May, 2011

Grand Knight's Report



Brother Knights and Families,

As spring approaches and the challenge of cold weather passes, I have a few challenge questions. We often have the same people help on many of these events. We need new help! *Was I there?*

Knight at the Races was a great success! What a fun evening! This fundraiser for St. Augustine's Summer Camp raised almost \$10,000! Special thanks to PGK Bill Goellner and PGK Kevin Sheehan for all their hard work!

Am I helping?

Measure Up! Help collect for the Disabled! Dates: April 28-30, May 1, 12-15. Contact Ray Rowe (440) 779-9255.

Charity Tickets sales are still going strong! Please help in any way you can to sell tickets!. We have lost some major distribution locations this year, and we really need help! All the good works we do depends on us stepping out of our comfort zone! Have I asked?

We need new Knights! I'll bet each one of us know of someone who only needs to be asked!.

Will I participate?

The list of candidate officers will be voted on for next year. Please plan on attending a meeting and participating on voting for these candidates.

Flag retirement ceremony will be on June 15th. We are inviting VFW and the Scouts for this important ceremony. This will be replacing the 2nd meeting of the month.

Please keep all our Brothers and their family in your prayers, especially the unemployed.

Vivat Jesus!
Fraternally Yours
W. Kevin Cornelius
Grand Knight

IN MEMORAL:

April Anniversaries:

Adolf E. Spakowski	05/03/72	John E Kilbane	05/09/75
Edward J. Kimmick	05/30/80	Vincent J. Amaddio	05/22/85
Leo T. Lasky	05/24/86	David C. Mersing, SR.	05/12/87
Thomas W. Ballash	05/19/90	Thomas O'Grady, PGK	05/27/91
Raymond Ted Mack, PGK	05/28/92	Robert T. Young	5/21/95
Jerome J. Sklarek	05/13/99	James D. Boehmer	05/29/99
Frederick Heierding	05/18/00	Rev. Joseph Wagner	05/11/05
Edward F. O'Brien	05/06/08	Chuck Novak	05/29/10

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 – Edward Chavez Chancellor— Ralph Kearns
Recorder— Mike Okoniewski Treasurer—Jim Sanzi PGK

Financial Secretary Henry Kleinhenz

Warden – Peter Frank Advocate— Bill Goellner PGK

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— Paul Mathieson & Jerry Nowesnick PGK

SELL CHARITY TICKETS, OUR COUNCIL NEEDS YOUR HELP TO REACH OUR GOAL

KEEP THE SICK IN OUR PRAYERS:

Ruth Murray wife of Fran Murray, Richard Chavez, Lou Kaszas, 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, Shirley Wolfe's daughter Denise, Ed Frindt's wife Carol, Ethel Lewis, Pat Ielapi, Tom Kilbane's sister Patricia Geniusz, Tom Wolff, Peg Worden wife of Don, 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

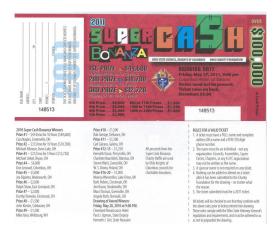
Chaplin:

Rev Joseph McNulty (216-781-5530) Grand Knight: Kevin Cornelius (440-871-4020)

Financial Secretary: Henry Kleinhenz (440-235-0675)"Narrator"
Editor: Tom Kilbane (440-933-9964) K of C Insurance Agent

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Brother Knights working the St. Clarence fish Fry every Friday during Lent.



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.

Election of Officers for 2011—2012

The following candidates are up for election at the June 1st meeting.

Grand Knight—Kevin Cornelius, Deputy GK— Edward Chavez Recorder - Mike Okoniewski Warden - Ron Glassco

Chancellor— Paul Mathieson, Peter Frank

Treasure— Jim Sanzi Inside Guard—Wayne Petre, PGK
Outside Guard— Rudy Chavez Trustee One Year—Gene Hanzely PGK
Trustee Two Year— Ray Metsch PGK Trustee Three Year— Kevin Sheehan PGK

Measure UP 2011

This year our Measure Up collection for The Developmentally Disabled will be at the North Olmsted Wal-Mart on Thursday, Friday, Saturday & Sunday, April 28, 29, 30 & May 1st. The second week will be also at the North Olmsted Wal-Mart on May 12,13,14 & 15. Please call Ray Rowe at 440-779-9255 to reserve you spot. Your help is greatly needed. Also contact Ray for more information.

Knights of Columbus Golf League is looking for golfers for it's Wednesday league. We play at Pine Brook Golf Course on Durkee Rd. Our starting tee time is 4:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.

If you are interested or know of someone who would like to join (need not be a Knight) contact Tom Kilbane @ 440-933-9964 or Joe Hoehn @ 440-235-4332.

Cell Phone Donations May 2008 through November, 2010.

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

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

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 April was for \$25.00

The first meeting, Jim Imbrogno WAS NOT present to win the prize The second meeting, Paul Mathieson WAS present to win the prize

The May drawing will be for \$25.00,

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

Knight at the Races

The evening was a great success. There was plenty of food and beverages, ten races with twelve horses to bet on. All had a great time. Even those who lost on a race had a second chance to win.





Knights and their guest enjoying the evening at the Knight at the Races



Jeff Keeper and his wife Maureen sold tickets for the side boards.



Losers drawing bucket





Brother Knight and wives selling tickets on the races.

Lecture Series Calendar

Wednesday, May 18, 2011:; Rudy and Edward Chavez will talk about the Feast of Our Lady of

Guadalupe, Patron Saint of the America's (North, South and Central).

Wednesday, June 15, 2011; Flag Retirement (Interment) Ceremony, at St. Clarence at 7:30 P.M.

Future suggested speakers; Rev. Anthony J. Schuerger, Pastor Saint Malachi on Permanent

Deaconate Program.

Deacon Franz Dool, Transition to studying for the Priesthood.

Rev. Neil Walters, Prison ministry.

Notice deadline for the Next Narrator is <u>May 18th</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 NARRATOR.

Attend a meeting and have a chance of winning \$25.00

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.

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.

Volunteer of the Year Dennis Carlton.

Our Council awards Volunteer of the Year to the person who gives an exceptional amount of time and energy; sweat and tears to the programs of the Knights of Columbus. This year we honor Dennis Carlton as North Olmsted Council's Volunteer of the Year. -Is truly a foundation and one of the cornerstones of Council 4731 -Actively mentors anyone that is a member, an officer, or on any k of c committee -Actively participating with Bill Goellner with assisting the organizing and operating the Knight at the races. -Actively organizes and is on co-committee with membership at the Annual steak Roast. (A heavenly chef!!) -Actively involved with the operation of the k of c at Saint Clarence Lenten Fish Fry -Actively involved with the Flag Internment (Retirement) ceremony on Flag Day in June of every year. -Actively involved with the organization and operation of the K of C lecture committee activities (which include operating the raffles and the festive food and beverages).



Pennies for Heaven Campaign was made a permanent State council sponsored program in 2007. The "passing of the jug" at all meetings and social functions provides a methodical means to raise funds for our seminarians and to remind our members and friends of the need to pray for vocations. This is a year-round activity with collections sent to the state council in mid December and mid April. To grow this successful program to an even higher level of significance, councils are urged to "think beyond the jug" and to schedule fund-raisers and other unique activities or events to raise more money than could be collected by passing the jug alone. Monies collected are donated to the Vocations department of each diocese during the July statewide tour meetings each July. The chairman for Pennies for Heaven campaign is the State Secretary.

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
5/19/2011	First	7:00 P.M.	No. Ridgeville Council	Ted Lapponi	440-315-6527
				lapponta@middough.com	
6/16/2011	First	7:00 P.M.	No. Ridgeville Council	Ted Lapponi	440-315-6527
			_	lapponta@middough.com	
6/21/2011	First	7:30 P.M.	Brunswick Council	John Chalfa	330-416-0567
				firstknight95@ac	ol.com
7/21/2001	First	7:00 P.M.	No. Ridgeville Council	Ted Lapponi	440-315-6527
				lapponta@middough.com	
8/10/2011	First	7:00 P.M.	North Olmsted Council	Paul Mathieson	440-835-7203
				paulmathieson@man.com	
8/16/2011	First	7:30 P.M.	Brunswick Council	John Chalfa	330-416-0567
				firstknight95@ac	ol.com
8/18/2011	First	7:00 P.M>	No. Ridgeville Council	Ted Lapponi	440-315-6527
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Charity Ticket Sales 2011

The Charity Ticket Sales Campaign is near the end. We are now in the second phase.

We are asking each Brother Knight to sell or buy these tickets and mail or take the sold ticket stubs and money (1) to Jim Buckley, (address is shown below or use the enclosed envelope); or (2) give them to Jim at one of our regular meetings., If you have any questions or need more tickets, please call the chairman, Jim Buckley (440-235-4311). We need your help to do our job as Knights and help the Charities. We want to reach our goals again this year.

The FINAL turn-in date is Friday May 13, 2011.

No money or ticket stubs will be accepted after Friday May 13.

This year's ticket selling prizes have changed

PRIZES for selling tickets:

Selling 11 to 29 tickets entitles you to \$10 off your 2012 dues. Selling 30 or more tickets entitles you to \$30 off your 2012 dues.

Plus, selling seven (7) or more tickets will entitle you to a chance to win a \$50 cash prize.

Please recognize this benefit. If you sold 9 tickets and can sell or buy two more, you would have to pay ten dollars less on your dues next year. If you sold almost 30 tickets and can sell or buy a couple more you won't have to pay any dues next year. You have to sell 30 tickets for this benefit.

Checks should be made out to North Olmsted K of C #4731.

Thanks go out to all that have turned in their tickets. Special thanks to those Knights that sold tickets at their parish after the Masses.

Remember this is the major fund raising effort to support the charitable works of our Council No. 4731 and this can not be done without your help.

Jim Buckley, Chairman 28521 Aspen Drive North Olmsted, OH 44070 440-235-4311



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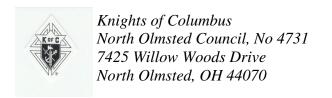


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Next Meeting: May 4th.

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:

May 3	Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
May 4	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
May 18	Rosary 7:00 p.m. Terrace Room
May 18	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
	Speakers Rudy & Edward Chavez, Feast of Guadalupe
May 31	Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
Jun 1	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence
Jun 15	Flag Retirement Ceremony St. Clarence
Jul 5	Officers Meeting, Class Room St. Clarence
Jul 6	Regular Mtg. Of Council 4731, 7:30p.m., Terrace Room St. Clarence