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The Great “no-show” Show



The American Legion Auxiliary Colonel Crawford Unit 181 held their Patriotic Dinner Show event for the 11th year. This year due to the Pandemic, the Dinner Show was a no show event! Tickets had been sold and most refused a refund. The Catholic Ladies of Columbia made a \$500.00 donation through Vice President/Agent Alice Teynor. There

were many other individuals that made donations. The unit was able to make a donation of \$2,954.00 to President Kristen's Special Project. Pictured are Auxiliary members Brandy Robertson, President Karen Weir, Tami Tima, Sue Adams, Sandi Fahl and Alice Teynor wearing their masks and social distancing.

You Are Appreciated!

For Nurse Appreciation Week and Teacher Appreciation Week, Holy Trinity Council 115 recognized several for their work and dedication in these trying times.

Cookie bouquets were delivered to Katie and Mark Fiske and Shaun Teynor, pictured center and right.

One of our members, Monica Dyer, who is a nurse, was given flowers.



Fairy's Facts

June has arrived with warmer days and COVID-19 changing all our lives. The stay at home orders are lifting ever so slowly but we are looking at our world in very different ways. We are more cautious and look forward to spending time together with our families and friends. There are so many things that we have taken for granted. My oldest grandson graduated high school this year with a drive thru picking up his diploma. The youngest grandson was not able to have Kindergarten graduation. A niece will get married this month with a much smaller guest list than she planned. There are no big gatherings or celebrations being held in Ohio. We are wearing masks and using hand sanitizer frequently. With all these changes CLC is adapting.

The Board met virtually in May and have decided to keep the CLC office closed to visitors until further notice. The CLC office staff are considered essential workers and CLC does not want to risk their health. The Board, agents and members want to thank: Loni Perkins, COO, Jane Kozman, Finance Director, Sheila Bowers, Chief Underwriter, Celeste Stultz, Creative Director and Mary Brobst, Office Assistant, for making the move to working from home during this pandemic. They have continued CLC business with no interruption. This is a major move and adjustment to their lives. Gail Kroll, V.P. of Sales and Marketing, has also been busy contacting agents and members from home. CLC has been blessed with a dedicated and versatile workforce.

The Board has also decided not to travel for the rest of 2020. There is no timing on when this pandemic will end so we have decided to use caution as the year ends. The October Annual meeting will be held virtually. As soon as we get the details finalized we will communicate what is needed to attend. There will not be an Index printed in August 2020 since it included information about the Annual meeting and most of our councils have not been meeting. Please check out theclc.org web page and our facebook page to keep up to date on announcements.

As I continue to stay home, I am thankful that my family remains safe, healthy and continue to be employed. I am fortunate to be able to see and visit

with the grandchildren. I am looking forward to going to Mass and seeing my church family. It is one of the activities that I took for granted. I also miss our CLC meetings along with many of you. I miss the time together and the many activities that we held to help the community. As you or your councils support your community please let us know what you are doing. Several of us have made cloth masks for our areas. Members have also been thanking their teachers. I want to send a special thank-you to all the parents that have taught their children and helped them to succeed this year in school. I know it was a big job and you have handled it very well. Let us hope it is safe for the children to attend school in the fall. They need their friends as much as we do.

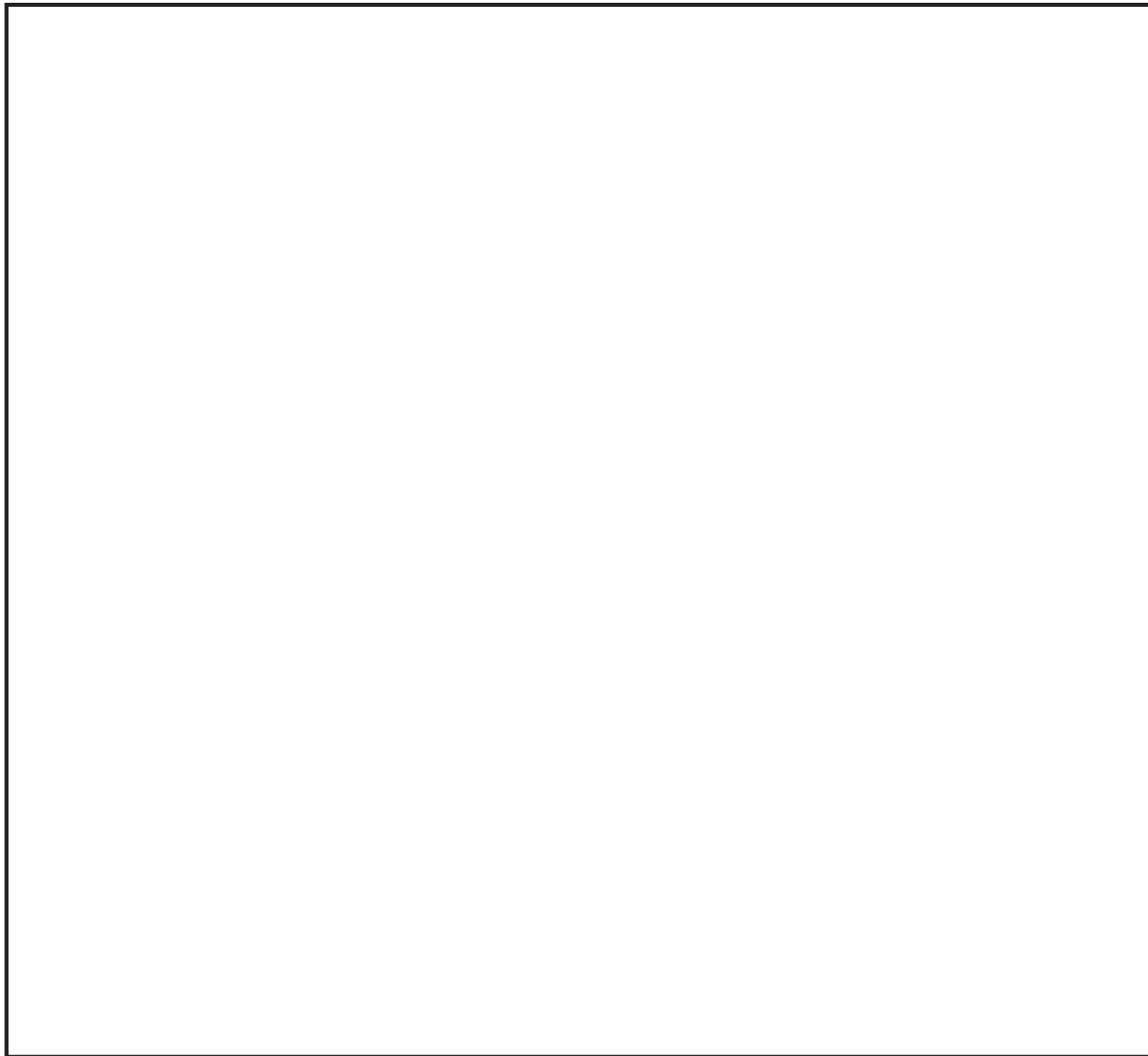
As we honor and thank the men in our lives on Father's Day remember to stay safe.



*This photo was taken previous to the stay at home orders

Ft Jennings Council 88 President, Shelley Hoersten, center, is presenting the Charitable Contribution to the Ft Jennings High School Envirothon Team. Nick Langhals, HS Superintendent and Mary Jean Schweller, HS Secretary accepted the check in the absence of Mr. Jostpille, the team's advisor.

Fill the space by drawing and coloring what you have been doing to stay safe from COVID-19



2020 CLC Coloring Contest Entry Form
All entries must be postmarked by July 17, 2020.

Name: _____ Date of birth: ____/____/____ Policy # _____

Address: _____ Council # _____

Check Eligible Age Level: () 1 age 4-6 () 2 age 7-9 () 3 age 10-13

Contest Rules: *Child, parent or grandparent must currently have a life insurance policy, annuity or IRA with CLC *One entry per child *Each level will have three winners (1st place \$10, 2nd place \$6, 3rd place \$4) *Picture may be colored with crayons, colored pencils or markers. NO PAINT ALLOWED. *Entries will be judged on originality and expression of theme.

** CLC will pay the K.I.D.S. policy each year the contestant enters the coloring contest and if all underwriting requirements are met at time of application.

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All CLC events have been cancelled for 2020!

Board Members Wanted!

Board Member elections will be held in August 2021. The Board offices are: President, Vice President, Secretary and 4 Directors. Each qualified candidate must submit a picture, resume and information release form to the CLC home office address or via email at society@theclc.org or have a nominating committee member submit the information and required items by the same date. Resumes should include current employment, education, email address (required) and CLC involvement. The home office will run a background check on each candidate.

All candidates must be a CLC benefit member in good standing, a communicant of the Roman Catholic Church, between the ages of 18-70 and meet the CLC Board's Code of Ethics.

All resumes must be at the home office no later than January 31, 2021. After review by the nominating committee the slate of officer's pictures and resumes will be announced in the June 2021 Index. Members will vote by mail for the new Board in August and September 2021. The new Board will be presented at the October 9, 2021 Annual Meeting.

Join Hands Day Donations

Kalida Council would like to thank the high school and grade school teachers for all they do and all of the time they dedicate to the children. Arrangements were made to deliver cookies to the teachers but due to all Ohio schools being closed for safety, the cookies were undeliverable. The Kalida council still wants you to know they appreciate all the time you spend putting lessons together, communicating and reading to the kids on facebook.

No one is able to get close enough to take a picture but Ottawa council also donated food to the Ottawa Food Pantry. Everything going on with the world now makes it difficult to help others safely. That doesn't make it an impossible feat. Show your appreciation the best you can.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Members share in the spiritual benefits of being enrolled in a perpetual membership with the Sisters of Notre Dame. If you need a special prayer, individual requests can be sent directly to Sister Deb by sending an email to clcprayerrequests@gmail.com. Local councils have annual Masses for their living and deceased members.

If requested, CLC council members will offer prayers at a member's funeral services. Even in death, CLC supports and honors our members.

The Catholic Ladies of Columbia is a Fraternal Benefit Society meeting the needs of individuals by providing secure financial products, fellowship and service to others.