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MERRY CHRISTMAS - HAPPY NEW YEAR

The Officers and Committee Chairman extend Season's Greetings and best wishes for a Holy and Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year to all Brother Knights of Council No. 4731 and their families. We pray that the Christ Child, Our Savior, continues to shower his blessings upon us.

Overall, the 1968 Council Year has been a good one. There were a few minor setbacks and disappointments which is in the range of normalcy. Taken in the proper perspective, these adversities can only serve to lead us to greater unity and solidarity.

Council 4731 is looking forward to 1969 as a year of challenge. It will be a time of reflection and a time of moving forward. There's one thing for certain - 1969 will be a year of action, whether the action will be right or wrong, remains to be seen.

ANNUAL K of C - ISABELLA GUILD POTLUCK

WHEN: Right quick like, depending when you receive this Narrator. Would you believe Saturday, December 14.

TIME: 7:00 to 8:00 P.M., cocktails.

WHERE: St. Richard Church Hall

DINNER: How does sometime around 8:00 sound?

MENU: A potpourri of the Ladies' finest and best specialties.

Call Mary Arnold, 777-0904 or Joan Kleinhenz 777-4615 if for any reason you have not been contacted by now. It's never too late.

BYOB if you are interested in hanging around for a time afterwards. We'll be looking forward to seeing everyone.

CHILDREN'S XMAS PARTY - DECEMBER 22nd

WHEN: SUNDAY, December 22.

TIME: 2:00 P.M. to no later than 4:30.

WHERE: ST. RICHARD CHURCH HALL

AGES: 0 through 8 years old. This means any child who is a son or daughter of a member of Council 4731 who has not attained the age of 9 years last birthday.

ENTERTAINMENT: The PUPPETEERS - real, live action !!!

GIFTS: Appropriate to the various age groups and sexes.

SANTA CLAUS: Yes, the jolly old, fat man will be there himself to greet the kiddies and hand out the presents.

EMCEE: PGK Bill Beyer, who specializes in this sort of thing.

Xmas Party Chmn., Tiny Vitello, advises there are 195 children in the Council falling into the 0 to 8 year age bracket, but not evenly distributed. The boys make up only 25%. Assisting Tiny are: John Bovenzi, Hall decorating, Shirley Wolfe, and Carol Lucas - gifts and entertainment. Frank Kagel Sr., John Dodd, Joe Arnold, Dave Wolfe, and Hoe Hoehn serving as asst. supers and OBT specialists.

Grand Knight, Joe Kucharik, extends his personal Season's Greetings and his heartfelt thanks and appreciation to the Officers and Members for your support and loyalty.

COMING EVENTS

Dec. 14 - Annual K of C - Isabella Guild Potluck Dinner. See details in article.

Dec. 16 - Isabella Guild Zmas Party. Home of Carol Lucas, 2925 Canterbury Rd., Westlake - Time 8:00 P.M.

Dec. 18 - Regular Council Meeting. 8:00 P.M. Note the early starting time. Exemplification of the First Degree at 9:00 PM.

Dec. 22 - Children's Xmas Party starting at 2:00 PM. See details in article.

Dec. 25 - Our Savior's Birthday.

Jan. 1, 1969 - There will be no Meeting due to the Holiday.

Jan. 5, 1969 - Sunday Nite, Twelfth Night Ceremonies at Great Northern. 7:00 PM.

Jan. 15 - Regular Council Meeting, 8:30 PM. Exemplification of the Second Degree.

Jan. 31 - Annual Reunion Dance. 9:30 til 1:00.

Springvale Country CC. Tickets at \$4.00 per couple. BYOB. Band will BRO. Mike Jacobs from Brooklyn-Parma Council. Chmn: Bill Cech, 884-2302. Tickets available at Potluck Dinner.

STATE YOUTH CAMPAIGN - The Council has just concluded the most successful Campaign in our history. Chmn. Hepner and Skory will have the details for us in the next issue. A total of 694 books were turned in. Council's top sellers: Dave Wolfe, 111 books, a fantastic new record. Mike Vespoli, 67 books, and a new record for Mike. Harry Reagan, 33 books, and a new high for Harry in our Council. Presentation of their prizes will be made at our Dec. 18th meeting. Next Narrator will list details and names of all Knights and their prizes.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION - The Office of Council advocate is now open following the resignation of Bob Rehburg. This post will be filled in a special election at the Dec. 18th meeting. The Nominating Committee, headed by PGK Patton, recommends Richard Kusak for this position. Nominations can be made from the floor for anyone who is a Third-Degree Member.

Feb. 2 - Major Degree at Fr. Ragan Council, Avon

DONATIONS OF CHRISTMAS BASKETS - Our PR man, Vince Bianchi, and Social Action, Chmn., James Justice, are handling the private donations of a \$10.00 Xmas Basket to a needy family. There are 9 of us so far donating to a Family on ADC without a Father. Be Charitable - call Vince at 777-7068 or James at 777-6887. A most worthy giving

IMPORTANT

Membership Chmn., DGK Henry Kleinhenz, reminds us to attend the coming 1st, 2nd, and Third Degrees. These will be the last as we know them. Everything is to be changed effective 3-16-68.

May

the meaning of Christmas be deeper
Its friendships stronger
and its hopes brighter
as it comes to you this year