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Grand Knight's Message

Our council celebrates our 45th anniversary this year. It is a privilege and honour to be the 22nd Grand Knight of Council 6024. Our proud tradition continues. It is with pleasure that we have decided to honour our Past Grand Knights, living and deceased, at our next general Meeting on **December 12th**. Twenty-one Grand Knights before me have served our Council very ably over that 45 year period. And, it would be remiss to not mention the many other Knights, who served in some capacity on the Council executive or the Corporation Board.

As this is a special occasion, I ask that members, new and old, join us at our next meeting. A special invitation has been made to the living Past Grand Knights.

We will begin at 7:30pm with a special presentation and donations to Lissard House, followed by a short business session, and culminate with recognition of the Past Grand Knights through a photo tribute to them and other Brother Knights from our years together. We are planning a special Christmas social after the meeting. To plan this event more effectively and to prepare, it would be helpful to know the number of knights who are able to attend. Please let us know by con-



tacting one of the executive or myself before December 11th.

I also wish to announce that we will be moving our meeting dates, **beginning January 2014** to the 1st and 3rd Tuesday evening of each month. The first Tuesday is executive meeting night and the **3rd Tuesday** will be our general membership meeting. Please mark your calendars accordingly.

At this time I want to wish, on behalf of the council officers, everyone a Holy and Blessed Christmas. We include in memory our fellow deceased brother knights. May the widows and families of those brothers gone before us know that we join with them in remembering at this festive season.

VIVAT JESUS! George Isley

Grand Knight

Celebrating 45 years as a council

The front sheet of this informer is a replica of the informer of over forty years ago

Notice

The meeting nights have been changed

- ⇒ The Executive meeting is the first Tuesday of the Month
- ⇒ The General meeting is the third Tuesday of the Month

All this starts
January 2014



Keep Christ in Christmas



Chaplain's Message

Father Voisin

To the members of the Knights of Columbus and their families: At this time of year we reflect and meditate upon one of the greatest mysteries of our faith: The incarnation – Christ taking human flesh. God in His infinite goodness and everlasting love cared enough for us that He sent His Son in human form and thus lifted us from the darkness of sin and death to the glory of light and life. The Christmas season is Holy and must be kept with good intention as a Sacred and Solemn time for us to offer fitting praise and worship to God for this moment in history.

I extend to you and your families all of God's graces and blessings so that He will continue to shower you with His gracious favors and gifts. The greatest gift He gives us still, His Son, Jesus, in the Holy Eucharist. Each and every time we receive Him, we remember with great joy the incarnation of God made man. God bless and keep you well and joyful during this Holy Season.

In Memoriam

Please remember in your prayers all of our 208 deceased members who have passed away since our Council began 45 years ago, but especially Edward (Ted) Fischer who passed away on Friday Nov 29, 2013. He was the brother of Jack Fischer and brother in law to Alex Goll who was a member of the Columbus Rec Club.

*In company with Christ,
Who died and now lives
May they rejoice in Your Kingdom.
Where all our tears are wiped away,
Unite us together again in one family,
To sing Your praise forever and ever.
Amen.*

Our Lady of Guadalupe Patroness of the Unborn

To help stop the anti-life push in the world the late Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen encouraged the spiritual adoption of an unborn child. This is done by praying that one particular but unknown child's life be spared abortion and be allowed to continue to live.

To help accomplish this, it was recommended, an individual say the following daily prayer for a period of nine months.

"Jesus, Mary and Joseph, I love you very much. I beg you to spare the life of the unborn baby that I have spiritually adopted who is in danger of abortion."
The name I wish to give my baby is: _____

During your earthly life this spiritually adopted child of yours will be known only to God, but in the world to come and throughout eternity both you and the child will find happiness in each other's company. Jesus may your peace and love embrace the hearts and minds and souls of the family, friends and loved ones who encouraged this abortion and lead them all to your sacred and Eucharistic heart.

Put Valentines
Rolled Rib Dinner
on YOUR List!
Saturday February 15
At Maryhill Heritage
Park Community Centre
Times 5:00pm and 7:00pm
\$15.00 per person



Report on Golf Tournament

On August 24, 2013, the Maryhill Knights of Columbus had their second annual golf tournament. It was held at the Grand Valley Golf and Country Club and we had approximately 40 people participate. After a fun afternoon of golfing we were treated to delicious three meat buffet hosted by Grand Valley Golf and Country Club. There were prizes for all the participants and each golfer also received a goodie bag. Many thanks goes out to all the golf hole sponsors and all other donators. Through their generosity we were able to raise approximately \$4000 for our charity account. Thank you to my brother knights that offered their help and support. I would like to also sincerely thank all of our 2013 hole sponsors they are:

ATN Mechanical	Building Resistance
Colt Canada	DC Foods
Air Wave Climate Care	Family Chiropractor Center
Isley and Associates	Jar Jewellers
Jim Wilson Well Drilling Ltd.	Nancy Buttitor RMT
Portugal Auto Body & Restorations Inc.	Preston Travel
Reitzel Heating & Air Conditioning	Russell Roy Entertainment
Silver Maple Farms Meat Products Inc.	EB technologies
CIBC Wood Gundy	Top Market Meats

I would also like to sincerely thank Ted Dietrich from **TMT Incorporated who was this year's cart sponsor.**

Again I would like to sincerely thank everyone and look forward to continual support for our third annual golf tournament.

Tery Runstedler

New Second Degree

A special recognition to our members Brother Adam Soloman and Tony Wagner who made their Second degree November 24th.

60 Year club

The following members have been members of the Knights of Columbus for 60 years or more:

Walter Meyer 71 years,

Willard Brohman 63 years

E Imer Bruder 60 years,

Congratulations on reaching these milestones!

Hear them Ring are you Listening?

Come for a Sleigh Ride at the **Beitz's**

2111 Greenhouse Road Breslau (same road as Grobe's nursery but north on Green house Road from hwy 7)

January 19 2014

1:00pm

Phone Mike(519.648.3394) or Doug (519.648.2939) to let them know you are coming so there are enough sleighs



Council Members for 2013/ 2014

Chaplain	Fr. Ron Voisin
Grand Knight	George Isley 519.572.7176 gisley@golden.net
Financial Sec.	Tim Runstedler 519.400.3055
Deputy G K	Open
Chancellor	Open
Trustees	Elmer Zettel(1yr) Robert Brown(2yr) Nick Wetzel(3yr)
Recorder	Open
Treasurer	Paul Goetz
Warden	Doug Zinger 519.648.2939
Advocate	Open
Inside Guard	Ron Kennedy
Outside Guard	John Kennedy
Church Activities	Nick Wetzel
Informer	Gerry Goetz, Tim Vegh
For the Sick	Gerry Goetz 519.648.2591
Lecturer	Tim Runstedler
Youth director	Dwayne Sauve Gary Stewart
Publicity director	Tim Vegh 519.648.3952 timvegh@gmail.com
Pro-Life	Gerry Goetz
Past GK	Mike Runstedler 519.648.3394

Please Come to the
Last general Meeting
of 2013 **December 12** and
share in a snack and
refreshment after the
meeting

Call George 519.572.7176 to tell him you
are going to the meeting so he can plan
the quantity of snacks
7:35 pm at Maryhill Heritage Park
Community Centre

Calendar of Events

General Council Meeting Dec 12 as the
normal 4th Thursday collides with
Christmas.
Next year January Executive meetings
Tuesday Jan 7th, Tuesday February 4th,
Tuesday March 4th(come and have pan-
cakes then go to the meeting)
General meetings next year Tuesday Jan
21st, Tuesday Feb 18, Tuesday March
18th
Sleigh Ride January Jan 19
Basketball Free Throw Jan 26
Valentines Dinner Feb 15
Pancake Tuesday Mar 4
Vegas Night April 26
Annual Car Show June 21

Council 6024 wins Honorable Mention at State Convention

for the following:

Best Church program (Altar Server
Program)
Best Family Project (Christmas
Sleigh Ride)
Best Community Project (Car Show)
Best Youth Project(Rosaries for
Children)

Four certificates similar to the one
shown below were awarded:

