August, 2010

Grand Knight's Report



Grand Knight Kevin Cornelius

Grand Knight's Letter, Brother Knights and Families,

I hope and pray that your summer is going wonderfully.

The long, warm days of summer gives us plenty of reminders of our many blessings. Family cookouts and vacations bring us closer to the ones we love, the 4th of July reminds us of our blessed nation and its abundance, and even seeing brother Knights in parking lots or the golf courses are welcome reminders of how God works in our lives and the blessing of being a Knight of Columbus.

During this time, however it is easy to loose sight of the fact that many people are sill unemployed, lonely, hungry, or terribly uncomfortable from the heat because they have no air conditioning. As brother Knights, we always remember that there is ample need in our community, and we will always step up to help others.

Like many organizations, our council has a lower activity level during this time of year. However, I do want to point out a few very important (and fun!) activities you and your families will enjoy.

- August 1st is our annual Family Picnic at St. Clarence. Free to those in your household! Start time is 1:30.
 Kids games, great food and live entertainment, by Brother Don Lloyd are all provided! Contact Bill Goellner or Henry Kleinhenz if you haven't already done so!
- August 4th is our Installation of Officers ceremony. This replaces our regular meeting, but we celebrate with a mass and wonderful ceremony to begin the new fiscal year. Please plan on attending!
- August 18th: There is no 2nd meeting in August, so we have purchased 30 tickets to a Lake Erie Crushers game for that day! Tickets are \$9 each and proceeds benefit St. Augustine Health Ministries. We will be selling and distributing them at the Family picnic. Don't worry, we can get more if needed! Contact me if you wish to purchase some. (440) 871-4020

I hope and pray you have a wonderful summer.

Please keep all your Brothers and their families in your prayers. Among those, please remember the Chavez family, who lost their father, Ignacio, this month. As a Brother Knight to their family of Knights, we hold them dearly in our prayers.

Vivat Jesus! Kevin Cornelius Grand Knight

IN MEMORAL:

August Anniversaries:

John A. Hostacky	08/27/72	John P. Quitter, PGK	08/11/78
John Weiskittel	08/09/83	Daniel C. Griffin	08/03/88
Clifford W. Grady	08/07/91	Paul O'Brien, PGK	08/28/92
Stanley M. Adamski	08/19/93	Edward P. Majoros	08/12/98
Thomas A. Conyngham	08/17/00	Arthur J. Walling	08/02/05
Regis Gallagher	08/15/05	Thomas Curtis	08/15/06
Gabe S. Zsigo, PGK	08/06/08		

Remember all those whom have died this past year.,

K of C 4731 Officer for the 2010 / 2011 Fraternal Year

Grand Knight – Kevin Cornelius	Chaplin - Fr. Joseph McNulty
DGK – Jim Bauer	Chancellor— Ralph Kearns
Recorder—Mark Cunningham	Treasurer—Jim Sanzi PGK
Warden – Peter Frank	Advocate— Bill Goellner

Inside Guard—Rudy Chavez

Outside Guard—Wayne Petre, PGK

Trustee 1 year – Gene Hanzely PGK

Trustee 2 year – Ray Metsch PGK

Trustee 3 year - Kevin Sheehan PGK Lecture—

KEEP THE SICK IN OUR PRAYERS:

Lou Kaszas, Joe Shuber's grandfather Edward "Soup" Shuber, Jim Bauer's brother John, Carol Senko Wife Of Phil, Gerald Dietrich, Jean Chokan, Norm Musial's wife Pat, Ray Babinec's Brother in law Ron Westbrook, Jay Ellis, Dan Dugan, Kevin Sheehan Mother in-law Jeanne Yanochao, Jim Allen, Charles Halpin, Shirley Wolfe & her daughter Denise, Howard Schmieler, Ed Frindt's wife Carol, Lou Vinoverski, Ethel Lewis & Ruth Forthofer, Pat Ielapi, Tom Kilbane's sister Patricia Geniusz, Dan Revak, Tom Wolfe, Dr. Beyer PGK and all the Members of our Council who are in need along with all the victim of the wars in the world.

Special Notice: Please contact Phil Senko if you would like to have a Get Well or Sympathy card sent to a Brother Knight or a member of a Brother Knight's Family. Phil can be reached at 440-779-9875 or email him at Allknightphill@hotmail.com.

Remember the Rosary

On the third Wednesday of each month the Rosary will be said in **Terrace Room**. All are welcome to attend at 7:00 pm,. The second meeting of the month will be held following the Rosary.

North Olmsted Knights of Columbus

Chaplin: Rev Joseph McNulty (216-781-5530) Grand Knight: Kevin Cornelius (4440-871-4020) Financial Secretary: Henry Kleinhenz (440-235-0675) "Narrator" Editor: Tom Kilbane (440-933-9964)

Special Notice:

There will not be a second meeting during the months of July & August

A personal invitation to our Friend in Christ

Difficult times often inspire people to become more extraordinary. Challenge and adversity can push people toward their own greatness. It can launch you on a deeper personal journey toward happiness, fulfillment, and a life of meaning. As you explore ways to gather strength and improve self-esteem, remember, it is not so much about *what* you have but *who* you are. May the Knights of Columbus inspire you. May you go from strength to strength and be a source of strength to others.

Please consider this your personal invitation have your candidate become a part of the world's largest fraternal organization of catholic men, The Knights of Columbus. While membership is offered to all Practicing catholic men over 18; experience tells us that the man who joins has more benefits, graces and rewards come to him and his family as an active knight.

Should you have any questions please contact

Co-North Olmsted Council 4731 Co-Directors of Membership:

Paul C. Mathieson **Phone:** (440) 835-7203 **E-Mail:** <u>paulmathieson@msn.com</u> Jerry D. Nowesnick **Phone:** (440) 336-0039 **E-Mail:** jnowesnick@wowway.com

Please check out our **Website:** www.kofc4731.org

Special Notice

Brother Knights, this is a reminder that our Council will recite the Rosary at the wake of a deceased spouse. Please contact the Grand Knight Jim Sanzi at 440-465-6743 or the Financial Secretary Henry Kleinhenz at 440-235-0675 with the necessary information for the Rosary Call.

Visit our WEB SITE at www.kofc4731.org . If you would like to view the NARRATOR on the web site and not receive a mailed copy please contact Tom Kilbane, (440-933-9964) tkilbane@ameritech.net; or Henry Kleinhenz (440-235-0675). We will be setting up an email delivery to let you know when the current NARRATOR is posted.

Notice deadline for the Next Narrator is <u>August 15th</u>. If you have something that you would like to put in the Narrator check with the Grand Knight, then sent it to me as a attachment in MS Word. My Email address is tkilbane@ameritech.net. Please subject it K of C.



Louis Kaszas - VIP Award

On July 7th, Lou Kaszas was awarded a VIP Award for recruiting two new members in the past year.

Remember the PICNIC on August 1st at 1:30 P.M.

This Picnic is free to all K of C Council 4731 members and their families (living at home). You may invite other family members and friends. The cost is \$5 for guests 12 and older—children 11 & under are free.

The Installation of Officers August 4th 7:30 P.M.

The Installation of Officers is a family event. Bring you spouse and family.

Mass starts at 7:30 P.M. with a social afterwards. Meet your New Officers for the 2010—2011 fraternal year.

ATTEND A MEETING AND WIN!

Each Month until the end of this year a prize of \$25.00 per month will be awarded to the lucky Knight whose name is drawn, and is present at the meeting. GOOD LUCK!

The drawing for July was for \$30.00

The first meeting, Was not present

No second meeting,

The August drawing will be for \$35.00

Bros If you plan to move or be out of town for a period of time please inform the F.S. Return mail is costly and it is money from your council operating fund. If you have dropped your land line and only have a cell phone please call or write the F.S. so we have a way to get in touch with you and also keep the records correct. F.S. Henry Kleinhenz, 7425 Willow Wood, North Olmsted, Ohio 44070-6329. Phone # 440-235-0675

Flag Retirement Ceremony

The Flag Retirement Ceremony was held on June 19, 2010. Thank you for all your support. This year the groups that participated were 16 Fourth Degree members from Bishop O'Riley Assembly with Sir Knight Ray Metsch as the Commander. The North Olmsted VFW Post # 7647 had about ten members present, and four Boy Scouts in Troop #225 from St. Bernadette Parish assisted in the ceremony. They were accompanied by Scout Master Rich Noga. Lady Janet Bailey added to the splendor of the ceremony by her beautiful voice, leading all in singing the Star Spangle Banner and God Bless America. This was the first time that the Boy Scouts participated in our Flag Retirement Ceremony.

The Knights who participated were: Third Degree; Jim Bauer and his wife, Dennis Carlton, Dick Schilens, Peter Frank, Tom Kilbane, Fourth Degree; SK Jim Sanzi, SK Paul Mathieson, SK Mark Cunningham FN, SK Leo Smith, SK Phil Senko, SK Len Eifel, SK Jeff Keeper, SK Rudy Chavez, SK Henry Kleinhenz PFN, SK Jim Soltis, SK Jim Bailey, SK Gene Hanzely PFN, SK Scott Metsch PFN, SK Roger Gregory, SK Jim Louloudis and SK Ray Metsch Commander.

The Boy Scouts who participated were: Scout Ryan Thaxton, Scout Michael Altman, Scout James Van Pless, Scout Zak Perkitny and Scout Master Rich Noga.

Thanks to all the members of our council that came out to support this event. Our next Flag Retirement Ceremony will take place around Flag Day 2011.







Fourth Degree inspects the Flags

Boy Scouts carry Flags to Fire Pit

VFW Post 7647 members







Janet Bailey leads the singing

Boy Scouts present Flags

Flags burned by Dennis Carlton

Cell Phone Donations May 2008 through June 2010.

Together we can continue to make a difference in the area of domestic violence awareness, prevention and victim recovery.

We at the Knights of Columbus North Olmsted Council 4731 have donated 186 cell phones from May 2008 through June 2010.

We look forward to our continued monthly contributions in the years to come.

Please give your donations to:

Paul C. Mathieson Phone: (440) 835-7203 E-Mail: paulmathieson@msn.com

Brother Knight that have died, Keep their families in your prayers



Chuck Novak Passed away

Born: January 8, 1936 Died: May 29, 2010



Ignacio Chavez, Sr. Passed away Born: May 24, 1920, died July 14, 2010

Knights OF Columbus List of Up coming Degree Dates Note Detail list on web site www/kofc4731.org/membership

Date	Degree	Time	Location	Contact	Phone
7/1/10	First	7:00 P.M.	St. Francis of Assisi Council	Bill Pring	440-234-9503
7/15/10	First	8:00 P.M.	No Ridgeville Council	Chris Nagel	440-666-1395
8/11/10	First	7:00 P.M.	No. Olmsted Council	Paul Mathieson	440-835-7203
8/17/10	First	7:00 P.M.	Brunswick Council	John Chalfa	330-416-0567
8/19/10	First	8:00 P.M.	No. Ridgeville Council	Chris Nagel	440-666-1395
9/20/10	First	7:00 P.M.	Strongsville Council	Bill Pring	440-234-9503

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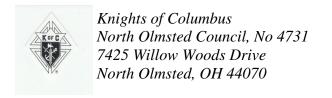
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Next Meeting: July 7th MEETINGS ARE ON THE FIRST AND THIRD WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH AT 7:30 PM CALL 440-235-0675 FOR MORE INFORMATION

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

Aug 1	Annual Family Picnic, St. Clarence 1:30 P.M.
Aug 3	Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
Aug 4	Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Installation of Officers, St. Clarence Church
Aug 11	First Degree North Olmsted Council @ St Clarence
Aug 19	First Degree North Ridgeville Council
Aug 31	Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
Sep 1	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
Sep 15	Rosary Terrace Room, 7:00 P.M.
Sep 15	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
Oct 5	Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
Oct 6	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
Oct 20	Rosary Terrace Room, 7:00 P.M.
Oct 20	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence