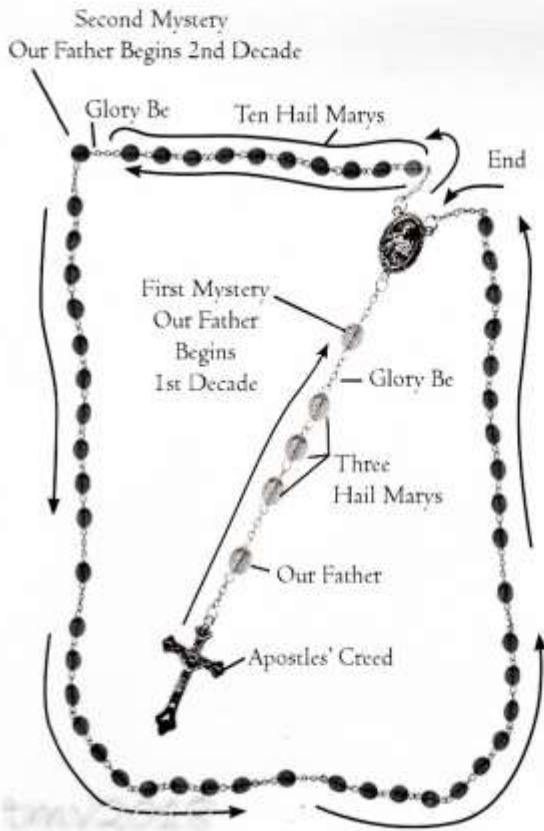
Above: The Team from Lisaard/Innisfree hospice
 Below: Tom Runstedler who chaired the event with good success.



Tom Runstedler Chairman

“The repetition in the Rosary is meant to lead one into restful and contemplative prayer related to each Mystery. The gentle repetition of the words helps us to enter into the silence of our hearts, where Christ’s spirit dwells. The Rosary can be said privately or with a group.”

- United States Conference of Catholic Bishops



The Five Joyful Mysteries are traditionally prayed on Mondays, Saturdays, and Sundays of Advent:

1. The Annunciation
2. The Visitation
3. The Nativity
4. The Presentation in the Temple
5. The Finding in the Temple

The Five Glorious Mysteries are traditionally prayed on Wednesdays and Sundays outside of Lent and Advent:

1. The Resurrection
2. The Ascension
3. The Descent of the Holy Spirit
4. The Assumption
5. The Coronation of Mary

The Five Sorrowful Mysteries are traditionally prayed on Tuesdays, Fridays, and Sundays of Lent:

1. The Agony in the Garden
2. The Scourging at the Pillar
3. The Crowning with Thorns
4. The Carrying of the Cross
5. The Crucifixion and Death

The Five Luminous Mysteries are traditionally prayed on Thursdays:

1. The Baptism of Christ in the Jordan
2. The Wedding Feast at Cana
3. Jesus' Proclamation of the Coming of the Kingdom of God
4. The Transfiguration
5. The Institution of the Eucharist

Prayer for our Holy Father

Lord Jesus Christ, we ask your abundant blessings on our spiritual leader, Pope Francis. Send Your Holy spirit upon him that he may be a brother to all of his faithful and a true servant to Almighty God. Strengthen him daily to complete the immense duties of the Church with grace and compassion.

Allow him to be a humble leader who strives to bring peace, justice and truth into our world. Above all, bestow upon our Holy Father Your gifts of faith hope and love so that he unceasingly proclaims Your Holy Name.

Mother Mary and all the holy Angels and saints of God, we ask you to guide Pope Francis this day and always. Amen



A Prayer for Priests

O Mary, Mother of Jesus, We ask you to be with our priests, who give themselves in service to God’s people.

Intercede for them that they may grow in holiness; Proclaim God’s word with courage; celebrate the sacraments with Joy; and be among God’s people as Jesus, the Good Shepherd, was. We offer this prayer in the name of your Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen

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Vegas Night Donations Since 20 11

Year	Recipient	Dollar Amt
2011	1. Lissaard House	\$920.03
	2. Anselma House	\$920.03
	3. Camp Brebuef	\$1,268.68
	4. MS Society	\$1,268.68
2012	1. Special Olympics	\$1,258.32
	2. Community Care Concepts	\$1,258.32
	3. Kids Ability	\$1,633.42
	4. I st Maryhill Scouting	\$1,633.42
2013	1. Sister Christine's Drop in Center	\$1,437.18
	2. K.W. Food Bank	\$1,437.18
	3. Lissaard House	\$4,352.63
2014	1. Michael House	\$1,503.18
	2. Cardiac Fitness Association	\$1,503.18
	3. Scouts Canada	\$1,867.22
	4. Community Care Concepts	\$1,867.22
2015	1. Camp Brebuef	\$1,019.92
	2. MS Society	\$1,019.92
	3. Anselma House	\$1,794.40
	4. St. Boniface Church (Monument Fund)	\$1,794.40
2016	1. Special Olympics	\$2 352.35
	2 Michael House	\$1,700.00
	3 Strong Start to Reading	\$1,700.00
2017	KW Right to Life	\$1,293.10
	Guelph Right to Life	\$1,293.10
	Cardiac Fitness Association	\$3,704.26
2018	Guelph Drop In Centre	\$1,108.69
	KW Food Bank	\$1,000.00
	Grand Total	\$41,556.48



**October is the month of the Rosary.
Please Pray the Rosary often.**

**Consider being a program
director in our Council**

Put first Things First

Most of us spend too much time on what is urgent and not enough time on what is important.

Keep in mind that you are always saying “ no “ to something. If it isn’t to the apparent, urgent things in your life it is probably to the most fundamental, highly important things. Even when the urgent is good, the good can keep you from your best, keep you from your unique contribution, if you let it.

Think about volunteering

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Maryhill
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Editors Tim Vegh and Jerry Goetz

We are on the Web

knightsofcolumbus.ca

Charity Unity Fraternity



Upcoming Events

If the event below is bolded then a commitment to that event has been made but if it is in *Italics* the event has been considered but is not a sure thing yet. If you would like to help run any of the events but especially those which have not been firmed up yet please contact the Grand Knight (timvegb@gmail.com or 519-648-3952)

- ◆ **General Meeting third Tuesday of the month 7:30 pm at Maryhill Community Centre**
- ◆ September 29, 2018 Fifth Sunday Rosary
- ◆ October 28, Halloween Party for Kids 11:00am To 1:00pm at Community centre Maryhill
- ◆ November 11, 10:00 am till 2:00 pm Remembrance Day brunch following the Remembrance Day Services at Church
- ◆ November 17, Vegas night
- ◆ December 9, 2:00 to 3:30pm kids Christmas party
- ◆ January 19, 2019 Basketball free throw?????
- ◆ February 9, 2019, 4:00 pm to 9:00 pm Valentines dinner
- ◆ March 30, 2019 Fifth Sunday Rosary
- ◆ April 20, 2019????? Vegas night_
- ◆ May 19, 2019 4:00 pm to 8:00 pm Appreciation dinner
- ◆ June 15, 2019, Car show 11:00 am to 5:00 pm
- ◆ June 23, 2019 10:00 to 2:00 pm Corpus Christi Brunch

Chaplain's Corner

Jesus said, "Listen to me, all of you, and understand." What I hear Jesus saying here, is: listen with all your mind and with all your heart.

Being in the pew on Sunday does not mean we have listened or understood the scripture readings of the day. To help us focus and to help us to internalize the Word of God that we hear on Sunday, we may need to invest a bit more time and preparation throughout the preceding week.

For example, on Wednesday we can pray for openness of heart, to be able to receive the Good News more generously: "Come Holy Spirit, help me to listen and understand." Then, over the next few days, we can read and re-read the coming Sunday's readings so that they become more and more familiar in our mind and have an opportunity to touch our heart. For additional help, we can invest in a scripture commentary or read one online.

Our exercise of internalizing the Word of God will require some patience, persistence and being reflective. But if we are willing to invest more of ourselves by spending more time on the Word of God, we may find that it starts to change how we think, how we see the world around us, how we act and, generally, how we live — becoming the very person God wishes us to be.

Maureen Wicken, Vancouver BC