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## **GRAND KNIGHT'S LETTER**

This new year is an exciting year for all of us. Several new members have stepped forward to accept the mantle of leadership within the group of officers for Council 8150.

Please congratulate both Brother Robert Hall and Brother Kris Bailey on joining the officer ranks. Brother Kris has agreed to assume the position of recorder. This, of course, has freed Brother John Werner to allow him to assume the position of Treasurer; Brother Robert has accepted the position of Outside Guard.

As always, my special thanks to the fine gentlemen joining me in assuming various roles within the ranks of the various officer positions. Please thank them heartily for their time and commitment to our council as we embark on another great year. As a reminder, the officers of Council 8150 are:

Grand Knight	Chet Johnson
Deputy Grand Knight	Phil Rudolph
Chancellor	Kip Hilson
Recorder	Kris Bailey
Financial Secretary	Rob Ugarte
Treasurer	John Werner
Advocate	John Woomer
Warden	Leon Gutierrez
Inside Guard	Clyde Schendzielos
Outside Guard	Robert Hall
Trustee 1 year	Mel Haus
Trustee 2 year	Rodney Kapule
Trustee 3 year	John Feuerborn

These men have stepped forward and have pledged to assist me as Grand Knight in making sure the Knights of Columbus Council 8150 operates successfully and productively throughout the coming year. We have lots to do and if you can offer any assistance or wish to participate in any event as a chairman or helper, please contact myself or any one of the officers listed above.

Our youth group in the Parish has always been active even during the summer to a varying degree. Our support of their programs has been greatly appreciated and the feedback I have received is very positive and praiseworthy. We have been able to donate some time and money to enable the youth to participate in their annual mission trip to help those less fortunate.

In addition, I wish to extend my sincere appreciation to Brothers Jim Sheffield and Ron Bernards for their willingness to chaperone the youth group on their week-long mission trip to Yakima this past summer. Brothers Jim

and Ron are great examples of what being a Knight is all about as they demonstrate tirelessly year in and year out. They have demonstrated to the rest of their Brother Knights, as well as to our youth, that Knights of Columbus men are men of action in their support of our Parish, the broader Church community and to all of God's children. Please extend a hand to Brother Jim and Brother Ron the next time you see them and say "Thank you for being a great example."

In closing, I challenge you to make this year work for you as you live your life, please plan on attending as many meetings and lending a hand at as many functions as you can. It is amazing how much more we can accomplish with just another set of hands. Check with your buddy Brother Knight and ask him if he needs a ride to the next meeting. We would love to see you all there.

Vivat Jesus  
Chet Johnson  
Grand Knight – Council 8150

### **DISTRICT DEPUTY LETTER**

I would like to start by saying what a pleasure it was to install of the officers that attended the Installation Dinner on September 19 at St. Stephen's. The Pot Luck dinner was excellent and there was plenty of great food and conversation.

I will be meeting with your Grand Knights on September 9 to go over the next 6 months plan for the councils. From what I have been hearing, there are a lot of great things happening in our district in the upcoming months.

One particular event might be of interest to all of our councils: St. Stephen's is having a Blue Mass on September 11 at 5:00pm, this Mass is to honor all of those Police, Fire and Service Members who have served and are still serving our great Country. The Parish has asked for an Honor Guard from the Knights of Columbus; so if you are a Fourth Degree Knight with Regalia, please make the effort to attend. Suit up will be around 4:30pm in the class rooms by the Social Hall. All members are welcome at the Mass; try and make the effort to attend the mass.

Your Council should already be making plans to conduct your first Membership Drive in October and plans at the district level are being made now for the Soccer Challenge in September.

I will be making my rounds to each of your Councils for a visit. I look forward to meeting all of you in the weeks and months ahead.

In Faith, Larry Frampton, DD

### **WHAT'S GOING ON IN COUNCIL 8150**

#### **Installation of Officers**

On August 19 the installation of officers was held at St. Steven the Martyr Parish. It was a potluck dinner and the ceremony was led and officiated by our current District Deputy, Larry Frampton. In attendance from our council were the following:

Grand Knight	Chet Johnson (and spouse – Laura)
Deputy Grand Knight	Phil Rudolph (and spouse – Cathy)
Warden	Leon Gutierrez
Outside Guard	Robert Hall
Trustee (for 3 Years)	John Feuerborn

All in attendance shared a great meal as well as participated in the installation ceremony.

### **Star Council Award**

As released in the Knightline in August, we have received the Star Council award for the year 2009-2010. Congratulations to all of us especially John Woomer, our Membership Chairman and top recruiter for the year. We expect the Award to be presented at the October Breakfast/Brunch.

**Sept 12 & Oct 10 - Sunday - Breakfast/Brunch** – Starting at 9:00am in the Parish Activity Hall. This year we are implementing a few brunch items on the menu which will be merged in during the later breakfast service after the 10:30 Mass. This is something new that the officers are hoping will catch on and act as a means of increasing the attendance at the second breakfast service. After all, the members of the parish choose to have something to eat after that Mass (sometimes prior to the Mass as well), why not stay in the Church community area? As a reminder, we always welcome any assistance you Brother Knights can provide with setup, service, food preparation, etc. Please come and lend a hand.

**Sept 14-Tuesday-Council Meeting** - 7:00pm - Rosary, 7:30pm - General Session Meeting, please plan on attending. Our Grand Knight realizes and acknowledges that all of us have busy lives, please see what you can do to carve out the time to attend at least one meeting each month. We welcome your companionship, camaraderie, lively discussion and ideas. We will say a Rosary prior to the start of the meeting, come pray with us.

### **Sept 20-Monday-Blood Drive**

Sign up after all Masses September 11, 12, 18 and 19. The Blood Bank will be here on Monday, September 20 from noon until 7:00pm. If you can assist with this event by signing folks up to donate blood or by being a blood donor yourself, please do so. There is always a need for blood.

### **Sept 24-Friday-7:00pm-Knights Night (Poker/Games/Social-Guys only) In the Parish Activity Hall**

This is our first men's night out of the year. Please bring a friend. All we ask is that he be over 18. It lets other men know that we relax sometimes and just have a little fun, playing poker, checkers, and chess or just hanging out; enjoying some snacks and beverages. Bring some snacks and cold drinks to share if you can.

### **September 25-Saturday-Hamburger/Corn Feed**

This annual event will be held in the Parish Activity Hall from 6:00pm, the price/donation amount is to be determined at the next meeting. The crew is ready to put on a great dinner of fresh corn, hamburgers and hot dogs; just come, bring the kids and enjoy all you can eat! Scheduled to start after the 5:00 p.m. Mass. However, as all of you know, there is plenty to do before hand; shucking corn, prepping burgers, cooking, serving, clean up, etc. We still need a supervisor/chairman for this event – any takers?

**September 28-Tuesday- Council Meeting-7:30 pm -General Session Meeting** Please plan on attending. Our Grand Knight realizes and acknowledges that all of us have busy lives, please see what you can do to carve out the time to attend at least one meeting each month. We welcome your companionship, camaraderie, lively discussion and ideas.

### **Oct 23-Saturday-Oktoberfest**

6:00pm (After 5:00pm Mass) Come for great food and polka music at our Seventh Oktoberfest. It will be held in the Parish Activity Hall.

## Preliminary Calendar of Events for the Year

- Sept 12-Sunday** - Breakfast/Brunch will be served 9:00am until Noon in the Parish Activity Hall.
- Sept 14-Tuesday** - Council Meeting 7:00pm - Rosary  
7:30pm - Council Meeting
- Sept 20-Monday** - Blood Drive
- Sept 24-Friday** - 7:00pm-Knights Night (Poker/Games/Social-Guys only) In the Parish Activity Hall
- Sept 25- Saturday** - Hamburger/Corn Feed-6:00pm in the Activity Hall
- Sept 28-Tuesday** - 7:30pm -Council Meeting
- Oct 6/ 13/20/27-Wednesday** - 7:00pm - Rosary in St. Anthony's Chapel, sponsored and conducted by KofC
- Oct 10-Sunday** - Breakfast/Brunch will be served from 9:00am until Noon in the Parish Activity Hall.
- Oct 12-Tuesday** - Council Meeting 7:00pm - Rosary  
7:30pm - Meeting
- Oct 23-Saturday** - Oktoberfest - 6:00pm (After 5:00pm Mass) in the Activity Hall
- Oct 26-Tuesday** - Council Meeting at7:30pm.
- Nov 9- Tuesday** - Council Meeting 7:00pm - Rosary  
7:30pm - Meeting
- Nov 14-Sunday** - Breakfast/Brunch will be served from 9:00am until Noon in the Parish Activity Hall.
- Nov 20-Saturday** - Family Bingo Night
- Nov 23-Tuesday** - Council Meeting at7:30pm.
- Dec 12-Sunday** - Breakfast/Brunch will be served from 9:00am until Noon in the Parish Activity Hall. Santa Claus will be here for wishes and pictures.
- Dec 14- Tuesday** - Council Meeting 7:00pm - Rosary  
7:30pm - Meeting
- Dec 18-Saturday** - KofC Sponsored event for Alter Servers (Pizza) 6:30pm to 9:30pm location TBD
- Dec 20-Monday** - Blood Drive
- Dec 28-Tuesday** - Council Meeting at7:30pm.
- Jan 9-Sunday** - Breakfast/Brunch will be served from 9:00am until Noon in the Parish Activity Hall.
- Jan 11-Tuesday** - Council Meeting 7:00pm - Rosary  
7:30pm - Meeting
- Jan25-Tuesday** - Council Meeting at 7:30pm.

**Jan 28-Saturday - Family Bingo**

**Feb 8-Tuesday - Council Meeting 7:00pm - Rosary  
7:30pm - Meeting**

**Feb 13-Sunday - Breakfast/Brunch will be served from 9:00am until Noon in the Parish Activity Hall.**

**Feb 22-Tuesday - Council Meeting at7:30pm.**

**Mar 8-Tuesday - Council Meeting 7:00pm- Rosary  
7:30pm- Meeting**

**Mar 9-Ash Wednesday**

**Mar 11-Friday - Fish Fry - First of Six Lenten Friday fish feeds. Bring the whole family to the best fish and chips with coleslaw in Kent. We also have clam chowder. 5:00pm to 6:30pm in the Parish Activity Hall.  
(After dinner you may stay for the Stations of the Cross at 7:00pm in St. Anthony's Chapel)**

**Mar 13-Sunday - Breakfast/Brunch will be served from 9:00am until Noon in the Parish Activity Hall.**

**Mar 18-Friday - Fish Fry 5:00pm to 6:30pm in the Parish Activity Hall.**

**Mar 19-Saturday - St. Patrick's Day Dinner Celebration-6:00pm (After 5:00pm Mass) in the Parish Activity Hall**

**Mar 21-Monday - Blood Drive**

**Mar 22-Tuesday - Council Meeting at7:30pm.**

**Mar 25-Friday - Fish Fry 5:00pm to 6:30pm in the Parish Activity Hall.**

**Apr 1-Friday - Fish Fry 5:00pm to 6:30pm in the Parish Activity Hall**

**Apr 8-Friday - Fish Fry 5:00pm to 6:30pm in the Parish Activity Hall**

**Apr10-Sunday - Breakfast/Brunch will be served from 9:00am until Noon in the Parish Activity Hall.**

**Apr 12-Tue - Council Meeting 7:00pm - Rosary  
7:30pm - Meeting**

**Apr 15-Friday - Fish Fry 5:00pm to 6:30pm in the Parish Activity Hall**

**Apr 22-Good Friday**

**Apr TBD-Saturday - Family Bingo Night - Sponsored by KofC - 6:00pm in the Parish Activity Hall**

**Apr 26-Tuesday - Council Meeting at 7:30pm.**

**May 5, 11, 18, 25 - Wednesday - Rosary - 7:00pm in St Anthony's Chapel**

**May14-Tuesday - Council Meeting 7:00pm - Rosary  
7:30pm - Meeting**

**May TBD-Sunday - Mothers Day Breakfast/Brunch will be served from 9:00am until Noon in the Parish Activity Hall. Flowers for all Moms**

**May 24**-Tuesday - Council Meeting at7:30pm.

**May 27**-Friday - Knights Night (Poker/Games/Social - guys only) 7:00pm in the Parish Activity Hall

**Jun 4**-Saturday - Rib Feast - Council 8150 Sponsored - 6:00pm (after 5:00pm mass) in the Parish Activity Hall

**Jun 14**-Tuesday - Council Meeting 7:00pm - Rosary  
7:30pm - Meeting

**Jun 20**-Monday - Blood Drive

**Jun 24**-Friday - End of the Year Recognition Dinner - Council 8150 - 5:00pm in the Parish Activity Hall

**Jun 28**-Tuesday - Council Meeting at7:30pm

### Celebration of Birthday “Milestones”

#### September Birthdays

Sep 3	Kris Bailey	Sep 15	Karmet Hilson
Sep 6	Abiel Garduno	Sep 17	Andrew Mott
Sep 6	Clyde Schendzielos	Sep 19	Rodney Kapule Jr.
Sep 7	Hugo Ruvalcaba	Sep 22	Renfred Kapule
Sep 9	Gary Fuchs	Sep 22	Max Macias
Sep 10	Philip Hornback	Sep 23	Phillip Jenkins
Sep 11	Thomas O’Connell	Sep 29	Marc Muccilli

#### October Birthdays

Oct 1	John Mosley	Oct 10	Norman Bailey
Oct 6	Charles Lucas	Oct 13	Michael Norman
Oct 8	David Kirby	Oct 16	Robert Enright
Oct 9	Malcolm Efta	Oct 20	Eric Tipton

#### Contributions to this newsletter

Your comments and articles ready for publication are welcome.

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