KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS



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Valentine dinner dance is Feb. 9

The annual Valentines Day gala Dinner-Dance presented by the Knights of Columbus will be held on Saturday, Feb. 9, in our Parish Hall.

The schedule of events includes 5 p.m. Mass, an optional wedding vow renewal at 6:30, followed by cocktails at 7 p.m. and a buffet dinner. Dancing is scheduled from 8 to 11 p.m.

There will be an opportunity drawing and plenty of fun, guaranteed.

The menu will include carved prime rib, chicken Parmesan and heart shaped ravioli.

Those who didn't get in on the early-bird price by Jan. 27, the cost of tickets is now \$30.

It's important to commit to attending the dinner dance as soon as possible so the caterers will get an accurate count of attendees.

The marriages will be blessed at the 5 p.m. Mass the day of our big event.

Foe reservations, contact Brother Mike Ulibarri at (949) (310) 721-9160 or mgu@ earthlink.com (See Flyer, Page 5).

Grand Knight's Report Council achieving all goals at midway point

by Mike Sofka, Grand Knight

My brothers of council 9487. At this point in the Columbian year, I want to give you a "State of the Council."

We are on track in several areas to reach our goals.

As all of you are aware we have led all councils for 11 years running in the Bill Breen ID Drive. This Columbian year is no different. We will meet or exceed the dollar amount of last year, a record \$37,300.

We were one of the leading councils in the just completed "Wheelchair Sunday."

At this juncture we are also on pace for "Star Council." The three key areas are: Father McGivney award, Founders Award and Columbian Award.

We have gotten past the attrition of drops, both voluntary and for nonpayment of dues. From here on out we should be able to add to our 11 new members to get to the Fr. McGivney requirement of 25 new members.

Our council goal for the "Founders Award" is our insurance quota. We stand at a plus-2 with a goal of nine total. This is an area were each member, new and existing, can personally help. By signing up for a life insurance policy, this goal of nine can be easily achieved.

The third and final area is the Columbian Award.

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Knight of the Month Clete Menke

by John Ojeda, PGK

Brothers, please join me in congratulating Brother Clete Menke as Knight of the Month for February 2013.

Clete has been a Knight since 2001. He regularly is a lecturer at Mass, and he recently accepted my call to be a site Captain at our Bill Breen Tootsie Roll Drive.

He helped man the Wal-Mart store in Foothill Ranch. This was not without problems as another Charitable group showed up and he had to settle the situation with store management.

Recently, Clete was accepted as the Program Director for Mary's Shelter. This is one of the Charitable organizations we donate funds to each month. They help give teen mothers and their new families a head start to a brighter future.

Clete has risen to this position after spending nearly 25 years working with troubled youth and their families.

Please let Clete know how proud of him we are when you see him. Let us give a big salute to Clete Menke as our Knight of the Month for February.

– JOhn Ojeda, PGK

Family of the Month

The Bob Kupfert Family

This month we honor Bob Kupfert and his family. Bob's wife, Jackie has served the children's Vacation Bible Study (VBS) for at least five years. She not only works with the children, she also does double duty with the snack crew – making brownies and cookies for the children. Jackie has also worked as a babysitter.

Bob's children, Jacob, 15, and Julia, 11, are altar servers, usually working Mass together. Jacob was selected server of the year for 2012. Julia does children's liturgy.

Jacob, a sophomore at El Toro High School, is on the cross country and tennis teams. Julia is in the sixth grade and is involved in gymnastics, tumbling and trampoline.

He volunteers at recycling most months and is often seen in the kitchen working breakfast and spaghetti dinners. Bob enjoys barbecuing (take note Pat Larkin and Mike Ulibarri).

Bob was a key helper with the Veteran's Day wheel chair drive last November. He was there all morning helping with whatever was needed. The success we had that day was due in large part to Bob's assistance.

He is Director of Marketing for BR Direct Marketing in Santa Ana. Bob enjoys spending time with his family, working in the community and playing golf.

The Kupfert's dog, Pepper, is a Dachshund and Chihuahua mix. She was acquired through the Mission Viejo Animal Shelter.

Pepper is 3 and is an ambassador at Concourse Park in Portola Hills.

For all Bob, Jackie, Jacob and Julia contribute to the Knights of Columbus and Santiago de Compostela, we salute them as February's Family of the Month.

- Charlie Young, PGK

District Deputy's Message:

Membership a top priority

by John Piccolo, District Deputy 102

The first weekend of January, I had the pleasure of attending the State mid-term District Deputy meeting in Ontario.

I came back with a wealth of information that I have already shared with our Grand Knights.

Membership is always the number one priority and we were given some fresh reminders why this is so.

We must pass on our great organization to future generations.

We must make sure the church will always be able

to depend on the Knights, not just today but years into the future. Because of your membership, have you become a better Catholic, a better man, and provided more service to our church? I hope that the answer from all is a resounding yes.

We became members because someone asked us to join so what better way to say "thank-you" than to ask another man you know or even don't know to join the Knights of Columbus.

Keep a Form 100 in your glove box so you are always prepared to take an application.

The new Supreme Council membership campaign is called "The Power of One". The goal is to initiate at least "One Man per Council per Month" each and every month. Take five minutes to watch the five minute campaign video on www.kofc.org.

I have given a copy to each Grand Knight to show at your business meeting. Vivat Jesus.

G.K. REPORT:

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In order to receive the award, our council must hold a minimum of four programs in each of six service award categories.

The service categories are in bold followed by the programs. They are as follows:

• Church: Fr. McGivney Guild, Parish Maintenance, Altar Servers, First Friday, Wheelies.

• Community: Recycling, Blood Drive, ID Drive, Valentines Dance, Parish Mass and Barbecue.

• Council: Knight of the Month, Living Faith Books, Council Newsletter, FB, Website..

• Family: Family of the Month, Ice Cream Social, Sunday Doughnuts, Lenten Dinners.

• Youth: Scholarships, Essay, Free Throw, Breakfast for Dinner, Easter Egg Hunt.

• Pro-Life: Culture of Life, Pro-Life Donations, Mothers Day Roses, Ultrasound \$.

The State of our Council is Strong. I am proud of what we have accomplished so far. Thank you for the support and hard work it took to get us here and I look forward to working with you in Christ for the remainder of the year.



Important: Membership dues mailed

by John Ojeda Financial Secretary

The First Notice for membership dues for 2013 were mailed in January. Honorary Life Members do not have to pay dues.

Honorary members pay \$14.50 and all other members should pay \$40. There is a Voluntary assessment of \$3.65 for monies to assist Brother Knights in need.

When dues are paid and I can meet with our Grand Knight to sign them, the new membership cards will be sent out. Until then current membership cards will get you into meetings until March 31, 2013.

A return envelope was included in the mailing or send dues to John Ojeda, 21802 Ticonderoga Lane, Lake Forest, CA 92630.

The economy still affects many of our Brothers. In the past, some have paid additional dues as scholarships for their fellow Brothers and I' am sure this year will be no exception.

Also, if you are experiencing difficult economic times we do not want to lose a Worthy Brother over dues.

Just contact John Ojeda at john.ojeda@cox.net or cell 949-813-4320, or your Grand Knight Mike Sofka at 949-588-8307 or email to expk2wn@earthlink.net.

Dues are an important part of the income for our Council. They allow us to continue to fund our Monthly Donations to worthwhile Charities.

If you have any questions or concerns about your dues or if you have moved in the last year and have not reported the new address please contact your Financial Secretary.

Successful recycle program is generating income for Council on a year-round basis

by George Nothhelfer Dirctor of Recycling

Weekly Program:

Every Monday and Tuesday of the year, a few great people show up at two mobile home parks to pick up papers and deliver them to the fabled "barn" in back of the church hall.

To those who consistently



on one or both of these days, I cannot thank you enough. For those others who make it whenever their work schedules allow (and that seems when you're needed the most) we

up

George Nothhelfer say thank you.

And a special thanks goes to the five members of the team (two men, three women) who are not Knights.

In addition to the mobile park program, this group handles special pickups that can occur any time, such as the Penny-Saver (twice a month), book pickups (weekly), church missals (twice a year from three parishes), and brochures and engineering paper (on call from several companies).

Many of these products require additional processing before they can be sent to the recycler.

Recognizing that most of the weekly program requires pickup and delivery, the total work effort requires lifting over 410,000 pounds of paper product a year.

2012 Program Summary

	Program	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Monthly</u>	<u>Total</u>	
	U	•	\$17,305.14		
	1. A		129,134 lbs.		
Product Su	mmary, Review	:			
W	/eekly Program	Mo	onthly Program	<u>m Total</u>	
Paper	\$7,598.55		\$2,927.47	\$10,526.02	
Plastic	\$556.94	4	\$7,249.86	\$7,806.80	
Aluminum			\$4,112.46	\$4,112.46	
Glass			\$2 901.28	\$2,901.28	
Cardboard	\$144.8	5	\$117.07	\$285.92	
Product Su	mmary, Weight				
	kly Program		<u>hly Program</u>	<u>Total</u>	
Paper	205,85	2	81,2	204 287,056	
Plastic	720	5	8,3	9,118	
Aluminum			2,	628 2,628	
Glass			31	,548 31,548	
Cardboard	6,948	6,948			
- Compiled and illustrated by George Nothhelfer					

Not reflected in the numbers above is a substantial amount of plastic, glass, and aluminum that is collected or dropped off at the church and held for the monthly program.

Monthly Program:

On the second Saturday of each month we set up the lower Church parking lot to collect paper, plastic, glass and aluminum from our parishioners and the general public.

I addition, we collect these products from the same mobile home parks we service during the weekly the program.

Around 6 a.m., a few dedicated Knights show up to set up for the day, which begins a 7 and will last until closing at 12 noon.

Clean up and a little fellowship follows for those who are able to stay. Again, my thanks to those who have accepted leadership roles, those who consistently man this program every month and for those who can squeeze some time from their busy Saturdays to help.

This program can be very labor intensive for the five hours It operates; the public must be serviced in a timely manner so they will return consistently. All products must be sorted property to gain the best revenue from the product.

Although we are grateful to our teens who work for service

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needed for recycle area

We are requesting from the Council an additional \$7,500 allocation to complete the original request to fund the construction of the new recycling area.

The original \$15,000 estimate was based on partial data that did not meet all the specifications set forth in the final drawings and meeting with John Blaney, Construction Supervisor.

John did a preliminary study of the plan and defined more precisely the specific needs and requirements to be met.

We have had three bids, for \$19,750, \$27,709, and \$22,200. ABrother Knight's bid of \$14,500 was resubmitted at he last Officers Meeting.

A final contract must be drawn up and all items in the bid clarified and accepted.

We also have the original cost of the plans and the \$1,000 that needs to be paid to the city of Lake Forest. A committee of John Blaney, George Nothhelfer, and Bob Morgan has been formed to supervise the project.

The additional amount is to cover the costs over the initial \$15,000 plus any contingencies. We're close to the final goal and don't want to hold anything up.

It is the committees' intent to complete this project for the least expense to the Council, in the most efficient manner possible.

Your Officers will also have oversight on the monies spent.

We do not expect to use the total amount of \$22,500 but we need to insure that adequate monies are available to pay contractors and all parties involved in this construction.

Respectfully, George Nothhelfer, Recycle Chair

Added funds Christmas is over, but Lent around the corner

Christmas always seems too short a time. It will be Lent before you know it. George Nothhelfer and Ricardo Teano have been out selling Lenten Booklets on the Church patio.

The Christmas decorations were taken down the same weekend as Recycling in January. Thank you to all those who helped including Stewart Imagawa, David Atkins, Daniel Giorano, Chris Bohmfalk, Patrick Clack, David Clack, Ivan Guevarra, Rich Quinn, Rich Mulhaupt, Patrick and Karen Cardinale, Joe Lozano, Eileen Goodman, Bob Birtja, Richard Mills, Kay Kenson and Matt Thompson.

I really appreciate all of you being willing to come and help getting our Church back to normal

There is nothing normal about the Knights of Bishop Johnson Council. Our members are always ready to take on the challenge whether it be serving in Church Ministries, heading up Blood Drives, Recycling on Mondays Tuesdays or Saturdays, Captaining the Church Festival, Being with our Lord at First Friday Adoration or taking down decorations.

I am proud to be your Brother in Christ.

John Ojeda, Financial Secretary



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, Mike Sofka expk2wn@me.com; (949-338-7237), or John Blaneyjcblaney@att.net (949-632-5993) if you have an item(s) to present at the next Council General Business meeting. Email the Program Chairman with any articles you request be included in this Newsletter.

February 2013

2-1 Friday: Fist Friday Adoration..

2-4 Monday, Tuesday: Mobile Home Park recycling.

2-4 Clergy Night. Clergy Night: Come meet the priests of the Diocese of Orange County, 6:30 dinner at Marywood Retreat Center; 6 p.m. social hour, 7 p.m. dinner. \$20.00 per person

2-6 General Business Meeting, 7:30 p.m. (A decade of the Rosary will begin at 7:20 sharp).

2-9 Valentine's Day Dinner Dance starts after 5 p.m. Mass, Parish Hall2-9 Saturday: Recycling, 7-noon. Please help out for any time you canspare. Contact George Nothhelfer.

2-11/12 Monday, Tuesday: Mobile Home Park recycling.

2-18/19 Monday, Tuesday: Mobile Home Park recycling.

2-20 Wednesday: Officers meeting, all are welcome.

2-25/26 Monday, Tuesday: Mobile Home Park recycling.

2/28 Thursday: Chapter Business Meeting

Scheduled Ceremonials First Degrees

Feb. 9 Santa Ana Council 1842 (SPANISH) Immaculate Heart of Mary, Saturday GK Jose Navarette 1100 S Center, Santa Ana. Candidates 5:30 p.m., Degree, 6.

Feb. 18 Father Kass #3526, FK Council Hall, 8410 Kass Dr., Buena Park. Candidates 7, Degree, 7:30.

Feb. 21 Pope John Paul I Council, 6020 St. Bonaventure Catholic Church, Thursdsay. 16400 Springdale, Huntington Beach. 7, 7:30.

Second Degrees

Feb. 5 District 105, Holy Spirit Parish Hall, Tuesday. 17270 Ward St., Fountain Valley. 7, 7:30.

Feb. 17 District 95, Fr. Kass Council Hall, Sunday, 8410 Kass Dr., Buena Park. 1,1:30 p.m.

Feb. 27 District 103, Our Lady of Fatima Hall, 105 Esparanza, San Clemente. 7, 7:30.

Third Degree

Feb. 24 District 95, St. Pius V Parish Hall. Sunday, 7691 Orangethorpe, Buena Park. 1, 1:30

Standing Ceremonials

First Degrees

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, Dana Point, second Thurs-

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RECYCLE:

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still need Knights to help process the products that come in and supervise the teens.

We face into our most difficult times when the school year is out and the teens are not able to help. Needless to say, it is extremely hard work when only a few Knights show up to work on one of those Saturdays.

The monthly program produces over 67 percent of the total revenue from recycling.

Next Year's Outlook

Recycling will remain the number one money maker for the Council. However trends are down in revenue and weight primarily due to fluctuations in paper rates and volume.

Generally, newspaper volume seems to have stabilized for now, but the trend is for less print news and more Internet news which will have a future negative effect.

We have also suffered a reduction in special program collections due primarily to the relocation of the Penny-Saver. I cannot emphasize enough that our membership needs to be alert for opportunities for special collections, i.e. engineering paper, office file clean up, company brochures and catalogs.

Finally, we have experienced a significant decrease in the rate we are receiving for paper. The rate for paper and other products are market based and may fluctuate. Other recycle products seem steady in volume and rates.

With our new recycling facilities, we may be able to turn to some new sources for recycling products.

But remember: <u>with new</u> sources comes additional work, so Brothers, please be ready to get involved.

Catholic Men's Fellowship

A spiritual call to action ...

In the old testament God first called upon the Israelites to follow strict culinary and ritual cleanliness rules. Then God gave Moses the ten commandments.

In the gospels, Jesus was asked "Which is the greatest of the Commandments"? He replied that the most important is to love the Lord Thy God with all your heart and soul. And the second is like it; love your fellow human as you would have them love you. This is the basis of the American Principal of Religious tolerance. - John Donahue

January Program Highlights

1. GK Report

a. Don't forget recycling from 7 a.m.-noon the second Saturday of the month. The next dates are Feb. 9 and March 9. See George Nothhelfer.

2. Treasurer's and Financial Secretary's Report

Treasurer reported Checking, \$10,204.97; Vanguard 1, \$43,209.99; 2, \$6,344.91. Total: \$59,759.82. b. Cash Box, \$95; Recycling, \$307.46; Newsletter Advertising, \$60; Entertainment Books, \$675; Christmas cards, \$729.50; Dues, \$189.85. Total received. \$1,866.96.

3. Committee Reports, New Business

a. Rich Piecuch: Entertainment books only 70 so far, need everyone's help

b. Recycle report: John Teeter said program has raised more than \$350,000 since it began.

c. John Ojeda: Kof C response for victims of Hurricane Sandy up to \$ 500,000, plus local donations.

d. Christmas cards, need help for Ron Fernandez.

e. Jay, Spiritual Call to Action "Relate the Trinity." (See top of this page).

f. Pat Larkin, Dave Atkins and Pat, Dec. 29, dinner Saturday night after mass, Saturday, Dec. 29 free dinner. Dec 8-9 Bake Sale in support of Father Mark's kids

g. Bernie Laituri. Usher training, third Saturday of the month.

h. Bernie . Friday adoration, 2 a.m. hour open, need volunteer – Jose Lopez, Recorder



Kevin Irribarren Let's all welcome newest member Kevin Irribarren

by Ricardo Teano

Membership Committee

Please let us say hello to Kevin Irribarren, our newest member who joined the ranks Jan. 23.

He claims to be a Costa Rican and is in the mortgage business. He is married with three children. His initiation was done at the St. Cecilia Church Annex in Tustin by the Bishop Thomas Conaty Council 5385.

That ceremony lived up to its reputation as run by one of the best First degree ceremony teams. St. (Padre) Pio, a Capuchin Friar and Mystic, was honoree of the welcoming ceremony.

From now on, I look forward to joining more ceremonies here due to its proximity.

Brother Ignacio Mena and up and coming Brother Mario Leguizamo were present as helpful sideliners to lend their hands in

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Teens a big help; decision due soon on recycling areas

by George Nothhelfer, Program Chair

For December we made \$2,034. This has been impacted by the loss of the Penny Saver and drop in recyclable prices. This raised our total earnings to \$355,121.

The dedication that we have is great, which ensures us a very successful program. We look forward to seeing all of you Saturday, Feb. 9.

We had another great day with the assistance from the teenagers and they did a great job separating and identifying the plastics. But Brothers, we need your help to supervise the teens. Thanks to the Brother Knights that came early to help, along with the kids who need hours.

We have several bids on the construction of the new recycling area and will be making a decision on them shortly.

If anyone has any leads on businesses to include architectural companies that have excess catalogs and are willing to donate their paper recyclables please let me know.

A special thanks to our Monday and Tuesday morning crew for the dedication and extra hours they spend in making the program as success.

You have no idea what additional time and effort is spent by these people until you come and investigate. We invite any of you to stop and visit this important operation anytime between 7-8 a.m. Monday or Tuesday. These people are not all retirees, several of us have full time jobs. We generate 40 percent more of our program from this group. We need more of retirees to help for a couple of hours on Mondays and Tuesdays. Everyone has a good time.

Thanks and "Hats Off" to all listed below:

Michael Ulibarri, Dan Ramella, Richard Mills, Gerry H. Dubois, John Teeter, Jay Donahue, Stewart Imagawa, George Nothhelfer, Ricardo Teano, John Ojeda, Bob Morgan, David Atkins, Pat Bole, Liliana Labra, Cameron Olson, Chris Gutierrez, Revven Gutierrez, Bob Grabot, Connor Marriet, Dannielle Covamubias, Shea Roberts, Nathan Oneva, Kevpo Fuszelman, Ryley Zulauf, Robin Zulauf, Julia Gionet-Gonzales, Taylor Chamberlin, Anthony Gionet-Gonzales, Chris Bohmfulk, Connie Benson, Patrick Clack, David Clack, Emma Gaotelum, Eric Rodriguez, Eamille Kimble, Janae Mudge, David Keele, Michael T. Gutierrez, Amber LaBriola, Kirk Briola, Adela Malic, Austin Warren.

Thanks to Monday/Tuesday Morning Crew

Roger and Mo Boivin, Leo Alvarado, Jay and Joan Donahue, Gerry and Vivian (Viv) Dubois, David Farage, Hector Guzman, Bob Morgan, John Ojeda, Dan Ramella, Ricardo Teano, Otis Givenrod, Joe Schulte, Mike McCormack, Stewart Imagawa, George Nothhelfer, Alfonso Lopez, Chuck Agozino, John Honus.

Now is your chance for Bocce Ball

Brother Knights, interest is being sought for a Bocce Ball Tournament to be held at Santiago de Compostela, possibly by the end of February.

We are seeking interest in competing in the tournament.

Following the event, we would have pizza and liquid refreshment (read beer and wine – and nonalcoholic beverages) in the church hall or patio area – depending on availability of the hall and the weather.

For those who have never played bocce ball or do not know how it is played, be assured that it is a fun, easy game to learn.

There are two players per side and two teams vying for the win.

Points are awarded for those bocce balls closest to the "pill," and within a designated distance from the "pill."

The game is played to 21 points and the winning team must win by at least 2 points. That's it!

If you are interested, please contact Charlie Young, PGK, at (949)422-9814.

- Charlie Young, PGK

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day of odd months. St. Bonaventure Council 6020, Immaculate Heart of Mary (Spanish). Third Thursday of even months, Second Saturday

Second Degrees

District 94, Buena Park, fourth Sunday of odd months. District 91 Holy Spirit 9667, First Tuesday in February, June and October. District 92, St Columban 3926, Second Wednesday in even months. District 97, San Clemente, fourth Wednesday of even months.

Council 9487 Advertising Corner

Ad Rates: The cost is \$60 a year for a business card size ad, and \$40 a year for each additional business card size (3.5 inches x 2 inches) purchased (Ifyou purchase and ad the size of two business cards, the cost is \$100/year.) Get your business card advertised in the next issue of this Newsletter by calling Brother Ricardo Teano now at 273-8940.





01 Dave Stokes 01 James/Audrey Machulda 15 Patrick Larkin 01 Mark Bustamante 01 Emiliano Leonides 15 Iliana Fuller 01 Norris/Margaret Rudon 03 Richard Petrash, GK 17 Lawrence Brewer 05 John/Barbara Casiabianca 04 Rev.Gilberto Escobedd Kathleen McCarthy 17 Frank Ury 04 Eric Schechter 07 Jerome/Kathy Delmore 17 John Hanus 05 Amanda Breen 17 Gayle Peters 05 Don Orlowski 07 Edward/Pernille Brown 18 Christine Goebel 06 William Leahy 10 Richard/Patricia Piecuch 19 Vlad. Anderson 06 Coleen McNally 19 Carol Schechter 06 Rita Schulte 11 John/Theresa Gallegos 07 Gregory Such **19 Raquel Pineros** 19 Elsa Lopez 11 Richard/Patty Farina 07 David Sparks 09 Robert Noble 20 Lisa Haubert 21 Terese Sonnenfeld ¹⁴ William/Pearl Breen 09 Bonnie Teeter 09 Robert Doherty 21 Janet Gamache 14 William/Alvina Studley 10 Richard Olson 22 Latha Rodrigo 15 Mike/Mary Williams 12 Danuta Zakrzewski 24 Michael Casev 22 George Loos 13 Norris Rudon 16 Richard/Jeanne Donovan 25 Betty Naumann 14 Tim Campion 25 Emily Read 17 John/Mary Ojeda 14 Tom Canaris 27 Sharon Poli 14 E.O. Plauche 17 Richard/Lareina Young 28 Ann Smith 15 Eileen Reinoehl 28 Michael Rojas 15 Patrick Larkin 19 Richard/Diane Reynolds 28 Robert Grabot 16 Scott Napp 29 Robert Epperson 21 Don/Sharon Leuer 16 Penny Piccolo 13 Robert Williston 22 Peter/Christina Onufrak 14 Etienne Plauche 22 J./Marguerite Baumgartner

- Submitted by John Ojeda, FS

23 Lawrence/Rita Bishop

Send us birthdays, anniversaries

We are still looking for birthdates of Knights' spouses and anniversary dates. We don't need the years, just the month and day.

Send the birthday and anniversary information to john.ojeda@cox. net or call my cell at 949-813-4320.

Let us honor the spouses who stand behind us.

Do you know that if you attend a meeting on the month you celebrate your birthday or anniversary you could win a prize? That has been happening for some time. I hope it continues.

We are hoping to be able to save money by sending the Newsletter by Email to all with Email addresses and First Class Mail to those who do not.

If you are not getting weekly updates about Knight events then we do not have your Email address. Please send it to me.

– John Ojeda, FS

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MEMBER:

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supporting Kevin in his desire to become a Knight.

Ignacio and Mario were also designated as the "big brother" to Kevin.

A big brother guides the new member as he searches for his niche in the many ministries that the Knights of Columbus avail themselves of and is just a phone call away.

Nacho, as Ignacio is popularly known, also provide through his generosity, the transportation needed to carpool to the site.

Our gratitude to him .

Welcome Kevin. We look forward to your acquaintance with the other Knights and your camaraderie.