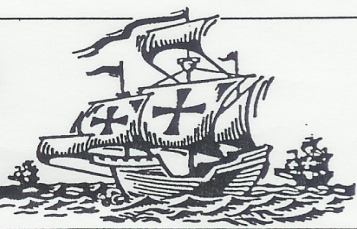


THE NARRATOR



The Newsletter of the North Olmsted



Knights of Columbus Council #4731

March, 2013

Grand Knight's Report



Dear Brother Knights and Families

“Let it be done to me according to your will.” Those were the words that Mary gave the archangel Gabriel. In essence, She said YES, to our God and accepted a tremendous responsibility. We should practice those words as we journey through this Lenten season.

We will celebrate Her submission to our God during the Feast of the Annunciation this March 25th. If we are able to quiet our hearts and our lives and be still long enough, we can say “Yes!!” to our Lord and be filled with his Holy Spirit. We can practice our “Yes” on February 20th when our diocese opens the doors to the churches and asks us to go to confession and rid ourselves of sin. We can practice our “Yes!!” by fulfilling our Lenten commitments to fast, sacrifice and give alms, and provide charitable acts to others and abstain from meat on Fridays. Then, we will be able to rejoice when we are renewed with our resurrected Lord on Easter. This is such a great time of year.

The Knights began to fulfill our commitment to family by creating and hosting the 1st Annual Winter Picnic and Corn Hole Tournament. What a beautiful day, Thank you Brothers Tom Vojtec and Scott Bliss for coordinating the event and Brother Jerry Nowesnick for helping with the food and fun. It was a great time and we look forward to creating and hosting more events for the family.

I would like to congratulate all the award winners for this year. Knight of the Year – Ray Metsch, Volunteer of the Year – Tom Hummer, Lady of the Year – Lady Judy Cornelius, Family of the Year – Phillip and Carol Senko, Youth of the Year - Carina Chavez, Religious of the Year – Fr. Neil Kookoothe, Blue Coat of the Year – Shamas Magnan, Cleveland Police Department. This year we will be adding an award, the Fr. Flynn Award for Exceptional Dedication. The inaugural award winners are Rudy Chavez and Gene Hanzely. Thank you to all of you for the sacrifices that you make on behalf of your brother knights and the communities and people that you serve. Remember that on April 27 The Knights of Columbus Annual “Knight at the Races” will take place in the gymnasium of St. Clarence. Come out and join in the fun and festivities and help support Fr. McNulty and Sr. Corita with the St. Augustine Summer Rainbow Camp. This is a camp run by St. Augustine for the hearing impaired, visually limited and impoverished children of St. Augustine and the inner city. When you help the least of us you have helped the Lord. Support the races. For information and ways to help please contact Brother Bill Goellner or Brother Kevin Sheehan.

Get ready!! The end of February begins the Charity ticket sellathon. Last year the North Olmsted Knights of Columbus Council #4731 sold the most tickets in the State of Ohio!! Thanks to Gene Hanzely and Rudy Chavez and the rest of the Brother Knights for pushing our Council to the top. This is our time to recommit ourselves and go for the top spot again this year. The Charity tickets helps fund many of the charities run by the Knights of Columbus.

Please, thank your parish priests for their sacrifice and their ministry, support your local church Fish Fries and I wish you an enlightening and blessed Lenten season.

Edward Chavez Grand Knight

IN MEMORAL:

February—March Anniversaries:

Jack Luttner	02/07/68	Arthur E. Hagan	02/28/83
Adam J. Hessert, Jr.	02/17/85	Harry F. Reagan, PGK	02/26/85
Joseph J. Schreiber	02/27/89	Oscar Moldovan	02/24/98
William R. Mullally	02/14/01	Julius S. Bodnar	02/20/01
Ben K. Wright	02/11/05	Paul M. Sunday	02/01/08
John C. Hudecek	02/23/08	Rev. John P. Culliton	03/26/59
Edward J. Krejci	03/14/62	Frank P. Zinser	03/16/70
Gustav Muhlhan	03/11/74	John P. Ruscin	03/27/83
Rev. John R. Kenny	03/11/65	William E. Mahoney	03/11/85
Franklin E. Yehlik	03/20/88	John P. McLaughlin, PGK	03/08/94
Paul J. Gareau	03/25/95	Joseph F. Kolick	03/24/96
Norman J. Hasek	03/28/96	Edward W. Boyer	03/01/97
Robert C. Hanus	03/11/03	Donald C. DeChant	03/27/05
Roger McNea	03/25/09	Tom Groff	03/30/10

Remember all those whom have died this past year.

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

Please review the names of the Knight and their families members, we would like to know those that still need our prayers. So we can keep the list current we will remove any names from the list if you do not call Henry Kleinhenz (440-235-0675, or Tom Kilbane (440-933-9964). Thank you for helping us.

KEEP THE SICK IN OUR PRAYERS:

Lou Kaszas, Gerald Dietrich, Jean Chokan, Norm Musial's wife Pat, Ray Babinec's Brother in law Ron Westbrook, Dan Dugan, Kevin Sheehan Mother in-law Jeanne Yanochao, Shirley Wolfe's daughter Denise, Carol Senko wife of Phil, Stu Foster, and all the Members of our Council who are in need along with all the victim of the wars in the world.

North Olmsted Knights of Columbus

Chaplin: Rev Joseph McNulty (216-781-5530) Grand Knight: Edward Chavez Sr. (440-282-9521)
Financial Secretary: Henry Kleinhenz (440-235-0675)
Narrator" Editor: Tom Kilbane (440-933-9964)
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Corn Hole family contest held at St Clarence Pavilion. The event was enjoyed by all who attended



Knights helping at St. Clarence Fish Fry. Left picture: Jim Sanzi, Kevin Sheehan, Tom Lisy, Gene Hanzely, Tom Hummer, Dick Schilens, Tom Kilbane, Right Picture: Jim Buckley

Lady of the Year: Judy Cornelius,

Judy has been married to Kevin for 30 years this September, and they have three grown children. Professionally Judy has been a Special Ed teacher for over 17 years. She is responsible for the visually impaired students in Lakewood and insures they have the learning materials for each class in a format they can use. It is not unusual for Judy to be staying late after school reformatting or brailing a test or handout. She even teaches her students Braille, gives them a test verbally and works closely with the parents to help each student in their development. Judy was unable to attend the Awards Breakfast.

Our Council Soccer Challenge Champions, qualifying for Regional/District Championships are:

- Mikayla Rollins, 10 year old girls
- Joey Kuhl, 10 year old boys
- Zach Botsch, 11 year old boys
- Ella Hoyal, 12 year old girls
- Jerad Lantz, 12 year old boys
- Kyle Whiteman, 12 year old boys
- Christina Powlowski, 13 year old girls
- Alexander Hultz, 13 year old boys
- Jakob Kizer, 14 year old boys



State Champions Are:

- Mikayla Rollins, 10 year old girls
- Kyle Whiteman, 12 year old boys
- Christina Powlowski, 13 year old girls



Knight of the Year Ray Metsch

Ray joined the North Olmsted Knights of Columbus in 1960. He has gone through the chairs of the Council and is Past Grand Knight of the North Olmsted Council 4731 and former Trustee. Under Ray's leadership as Grand Knight, North Olmsted Council was awarded Double-Star Council for the first time in its history. The Council also came in third as the best overall Council in the State of Ohio. Also under Ray's tenure as Grand Knight, North Olmsted Council was recognized during Supreme Knight Carl Anderson's annual report to the Order. The Supreme Knight noted North Olmsted Council's commitment to the clergy through a program of sponsoring the

stoll for a newly ordained priest and brother knight. Ray has also served as a delegate to the Supreme Convention. .Ray brings a special brand of zeal to every Knights of Columbus event he leads, even to the regular meetings. His presence is felt whether in his lively wit or the sense of camaraderie that he infuses in the men that serve with him.

Remember the Rosary

On the third Wednesday of each month the Rosary will be said in the Terrace Room. All are welcome to attend at 7:00 P. M. The second meeting of the month will follow the Rosary.

Annual Day of Retreat

The annual LENTEN RETREAT DAY will be held on Saturday March 9, 2013, at St. Brendan Church. **The Most Reverend (Anthony) Edward Pevec PhD, VG** will provide a program of spiritual exercises titled "Shepherd of the Day". Men and women are invited. More information will be provided in January.

Peter Frank 440-779-9725

Special Notice:

Please contact Grand Knight Ed Chavez 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. The Grand Knight can be reached at 440-282-9521.

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 Kevin Cornelius at 440-871-4020 or the Financial Secretary Henry Kleinhenz at 440-235-0675 with the necessary information for the Rosary Call

ATTEND A MEETING AND WIN!

Each Month until the end of this year a prize of \$15.00 per month will be awarded to the lucky Knight whose name is drawn, and is present at the meeting. GOOD LUCK!

The drawing for Feb, was for \$50.00 There was not a Drawing for Jan.

The First meeting in Feb The winner was Harold McCarty, he was not present

The second meeting in Feb The winner was Tom Kilbane PGK, he was present.

The March drawing is for \$.15.00.

Augustine Rainbow Camp

and

The Knights of Columbus

Present



Saturday, April 27th, 2013

Tickets are \$20 in advance - \$25 at the door

Doors Open @ 6:00 PM

For Tickets Contact: Bill Goellner - 440-427-0439

bgoellner8158@wowway.com

St. Clarence Church

Main Hall

30106 Lorain Road

North Olmsted, OH

Food, Beer & Wash provided (B.Y.O.B.)

Door Prizes

All proceeds go to the Augustine Rainbow Camp. A summer program that serves the needs of area children with and without disabilities and is sponsored by St. Augustine Church

Go to www.kofc4731.org for more information



Knight at the Races
Souvenir Program Advertising Order Form
Advertisements ♦ Race Sponsorships ♦ Horses



For the benefit of the St. Augustine Summer Rainbow Camp Program
All proceeds go directly to the program

Where: St. Clarence Church • 30106 Lorain Rd., North Olmsted, OH
When: Saturday, April 27th, 2013 • Doors open at 6:00pm ▶ races start at 7:15pm
Why: To fund a summer program that services the social needs of children with or without disabilities.
What: The event will feature video horse racing with wagering on the results. There will be an auction of horses for the 10th race. There will be side boards too. **GREAT FOOD**, Beer and wash included (BYOB)

Admission Tickets are \$20 in advance & \$25 at the door

Number of Tickets: _____ @ \$20 per ticket = \$ _____

▶ **PLEASE NOTE:** Use one form for each ad, race sponsor, horse sponsor or, patron listing
Please check type of ad you are ordering

1) Program Advertisement:

- Full page: 3.5" X 10" \$90.00 Half page: 3.5" X 5" \$50.00
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 Business Card enclosed Use last year's ad

2) Race Sponsor: includes name at the top of the page and ad at bottom

\$100.00 Sponsor name: _____

3) Horse Sponsor: name of horse _____
(Additional Horses can be listed on back of this page)

\$20.00 per horse Race# _____ *(races assigned on first come basis)*

4) Patron Listing: \$10.00 name: _____

◀ Deadline: April 15th, 2013 ▶

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Guest lecture “The Lives of Saints” by Professor Myron Shiibley.

Council 4731 Golf League

If you are interest in playing golf on Wednesdays we have openings on our league. We play at Springvale course, starting time is 4:15 to 5:00 P.M. Contact Tom Kilbane @ 440-933-9964 or Joe Hoehn @ 440-265-4332.



The family of the year award is presented by our council to a Catholic family who inspires the community with their commitment to their church, their community and each other. This year, North Olmsted Council is proud to recognize The Senko Family as our family of the year. Phil & Carol Senko



The Youth of the Year is an award presented by our Council to a young person who has distinguished him or herself in leadership in excellence and as an example of Catholic Christian values. This year, the Knights of Columbus proudly recognizes Carina Chavez as "Youth of the Year" for 2013. Carina with her father RJ, Brother, grandfather Rudy and uncle Edward.

Clubs for Kids

The Knight of Columbus Cleveland Chapter collects golf clubs that are no longer used by members and their friends. The clubs are cleaned up and cut down and given to the Clubs for Kids program. Brother Larry Miller collects the clubs and delivers them to Garfield Heights Council. If you have any unused clubs, balls or bags please bring them to one of our meetings and we will arrange for them to get to Garfield Heights Council.

The 16th Annual Knight at the Races for the benefit of St. Augustine Day Camp will be April 27th in St. Clarence Main Hall. Check the insert and help with adds. Thank You



Fr. Joseph D. McNulty Award for Exceptional Dedication – 2013 (New award this year)

It should be no surprise that the first recipients of this award are Gene Hanzely and Rudy Chavez. Like many of us, their contributions span the range of most if not all of the Knights of Columbus charitable activities from Parmadale to the St. Augustine Christmas Party. From leadership to humble service. But the distinguishing characteristic about these Knights is that they are tireless. Every year. They are selfless in their service. And their efforts are heroic. The Annual Ohio Charities Campaign has been a point of pride for this Council especially as year after year we exceed our goals and generate substantial funds for the poor.



Religious of the Year

Fr. Neil is the pastor of the St. Clarence parish and a strong supporter of the Knights of Columbus. He was ordained in 1995 and became pastor in 2006 when he took an already vibrant parish and lead it to a whole new level of vibrancy. Fr. Neil emphasizes youth programs and other ministries that have helped to make St. Clarence a strong and spiritual Catholic community.



Volunteer of the Year

Tom Hummer is new to the Knights just joining 2 years ago. He has already been busy making an impact. Tom is the Lecturer of our Council and has brought in guest speakers and other amazing presentations including one which featured actual relics from the Church. Tom has been present at most charity events since he has joined the council and his contributions are greatly appreciated. His enthusiasm and charm breathe extra life into our council. We are re-energized by having Tom as our new brother.



Blue Coat of the Year

This year's recipient of the Blue Coat Award goes to Sgt. James Sheamas Mangan. Sheamas is a Cleveland Police Officer and has been one for 26 years. He serves in the Inspections Department and oversees police policy and procedures. Sheamas is a part time usher at St. Augustine, but his ministry is helping Fr. McNulty in keeping order and peace at the different events that take place at St. Augustine. He does this with a smile and a helping hand.



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Special Notice:

The Narrator will be mail via US Mail to members not listed on our email list seven times during the year. (January, March, May, July, August., September, November.) On the other months there will be information provide at the monthly meetings or on our council's web site (kofc4731.org)

New Third Degree Members:

Norbert Allerton, Ed Basch, Steve Basch, Bob Gargasz, Mike Hogan, Fr. Simon Kimaryo, Chester Monty, Ed Pawlus, Tim Tabar Rob Zsigray.



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Next Meeting: March 6th

*MEETINGS ARE ON THE FIRST AND THIRD
WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH AT 7:30 PM
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IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:

March	40 Days for Life Spring Campaign
Mar 1	Fish Fry St. Clarence 4:30P.M. to 7:P.M.
Mar 5	Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
Mar 6	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
Mar 8	Fish Fry St. Clarence 4:30P.M. to 7:P.M.
Mar 15	Fish Fry St. Clarence 4:30P.M. to 7:P.M.
Mar 17	St. Patrick's Day
Mar 20	Rosary St. Clarence 7:00P.M.
Mar 20	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
Mar 22	Fish Fry St. Clarence 4:30P.M. to 7:P.M.
Mar 24	Palm Sunday
Mar 29	Good Friday
Mar 31	Easter Sunday
Apr 2	Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
Apr 3	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
Apr 17	Rosary St. Clarence 7:00P.M.
Apr 17	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
Apr 27	KNIGHT at the RACES