

Knights of Columbus

DEDHAM COUNCIL NO. 234

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November Newsletter 2014

Regular Meetings—November 4 + 18
Surge Meeting — November 11 at 7:30
Hour of Adoration— November 13 at
7:30PM
Saturday Knights Club November 1 at
7:00PM

<p>GRAND KNIGHT Jerry Alberico</p> <p>CHAPLAIN Fr. Mark Storey</p> <p>DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT Shaun L. McKenna</p> <p>CHANCELLOR Robert L. Black, P.G.K.</p>	<p>RECORDER William Killion, PGK</p> <p>FINANCIAL SECRETARY Robert MacDonald</p> <p>TREASURER Francis A. Galvin, P.G.K.</p> <p>ADVOCATE John F. Murphy, P.G.K.</p>	<p>WARDEN Steve Riley</p> <p>INSIDE GUARDS RJ Razon Charles Powers</p> <p>OUTSIDE GUARDS Steve Hern Richard Bingell</p>	<p>TRUSTEE - 3 YRS. Robert Curran, P.G.K.</p> <p>TRUSTEE - 2 YRS. Kevin Leach, P.G.K.</p> <p>TRUSTEE - 1 YR. Paul Curran, P.G.K.</p> <p>INSURANCE AGENT Matthew McDonald</p>
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On the web at www.dedhamkofc234.org

Installation of Officers: The Installation of Officers went very well. Thanks to all who attended and thanks especially to the members who participated which makes it so meaningful. Special thanks to John Murphy, PGK for running the show in his usual unflappable manner. The food and cake were excellent.

Memorial Mass: Our annual Memorial Mass, where we pray for deceased members of our Council, will be held on Wednesday November 19 at the SMA House on Common Street. This is done with the Bishop Minihan Assembly (4th Degree). The Mass will take place at 7PM. Spouses are welcome. There will be a collation after the Mass.

Soccer Challenge: Michael DeWinter, PGK runs this every year and it was enormously successful—so much so that we had to run a half hour longer just to accommodate all of the children who wanted to participate. It was a blistering hot day, too. Thanks to Michael and to the members who helped out. Pictured is a girl participating and Michael keeping close watch.



Tootsie Roll (State Charity) Drive: We once again participated in the State Charity Drive. Our Council at last count will make a donation of \$6784 to the State Charity Fund. This was a great effort on the part of so many members and spouses and children of members. We received many donations, including over \$1000 from our members. Every dollar is needed for the State Charity Fund. Everyone helped push us over the top. This kind of figure puts our Council in the top 10 in the state. We should all be proud. Pictured are RJ Razon with his son Giero, and Lily McCor-mick



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Motions: The one motion brought forward in September passed in the October 7 meeting.

Lecture Series: The new Superintendent of Dedham Schools, Michael Welsh, will be at the Council at 8:30PM on November 18 to address the members on his vision for Dedham Schools. We will have an abbreviated meeting on that date to accommodate Mr. Welsh.

Christmas Creche: We are putting up our crèche on Sunday November 30 at Noon. Please come and help put it up. It takes about a half hour and it's fun.

Surge Meeting new time: Starting November 11, we will start at **7:30PM** instead of 8:00PM.

Catholic Volunteer Corps: The CVC is looking at the extensive punch list for St. Mary's to see if we can assist with some of the items. This can act as a barnraiser for our Council. We are planning on doing this on November 1. Contact Shaun McKenna for details. Come help out!!

Feed the Homeless: We provided the meal for the Abundant Table on October 15. We served turkey, rice, vegetables, gravy and had JUST enough food. Thanks to the brothers who came and helped out. Our next meal is on November 19. We will serve pasta, meatballs, sauce, 3 bean salad. Meet at the Norwood Congregational Church at 5:00PM. Please join us.

Saturday Knights Club: The Saturday Knights Club held their second meeting on October 4. We had a pot luck dinner. The food was excellent and nobody left early. Our next meeting is on November 1. We will do pumpkin carving and everyone is encouraged to wear costumes.

Membership: There is a 1st and 2nd Degree on November 25 at Middleboro/Lakeville Council at 7PM. Meet at Dedham Council at 6PM.

Eucharistic Adoration: Our next Hour of Adoration is Friday November 13th at 7:30PM. Please make every effort to attend and worship Jesus with your brothers.

Deceased Brother: Please keep Howard Sample in your prayers. He passed away in October.

Attendance Prize: \$77 to Peter McNulty & \$87 to Louis Smith (not present)

KC Club: Tickets have been mailed out. Please get your payments in right away. We are missing several payments and it makes a big difference. If you are a member who joined the Council in the last few years and you don't have at least one ticket, **YOU SHOULD. It really matters!!** Winners in October (\$25 each) were Robert Black and Dan Tacardon.

MOTIONS

1) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$200 for expenses for the Annual Memorial Mass. All unused funds to be returned to the Council.

Submitted by Kevin Leach, PGK
Seconded by Francis Galvin, PGK

2) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$300 for expenses for the Annual Childrens Christmas Party. All unused funds to be returned to the Council.

Submitted by Francis Galvin, PGK
Seconded by Kevin Leach, PGK

3) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$50 for to assist in a wheelchair purchase for the Catholic Volunteer Corps to use as a loaner.

Submitted by Shaun McKenna
Seconded by Robert Curran, PGK