Grand Knights Report

Brother Knights and Ladies,

Making it home after a hard day's work, or a long trip is a good feeling. It is where we are comfortable and welcome. Our Council and Parish strive to make us feel that way. It is membership and parishioners who make this happen. I thank everyone who makes an effort to do their part in our Council, and I personally appreciate everyone who has helped me out and made me feel welcome.

Our next meeting in June will bring the election of officers. The nominating committee has a slate of candidates. Any member is welcome to nominate another candidate at the next meeting before the election is held. There will also be a 1st. Degree ceremony at the June meeting. Current 1st. Degree members are welcome to sit in and advance to the 2nd. and 3rd. Degree at that time.

I'm sorry to report the passing of member Paul Politte. He was a regular active member, had attended the April meeting, joking and in good spirits. Paul had moved away from the area over 50 years ago, but decided to move back and call St. Rose and Council 1185 his home the last several years. This brings to mind our motto -Tempus Fugit Memento Mori- Time flies remember death.

Congratulations to all graduates, especially our 8th. grade at St. Rose. I wish them and all school children a fun filled Summer. I hope everyone enjoys the summertime, keeping in mind activities like the 4th of July celebration and others. Please check the newsletter for dates and times. You are always welcome at your home, Council 1185.

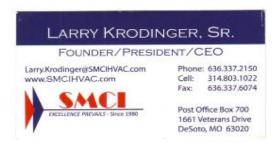
Fraternally, John Ziegler G.K.

Thank You Section:

If you know of someone who deserves a little recognition, let John Ziegler or Bob Roth know and we will get them in the newsletter.

- 1. Warren and Darla Muzzey for providing shirts for our grass cutting crew.
- 2. Larry Krodinger and E. A. Boyer and all who helped on the golf tournament.
- 3. Thanks to the 5th Sunday Breakfast workers Jimmy Sampson, Don and Pam Aylesworth, Kevin and John Ponzar, Pam Long, Keith Missey, Tom Christopher, Bob and Debbie Roth.





E-mailing the Newsletter: IMPORTANT

Due to rising cost of printing and postage and with the increase of internet and e-mails we will no longer mail the Knights of Columbus newsletter starting in January 2024. Currently, you can either have the newsletter sent to your e-mail address or access the newsletter from our web site www.desotoKofC.org. If you want it sent to your e-mail, I will need you to send me the e-mail address at bbddroth@sbcglobal.net.

In Memorian:

Paul Politte - Member

Savannah McCreary - Daughter in Law of member Jeff McCreary

Columbia Ann's Report:

June Birthdays: Terry Sprous 6/8 Betty Hardin 6/8 Pam Aylesworth 6/13 Betty Goodwin 6/20 Joyce Christopher 6/21 Sarah Govero 6/22

Columbia Ann's:

Spring is quickly going by and summer is upon us. With summer comes lots of family fun for Memorial weekend, 4th of July celebration and vacation time. Friends and family and faith are so important in our lives. Hoping everyone has a great Spring and Summer.

A vote was made to make a donation of \$300.00 to the fireworks group as it is a great celebration that will take place July 1st this year. Be sure to bring your family and friends for this great celebration. A check was issued to the men for a little over \$5,000.00 for the profit from the fish fry. Again, thanks to the committee who worked hard during this 6 week event. We are hoping they will take this on again next year. We have formed a committee to review the current by-laws and make some changes to the by-laws.

Always looking for help for Bingo. Need runners on the 2^{nd} week bingo to take food out to the players. They order in the Clubroom. Could use someone to fry burgers on the 1^{st} and 4^{th} week when Ed Schutte is out of town. Ed has been kind enough to help us on the 4^{th} week also. Just need to fry burgers and clean the grill.

July will be no meeting as it is the installation of officers. Bring a covered dish and a family member with you. Very nice ceremony.

We had the election of officers:

Vicky Moss-President

Jodi Haws- Vice President

Jenn Missey- Treasurer

Kayla Muzzey- Secretary

Trustees- Debbie Roth, Beth Novotny, Sue Krodinger

Looking forward to a great year 2023-2024 with the officers.

Upcoming events:

Will be looking for more help this year in the kitchen for the Car Show if you can help this fall. We were busy and need more help so some can take a break. We do breakfast and then roll into lunch. Hours 6 am to 4pm. If you can only work the morning or afternoon that is fine, you do not have to stay all day.

Concession stand dates to work from 6pm to 9:30pm- May 19th, May 26, June 2nd, June 9th, June 16th, June 23rd, June 30th, July 7th, July 14th July 21st (see Vicky if you can help)

June 10^{th} – Barbershop Quartet singing- Need help for food prep in kitchen and serving- 2pm to help with food prep- 5pm to serve the singers, 6 pm to serve the public (see Vicky if you can help)

June 18th- Catering for a birthday party upstairs (see Vicky if you can help)

July 1^{st} - We will offer food (will do this out of the back door of kitchen) Need help for this event (See Vicky if you can help)

July 8th- Catering 50th anniversary- upstairs- time not set yet

On Line Queen of Hearts:

Our online Queen of Hearts game is up and running. All tickets and drawings will be held online and all payments will also be made online. If you come to the hall on Mondays, you can buy tickets at the hall without going on line. Anyone can buy tickets and play this game. This is being used by 2 organizations in Bloomsdale and they have had pots of over 100,000.00 dollars. The hall will keep 50% of the payout so this can be a very good and needed source of passive income with little involvement from us. This will not affect the Monday night Queen of Hearts drawing, the Q of H game on Monday will continue with no changes. In order to buy tickets, go to our web page (www.desotoKofC.org) and select the Queen of Hearts link.

June 2023

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|-----|------------------------------|---|--|-------------------------------------|
| | | | | 1 | Horseshoe League. Concession stand open | 3 |
| 4 | Queen of Hearts Drawing | 6 | 7 Bingo 6:00 | Knights of Columbus and Columbia Anns meetings at 7:00 pm. Meal will be served. Initiation ceremony | Horseshoe League. Concession stand open | 10 Spirit of St. Louis Chorus |
| 11 | Queen of Hearts Drawing | 13 | 14 Flag Day Bingo 6:00 | 15 | Horseshoe League. Concession stand open | 17 |
| 18 Father's Day | Queen of Hearts Drawing | 20 | 21 Bingo 6:00 | 22 | Horseshoe League. Concession stand open | 24 ACW Wrestling Show |
| 25 | Queen of Hearts Drawing | 27 | 28 Bingo 6:00 | 29 | Horseshoe League. Concession stand open | |





Upcoming Events:

June 8th

Initiation Degree Ceremony

On Thursday, June 8th we will have a degree ceremony at 7 pm prior to our council meeting. If you have someone you want to join our council, get them signed up prior to our meeting. If you are a 1st degree member and would like to take your 2nd and 3rd degree, you can attend the meeting and become a third degree.

June 10th

Barbershop Vacation

On Saturday, June 10th the Spirit of St. Louis Chorus is having a Barbershop Vacation. Tickets can be purchased by calling Kaleb Smith @ 636-575-8099 or e-mail kcc117@outlook.com. A mostacolli meal will be served also.

June 24th

American Championship Wrestling

On Saturday, June 24th the ACW Wrestling will again come to the Knights of Columbus Hall. Doors open at 5 pm and tickets are \$6. This is a fun evening so please plan to attend.

July 2ndOn Saturday July 2nd the club room is planning a 4th of July Bash. Music, food and fireworks are planned. See club room report for more details.

July 22nd

Pork Steak Dinner and Music

On Saturday July 22nd the club room is having a pork steak dinner and music. Weather permitting we will have the music playing outside and will turn the parking lot in front of the club room into a beer garden, hot dogs will be provided free of charge for the kids.

July 30th Sunday Breakfast
On Sunday July 30th we will have a 5th Sunday breakfast after the 7 am mass. For \$5 you get eggs, bacon, sausage, biscuits and gravy, potatoes, pancakes and fruit cocktail. Come out and enjoy a good breakfast. You can't cook a breakfast cheaper than this.

June Birthdays:

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|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Trent Mc Cullough | 1^{st} | Robert Winckel III | 2^{nd} | Jeffrey P. De Clue | 3^{rd} |
| James E. Courtois | 4^{th} | Brian T. Duepner | 4^{th} | Matthew J. Hardin | 5 th |
| William K. Lucas | 5^{th} | David Ryan | 5 th | Lawrence S. Daugherty | 6^{th} |
| Rudy A. Telscher | 6^{th} | Travis E. Johnston | 6^{th} | Kyle C. Tolbert | 6^{th} |
| Della Boyer | 8^{th} | Marshall A. Du Buque | $10^{\rm th}$ | Aaron Hardin | 10^{th} |
| Matt O'Neal | 11^{th} | Richard P. Charboneau | 13^{th} | Lance T. Milner | 15^{th} |
| Elijah Muzzey | 15^{th} | Ryan McKee | 16 th | Zachary Horn | $17^{\rm th}$ |
| Chris Allen | 17^{th} | Kevin E. DeClue | $18^{\rm th}$ | Michael Tucker | 18^{th} |
| Everett J. Pashia Jr | 19 th | Mark S. Jennings | 22^{nd} | Coleman E. Berry | 22^{nd} |
| Gary Doyen | 25^{th} | Wayne Krodinger | 25^{th} | Jason W. Davis | 27^{th} |
| Jarod J. Drummond | 27^{th} | Tyson C. Milner | 28^{th} | Dr. Patrick Yeung Jr | 29^{th} |







Humor Me:

Things Dads Would Never Say

- 1. "Well, how 'bout that? I'm lost! Looks like we'll have to stop and ask for directions."
- 2. "You know Pumpkin, now that you're thirteen, you'll be ready for un-chaperoned car dates. Won't that be fun?"
- 3. "I noticed that all your friends have a certain hostile attitude. I like that."
- 4. "Here's a credit card and the keys to my new car. Go crazy!!!"
- 5. "What do you mean you wanna play football? Figure skating is not good enough for you, son?"
- 6. "Your Mother and I are going away for the weekend. You might want to consider throwing a party."
- 7. "Well, I don't know what's wrong with your car. Probably one of those doo-hickey thingies—ya know—that makes it run or something. Just have it towed to a mechanic and pay whatever he asks."
- 8. "No son of mine is going to live under this roof without an earring. Now quit your belly-aching and let's go to the mall."
- 9. "Whaddya wanna go and get a job for? I make plenty of money for you to spend."
- 10. "What do I want for Father's Day? Aahh—don't worry about that. It's no big deal." (actually they might say this, but they don't mean it).

Club Room Report:

We have had a lot of help this past month with different activities. So, a big thank you to Bob & Debbie Roth, Keith & Karen Newbury, Darla & Warren Muzzey, John & Cathy Rogers, Annie O'Shea, Trevor Dulle, Dustin Schutte, Gabe Stearns, Peyton O'Shea, and Eric Coleman for helping with the clubroom work day!!! We got so much accomplished and the inside and outside of bar looks great! We appreciate it all so much!!!

Our other event with a lot of work and helpers was the shrimp boil. Thank you to Keith & Karen Newbury, Wayne Haws, Ed Schutte, Bob & Debbie Roth, Tiffany & Brandon Viehman, Dustin Schutte, Pam & Don Aylesworth, Kate White, Eric & Cassi Coleman, and Darla & Warren Muzzey Danny Hahn and Jennifer Thebeau for working this big event.

We started getting a second beer distributor this month. We will be carrying a few new varieties of beer and drinks. Some of these include Corona, Twisted Teas, Yuengling flight and lager, Lagunitas IPA, Blue Moon, Coors Light and a few others. Let us know if you have any requests.

Lastly, we would like to let you know a little more about our Independence Day celebration this year. The bar will open at 3 p.m. like normal. We will have a patio and beer tent set up outside like last year. The Columbian Anns will be serving food from the patio again this year. Live music by Modern Yesterday will start at 6 and run until dark. There will be bubble machines, glow stations, and a play area set up for the kids. Our fireworks show will start around 9 and it is a show that you do not want to miss. This is a huge family fun day and we can't wait to see everyone again this year!!!

- The Clubroom Committee

Horseshoe League:

The Friday night horseshoe league have started. The concession stand is open for hamburgers, hotdogs, french fries, candy, soda and beer. We are looking for 2 people teams to work 1 Friday a month or less if we can get enough volunteers. If you are interested, contact Bob Roth @ 586-2404, Vicky Moss or Cassie Coleman in the club room.

Web Page:

Check out the new web page that Tiffany Viehman set up. It is at www.desotoKofC.org. For up to date information on what's going on at the Knights of Columbus Hall, please "like" us on **Facebook.** Knights of Columbus/KC Hall De Soto, MO

Spiritual Report:

- "The most important thing a father can do for his children is to love their mother." Theodore Hesburgh
- "My father didn't tell me how to live, he lived, and let me watch him do it." Clarence Budington Kelland
- "You don't raise heroes, you raise sons. And if you treat them like sons, they'll turn out to be heroes, even if it's just in your own eyes." Walter Schirra Sr.
- My father always told me, "Find a job you love and you'll never have to work a day in your life." Jim Fox
- "It is a wise father that knows his own child." Shakespeare
- "God is the Father who is always home." Unknown
- "Of all nature's gifts to the human race, what is sweeter to a man than his children?" Cicero
- "It has been said that paternity is a career imposed on you without any inquiry into your fitness for it. That is why there are so many fathers who have children, but so few children who have fathers." Adlai Stevenson
- "A father is a man who expects his son to be as good a man as he meant to be." Frank A. Clark
- Jim Bishop describes the feeling a father had when his daughter became engaged: "This is the third of four daughters. Every time it happens, I'm obsessed with the feeling I'm giving a million-dollar Stradivarius to a gorilla."
- "A father is a thing that is forced to endure childbirth without an anesthetic... A father never feels worthy of the worship in a child's eyes. He's never quite the hero his daughter thinks, never quite the man his son believes him to be, and this worries him, sometimes. So, he works too hard to try and smooth the rough places in the road for those of his own who will follow him...Fathers are what give daughters away to other men who aren't nearly good enough, so they can have grandchildren who are smarter than anybody's. Fathers make bets with insurance companies about who'll live the longest. One day they lose and the bet's paid off to the part of them they leave behind." Paul Harvey

Insurance Agent Report:

Hello, all!

We will be hosting Fraternal Benefit Nights which can be attended virtually. Below is a list of the upcoming events:

<u>April 13 at 7:00 PM CST</u> - Jim Effner "The Importance of Whole Life as part of Retirement Plan" <u>May 23 at 7:00 PM CST</u> - Tom Hegna "Who Wants to be a Millionaire" June 27 at 7:00 PM CST - Jim Effner — "The Importance of Whole Life as part of Retirement Plan"

The next on this list is Jim Effner:

Jim Effner is founder and President of P2P Group and specializes in training financial services professionals. Previously Jim was Managing Partner of one of the largest Northwestern Mutual offices in the country. He built the Effner Group to nearly 150 full-time and college advisors, insuring over 65,000 policyholders.

You are invited to join our webinar featuring Jim Effner, who specializes in financial services and has been helping thousands of families with financial planning.

April 13th @ 7:00 pm

RSVP: https://tinyurl.com/KofCEffnerApril13

Vivat Jesus!

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K of C Golf Tournament 2023

2023 Golf Report

| Prof | it | 8471.00 | Profit | 7405.00 |
|-----------------|----------------------------|-----------|------------------------------|------------|
| Total Expenses: | | 10757.00 | Total Expenses: | 10572.00 |
| | Miscellaneous | 75.00 | Miscellaneous | 75.00 |
| | 50/50 | 425.00 | 50/50 | 500.00 |
| ** | Soda, water, chips, candy | 463.00 | Beer, soda, water, chips, ca | ndy 905.00 |
| | Dinner, Brats and Hot Dogs | 1378.00 | Dinner, Brats and Hot Dogs | 1315.00 |
| | Signs | 399.00 | Signs | 650.00 |
| | Prizes | 1947.00 | Prizes | 1751.00 |
| | TDL Golf Course | 6016.00 | TDL Golf Course | 5076.00 |
| Expe | enses: | | Expenses: | |
| Tota | l Income: | 19201.00 | Total Income: | 17977.00 |
| | Donations | 3300.00 | Donations | 3180.00 |
| | Hole Sponsors | 2350.00 | Hole Sponsors | 3300.00 |
| | Hole #11 | 669.00 | Hole #11 | 372.00 |
| | Hole #17 | 442.00 | Hole #17 | 310.00 |
| | Hole #8 | 370.00 | Hole #8 | 310.00 |
| | 50/50 Drawing | 850.00 | 50/50 Drawing | 995.00 |
| | Teams 33 @ 340.00 | 11220.00 | Teams 32 @ 300 | 9600.00 |
| Income: | | | Income: | |
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2022 Golf Report

Whole Hog Sausage Report

Income:

| Dinners | 4585.00 |
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| Sausage Sales | 4256.00 |
| Raffle | 1234.00 |
| Donations | 815.00 |
| Craft Booth | 120.00 |

Total Income 11010.00

Expenses:

| Profit | 4513 | 8.00 |
|--------------------------------|---------|------------------|
| Total Expenses | 6492 | 2.00 |
| Clean Up | 300.00 | |
| Ice Cream and Apples | 618.00 | |
| Printing, Postage, Advertising | 480.00 | |
| Raffle Prize | 617.00 | 100 donated back |
| Food Supplies | 1134.00 | |
| Processing | 1493.00 | |
| Hogs | 1850.00 | |

Steve Siadek won the 50/50 and donated \$100 back to the council. Thank you Steve.

Save the Date for the Knights of Columbus Car Show:

Saturday October 7th is the planned date for the Knights of Columbus Car show. We will be sending out reminder notices and sponsor letters in the near future. We can always use help and meeting notices will be posted in the newsletter.

^{**} This year we had H.W. Herrell and the club room donated the beer. A big thank you to all who helped make this tournament a success.