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Division 4 - District 9I



Father Louis F. Knight Council # 12451 Monthly Newsletter

Serving St. Edward Parish Community

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Oktoberfest 2010

Second Annual

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus #12451

A Fundraising Event to benefit the
“Helping the Families of Wounded Military Servicemen and Women”
Naval Hospital Camp Pendleton — Pastoral Care Services

Saturday, September 25, 2010 from 6:30 pm to 10:00 pm
Adults: \$20.00 a person, \$35.00 a couple. Children 12 and under \$10.00 ea.
At St. Edward the Confessor Knight Hall
33926 Calle La Primavera, Dana Point 92629

This Old World celebration will feature musical entertainment, and of course providing all of the German favorites to Oompah-pah, polka, and waltz.

The Great German Food Menu will include:
Bratwurst, Sauerkraut, Sweet Red Cabbage, German Potato Salad,
and Dessert.

Please get your tickets in advance, so we can determine
how much food we need to prepare.

If you wish to make a donation, please make check payable to:
Naval Hospital Camp Pendleton (tax ID #330484411)
Mail to Mel Progar, Knights of Columbus,
33926 Calle la Primavera, Dana Point, Ca. 92629



Wish List - We are in need of gift certificates, and (new) gift items for our
Silent Auction. New toys will be given to Camp Pendleton at the event..

For further information please contact:
SK Mel Progar at mel.progar@bumblebee.com 949-648-2827
Mrs. Deana Progar at dprogar@cox.net 949-525-7092
SK Paul Sampson at pauljet@msn.com 949-429-6461

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Dana Point, CA 92629
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net

Information about our council and the inner workings.

HELP WANTED

MEMBERSHIP	CHURCH	COMMUNITY	COUNCIL	FAMILY	YOUTH	RESPECT LIFE
TIM WINNINGHAM	MIKE ANDERSON	RON KUHN	LASZLO HEGEDUS	HANK EVERS	MIKE CHAPMAN	DON WALTZ
Recruitment	Handi Knights	Operation Inter-Dependence (Supporting the military)	Public Relations	Corporate Communion	Free Throw	Respect for Life
Tim Winningham	Paul Prendiville		Israel Lopez	Don Walz	John Chis	Don Walz
Retention	Fiesta Booth	Kelvyn Lach	Italian Dinner	Sickness & Distress	Youth Ministry	Blood Drive
Tim Winningham	Brian Wilson	ID Drive	St. Patrick Dinner	Ralph Loconte	Available	Montevideo Brothers
Degree	Laszlo Hegedus	Ron Kuhn			Soccer Challenge	
Joe DeRitis	Vocations		Oktoberfest		Mike Chapman	
	Joe DeRitis		Mel Progar		Scholarship	
			Golf Tourney		Mike Chapman	
			David Franzetta			
			Super Bowl Raffle			
			Position Open			

Help Wanted on all teams
Some key positions still available

VIVAT JESUS!

"Fall is Here"



OFFICERS 2010-2011

Chaplain - Fr. Loc Tran	436-1307 EX. 2209
Grand Knight - Paul Sampson	429-6461
Deputy Grand Knight - Laszlo Hegedus	240-1283
Chancellor - Ralph Loconte	215-7396
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Inside Guard - David Franzetta	249-0344
Outside Guard 1 - Bill Buescher	481-3304
Outside Guard 2 - Steve Fernandez	348-9729
Treasurer - Tom McMillan	443-5443
Recorder - Jim Shipe	498-7298
Advocate - Ron Kuhn	364-5176
3rd Year Trustee - Israel Lopez	493-0779
2nd Year Trustee - Joe DeRitis	716-6525
1st Year Trustee - Brian Wilson	495-0855
Financial Secretary - Kent Greenwald	498-0617
Lecturer - Ted Wilson	240-8747
Insurance Agent - Dan Huffman	498-1772
District Deputy - Bill Millard	481-9979



Mary's Shelter
Care for Pregnant Minors
Direct: (714) 730-0930

Grand Knight's Message September-October 2010

As we all reflect back on our lives from time to time we recall those special times that have impacted our daily lives. It might be a child being born, graduation or just that special celebration with your family.

I would like to tell you one I had this past weekend. It was our Knights retreat. I am sure not a surprise too many of you who have attended a retreat in the past.

But this one was special. I and thirteen brothers spent the weekend given ourselves – a time to rest, grow, and be transformed...

The ingredients of this retreat were far different from other retreats. The lighting of the Christ Candle and passing it along to your brothers with prayer and reflection, Mass amongst the trees, talks on Spirituality and Vocations of married and single life and the parish family truly impactful, a climbing of a hill to secure a special rock and sharing with the group meaning to you, Agape dinner in darkness with candle light sharing bread and wine, a campfire with each of us burning our burdens and singing and extemporaneous prayer, a mile long walk following the station of the cross throughout the woods, the bonding with my brothers and ending the retreat with a Mass high atop of the hills overlooking the valley below. I truly could go on and on regarding this retreat.

To me and I am sure with my other brothers this journey we came seeking God. It was God seeking the seekers. I cannot thank Neil Sampson enough for being the coordinator and along with Father Loc providing the leadership.
Peace
Paul Sampson GK

Deputy Grand Knight Message September-October 2010

Brother Knights,

Seems that summer just started and it is almost at the end. Labor Day unofficially marks the end of summer and beginning of our event pact season. Keep in mind changes in our meeting calendar: Officer's meetings are on 1st Wednesday of the month and General business meetings are on the 3rd Thursday of the month, both starting at 7pm.

Each of the events loudly speaks of our commitment to Charity, Unity and Fraternity. Your participation is very important and greatly appreciated.

Month of September:

1. First degree, Thursday 9/9/2010 7pm at St. Edward the Confessor.
2. Fourth degree info knight BBQ Sunday 9/12/2010 2pm.
3. KOFC Social night ballroom dance lessons Friday 9/17/2010 7pm Knight Hall.
4. KOFC Blood drive, Sunday 9/19/2010 8am-2pm Knight Hall
5. Oktoberfest, Saturday 9/25/2010 6:30 pm Knight Hall

Month of October:

1. Fourth degree Exemplification, 10/09/2010 check-in 11am at Irvine Marriot.
2. ID drive is from Thursday 10/14 and ends on Sunday 10/17/2010
3. 2nd Degree, Wednesday 10/27/2010 7pm Our Lady of Fatima San Clemente
4. Halloween Pancake Breakfast, Sunday 10/31/2010 8am Knight Hall

Month of November:

1. KOFC. Blood Drive Sunday 11/07/2010. 8am- 2pm Knight Hall
2. Memorial mass& Potluck Dinner Wednesday 11/10/2010. 6:30pm Knight Hall
3. Corporate Communion Potluck Diner Saturday 11/13/2010. 5pm Knight Hall
4. Pancake Breakfast Sunday 11/21/2010. Knight Hall

Month of December

1. KOFC Council 12451 Christmas Party

Please note:

1. Monthly Rosary Vigil for Life is every 1st Friday of the month at 11am
2. Right to Life Meeting is every 1st Tuesday of the month at 7pm
3. Serra Club of South OC. for Vocations every 3rd Monday of the month at 5:30pm
4. 4th Degree meeting every 2nd Thursday of the month at 7pm

Vivat Jesus
Laszlo Hegedus

*Pray for our new
Officers and Direc-
tors.*



Knight's of Columbus

Catholic Fellowship, United in Charity (& Fun)

Now on Thursday Nights!

Father Louis Knight Council 12451

Business Meeting

When: Thursday, September 16th

Where: Knight Hall

Time: 730pm

Social: 630pm—Dinner & Refreshments

NEW!!!

- *Cooked Meals — Cost \$5.00*
 - *Streamlined Meetings*
 - *Guest speakers*

This Month's Guest Speaker: Gary Foote

*Gary is our new Youth Minister here at St. Edward Catholic Church.
Please come early to meet Gary before the meeting.*

Please bring items and personal letters for our troops overseas through Operation Interdependence. Items include anything that can fit into a Ziploc baggie, including bagged tuna, beef jerky, socks, toothpaste, razors, snack bars, etc. O.I. chairman Kelvyn Lach will be there to collect them.

**Many Happy Wishes
for those Brothers and Ladies
celebrating their Birthdays.**

Juan Carreno	9/1
Bert Levesque, Jr.	9/1
Albert Limson	9/5
Tim O'Keefe	9/5
Paul Prendiville	9/5
David Scotto	9/6
Anthony Seibert	9/6
Dennis Cunningham II	9/7
J.R. Herron	9/7
Gabriel Delcastillo	9/13
Gary Stephens	9/14
Joseph McMyler	9/16
Alan McCann	9/18
Richard Montevideo	9/19
Joseph Pierantoni	9/25
Don Estephan	9/25
Frank Cincotta	9/25
Gregory Montevideo	9/26
Paul Sampson	9/28
Carlo Vallarino	9/28

Mark Bell	10/1
Michael Chapman, PGK	10/1
Randal Ortiz	10/2
Laszlo Hegedus	10/3
Raymond Larochelle	10/3
Donald Downes	10/4
Donald Dailey	10/6
Richard Brunner	10/8
Eugene Abernathy	10/9
Alfredo Ortega	10/9
James Doan	10/10
James Douglas	10/11
Robert Sommer	10/15
Martin Paine	10/18
Gary Hurlbert	10/19
John O'Halloran	10/19
John Underwood	10/20
Martin Bonando	10/24
Brian Wilson, PGK	10/26

Happy Birthday Ladies:

Suzanne Breslin	9/5
Deborah Franzetta	9/8
Kathy Ferry	9/9
Rita Kott	9/9
Johanna DeRitis	9/12
Jacqueline Coppa	9/16
Teresa Farrell	9/17
Pauline Huffman	9/17
Nancy McMillen	9/17
Estrella Ruiz	9/19
Susan Foster	9/23
Mercedes Ford	9/24
Linda Schecher	9/25
Milka Jurica	9/29
Doris Sommer	9/30
Stephanie Fermilia	10/2
Nancy Estephan	10/3
Kirsten Stafford	10/4
Christine Yost	10/7
Maria (Mary) Zbierski	10/10
Ines Erlinger	10/11
Maria Russomanno	10/13
Ann Downes	10/16
Kathanne Mertens	10/18
Lisa Debowski	10/19
Karen Conley	10/24
Sharon Lewis	10/24
Jeanette Sampson	10/24
Amelida Carreno	10/28

Happy Anniversary:

Dennis & Stacie Cunningham	9/1
Jason & Jenna Evers	9/1
Martin & Mickey Paine	9/6
Greg & Catherine Mary Hughes	9/9
Fred & Karen Scuncio	9/10
Jose & Cathi Perez	9/11
Richard & Beverly Brunner	9/12
Robert & Doris Sommer	9/12
Ralph & Susan Foster	9/13
James & Sue Slusher	9/15
Franklin & Rose Allen Weber	9/15
Donald & Ann Downes	9/16
Mel & Deana Progar	9/18
Jeremy & Erica Villarreal	9/22
Michael & Callie Wray	9/22
Joseph & Johanna DeRitis	9/23
Michael & Cindy Styrepejko	9/30
Peter & Elizabeth Adams	10/1
Raymond & Sheila Furst	10/2
Alfredo & Trini Ortega	10/2
Christopher & Donna Lynch	10/7
Anthony & Mary Seibert	10/7
Ron & Donna Stoffel	10/7
Edward & Joan Guy	10/10
Don & Joan Walz	10/17
Michael & Teresa Farrell	10/18
Anthony & Christine Marotti	10/19
Manuel & Monique Martinho	10/20
Georg & Kathanne Mertens	10/20

One of the things I asked you in my last column, was to consider becoming a “Pen Pal” to one of our Seminarians. The journey to the Priesthood is a long one, and knowing that we are thinking and praying for them means a lot to them. So, here is a list of the lads. Please pick one and drop him a line or two when you get a chance. Tell him about your family, your business life, recreation, etc. If you have children at home, you may wish to make this endeavor a family affair each month.

God Bless!
Joe DeRitis

P.S. When you see a Rev. before Mr. in the name, it is a Seminarian who was made a Transition Deacon last June. With your Prayers he will be ordained a Priest next June.

Mt. Angel
Michael Khong; Fredy Mancilla; Conor Martin;
Joseph Huan Nguyen; Phuong Nguyen; Andrew
Noriega; Tuan Pham; Hoa Tran; Phung Tran;
Quyên Truong; Aristole Quan; Emmanuel
Sanchez.

St. John's
Martin Gonzalez; Benjamin Diep Hoang; Tai
Peter Nguyen David Otto; Tony Park; Rev. Mr.
Daniel Reader; Ruben Ruiz; Rex Sakurai; Joseph
Ngu Truong.

St. Patrick's
Rev. Mr. Martin Bui; Brandon Dang, Timothy
Donovan; Joseph Sungmin Jang; Robin Joo;
Rev. Mr. Duy Le; John Duy Nguyen; Nicolas Thai;
Rev. Mr. Nicolas Toan Nguyen; Anthony Tran;
Pius Youn.

The American College of Louvain
Rev. Mr. Troy Schneider; Michael So.

The Pontifical North American College
Rev. Mr. Quan Tran; Paul Vu.

Seminaries for the Diocese of Orange

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THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AND BIRTH CHOICE HEALTH CLINICS INVITE YOU TO OUR RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY

CELEBRATING THE DELIVERY & INSTALLATION OF OUR NEW 4D ULTRASOUND MACHINES
PURCHASED THROUGH THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ULTRASOUND INITIATIVE
AND
THE LAUNCH OF OUR NEW BIRTH CHOICE MOBILE CLINIC



Birth Choice Board Members get a first look at their new "clinic on wheels"

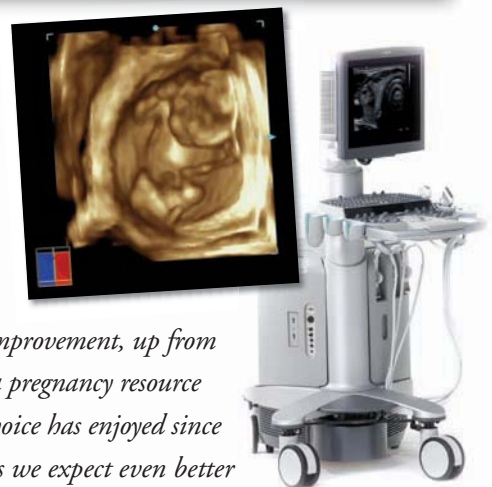
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 30TH
4:30 - 7:00PM
AT
BIRTH CHOICE HEALTH CLINIC
415 N. SYCAMORE STREET, SUITE 200
SANTA ANA 92701

HORS D'OEUVRES AND DRINKS WILL BE SERVED.

*Please park on the street
or in lot across the street from the clinic.*

RSVP REQUESTED BY FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH
TO JENNIFER AT 714-541-5484 x225
OR JEN@BIRTHCHOICECLINIC.ORG

Images from a 4D
ultrasound show a child at
just 15 weeks
in remarkable detail



*"When a young mother sees and hears the
baby forming in her, she will choose life over*

*abortion for that child in 74 percent of client cases. This is a 60 percent improvement, up from
just 14 percent when Birth Choice was merely counseling young women as a pregnancy resource
center. Ultrasound diagnostics has been the linchpin in the success Birth Choice has enjoyed since
becoming fully licensed health clinics, and now with the new 4D machines we expect even better
results."* -Birth Choice founder and CEO Kathleen Eaton



Knights Of Columbus
Fourth Degree
Junipero Serra Province
Southern California District



Exemplification

Our Lady of the Rosary Class
Honoring VSM Ross Willour PSD
Saturday October 9th, 2010
Marriott Hotel, Irvine California
18000 Von Karman Avenue
Irvine California 92612

Candidate Information

Must be a Third Degree member in good standing with 6 months membership in the order. Less than (6) six months will not be considered, unless a waiver has been requested and approved by the Vice Supreme Master. Have an approved Form 4 along with \$70.00 application fee submitted to the Master by Oct. 1st 2010 to be considered for the Exemplification of the Fourth Degree. Clergy (Priests and Brothers) application fees shall be \$35.00. All fees must be submitted by Assembly check made payable to: Master, Fourth Degree and mailed to Lawrence Campitiello Master, 17825 Azucar Way, San Diego Ca. 92127

Dress Code

The official Dress Code for Exemplification of the Fourth Degree shall be;

(a) Black bow tie, plain white tuxedo shirt, black cummerbund, black footwear, and black tuxedo. **No wingtip collars will be allowed.** That includes 4th Degree Members.

(b) A member serving in the armed forces of his country, full time police and firefighters shall be considered in proper attire when dressed in a Class A dress uniform.

Hotel Information

Reservations must be made directly to the hotel by September 15, 2010 for the guaranteed rate of \$ 90.00 plus tax. Phone number (949) 553-0100. Please request the Knights of Columbus room rate.

Ladies Luncheon and Banquet Information

Ladies Luncheon – Saturday 12:00 Noon – \$30.00

Banquet – Saturday 7:30 PM – \$41.00

Each candidate will receive one (1) banquet ticket as part of his application fee. Additional tickets and Ladies Luncheon tickets are to be ordered by the Assembly and paid for with an Assembly check payable to Lawrence Campitiello, Master and mailed to the ticket chairman by 10-01-10

Ticket Chairman

Michael Galasso
17440 Plaza Animado Apt 124
San Diego Ca. 92128
(858) 485-5339

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

Please remember all of our ill and deceased members of our Knights of Columbus Family in your prayers. If you know of a Brother Knight who is ill, in a hospital, or about to undergo an operation, or who has died, please contact: Ralph Loconte, 949-215-7396, or maloconte@hotmail.com

Please let your family members know that we as a Council need to be informed of any problems. This will enable us to include you in our prayers. Sickness is a part of life. Death is also a path that we shall all take. For the sick and deceased Knights, family members, all who face these tough all roads., please include them in your prayers. If a member of our Council needs assistance of any kind, please contact us so that we may help you. Charity is the first principle of our order and we need to know of your problem in order to be of assistance.

Please Pray For The Sick and Distressed

Michael Lowell, Sean Murphy, Frank Weber, David Gomez, Garret Kuhn, Richard Ingalls, Mike Armando, Ray Furst, Anne Caffrey, Juan Avila, Fr. Abram, Jennie Seamore, Jerry Schoenfeld, Nina Rodriguez, Judy Rodriguez, Esther Rodriguez, , Kyle Avila, Lila Wilson, Gaelon Ring, Al Ortiz Family, Patricia Follette, Maria Flores, Fr. David Klunk, Lewis Schuster, Dick Stensby, Jose Tapia, Charles Kristick, Margarite Witt, Pollie Giantonio, Javier Alvarez, Dave Mellon, Charles Kristide, Emma Wilson, Trini Ortega, Richard Miller, Jennie Seymour, Margaret Whit, Polly Giantonio, Michelle Harper, Richard Lanigan, Gary Schumacher, Mary Ellen Thomas, Amelida Carreno, Jerry Schonfield, , Jesse Michel, Sherry Wood, Cheryl Pickrel, Al Ortega, Mel Progar, Maria Crawford, Peter Adams, ,William Webster, Ted Hannegan, Deacon Ron Tiberi.

Please Pray for the Deceased

Robert Astruc, Vivian Chis, Tom Lang, Msgr. John Sammon, Deacon Fred Pelletier, John Capazzoli, Anthony Marotti, Pope John Paul II, Msgr. Paul Martin, PSC Msgr. John Caufield, Tom Eagan, Charles Pobjoy, Ruth Groboske, Alejandro Ortiz, Manuel Lopez Jr., Margarita Valdez De Carreno, Laddie Carda, Jack Kelley, Lloyd Sallo Jessica Michel t, Robert Kuhn, Richard Miller, Fr. Fumo, Jody Sommer, Denny Riopel. Hugh Moore.

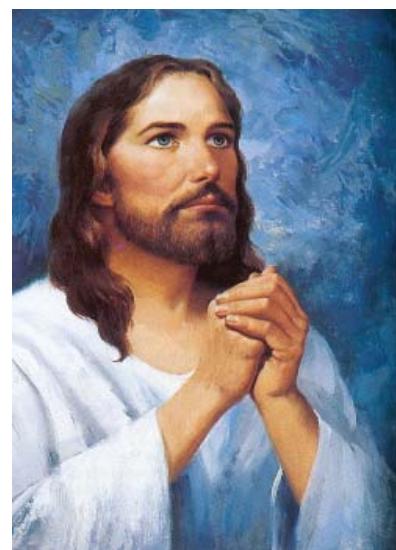
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The Building of the Knights of Columbus

Team Member Participation

Council 12451

Its members of the Knights of St Edwards are very blessed to be in such a beautiful and spiritual community with so many active members that are signed up into the council, but what we are lacking is your spiritual words at our general council meeting. You do make a difference and we would like to hear from you in helping us reshape the council into a stronger voice for helping us do the things that Jesus Christ and you would like us to do.

So how do we get to build our team members participation and strengthen the council membership? How do you make it so people are committed to each other, to the Knights, and to St Edwards's Community? Vince Lombardi, when asked, "What is teamwork" answered:" The achievements of an organization are the results of the combined efforts of each individual" We should create a system that makes it attractive to participate.

First, we need to find our friends and neighbors who share our ideals, sense of community and church, and moral fiber. We need to invite these people to join and fully participate in our council of Knights that will communicate by bring with them ideas of how we can enrich our council, community and church.

Next, we, as fellow Knights, need to attend all meetings so we can discuss each project and be aware of how we are representing our council. If more people are involved, then we can bounce off our ideas, and the pros and cons of each plan without having to repeat ourselves at every meeting. Time is of the essence.

If we are following procedures in a timely fashion, then we can accomplish more of our goals, spend time in doing spiritual events and **have FUN to serve our Lord**. Please join us and the new leadership at our general council meetings in helping us to create a stronger and exciting council that is rooted on the Knights of Columbus principles

We can not all do great things, but we can do small things with great love"

~ Mother Teresa

Submitted by Ralph Loconte, Chancellor

Lecturers Corner

Brothers in Christ,

I feel it an honor to represent you as this year's Lecturer. Some of you might remember, I previously held this office for two years when I first joined the Knights a little over five years ago. Then as lecturer, I made it a point to bring educational and spiritual speakers that would enhance the works and knowledge of our Council. Two of the influential speakers during that time are now with Supreme in New Haven Connecticut. One being, Father John Grace who then was our State Chaplain and is now assistant to Supreme Chaplain, Bishop Lori, the other being Emilio Moure , who then was our State Deputy and has now recently been appointed as Supreme Secretary, third in line to Supreme Knight, Carl Anderson. In this month's Columbia magazine, you can read the informative article concerning Emilio's promotion from Supreme Treasurer. Emilio came from St. Killian parish in Mission Viejo, and still is a current member of our fourth degree assembly, Santiago de Compostela. Father John Grace was associate pastor at Our Lady of Fatima in San Clemente, and our past Assembly Friar.

Last month's speaker, Emily Thomas spoke on her recent mission to El Salvador. Our Council helped to sponsor Emily, whose mission it was to help the poorest of the poor.

Current upcoming speakers include:

- this month, Gary Foote, our newly hired Youth Minister here at St. Edwards,
- October's Kathleen Eaton, CEO and founder of Birthchoice who will give a report on our successful Ultrasound Project,
- November's St. Edward's Adult Faith Formation Minister, Donna Couch will give a report on Religious Education,
- as well as our Confirmation Minister, brother, Neil Sampson who will speak sometime at the beginning of next year and report on our past and future Council Leadership Retreat.

In addition to speakers, we have pledged to provide good meals before each meeting starting at 6:30 PM. A cost of five dollars per person is asked to cover the expense of the meal. It is our goal to bring as many brother Knights together in fraternal spiritual and charitable friendship, while keeping them up-to-date, and active in our Council's activities.

Please make a point to attend our meetings, which will now be held on the third Thursdays of the month in Knight Hall at 7:30 PM, dinner at 6:30 PM. Next meeting is Thursday, September 16.

Vivat Jesus!
Ted Wilson, Lecturer

RECRUITING REPORT – September, 2010

By Brother Tim Winningham

Our Council's membership goals have been established and released for the new fiscal year. In order for us to attain the coveted Star Council Award, we need to recruit a total of sixteen new members with six insurance members.

Our last membership drive in June has helped us get off to a great start! We had eight new brothers complete their First Degree Exemplification on July 15th. Please join me in congratulating and welcoming the following new Knights into our council:

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|------------------|--------------------|
| 1) Marty Bonando | 5) Mark Salvini |
| 2) Tony Fermelia | 6) Yves Siegler |
| 3) Jim Douglas | 7) Carlo Vallarino |
| 4) Jaime Ruiz | 8) Jerry Zurla |

Please also welcome Michael Card who is a transfer to our council.

With the addition of these outstanding men to Council 12451, we have a total of nine new members that count toward our quotas for the year. However, we have a lot of work to do! With ten months to go, we still need seven more new brothers and five insurance members.

We will have a membership table at our upcoming Oktoberfest event on Saturday, September 25th to answer questions and accept membership applications. Please encourage your friends in the parish to attend this awesome and inspiring event. It's a great opportunity for potential candidates to see our council in action firsthand and join our brotherhood.

If you would like to assist with membership recruiting activities, please contact me at 949-493-1818 or e-mail tim.winningham@cox.net.



September



October

Have you visited our Website
www.kofc12451.org

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A KOFC Social Night has been added to our upcoming September schedule. Ballroom dancing lessons will resume on Friday, September 17 in Knight Hall starting at 7 PM. Please see below for details along with a complete schedule up until October's 4th degree Exemplification.

1. **1st Degree** - Thursday, Sept. 9th, 730pm, Chrck-in7pm in Knight Hall. Contact brother, Tim Winningham at 493-1818 or e-mail tim.winningham@cox.net. All brothers are asked to step up and find prospects to join our Council. Applications need to be in by the General Meeting. Side liners are needed. * **KOFC Dress Code**.
2. **4th Degree BBQ** - Sunday, Sept 12th, 2pm in Knight Hall and Patio. 1) Mark your calendars for Sunday, Sept. 12th at 2pm for a special 4th degree INFO KNIGHT BBQ and presentation on the patio of Knight Hall (Checks and applications will be needed by then). 2) Mark Saturday, October 9th for the 4th Degree Exemplification. See that [Calendar date for more details](#).
3. **KOFC Social Night - Ballroom Dance Lessons** - Friday, Sep. 17th, 7pm in Knight Hall. Dance Lessons with Brother SK Chris Anastasio and Accompanist. Knights and their Ladies Invited. Chris is asking each couple to give \$5.00. "On Wednesday the 11th we had our second dance lesson. We had 10 couples arrive at Knight Hall ready to have some fun and learn to dance. Watching you all enjoying yourself while dancing and knowing I got you there is something I can't describe. You will never know what a pleasure it gives me to give a lesson to couples who were afraid to get on the dance floor and then watch them dancing all over the place and smiling. I have been teaching for years and it never gets old. Dee and I want to thank everyone for being there and for being such good sports. We look forward to our next lesson." The Council will provide drinks and snacks. Chris has a very simple way of getting couples on the dance floor looking good and having fun. Please contact Chris Anastasio at 661-1950 or e-mail 2anastasio@cox.net.
4. **General Business Meeting** - Thursday, Sept. 16th in Knight Hall at 7:30 PM, Pre-Social Gathering before at 6:30 PM with food and drinks. All future Business Meetings will be held in Knight Hall on the third Thursdays of the month. Come to get the latest news and share a meal and fellowship with your brother Knights. Please bring packages for our troops overseas, sponsored by Operation Interdependence. There will be a guest speaker, Gary Foote our new Youth Minister here at St. Edward's. **See attached Flyer**.
5. **KOFC Blood Drive** - Sunday, Sept. 19th in Knight Hall from 8asm-2pm. Help us help save lives! Please come to help or give blood. All proceeds go the Saddleback Memorial and San Clemente Memorial Hospitals. Call brother Greg Montevideo @ 212-2090 or e-mail: montevideogsm@cox.net.
6. **Oktoberfest** - Saturday, Sept. 25th in Knight Hall after the 530pm Mass. Brother SK Mel Progar is heading this fund raising event which will be an Oktoberfest theme and will be on Saturday, September 26, 2009. Deana his wife will be assisting Mel (We all know how hard she works on these events) Deana will be going around to local business requesting donations for the silent auction also. This event will be for the Semper Fi Wounded Warrior Fund and the Naval Hospital at Camp Pendleton. This will be a dinner featuring Bratwurst and Sauerkraut, and we will have silent auction and live auction items to bid also. We will have some activities for all and a live German Oompha Band If you have any questions about this event

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Contact: SK Mel Progar at 648-2827, his wife Deana at 525-7092. or e-mail: mel.progar@bumblebee.com. * **KOFC Dress Code. See Attached Flyer**

7. **4th Degree Exemplification** - Summer is here and we need to make preparations for this year's **4th Degree on Saturday, October, 9th at the Irvine Marriot**, check-in at 11am.

8. **Applications & Fees:** I will have applications at the August 19th Business Meeting and at Sept. 12th BBQ. Cost for a Candidate and his wife for the Exemplification is \$141.00. Children and guests are permitted at the Luncheon and dinner, but must purchase ticket. **Dress:** Tuxedo's will need to be worn for the men, Evening Gowns for the Ladies. Remember, straight collars only on the white shirts (no wings). KOFC studs, cuff links and other KOFC merchandise will be available for sell before and after the exemplification.

Hotel: Hotel Reservations must be made directly to the hotel by September 15, 2010 for the guaranteed rate of \$ 90.00 plus tax. Phone number (949) 553-0100. Please request the Knights of Columbus room rate.

Notes: The 4th degree is a very special exemplification that will long be remembered. It includes half of Southern California and takes up a whole floor of food and fun filled hospitality suites. There is a beautiful evening Mass & Banquet. As a 4th Degree member you are entitled to a Chalice Funeral w/ presentation by the Color Corp. Membership in the 4th Degree Color Corp is both optional and a privilege as it sometimes know as the Bishop's Color Corp...

Below is a list of the breakdown of costs

Exemplification (Candidate only) = \$70.00 (includes exemplification and banquet)

Banquet = \$40.00 (for single sideliners and guests)

Ladies Luncheon = \$30.00 (This is optional and can be deducted from the \$141.00 if your wife can only make the banquet)

* Exemplification Details Flyer w/ Itinerary are attached.

Please RSVP with:

1. Name
2. Number of guests/sideline Exemplification Dinners @ \$41.00/ea & Ladies Luncheon @\$30.00/ea.
3. Number of heads for the BBQ on Sep. 12th. Families Welcome.

* **KOFC Dress Code** - KOFC Polo Shirt, Tan Slacks, Dark Shoes, Badge

Note: KOFC polo shirts can be bought for \$25 from brother Tim Winningham at the general meeting on Thursday, August 19 in Knight Hall at 7:30 PM. Brother Tim can be contacted at 493-1818 or e-mail tim.winningham@cox.net.



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Wednesday, October 6
NEXT FIRST DEGREE
Thursday, September 9
NEXT GENERAL MEETING
Thursday, September 16



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