

Knighly News

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A Word From The Grand Knight

Greetings All,

Thank God, thank God, its spring at last! I hope this note finds everyone well. By the time you read this Easter will be behind us, I hope and pray everyone had a Blessed and Happy Easter. I would like to take a moment and thank Jim Meyer, our fish fry chairman, and all of our fish fry workers, through their efforts we have had a fantastic fish fry season, our fry's were very well attended, apparently the word has gotten out that we have the best fish fry's in the world! Thanks to all our members as well as the women's auxiliary for all their hard work. Also thanks to all who came and enjoyed our products.

I would also like to thank our new youth director Anthony Kohlrus, who with the help of brothers Shane Sullivan, and Pete Choudry put on our annual Easter egg hunt, we had about 50 kids in attendance and by all accounts everyone had a great time. I

would also like to thank Matt Noonan IV for his generous donation of the use of one of his bounce houses for the kids, it added a lot to the kids fun.

Now that those events are behind us, we can now look forward to our annual chicken dinner held in cooperation with Ursuline Alumni Association on Sunday May 3rd, we will start setting up on Friday May 1, as well as Saturday. All help will be greatly appreciated. There is a sign up sheet in the Pelican room. Contact Jim Meyer or myself if you need tickets.

God Bless You All!

Ladies Auxiliary

The next meeting for the Council Ladies Auxiliary will be held Thursday, May 7, in the Council Hall at 7:00 PM. Come spend an evening and socialize with the ladies from the Auxiliary.

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Notice of Nominations of Officers

Nominations of Officers will be held at our council meeting, Wednesday April 16. For those interested in an office, please see Grand Knight, Tom Kohlrus or any other officer. Nominations are binding and cannot be withdrawn until the May meeting, if desired. If you wish to have someone nominate you for a position on the council please contact one of the current officers. May is the Election of Officers and June is the Installation of Officers for 2015-2016.

Notice of Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of Dex-Heights, Inc. will be held following the regular business meeting of Father Ernest A. Burtle Council 4175, Knights of Columbus, on June 18, 2015 at 7:00 PM at the council building located at 2801 West Street, Springfield, Illinois to conduct any necessary business including the election of the corporate secretary, corporate treasurer and 2 Directors. All individuals who are members of Father Ernest A. Burtle Council 4175 are members of the corporation. Members in good standing of Father Ernest A. Burtle Council 4175 have voting rights in the corporation.

Knight of the Month

Aaron Crowder



Grand Knight, Tom Kohlrus announced the Knight of the Month for March 2015 is Aaron Crowder. Aaron is a regular fish fry worker and he also takes care of all our refrigeration needs .

Thank You and Congratulations Aaron!

Visit our website at www.kofc4175.com

Knights are Called to Communion

As Knights of Columbus we are called to be practical Catholics, this means we are called to be practicing Catholics. It is one of only three requirements to be a Knight, and the most important by far. To be a practicing Catholic means that we find communion with Jesus Christ through the mass and through the Holy Eucharist. If we are not attending mass and receiving Jesus into ourselves weekly we are not living the very principles the Knights of Columbus is founded on: Charity, Unity, Fraternity, and Patriotism, because these principles find their fullness when we are united with Christ. To be united with Christ means to join him in the celebration of the mass weekly. The mass and the Eucharist are so important to our lives and to the order of the Knights of Columbus. They give us life, purpose, direction, and a vision of love, Christ's love. Remember if we do not live out our call to be a practicing Catholic then we are not truly called to be Knights of Columbus. So let us pray that we all find unity as brothers weekly as we join to celebrate Christ present body, blood, soul, and divinity in the Eucharist. May God Bless you all.

Mothers Day Breakfast

The Knights of Columbus Council 4175 will host our Annual Mother's Day Breakfast on Sunday, May 10, from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM. Council 4175 would like to treat all Mothers to a full breakfast on Mother's Day **free of charge!** There will be men on hand to cook, clean and serve you a nice breakfast including scrambled eggs, pancakes, sausage, biscuits and gravy, orange juice, milk and coffee. Mothers are free, children are \$3.00, adults 12 and over are \$6.00. Some come enjoy breakfast on us and relax on your special day.

Help Us with the Chicken Dinner Ad Book

Do you know a business that would like to advertise in the Chicken Dinner Ad Book?

If so, please have the manager fill-out and return this form.

42ND ANNUAL CHICKEN DINNER ORDER FORM

PLEASE RETURN FORM AND PAYMENT BY APRIL 21, 2014

Contact Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Daytime Telephone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Inside Cover \$250 _____

Half Page \$75 _____

Inside Back Cover \$250 _____

Quarter Page \$50 _____

Full Page \$150 _____

Eighth Page \$40 _____

Checks should be made payable to: **Knights of Columbus #4175**

Send form and payment to:

Greg Stumpf • 2113 North 24th Street • Springfield, IL 62702

E-mail advertisements to:

gstumpf16@yahoo.com **AND** patrick.daniels@live.com



St. Aloysius School Las Vegas Night

St. Aloysius is hosting a Las Vegas Night on Saturday, April 25. Dinner will be served at 5:30 pm and gaming will start at 6:30 pm. Tickets are available for \$30 which include dinner and \$10 in casino cash. Beer, wine, and mixed drinks will be available. Must be 21 years or older to attend. Come out and support St. Aloysius School by enjoying some good food, great fun, and a fantastic time with friends. Please consider sponsoring a casino table for \$100. Contact St Aloysius School at 544-4553 for tickets or to sponsor a casino table.

For the Good of the Order

Kevin Danner Sr, Jim Metz, Jill Flynn, Larry Brooks, John Williams, Robert Williams, Rita Ballard, Danille Loftus Family, Mary Schoeder, Leroy David, Chris Call, Deacon Ben Hoefler, Charlie Barber, Brother David Sarnecki, Daniel Caminiti, John Danna Sr, Larry Selinger, Stanely Anderson, Ronald Smith, Gary Schoeder, Tom Selinick, John Woolosick, Louise Woolosick, Judy Danna, Dick Beck, Lyle Canum, Marge White, James O'Shea, Joe Reynolds, Jay Kennedy Steve Manns Mother, Tom Stevens, Joey Haworth, Jerry Glaub, Joe Miller, for all Military Personnel and Vocations.

Upcoming Council Dates

Apr 16 ----- Nominations of Officers
 May 1 ----- Tuition Aid Application s Due
 May 3 ----- 42nd Annual Chicken Dinner
 May 10 ----- Mother’s Day Breakfast
 May 21 ----- Tuition Aid Drawing
 May 21 ----- Election of Officers
 June 18 ----- Dex-Heights Annual Meeting



Knights of the Month for 2015

January Greg (Tom) Trello
 February Steve Rose

Tuition Aid Drawing in May

Thanks to the generosity of our membership and it’s commitment to encouraging and assisting Catholic education, this year’s Paul McAnarney Annual Tuition Aid Drawing will be drawn at the May 21 Council meeting. Awards will include three (3) \$600.00 High School and five (5) \$300.00 Grade School awards. Please note the changes to the rules at the bottom of the application form. Extra Forms will be available on the bulletin board in the Pelican Room. Drop the completed application form in the Blue Box in the Pelican Room by **May 1**.

Paul McAnarney Tuition Aid Application Form

Name of Knights of Columbus 4175 Member _____
 Name of Student Applying for Tuition Aid _____
 School Student will be attending next year _____

Member is in good standing (Dues Paid through Current Year) Circle one: Yes No

Please List Three Events at the Knights of Columbus 4175 Member has participated in the past year:

Event	Date of Event
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Please List one Event that Student over 12 years old has participated in for Service Hours in past year:

Event	Date of Event
_____	_____

Tuition Aid Rules:

1. Members Children and Step Children living with member are eligible. Grandchildren are not eligible.
2. Only one winner per family per year, though a single member may have more than one entry in the drawing.
3. Student must be attending a Catholic School, other private schools and public schools are not eligible for the drawing.
4. There will be three (3) High School at \$600 each and five (5) Grade School at \$300 each year in the drawing.
5. All Tuition Aid applications and Council dues must be current by **May 1st** Each year to be eligible for the drawing.
6. Each Member submitting for Tuition Aid must sell two BBQ Raffle Books which directly fund the Tuition Aid Program.
7. Member must work three events at KC4175 and Students over 12 years old must work Service Hours once in past year.