



THE KNIGHTLY NEWS

Roanoke Council #562 Newsletter

October, 2016

Upcoming Events

10/1 (Saturday) Veterans Renovation Day

10/4 (Monday) October business meeting 7:30 PM

10/8 (Saturday) 1st/2nd Degree Ceremonials - Roanoke Council Home

10/13 (Thursday) Corporation meeting 7:00PM Roanoke Council Home

10/15 (Saturday) 3rd Degree ceremonial—Radford

10/16 Pancake breakfast St. Andrew

10/16 (Sunday) Local Soccer Challenge (Roanoke)

10/20 (Thursday) All Are Welcome Lunch Council Home 12:00

10/22 (Saturday) Southwest Virginia Regional Soccer Challenge - Roanoke

10/24 (Monday) 4th Degree monthly meeting Rosary 6:00; Dinner 6:30; Meeting 7:30

11/5 (Saturday) 4th Degree Exemplification—Richmond

11/7 (Monday) November business meeting 7:30 PM



Grand Knight's Report

As summer officially comes to a close, our programs begin to ramp up. Over the next two months, we will be wrapping up our annual pancake breakfasts at our parishes. The OLN breakfast was on Sept. 25th. The St. Andrew breakfast is scheduled for Oct. 16th and the St. Elias breakfast will be on Nov. 13th. Please jot your parishes breakfast down on your calendar and be ready John Krumpos, Grand Knight to volunteer to help when asked.



Another major event...actually two...will happen in October. The Council's Soccer Challenge will be on Sunday, Oct 16th and the State Tournament southwest Virginia regional event will be on Saturday, Oct. 22nd. We will need help your help for both of these events.

If you have not yet taken your second degree, or have someone who you want to join the Order, we will be having a 1st AND 2nd Degree exemplification on SATURDAY, October 8th at 9:00 AM at our Council home. You will not often have the opportunity to take your second degree so close to home, so don't miss this opportunity!

And if you haven't yet taken your third degree, one will be held in Radford on Saturday, Oct. 15th...again so close to home!!! So, a prospective member, or a member of the first degree can become full-fledged Knight in a single week!!!

Any member who knows of a first or second degree member should encourage them to take advantage of these opportunities.

And finally, our annual Memorial Mass, with reception following, will be on Monday, Nov. 21st at the Council home. More details will be in the November newsletter

John Krumpos, Grand Knight Roanoke Council 562

September Business Meeting Highlights

GK mentioned the passing of Charlie Vaughan, a 4th degree member. Honor guard and prayers are requested.

Just completed the first mailing of the newsletter and the recipients included member and widow wives of former knights.

Welcome Michael Hopkins a new 1st degree member from St Andrews and sponsored by Bobby Ellis

Treasurer Report

RAM House Donation 303.00; LOV Donation 250.00

New Business

Stephen Ratliff elected outside guard.

Fund Raiser to support Roanoke Catholic:

- 1. Purchased to formal dinner dance tickets to draw at an upcoming meeting (motion passed)
- 2. Pool family membership to donate (motion passed)

\$200 requested and approved for after school meal program. Purchase snacks at Kroger to donate to Breckenridge Middle School.

1st & 2nd Degree in Roanoke Saturday 10/8

Pancake Breakfast at OLN Sept 25th Sunday. Looking for Knights and men from OLN to help

Dale Hall: Family night out, Railyard Dogs Hockey Team. Oct-April, a fund raiser

Mike L: German Night, more to follow including meal and event details

3rd Thursday of the month luncheon, free will donation. Open to public. 12p-130p Last event was a success

Community

Don Feick, Kovar, Changes being made, logo change, more to come. With training and education on how to make Kovar more successful. In the past we have done Abuelos. We will begin these again soon.

Spaghetti Dinner and Movie Thursday 9/15 at 530pm to 700m, and movie at 700pm.

Celebrating Canonization of Mother Theresa put on by the Catholic Historical Museum of the Roanoke Valley. Portion of proceeds to Scholarships at Roanoke Catholic School.

Price is donation and take out is available. Call 556-7240.

Youth

Soccer Challenge events in October, boys and girls ages 9-14, several events upcoming

25 kicks on goal and highest score wins

1 event is 10/16 Sunday in Hollins area at 2:30, seeking volunteers, 2-5 people to help with registration and scoring

Regional Events will follow, Oct22nd, Rivers Edge 2-4p, 1-2 volunteers needed

Carl: Veterans Build Day upcoming, Sat 10/1, looking for a house captain, Michael Hopkins new member volunteered to be house captain and has to check calendar to be certain he can

Will need training or guidance on process.

4th Degree Report

Exemplification 1st Saturday in November (5th), Richmond Double Tree, \$70 fee, Includes banquet and fees

Upcoming Degree Exemplifications

- October 8 (Saturday) 1st/2nd Degrees Roanoke—1st Degree 9:30 AM, 2nd Degree to follow.
- October 15 (Saturday) 3rd Degree St. Jude Radford (details TBA)
- November 5 (Saturday) 4th Degree Koger Center Richmond (details TBA). Contact any 4th Degree member for application and additional details..





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In case of illness, need, or death, please notify one of the following:

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Keep Christ in Christmas

Our annual "Keep Christ in Christmas – Send Religious Christmas Cards" campaign will be starting again soon! Since 1989, Catholics in Virginia have sent over 4.4 million spiritual messages and have raised \$1.45 million for charity. Profits are used to fund college scholarships, support seminarians, and contribute to critical right-to-life endeavors.

Please plan to support this program by spending a few minutes after the mass you normally attend to promote this great program in your parish. See your local parish coordinator for more details:

St. Andrew Chuck Hatcher OLN Rich Whitney St. Elias Jim Donckers



Soccer Challenge

The Knights of Columbus
Soccer Challenge is a
competition designed for boys
and girls aged 9 through 14 to
demonstrate the most basic
of soccer skills – the penalty
kick. Roanoke Council #562



will host both our council event and the regional event for the western part of the state.

The council's Soccer Challenge will be held on Sunday, October 16 from 2:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Lawrence Field which is located in North Roanoke at 872 Lee Hwy. Registration will open at 2:00 p.m. for participants. We are in need of volunteers to register participants and to serve as score keepers. Volunteers should arrive no later than 1:30 p.m.

The regional Soccer Challenge will be held on Saturday, October 22 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at River's Edge Sports Complex located at 302 Wiley Drive in Roanoke. Registration will open at 1:30 p.m. for participants. In addition to help with registration and scoring, we also need volunteers who can help set up the two goals for scoring. Volunteers should arrive no later than 1:00 p.m.

We need 6 – 8 volunteers for each event to make this a fund competition for our youth. Knowledge of soccer play and rules is not required. If you can help at one or both of these events, please contact Brian Ripple at 776-8285 or ripple562@aol.com.

Pancake Breakfasts

The Council will host the second of its annual pancake breakfasts on Sunday, Oct. 16th at St. Andrew. All profits from these breakfasts are donated to the pastors' designated charity. Please come out and help us support this wonderful cause. The final break-



fast is scheduled for Nov. 13th at St. Elias.

All Are Welcome Luncheon Thursday October 20

Fall is upon us and it is the month of October which brings thoughts of Ocktober Fest celebrations.... So with this in mind we have decided to have a nice German theme luncheon in the month of October this year.

Come join us and help us celebrate on Thursday, October 20. Lunch will start with appetizers of Beirocks (Beef and Cabbage Turnovers) followed by a main course of Rinderrouladen (Braised Stuffed Beef Rolls) with Red Cabbage and Apples and Kartoffelpuffer (German Potato Pancakes) and a dessert of Schwarzwalder (Black Forest Cherry Cake).

Luncheon is served at the Knights of Columbus Home at noon. Doors open at 11:30 am. Feel free to stay on after lunch and play games if you wish. Everyone is welcome. You do not have to be a Knight or a member of the council. Bring

friends and enjoy lunch with us.

There is no charge for the lunch, however, if you wish to make a donation you are welcome to do so





Donate to VKCCI It's Easy and Fully Tax Deductible!

As you prepare to make your end of tax year donations, please consider VKCCI. VKCCI is a tax exempt charity corporation under 501(c) (3) of the U.S. Tax Code. Contributions by check, made payable to **VKCCI**, should be mailed to:

Ronald P. Gorman, PSD, Treasurer Virginia Knights of Columbus Charities, Inc. 116 Meredith Way,

Newport News, VA 23606-1160.
Contributions can also be made by credit card by visiting the Virginia State Council website at www.vakofc.org, clicking on the blue VKCCI

Donations button on the right side of the home page, and completing your transaction. All major credit cards are accepted.









Thanks from CHMRV

The Catholic Historical Museum would like to thank all who attended our spaghetti dinner and movie tribute to Saint Mother Teresa on September 15th. Both the food and movie were well received by all. The Museum appreciates your support.

Karl Kleinhenz President, CHMRV





Workplace Giving & KOVAR

The next couple of months you will be hearing about work-place giving from your employer and from entities like United Way and others. What a great idea to include KO-

VAR for part or all of your planned giving! For those who are Federal employees giving to the Combined Federal Campaign KOVAR's number is 42569. If you are eligible as a Virginia employee your number for KOVAR is 735 for the Virginia State Combined Campaign. The numbers to use for United Way and others may vary so ask how to include KOVAR in your gift.

After making your pledge, scan your pledge forms and email it to treasurer@kovarva.org and identify Roanoke Council #562 so your gift can be credited to our total.

All of God's Special People diagnosed with Intellectual Disabilities in Virginia thank you in advance for helping to improve their lives and the lives of their loving families. KOVAR can't do it without your help.

Dine at Abuelo's for KOVAR

Abuelo's will once again be the site of a KOVAR benefits night of dining from about 5 to 9 PM on Tuesday, October 25. Circle this date on your calendar and begin to line up your family and friends for a great night of delicious food and fun. All you have to do is bring a flier which will be available at the Council or from our three parishes (or just tell your wait staff that you are there supporting KOVAR or the Knights). Then order your favorite entrée from the Abuelo's menu and enjoy! Abuelo's will donate 20% of your bill to KOVAR, the Virginia K of C charity which helps God's Special People with Intellectual Disabilities.

Please tell your neighbors and co-workers about this fun event. You don't have to be a Knight or Catholic to join us in this great fund raiser. See you at Abuelo's on October 25!

Veterans Renovation Day



The **2016 Veterans Renovation Day** will take on place **Saturday, October 1, 2016** The assigned tasks are:

- Remove and install new rain gutters and down spouts.
- Replace exterior frost proof faucet.
- Repoint Exterior
- Replace exterior parging with wire and cement

The job site will be in the northwest section of the City of Roanoke. Volunteers are needed! Contact Mike Hopkins 540-537-8318 to volunteer.

Van Drivers Needed at OLN

OLN Van Ministry is now recruiting for additional volunteers for the Saturday 5:30PM Mass. We currently have a well staffed Sunday team for the 9:30 Mass and welcome all new interested persons. This important ministry was actually formed by the Knights of Columbus thanks to the wonderful recruitment efforts of Don Feick. If you are interested, plan to attend a special in-service training scheduled for Wednesday, Oct. 5 from 6-8 PM at OLN in the Conference Room. Qualifications to be a volunteer van driver are: have an up to date standard driving license; have a good driving record (copy from the DMV), and patience mixed with a good sense of humor. The goal is to have volunteers drive twice every quarter, (eight times a year). All registered van drivers are covered under the Diocesan Insurance when driving the van. If you are interest and/or plan to attend this very important meeting, please RSVP Kathy Struble by kathy.struble@gmail.com or (540)-525-5004 as soon as possible.

Corporation Meetings

Corporation meetings will be held on the 2nd. Thursday of the month at 7:00 PM. All Brother Knights who are members of Council 562 are welcome to attend.