

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



Bishop William R. Johnson Council
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Santiago de Compostela Catholic Church,
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October 2010



COOK'S CORNER: Brothers (l-r) Roger Sonnenfeld, Charlie Young and Pat Bole will get another chance to cook breakfast for dinner for the youth ministry Oct. 10. See GK Berni Laituri's column (right) for details.

ID Drive

Council defends top rating in California again this month

by John Ojeda, IR Chairman

This is time to step up and say yes when you are asked to supervise a shift at a local grocery store.

The Tootsie Roll Drive (ID Drive) will take place at seven locations Oct. 15-17. At one location, the drive will be held Oct. 22-24.

Tootsie Roll

Each location has 15 shifts to support. With eight locations, that indeed takes a Council to handle.

We do have the Youth Confirmation classes to assist us but adult supervision is required. You can bring your family and make it an event. The shifts are two hours long.

This is not a hard sale. We offer free Tootsie Rolls when the store customers go in and we hope they donate on the way out. We wear beautiful yellow and red aprons and have cans to accept the funds collected.

You are needed to help with the largest charitable event our Council puts on. We raise these funds to allow Intellectually Challenged people to go to camp for a week or weekend.

It allows the caregivers a break and the local Catholic high schools to learn about volunteering. This is a win-win situation so please say yes to give of your time.

Grand Knight's Report

October has many chances to get involved

by Bernie Laituri, Grand Knight

Brothers the coming month offers yet more opportunities to get or stay involved in your council.

If cooking is your thing we will be preparing and serving the annual "breakfast for dinner" for our youth ministry on Oct. 9.

If you like to get dirty and sweaty, recycling is on the second Saturday and every Monday and Tuesday morning.



But the focus of October is the ID Drive.

This offers the chance to combine the virtues of charity and humility. It's also filled with hope for the future as we witness the youth of our parish working alongside us, and the generosity of our community displayed by yellow cans filled with their offerings.

By giving up a couple hours of your weekend you can enrich the lives of God's special children with love and joy.

If there's nothing going on that interests you then bring your interests to the next meeting and maybe you can start the next tradition. Remember, we are part of a great organization, and you are the part that makes it great.

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Membership Report

**Huge recruitment Sunday
reels in 59 future members**

by **Ricardo Teano, Membership Chair**

Recruitment Sunday held Aug. 15 provided our Council with 59 names to work on as future members of the Knights of Columbus.

Joe Salaiz of the Chapter was on hand to lead the recruitment at Santiago de Compostela Church that was conducted following each Mass that day.

The open house called "Intro Knight" was held the following week to introduce the recruits to the ideals of the Knights.

Eight new members include Robert Ryan Noble, Robert Birtja, John Barragan, John Teeter, Phil Thomas, Bill Kruki, Ron Fernandez and David Elsner.

The first degree exemplification was done at the church parish hall with Joe Schulte's first degree team.



Ricardo Teano

Other first degree members joined Sept. 9 At St Edwards Church in Dana Point. They are Martin Villafuerte, Rafael Gomez and Patrick Larkin.

A Second Degree ceremonial was held Saturday, Sept 12, at Fr. Kass Council in Buena Park. Those members are Robert Ryan Noble, Robert Birtja, John Teeter, Bill Kruki, Rafael Gomez and Martin Villafuerte.

As new active members, we have Augustus Ajawara a fourth degree Knight, and active transfers John Boyerman, a third degree, plus Wayne Hamilton and Kelly Cromwell.

Families of the Month

Five families co-honored

The Knights of Columbus is a family organization. We are all members of that family. Our parish is also family. The Santiago Festival celebrates our family and couldn't happen without support from the Knights family, all of the many who stepped up to the call for help.

Of course some of these should be acknowledged for going far above and beyond the call.

They include Gary and Sally Clack, Dave and Marty Atkins, Hector and Cindy Guzman, Mike and Mary Williams, and Stuart and France Imagawa. All were all living examples of what our Knights family should be.

We should all be proud to name them the Families of the Month
- *Bernie Laituri, GK*



Recycling Report September program hits new plateaus

by George Nothhelfer

We had another great recycling month thanks to all of the people listed below and our Monday and Tuesday crews.

We raised \$2,210 in September, increasing our all-time total earnings to \$291,600. The dedication that we had was great.

This ensures us a very successful program. We need this kind of support every recycling Saturday.



A lot of you asked what recyclables bring in the most dollars.

I have listed them in order of earnings: paper, plastic, aluminum, glass, cardboard and miscellaneous materials.

They are all very important to the program and make it successful.

Thanks and “Hats Off” to all listed below:

George Nothhelfer, Gene Ganley, Bob Morgan, Jim Breen, Courtney Johnson, Dan Ramella, Hector Guzman, Michael Anthony Rosas, Stewart Imagawa, Richard Teano, Vincent Gilbert, Jim Gilbert, John Teeter, Joe DeProspero, Pat Bole, Jose Lopez, Joey & Mordie, Oscar, Richard Mills, Joseph A. Lozano, John Donahue, Dennis De Rosia, Ken Carpenter, Ed Wagner, Charles Young, Pat Walloch, Rich Mulhaupt, Gerry Dubois, Pete Kellen and Claude Makin.

PROGRAM CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Save these dates for upcoming noteworthy events. Also, refer to the Council calendar on the last page of this Newsletter. Call or e-mail the DGK and Program Chairman, Steve Eggert (steveeggert@gmail.com ; 949-292-3625), if you have an item(s) to present at the next Council meeting. You may also e-mail the Program Chairman with any articles or announcements that you request be included in the Council Newsletter.

October

10/1, Friday: First Friday Adoration

10/2, Saturday 10 a.m.-noon: Town Hall Meeting at John the Baptist, Costa Mesa; Chapter Officers Installation Mass, 5 p.m., dinner after.

10/6, Wednesday, 8 pm: Council Business Meeting, please attend.

10/7, Thursday: Orange County Prayer Breakfast: Crowne Plaza Anaheim Resort, 12021 Harbor Blvd., Garden Grove; 6:30 a.m. Rosary, 7 a.m. Mass, 7:45 a.m. breakfast and program, 9 a.m. conclusion. \$35 per person. See www.catholicpb.com

10/9, Saturday: Recycling, 7 a.m.-noon. Please help out for any amount of time you can spare.

10/9, Saturday: the Knights will prepare “Breakfast for Dinner” for CI and CII confirmation candidates after the 5 p.m. Mass. Please help out before and after if you can.

10/10, Sunday: Doughnuts and coffee on the patio after all masses, please attend and help out after mass.

10/19, Tuesday: Blood Drive, Parish Hall

10/20, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Officers Meeting, all are welcome.

Scheduled Ceremonials

2nd Degrees. Oct 5,, Tuesday; District 91 Holy Spirit Parish Hall 17270 Ward Street, Fountain Valley. DD Ronn Knowles, 714-642-0303, KofC6095@yahoo.com Candidates 7 p.m., Degree 7:30.

Oct 27, Wednesday; District 7 Our Lady of Fatima Church, 105 North La Esperanza, San Clemente. DD William H. Millard, 949-481-9979, william_millard@dell.com Candidates 7 p.m., Degree 7:30.

Standing Ceremonials

1st Degrees (Candidates 7 p.m.) St. Martin De Porres Council 8238, Yorba Linda First Wednesday of every month.

St. Columban's Council 3926, Westminster Second Wednesday of odd months. Holy Spirit Council 9667, Fountain Valley First Tuesday of odd months. Father Kass Council 3526, Buena Park Third Monday of every month. Fr. Louis F. Knight Council 12451 Fourth Wednesday of odd months.

2nd Degrees (Candidates 7 p.m.)

District 85, Buena Park Fourth Sunday of odd months.

District 89, St Columban #3926 Second Wednesday in August, December and April. Holy Spirit 9667, First Tuesday in February, June and October.

District 95, San Clemente Fourth Wednesday of even months

– Steve Eggert, DGK

September meeting highlights

By Rick Reynolds, Recorder

1) Grand Knight's Report

- a) Council 9487 received District Deputy Commendation for recruitment.
- b) An Orange County Catholic Prayer Breakfast is planned for Oct. 7.

2) Application For Membership

- a) Applicants Alphonso Rodriguez, Rafael Gomez and Patrick Larkin had their applications read for membership, and were approved unanimously,

3) Committee Reports

- 1) The Intellectual Disabilities Drive is set for Oct.15-17, with one store a week later, Oct. 22-24 . Volunteers are needed. See John Ojeda.
- 2) A Fourth Degree is scheduled Oct. 9 at the Irvine Marriott Hotel.
- 3) Entertainment Books have arrived.
- 4) Recycling collected \$2,210. GeorgeNothhelfer is looking for an assistant.
- 5) Recruiting Results: There were 159 prospective members as a result of the recruitment drive, with eight joining the week before the meeting.
- 6) Financial Secretary report: Receipts of the meeting amounted to \$3,874.55.
- 7) Treasurer's report: The checking account had \$8,727.79, the savings account, \$3,810.34 at U.S. Bank, and the Vanguard account, \$39,959.12 for a total of \$52,497.25.

4) New Business

- 1) The blood drive is set for Oct. 19.
- 2) The budget is to be voted on at the Oct.. 6 meeting.
- 3) Prayer cards for Eucharistic Ministers who visit the sick are available from the Knights.

Pray for World Peace

Insurance Report

Long-term care means added value

by Dan Yubeta, KofC Field Agent

Since its addition to the Order's product portfolio in 2000, long-term care insurance has provided us with an excellent opportunity to further serve Knights and their families. And for our long-term care clients in the United States, a Knights of Columbus long-term care policy brings added value.

That added value is in the form of a service called "Provider Pathway," a program offering access



to a network of long-term care providers at discounted rates.

The network covers: home health care, personal emergency response systems, adult day care, assisted living, skilled nursing facilities and durable medical equipment.

Eligibility for participation in this program is open to Knights of Columbus long-term care insurance policyholders, their spouses, dependent children, parents and parents-in-law.

All providers are fully credentialed and meet state licensing requirements.

If you are not currently an LTC policyholder, I suggest that you and I get together.

I can provide additional information on how you can avail yourself of this valuable, value-added benefit.

I can be reached at (949) 322-7266.

Call me – let's talk

October Birthdays



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| 01 Jill Young | 16 James Fitzgerald |
| 01 Kathleen Elenz | 17 Thelma Sanders |
| 01 Donna Meeks | 18 David Balen |
| 02 John Ojeda | 19 Thomas McKenna |
| 04 Richard Ciolek | 20 Donald Leuer |
| 05 Brian Dobkowski | 22 Chris Russell |
| 05 Sam Ahn | 23 Janeen Blackwelder |
| 06 Donn Finn | 23 Michael Gregg |
| 06 Ruth Stevens | 25 Virgilio Mauban |
| 08 Jennifer Ross | 26 Joan Donahue |
| 10 Sharon Leuer | 27 Joan Loos |
| 10 Frances Plauche | 28 Mary Lynn Cowan |
| 10 Rhonda Ury | 28 Ken Hartzig |
| 11 Robyn Belz | 29 Ronald Lindabury |
| 11 David Atkins | 29 Eugene Ganley |
| 12 John Marchetta | 30 John Kistner |
| 12 Mark Petrash | 30 Carlito Frias |
| 13 Bernie Laituri | 31 David Alves. |
| 13 Ted Sweere | 31 Rudy Contreras |
| 14 Richard Samaniego | 31 Dina Samaniego |
| 15 Theresa Pooters | 31 Nickoplas Canaris |

October Anniversaries



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| 04 Frank/Rhonda Ury |
| 06 Stewart/France Imagawa |
| 07 Joseph/Aida Zuniga |
| 07 Joseph/Mrs. Marriley |
| 09 Bernard/Linda Laituri |
| 09 Tom/Naoimi Murphy |
| 10 Clete/Gynjer Menke |
| 14 Michael/Lisa Gregg |
| 14 Julio/Anna Martinez |
| 21 Joseph/Mary Papac |
| 21 Christopher/Ann Smith |
| 24 Patrick/Robin Bole |
| 24 Richard/Laurie Mills |
| 24 Israel/Theresa Conner |
| 24 Gregory/Alice Manning |
| 29 Joseph/Eileen Reinoehl |
| 29 James/Kathleen Elenz |
| 29 Sam/Estella Riela |
| 30 Richard/Barnara Ciolek |

— by John Ojeda, FS/PGK

Do we have your information?

Have you been getting the weekly information sent out weekly by email? Steve Eggert has been sending out weekly emails to keep us informed of the next Knights events. If you wish to receive these please get your email address, along with your phone number to John Ojeda at 949-595-0990, cell 949-813-4320 or john.Ojeda@cox.net.

If you have not noticed your spouses birthday listed or anniversary in the newsletter than we do not have it on our listings. Please use the same contact information to submit this. You will notice we do not mention years so age or length is not needed.

You have all received this year's membership card if you have paid your dues. Please check your card and if you Degree is not listed correctly then let me know how I may correct it.

You are the Council. We want to get the right information. It may take a while as I will follow Supreme until it is corrected.

I will not know you want any of this information noted unless I hear from you.

— John Ojeda, FS

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 First Friday Adoration	2 Town Hall Mtg, 10-12, SJB, Costa Mesa
3	4 MP Recycling 7-9:30 a.m.	5	6 Gen Meeting 7 pm, PHall 1st Degree St. Martins YL, 7, 7:30	7 2nd Degree, Holy Spirit FV, 7,7:30 OC Prayer Breakfast G.Grove	8	9 Recycle 7-12 4th Degree Irvine Marriott Breakfast for Dinner, PH
10 Coffee&Donuts after Masses	11 Columbus Day MP Recycle 7-9:30 a.m	12	13	14	15 MR Drive Feast of Teresa of Avila	16 MR Drive
17 MP Recycle7-9:30 MR Drive	18 1st Degree Fr. Kass, BP, 7, 7:30 MP Recycling	19 Blood Drive	20 Officers Meeting, 7:30 p.m.	21	22	23 Feast of St. John of Capistrano
24	25 Oktoberfest St. Edwards, DP MP Recycling	26	27 2nd Deg. OLadyFatima San Clemente, 7, 7:30	28	29	30
31 Halloween						

