



Knightslife

St Raphael's Council 9880 Knights of Columbus

June 2003

Council Calendar

1st Tuesday 7:30 Officers' Meeting rm. 107
2nd Tuesday 7:30 Business Meeting rm. 107

Jul 1 Officers Meeting
Jul 8 Business Meeting
Aug 5 Officers Meeting
Aug 12 Business Meeting
Aug 23 Raffle Fundraiser Begins
Sep 20 Oktoberfest (Ernie Beauregard)
Sep 27-28 State Golf Tournament (Pinehurst)
Oct 18 4th Degree in Charlotte

New Fundraiser

Brothers,
You probably noticed that we did not host a Car Raffle this past spring, for the first time in many years. The lackluster economy played a major role in our decision to forgo that raffle. However, our commitment to funding scholarships for the St. Raphael Catholic School remains firm. To that end, we've decided to try a new fundraiser this summer. We're calling it the Knights' Raffle, and it's a raffle that keeps on giving!

Each ticket costs \$20. Buy one, and you'll be entered in five weekly drawings, plus a final drawing. In all, there will be 60 winners. Yes, you read this correctly. 60 winners!! Prizes will range from \$25 on up to \$300. If you win once, your ticket goes back into the barrel, and you can win again. The drawings begin in August. The final drawing will be conducted at the K of C Oktoberfest on September 20th.

We hope each Knight in our council will buy or sell at least two. If everyone does, we'll be well on our way to a successful fundraiser. We hope you'll consider supporting



this worthy cause, helping school children in our parish. In turn, you'll have a chance to win some extra cash! If you have any questions or need more tickets, please feel free to call me at home, 848-1793.

2003/04 New Officers

Grand Knight: Gordon Perry
Deputy Grand Knight: Thomas Smith Jr.
Treasurer: Clayton Rodgers
Recorder: Dan LeMarble
Chancellor: Joseph Smith
Advocate: Mark Parrish
Warden: Gilbert Hendricks
Inside Guard: Jack Manning
Outside Guard: Jim Bauer
One Year Trustee: Bill Hast
Two Year Trustee: Rick Gall
Three Year Trustee: Jack Giamportone

Thanks in advance for your support.

Vivat Jesus,

Clayton Rodgers, Raffle Chair and Council Treasurer
Home Address: 9625 Rock Creek Rd, Raleigh, NC 27613

K of C Insurance We All Want The Same Thing

Most men worry about their families. If you are like most, there are so many

demands on your current income that you find it difficult to set anything aside for the kind of future you'd like to provide. If you are like most fathers, you probably want the same things:

...the respect of your family, your friends and the community in which you live

...a happy home with a family that is content

...a good house that will always be home

...the ability to help your children with their education

...enough money to make your retirement easier

...and enough money to be able to enjoy some of the better things in life.

With good fortune (and a long life), you'll probably be able to accomplish most of these objectives. But if you're like most people, you'd benefit from a plan to help you realize them. I can design a plan that will help you realize your ambitions. Call me today, and we'll work on it together.

Timothy, Kilpatrick, Field Agent, K of C Insurance
919 880-3463

Sports – Nat. Bowling Tournament

The results of the K of C National Bowling Tournament in Norfolk, VA have arrived. Everyone on our team finished in the money in one group or another. The four groups were: singles, doubles, team, and overall.

Singles:

Thomas Smith, 29th place
John Gunther, 46th place
Donovan Gunther, 112th place
Tom Smith, 165th place

Doubles:

Bill Hast&Thomas Smith, 27th place
John&Donovan Gunther, 68th place

All Events: John Gunther, 21th place

I think that overall, the team did a great job at this year's tournament. Next year, it will be held in Utica, New York. The tournament opens April 16 and ends May 2, 2004.

Tom Smith, DD #8
Team Captain

Meeting Minutes (May 13)

The business meeting was brought to order by Jack Giamportone at 7:30.

Jack displayed the plaque presented to our council at the State Convention for being an honor council. This was given for the many accomplishments of the council during the past year. Jack followed with a farewell speech in which he thanked everyone for their hard work. Thank

you, Jack, for your leadership this past year! (recorder's comments).

There will be a 3rd degree at St. Mary's in Garner on June 14. Participants must arrive starting at 10:30 a.m. and no later than 11:00 a.m. Any second degrees are encouraged to attend and continue your journey.

Ron McCord brought up Robert House's name for transfer membership from Fr. Price. The application was voted on and approved.

Membership for the year stands at 154 total members. There are 12 remaining members who have not paid this last year's dues and will be receiving notices.

Bill Hast reported that 8 people participated in Junes' Capital Towers project. The July project may be moved up one week or cancelled. Call Bill for updates.

Ernie Beauregard reported on the October fest being held on the 27th. There was discussion pertaining to continuing the Dining Guides this year as we only cleared about \$45.00 this past year. "Enjoy the City" guides were considered but were not decided to be a good option being a new guide and not well known in the Raleigh area.



Ramp is being held this Saturday. Any handymen please contact Gordon.

Elections for next years officers were held. Please keep in mind that there are many committee chairmanships to be filled also. The following officers were voted in: Grand Knight-Gordon Perry; Deputy Grand Knight-Thomas Smith, Jr.; treasurer-Clayton Rodgers; recorder-Dan LeMarble;

chancellor-Joe Smith; advocate-Mark Parrish; warden-Gilbert Hendricks; inside guard-Jack Manning; outside guard-Jim Bauer; One year Trustee-Jack Giamportone.

Steve Henion proposed a motion for our council to be sponsors for a cub scout pack charter membership at the church. Discussion was held, voted on and approved.

The new budget will be published (see this newsletter) and voted on in the July business meeting.

Clayton Rodgers discussed the raffle that will start on August 23rd with weekly drawings leading up to the October fest on September 27th. We will be stuffing envelopes after the July meeting for a mass mailing to all

members and previous raffle buyers. We will also be needing volunteers for all masses starting with the August 3rd weekend and ending with September 21st. Please call Dan LeMarble to volunteer. Also be expecting a phone call sometime this month asking for assistance.

The fourth degree will be holding elections and a banquet in Henderson this weekend. Also on October 18 there will be a degree for all members who have obtained 3rd degree and been a member for at least one year.

Jack closed the meeting at approximately 9:00 p.m.
Submitted by Dan LeMarble

Addendum (Clayton Rodgers, June 30): Chasing the Little German Band, successfully, means that October Fest will now be Sept. 20, 2003. Ernie will explain at the KC officers meeting. I will order 2000 NEW tickets today, at \$73.50 and I will keep our sales dates the same, for now.

The new "finished" look at St. Raphael.

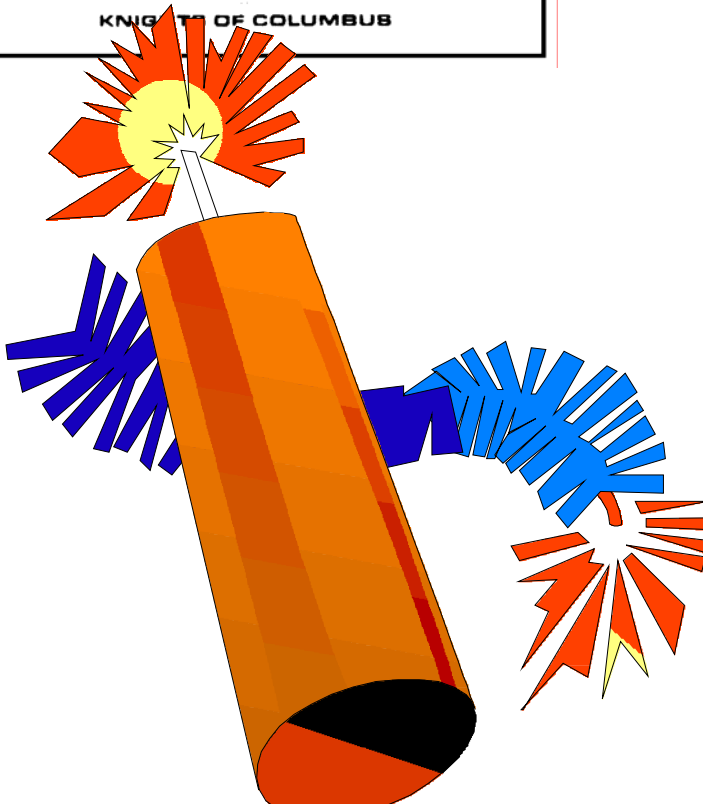
**Form #100
Belongs in
All of These Places**

- Briefcase
- In Your Pocket
- Near Your Phone
- Glove Compartment
- Everywhere You Go!

**SIGN UP A
NEW MEMBER
TODAY!**



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