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Kent Council 8150

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November/December, 2004

Calendar of Special Events

Saturday, November 13 – 6:00 PM
Altar Server Pizza Feed

Sunday, November 14 – Breakfast 9-11 AM
Christmas Cards go on sale today.

Council Meetings

Tuesday, November 9, 7:00 PM
Rosary - 7:00 PM
Business Meeting – 7:30 PM

Tuesday, November 23
No Meeting, Happy Thanksgiving!

Tuesday, December 14, 7:00 PM
Rosary - 7:00 PM
Business Meeting – 7:30 PM

MEMBERSHIP

Congratulations to Sir Knights Melvin Haus and Henry Turowski on advancing into the Fourth Degree on Oct 23rd.

HONORED KNIGHTS

Family of the Month
October – Ron and Terry Bernards

Knight of the Month
October – Robert Ugarte

OTHER UPCOMING EVENTS

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December:
SlipperFest-2004 (Distribution 12/16)

January:
Free Throw 2005 (Friday, 1/14)

March:
Spring Raffle Drawing (Sunday, 3/13)
St. Patrick's Dinner Dance (Saturday, 3/19)
Easter Egg Hunt – (Saturday, 3/26)

April:
Recognition Banquet (Saturday, 4/30)

"Membership Corner"

Grand Knight's Message

The **Oktoberfest** dinner dance was a great success. We served about 145 people and the polka band made it a lively party. A great night of talking, eating and dancing was had by all and we netted \$1,000 which was given to Holy Spirit Parish. Robert Ugarte and Darrell Ehlers did an outstanding job leading the event. A special note of thanks go to the youth group leaders Ron and Terry Bernards and their crew that cleaned up afterwards, and to Eileen Turowski for the decorations that converted the Activity Hall into our dinner/dance theatre.

November starts off with the presentation of the **Star Council Award for 2003-2004**. This award was presented at the November 9 Meeting to past Grand Knight Jim Sheffield by the past State Deputy, Wayne Hogan. The meeting started at 7 PM with a Rosary with the presentation after the rosary.

"**Christ in Christmas**" is the theme of our Christmas card sales program which begins the weekend of November 6/7 with opportunities for us to buy cards during coffee hour. Other opportunities to purchase cards will be at the November and December breakfasts, at the November 20 Bazaar, and on December 4/5 during the coffee hour.

A **Blood Drive** is being conducted at Holy Spirit Parish on November 22. Sign up to give blood in the vestibule of the church before and after Mass starting on November 6. John Feuerborn can use some help with the sign-up. Yes, to save a life, we even want your **blood**.

Christmas Party for Council 8150 will be December 4 after 5 PM Mass, at Godfather's in Covington. All members and their immediate families are encouraged to attend this once a year pizza feed.

In this **Holiday Season** I want to thank all of you for the work and support you have done for the programs of the council. I will be gone for nearly a month and our Deputy Grand Knight, Darrell Ehlers, will keep things going. I'll take this opportunity to wish you a **Happy Thanksgiving** and a very **Merry and Holy Christmas**

Lloyd Qually, GK

E-NEWSLETTERS

ONLY 4 OF US HAVE SIGNED UP FOR THIS.

Instead of receiving this mailing through a paper method, you can receive notification through your email system that the latest newsletter is ready for reading and downloading to your computer if you want to print your own copy. Think of the savings on postage if those of us with computers do our part to cut down on costs. And the money you help us save will go right into the charities who need every penny we can find for them.

<http://www.kofckent.org/e-news-request.htm>

Your Knights of Columbus Insurance Representative:
Hal Prukop - (425) 657-0077

Brother Knights:

One third of our 2004-2005 fraternal year has past and we have only initiated 6 new Brother Knights into our order.

How long has it been since you've asked a Catholic man to join the largest fraternal organization in the world? The Knights of Columbus and your Council need your support in extending the invitation to new members.

To be a member you must be at least 18 years of age and Catholic. I know, the majority of you know, someone that meets this requirement.

As your membership chairman I ask for your support in increasing our membership. I am available to assist you, as needed.

My phone# is 253-854-1546.

Vivat Jesus,
Jim Sheffield

A Message To All Former Grand Knights of Council 8150

Brother Knights:

We have a new visibility wall in the Parish Hall, and a special collection of photos of our past Grand Knights is being constructed. We would like all past Grand Knights to contact us about providing us with a recent photo to include in this display.

Contact Jim Sheffield at 253-854-1546 for more information.

Attention new member Knights of Council 8150

Brother Knights: Do you have your Kent Council Knight of Columbus jacket? If so, we encourage you to wear it to meetings as well as to other functions to help provide visibility to our service efforts in the parish and the community. If you don't have a jacket, please contact Jim Sheffield at 253-854-1546 for information on how to order your jacket today.

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