



# **THE KNIGHTLY NEWS**

Roanoke Council #562 Newsletter

September 2015

### **September Calendar**

**9/2** BINGO 6:30 at Gator Hall Team #1 (Whelan) reports at 5:30

**9/7** Labor Day—No Meeting

**9/8 (**Tuesday) Business Meeting 7:30 PM

**9/16** BINGO 6:30 at Gator Hall Team #2 (Vest) reports at 5:30

**9/21** Fraternal Benefits Night 7:30

**9/28** Fourth Degree Meeting; Dinner at 6:30, Meeting at 7:30

**9/30** BINGO 6:30 at Gator Hall Team #1 (Whelan) reports at 5:30

**10/12** Second Degree Candidates report by 7:00 PM; Degree starts 730 PM

### **Grand Knight's Report**

As your Grand Knight, I've pledged transparency in the workings of the Council as well as providing you with as broad a range of activities possible so that you may find one that both interests you and provides you with a means of satisfying our Lord's command to care for our brothers and sisters. In this newsletter, you will find several on-going, as well as new opportunities for you and your family to help others and satisfy your obligations to our Lord.

If you look at the list of our Council's Activities Chairmen, you will note that there are a couple of vacancies. I have younger/ newer Knights who have agreed to serve on

committees in all of our program areas. It

would be a disservice to these men, who don't yet know many members, to foist the chairmanship upon them! I need your help! I need you to take one of the vacant chairs and work with the Knights in that committee to help them achieve the greater good they want! Please let me know you'll help me, them and our council!

The Canfield Scholarship Committee has chosen recipients for the 2015 awards. The name of recipients are included below.

It's been several years since we've organized a purchase of Knights of Columbus shirts. Brother Ripple has researched current prices and you will find that information below. We will be taking orders during the next two months.

The spending plan presented in the last newsletter was approved at the August 3rd Business Meeting. We were remiss in not including the prior year's income and expenses in the copies of the proposed spending plans handed out at the meeting prior to that vote. I refer those who still have questions regarding how this year's plan compares to last year's actual income and expenses to last month's newsletter.

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John Krumpos, Grand Knight

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### Grand Knight's Report (Continued)

Bingo has been a huge contributor to the financial turnaround PGK Bobby Ellis was able to achieve last year for our Council. Due to small crowds at that bingo, the host, Gator Hall, has decided to end our bingo as of September 31st. God willing, PGK Ellis will be able to find another venue at which we will be able to continue our bingo.

A Corporation meeting was held following the close of our last Council meeting. Mechanical issues at the pool will seriously reduce the net pool earnings this year and negatively impact the corporation's income. The corporate treasurer presented a report which suggested that the \$6000 allotted in the Council's spending plan to pay for rent, together with the reduced pool income, may not be enough to pay the anticipated bills for the next year. It was reported that the Board of Directors' meeting will be held at 7PM on the fourth Thursday of the coming months, and that these meetings will be open to all Council members. Concerned members were encouraged to attend that meeting.

This month, I am pleased to announce Harry Griego, Stuart Stoval and Brian Velkoff as Knights of the Month. These three brothers stepped forward to manage this year's 'Hunger Is Not a Game' food drives! Congratulations!

Lastly, we welcome a future Knight, Declan Rhys Wirth, who was born to Brother Steve Wirth and his Lady Heather on July 30, 2015!

#### John Krumpos, Grand Knight Knights of Columbus Roanoke Council #562

In case of illness, need, or death, please notify			
one of the following:			
Grand Knight 960-1825			
John Krumpos			
Chaplain 682-5438			
Fr. Mike Herbert			
Financial Sec 774-8482			
Michael Lazzuri			
562 Council Home			
3136 Harris Street			
Roanoke, VA 24015			
Mail: PO Box 20974			
Roanoke, VA 24018			

### Special Newsletter Note

This September newsletter will be mailed to all members who do not have email addresses on file with the Council. This will be the one and ONLY newsletter mailed to those members gratis. If you want to received future newsletters by mail, noting that the Council cannot afford that expense, but if you want to mail our Financial Secretary Mike Lazzuri a check for \$10 and request that we mail you the newsletters for the remainder of the Fraternal Year (i.e., until next July 1), we will gladly send them to you.

## August Meeting Highlights

- The spending plan for 2015-16 was approved as presented. A comparison of line items to actual income and expenditures from last year are presented on pp 1-11 of this issue
- September and October are filled with activities—see the Program Chairman's report
- Grand Knight John Krumpos reminded us of numerous ways we can serve the Council—see the Grand Knight's report and "Ways to Serve" articles in this issue.
- Lecturer Dave Chopski delivered a thoughtprovoking report "Who Are WE?" (reprinted in this issue).
- A private 3rd and 4th Degree Exemplification was conducted for Fr. Mike Herbert, council chaplain. Congratulations to Fr. Mike.
- Pray for those who have died and for their families:
  - Jim Sullivan's Cousin
- Remember those Brother Knights and their family members sick and in distress:
  - Jim Donkers flu
  - Marge Dunn hospice
  - Sonya Whitney— cancer
  - Tom Engl's father—ill
  - Fred Ellis—still recovering from illness
  - Pete Regone—recent illness

## **Council Officers**

	Grand Knight	John Krumpos	960-1825
•	Dep. Grand Knight	Joe Colosimo	989-7969
	Chaplain	Fr. Mike Herbert	682-5438
	Chancellor	Glen Hall	315-5616
	Recorder	Stephen Ratliff	774-4796
	Financial Secretary	Michael Lazzuri	774-8482
	Treasurer	Joe Abbatello, Jr.	989-6246
	Lecturer	David Chopski	344-0901
	Advocate	Alex Nelson	774-5079
	Warden	Jim Donckers	345-3902
	Inside Guard	Tom Huck	704-749-3018
	Outside Guard	P.J. Lyons	562-8332
	Trustee, 3 Year	Bobby Ellis	366-5102
	Trustee, 2 Year	Jim Sullivan	774-7034
	Trustee, 1 Year	Karl Kleinhenz	397-4028

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### Committees

Program Director	Clyde Moak	797-7594		
Council Activities	Vacant			
Community Activities	Joe Colosimo	989-7969		
Family Activities	Vacant			
Youth Activities	Vacant			
Church Activities	Pat Reidy	725-8206		
Pro-Life	Vacant			
	Don Feick	774-0187		
KOVAR	John Krumpos	989-1986		
	Joe Abbatello	989-6146		
Objective	Mike Lazzuri	774-8482		
Charity	Bill DeBerry	343-7849		
	Rich Whitney	443-465-7742		
Newsletter	Rich Whitney	443-465-7742		
	John Church	588-7968		
Kitchen	Michael Lazzuri	774-8482		
	Steve Wirth	797-8812		
	Karl Kleinhenz	982-8140		
KCIC	Joe Devlin	206-2622		
	Mike Herron	533-5088		
Membership	Jan Hodnett	772-4125		
	Bill Howard	989-9399		
Ceremonials	Rich Whitney	443-465-7742		
	Bobby Ellis	366-5102		
	Karl Kleinhenz	982-8140		
Canfield Scholarship	Pat Patterson	815-6105		
	Joe Moses	389-0309		
	Bob Canfield	774-7554		
	Joe Abbatello	989-6246		
<b>D</b> / //	Pat Reidy	725-8206		
Retention	John Krumpos	989-1985		
	Bill DeBerry	309-5655		
Publicist	Bill Howard	989-9399		
RC School Board	Alex Nelson	774-5079		
OLN Parish Rep	Don Feick	774-0187		
St. Elias Parish Rep	Jim Donckers	345-3902		
St. Andrews Parish	P.J. Lyons	562-8332		
Insurance Field Agent	Clyde Moak	797-7594		
	Jim Donckers	345-3902		
	Joe Devlin	206-2622		
Pool	George Cuadrado	989-1758		
	P.J. Lyons	562-8322		
	Stuart Stovall	915-9915		
House/Rental	Glen Hall	315-5616		
	Tom Huck	740-749-3018		
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	Glen Hall	776-1529		
Club Room	P.J. Lyons	562-8322		
	Pat Reidy	725-8206		
	Stuart Stovall	915-9915		

### **Opportunities to Serve**

"Charity does not consist of gifts of money alone..." goes a saying all Knights are very familiar with. But how does one serve our Lord and fulfill his commandment to serve the poor amidst the hustle and bustle of our busy lives? And how do we teach our children how to serve? Our Council has several on-going charitable projects that you should know about. These are specifically aimed at giving you, your Lady and your children the opportunity to serve. Take advantage of the one that best fits your interests and participate. Remember, we are a FAMILY organization so include your family when serving.

**Ram House** ... our Council cooks and serves lunch for the homeless and the poor at Ram House on the third Saturday of every month. There is always room for another pair of helping hands. Call Jim Sullivan (540-774-7034) for information.

**Hunger Is Not a Game** ... several times a year, our Community Activities Committee obtains permission to collect snacks outside of area Kroger Stores. With the assistance of Roanoke City and County Police officers, we deliver these snacks to city and county schools for the students in the after school programs. With over 600 homeless students in Roanoke City alone, there is more need than can be met. Call Brian Velkoff (540-904-8450) to participate in the next event.

**Pancake Breakfasts** ... every year, our Church Activities Committee schedules a pancake breakfast at each of our three parishes. Money raised at each breakfast is turned over to the pastor at that parish to use for the project of his choice. Call Pat Reidy (540-725-8206) to find out when you can help at your parish.

**Keep Christ in Christmas** ... selling religious Christmas cards to combat secularism in our world began in Roanoke and has since spread throughout the country. Our local pastors have said that this is one of the Knights best projects. We will be starting selling cards in October. To do your part in fighting secularism, Call Chuck Hatcher (540-314-3360) to volunteer at St. Andrew, Rich Whitney (443-465-1142) to volunteer at Our Lady of Nazareth, or Jim Donckers (540-345-3902) to volunteer at St. Elias.

**KOVAR**...stands for 'Knights of Virginia Assisting the Intellectually Disabled (Retarded)' and is the Virginia State Knights of Columbus charity corporation that provides grants to organizations serving God's "special children" in Virginia. In addition to the 'tootsie roll' collection drives that are mostly held in the spring, for which we are most famous, we also raise money by gathering together and going out to dinner at two local restaurants that donate 20% of the food bill to KOVAR several times during the year. So when we call you to help on one of our drives, please be generous with your time. At the very least, take your family put to eat when we have one of our communal dinners! Call Don Feick (540-774-0187) for the latest information on our KOVAR activities.

**RebuildingTogetherRoanoke** ... Brother Roger Vest recently brought this opportunity to the Council's attention. Please read the separate article regarding this opportunity.

### Rebuilding Together -Roanoke

"Rebuilding Together - Roanoke (RTR) is a community volunteer organization *[that is highly praised by local and state government]*. Its purpose is to bring together volunteers to improve the lives of low-income homeowners across the Roanoke Valley by doing the repairs needed to make their houses warm, safe, dry, accessible, energy efficient and healthy. Last year, RTR groups completed 115 projects involving over 1200 volunteer.

While it is a bit like Habitat for Humanity, it differs in several major aspects. First, RTR focuses on existing homeowners who are low income and over the age of 60, or living with disabilities, or are veterans or a surviving spouses of a veterans. Second, it matches projects that can typically completed in one weekend with groups based upon their abilities. Third, groups as small as 8 can participate. And lastly, a group signs up for only one project, one weekend."

While they always appreciate financial support, RTR mainly needs groups of volunteer ready to perform repair projects. They are having a 'Veterans Rebuilding Day' on Sept.26th that would be a great way for you to show your patriotic support of our servicemen and women. So, if you are moved to help the elderly, the disabled or the veterans in our community, and want to join members of our Council to do a project, please contact Roger Vest either by phone (540-774-8672) or email (rvest@aol.com) to become part of our Council's first RTR team.

### **Chaplain's Corner**

The beginning of

September always gives me a jolt. I can't help it. I spent 41 years in school (24 as a student, 17 as a teacher). Technically, many of those academic years started at the end of August, but I never really felt we were underway until some digital calendar assured me it was 09-01-XXXX. Even now, more than a decade after I



left school for (presumably) the last time, I still have the nagging feeling that I ought to be doing something, starting something, getting ready for something. I have an inexplicable desire to get some ball-point pens and no. 2 pencils, even though I am perfectly well aware that to contemporary students these are about as obsolete as physical books and library cards.

For all of us there is or ought to be a similar periodic spiritual jolt. Maybe it comes with Advent or Christmas, Ash Wednesday or Easter. Maybe it comes with a baptism or a wedding or a funeral. Every once in a while we need God to stir us up a bit, to get us asking those big questions that we carry through life: how should I live? What's it all about? Where am I going, and why?

There's been a lot to jolt us in recent months. There's been the seemingly unstoppable rise of ISIS, which claims that God is pleased by rape, murder, and terror. Nearer home, we've discovered that chopped up baby parts can bring in as much as \$120,000 per month to a regional Planned Parenthood office. The real horrors of our world turn out to be far worse than anything Stephen King can imagine.

Yet this must not jolt us into despair, but rather into new and deeper commitment to the simple definition of our mission as Knights: practical Catholicism. It's not arrogance but truth to say that in our faith are the best answers to the mysteries of life and death. Love God. Love neighbor. Bear with one another, prop up one another, comfort the sorrowing, and rejoice in all good things. That's what it's all about, and if we live it we are going where Jesus has led, because that is the only place to be happy.

Fr. Mike Herbert, Chaplain Knights of Columbus Council #562

### Who Are We?



Who are we? Yes, we are the Knights of Columbus, but what does it mean when you say, I am a Knight of Columbus. It means you are a member of the largest, Catholic, Fraternal Service Organization in the world. You belong to an organization which has 1.9 million members in 14000 Councils throughout the US, Canada, Philippines, Mexico, Poland, Dominican Republic,

Puerto Rico, Panama, the Bahamas, the Virgin Islands, Cuba, Guatemala, Guam, Saipan, Lithuania, Ukraine, and South Korea. It means you share the principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism with your Brother Knights no matter where they may be. Most importantly you belong to an organization that throughout its history has always stood for religious Freedom and in defense of the Catholic Faith.

In 1914 we stood against strong anti Catholic Sentiment that saw misinformation openly printed and distributed. In the 1920's we fought all the way to the Supreme Court to overturn State laws that would have abolished Catholic Schools. We fought against discrimination not just against Catholics, but against all minorities and immigrants in direct confrontation with the Ku Klux Klan. We fought to make known the plight of the Church which was being persecuted in Mexico. We met with President Calvin Coolidge and launched a \$1,000,000 educational campaign to influence public opinion. These events are not just things in our past. We still defend our faith today. Right now, the Knights of Columbus is actively involved in providing assistance to Middle Eastern Christians in Syria and Iraq. We have provided \$3,000,000 in humanitarian aid to those Christians forced to leave their homes or be martyred. We have produced TV commercials and an expose in the New York Times Magazine to tell the world what is happening to our Christian brothers and sisters who are being driven to ex-

## Insurance Agent's Report

### Ways to Pay for Whole Life

We live in a world of options and we are constantly bombarded by choices. Some of these make our lives more complicated, but many of these choices are created with our satisfaction in mind.

At the Knights of Columbus, every product we offer has been designed solely for the benefit of our members and their families. When I present an option to you, it's because a team of experts has discussed it at length to be certain it serves your best interest.

We have a few options on how you can provide and pay for the whole life coverage that your family needs. Many whole life policies call for premiums to be paid for your entire life or to age 100. But we also offer permanent life coverage with guaranteed cash values (and the potential to earn dividends, which are not guaranteed) through policies that offer a limited period of premium payments.

First, we offer a 10 Pay Life and a 20 Pay Life. Consider paying premiums for 10 or 20 years, and never having to pay for the coverage again. The plan is paid up and no more premiums are due. The plan stays in force, the death benefit remains intact and the guaranteed cash value continues to grow.

A plan with similar benefits is Life Paid Up at 65. The difference over 10 or 20 Pay Life plans is that this permanent product requires you to pay premiums until age 65. Then, premiums stop (just in time for retirement), but the plan remains in force.

Finally, the ultimate in limited pay is our Single Premium Life product. Imagine buying life insurance, permanent life insurance, and only paying one single premium? It's possible.

To learn more about these products, our long-term care insurance, disability income or retirement products, please call me today.

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tinction. Pope John Paul II called us the Strong Right Arm of the Church. And we are. No group can do what we do; \$173.5 million dollars donated to charity in 2014, 71.5 million man hours of service. We do all this and more in service to our church, our fellow man, and in defense of our Catholic faith. (Continued)

### Who Are We? (Continued)

So who are we? We are the Knights of Columbus. In an era when our Catholic Faith is attacked from all sides and the media decries our moral stands, do not be ashamed to say you are a Knight of Columbus.

Be proud of Our Order, proud of its history, proud of its accomplishments; accomplishments which are possible only when committed men unite together in the pursuit of a righteous cause.. Do your part to strengthen our order. Go on-line to www.KofC.org and learn about our history, our current efforts. Let the strangers to Our Order, the uninitiated Catholic men we meet at Church every week know who we are and what we stand for. Let them know why they need to join us now. Be Loud and be Proud, you are a Knight of Columbus.

Dave Chopski Lecturer, Roanoke Council 562

## Roanoke Knights of Columbus, Inc. Meetings

Meetings of Roanoke Knights of Columbus, Inc. are held the last Thursday of every month at the council home. This corporation is established as a taxexempt entity to hold the properties of the Roanoke Knights of Columbus (council home, land, and pool).

These meetings are open to all Knights. If you have any concerns about management of the properties, please get involved in the corporation meetings. If you wish to speak to the Board during the meeting and be added to the agenda please contact Chairman of the Board Joe Colosimo 989-7969.

## Upcoming Degree Exemplifications



October 12 (Monday) Second Degree (Roanoke) 7:30 PM

October 24 (Saturday) Third Degree (Radford) Time TBA

October 31 (Saturday) Fourth Degree (Chantilly) Times TBA

December 12 (Saturday) Second/Third Degree (Martinsville) Times TBA

## \*Bingo\*Bingo\*Bingo\*

### Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

Roanoke Council 562 and Fincastle Council 12134 When: Every Tuesday Night 6:30 PM

Where: Gator Bingo Hall 5301 Williamson Rd. (Across from Bad Wolf Barbeque, near Happy's Flea Market)

Separate smoking and non-smoking areas

Food available from the Gator Grill

\*Bingo\*Bingo\*Bingo\*

### Past Grand Knight / Past Faithful Navigator Dinner — October 10

### Fourth Degree Exemplification



The next Fourth Degree Exemplification will take place on Saturday, October 31st, 2015 at the Westfield Marriott in Chantilly, VA.

If you have taken or will take your Third Degree before that date and are interested

in taking the Fourth Degree, please contact the Faithful Navigator or a Sir Knight of Assembly 1167.



Our annual recognition dinner will again be held jointly with our Fourth Degree Assembly. This year though, we will also be joined by the Fincastle and Salem Councils, which means that you will have an opportunity to get together with even more old friends!

To accommodate the larger crowd, our event will be held in the social hall at OLPH church in Salem on Saturday, October 10th. Social hour will commence at 6:30 (a cash bar...wine and beer...will be available) and a catered dinner will be served at 7:30.

## Program Chairman's Report

### **Recent Events**

**Hunger is Not a Game – Community Food Drive** Thanks to everyone for a successful food drive. We collected 3 boxes of snacks for 13 different schools along with drinks. Thanks to the Community committee for leading this Award Winning Program. Our next collection is set for November 11<sup>th</sup> at the Towers Kroger. More information to come on this.

### August Retiree's Luncheon

This month at our retiree's luncheon our committee served homemade chicken pot pie and peach cobbler with ice cream. 28 of our brothers came with their families to enjoy the food and fellowship. Please think about attending our next one – remember all who can attend are invited.

### Aug 17<sup>th</sup>, Monday – First Degree

Exemplification of the First Degree was held on August 17. We welcomed one new member and one transfer member:

Alex Siyufy Joe Davis

### **Upcoming Events**

State Football Frenzy Tickets are still available - \$10 for a chance to win each of 10 weeks. Remember \$2 stays with our council. See GK John Krumpos for tickets.

### Sept 19<sup>th</sup>, Saturday– Soccer Challenge

We are still looking for people to help run the event on that day. Please email me to find more information about helping us out. clyde.moak@gmail.com

### Sept 21<sup>st</sup>, Monday – Fraternal Benefits Night

Come find out what all your benefits are as a Knight that you are entitled to. Find out what your family gets as well. Dinner available. Bring the families and potential Knights as well.

### Oct 4<sup>th,</sup> Sunday – OLN Pancake Breakfast.

Please come out and help serve and show off to the parish who their Knights are. There will a table set up for recruitment so please come wearing your shirts, pins and anything else showing your pride as a Knight. We will be serving after all morning masses.

Oct 10<sup>th</sup>, Saturday – Past Grand Knights Dinner – OLPH This year we are teaming up with the Salem and Fincastle Councils for our PGK Dinner. Bring your wives. \$15 a person and a cash bar available. Please see me or our GK for tickets at our meetings in September.

And Last but not least - KOVAR

Hold the date – Abuelo's KOVAR Charity Night – November 10<sup>th</sup>, Tuesday - Come and eat this night and part of your dinner cost will be donated to KOVAR. Come for good food and a good cause.

### **Soccer Challenge**

This year's Soccer Challenge will be held on Saturday, September 19 at Lawrence Park, which is behind Lawrence Transport on Rt 11 (Hollins area). It is open to all boys and girls from ages 8 thru 14, who will compete in separate age and



gender groups. This is a 'penalty kick' type of competition, which rewards accuracy. All contestants must be accompanied by a parent or guardian and register for competition between 5:30 and 6:30 PM at the park.

If you have children, grandchildren or know children who might want to compete, be tell them and their parents about this event. If you can attend the Soccer Challenge, please come and enjoy an afternoon with the kids! We may even need your help scoring.

Last year, one of our Challenge winners went on to win the Virginia State Title for his age group. Let's see if we can't do at least that good again!

## Roanoke Council Scholarships Awarded

The Albert Canfield Scholarship Committee selected the recipients of the Council's 2015 Scholarships. Congratulations to the following students who each received \$500:

Ruth BoylanAlliaDanielle HodnetColElizabeth PattersonBerDaniel RoweMaOliver ThorumFai

Allison George Colman Largen Benjamin Ripple Matthew Rowe Faith Weatherman

## Council Golf Shirts and Name Badges

We are taking orders for Council shirts. These are high quality golf-style shirts. Available colors are: white, black, navy, red, forest green, royal blue, light blue and ash. The third degree logo is embroidered on it as well as our Roanoke Council 562 and Roanoke VA. Shirt prices vary by size:

Small,	medium and large	\$32
2XL	\$37	
3XL	\$42	
4XL	\$47	

You can also have your name embroidered for an additional \$3. [These prices are for shirts without any pocket. If you want a shirt with a breast pocket, there is an additional \$5 cost.]

We are also taking orders for name badges. Basic price is \$6. If you want more than Roanoke Council 562, Roanoke VA and your name on your badge, each additional line will cost an additional \$0.25.

You will be able to order your shirt and badge during the next two months at our business and social meetings. You can also order by calling John Krumpos (540-960-1825) or Brian Ripple (540-776-8285).

### **Pancake Breakfasts**

Pancake breakfasts have been scheduled at the three parishes represented by our council:

Sunday, October 4 OLN Sunday, October 25 St. Andrews Sunday, November 22 St. Elias

Volunteers are needed; Please contact Pat Riedy 725-8206 for details or to volunteer.



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## Helping a Veteran in Need

Saturday, Sept. 26 is the day which Rebuilding Together Roanoke has dedicated to repairing homes of veterans and the widows of veter-



ans. Rebuilding Together Roanoke is now looking for small teams to do repairs. Our Brother Karl Kleinhenz has taken on the task of organizing brother Knights to help replace 3 windows and a storm door, and perhaps other minor tasks, at a veteran's home on Long Meadow Ave. NW. No skills are required and all work can be done by men or women; the only requirement is that you are at least 16 years old.

If you can lend a hand to a veteran and help with these repairs, contact Karl at 540-397-4028 or Karl.Kleinhenz@RoanokeVA.gov. If you have questions about Rebuilding Roanoke Together, or their programs, contact another brother Knight, Roger Vest at 540-520-8520 or rvest@aol.com.

### Fraternal Benefits Night September 21



Are you getting the most out of your Knights of Columbus membership? Bring your wives and families. Dinner will be available and during my short talk I will have a video running in another room for the kids. When the Knights of Columbus started back in 1882 all members were "Insurance" members. This is no longer mandatory but **this is an opportunity that all Knights and their families should take to learn about what you are missing!** Come and see what Father McGivney dreamed of every Catholic man and Catholic family to have.

### Council Schedule of Events (Updated August 3, 2015)

Date	Event	Description
Aug. 3	Council Mtg	
Aug. 6	Retiree's Luncheon	Council Activity
		Community Activity at Brambleton
Aug. 8	Food Collection	Kroger
Aug. 7	Pool Party	Corp. Fund Raiser
Aug. 17	1st Degree	Council Activity
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Cont. 0		Monday is Labor Day so meeting is on
Sept. 8	Council Mtg	Tuesday
Sept. 19	Soccer Challenge	Youth Activity
Sept. 21	Benefit Night	Insurance agent
Oct. 4	Pancake Breakfast @OLN	Church Activity
Oct. 5	Council Mtg	
Oct. 10	PGK Dinner	multi-Council Activity
Oct. 17	1st & 2nd Degree	Council Activity
Oct. 19	No Social Meeting	Please attend the degrees on Sat.
Nov. 2	Council Mtg	
Nov. 3	Election Day!!!	
Nov. 7	Food Collection	Community Activity at Tower Kroger
Nov. 10	Abuelo Night	KOVAR
Nov. 16	Memorial Mass	Council/Family Activity
Nov. Dec.	Christmas Card Sales	Church Activity
Nov. 26	Thanksgiving	
Dec. 7	Council Mtg	
Dec. 12	Adult Christmas Party	Family Activity
Dec. 21	No Social Meeting	Spend your time with family!
Dec. 25	Christmas	
Jan. 4	Council Mtg	
Jan. 18	Social Mtg	
Feb. 1	Council Mtg	
	Council Mtg	Family Activity
Feb. 7	Super Bowl Party	Family Activity
Feb. 13	St. Valentine Dinner	joint-Family Activity with Salem Council
Feb. 15	No Social Meeting	Please attend St. Valentine Dinner/
Feb. 17	Ash Wednesday	
Mar. 7	Council Mtg	
Mar. 21	Social Mtg	
Mar. 27	Easter Sunday	
Apr. 4	Council Mtg	
Apr. 5	Montano Night	KOVAR
Apr. 18	Social Mtg	
Apr & May	KOVAR Drives	KOVAR
Apr. 29,30,1	State Convention	
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May 2	Council Mtg	Nomination of Council Officers
May 14	Casino Night	Council Activity
May 16	No Social Meeting	Please attend Casino Night!
June 6	Council Mtg	Election of Officers
June 20	No Social Meeting	Please Attend Clergy Night
June 27	Clergy Night	Church Activity



Visit www.cccofva.org or call 540.342.0411 to register. Early registration fees:

