Knights of Columbus

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July Newsletter 2015

Regular Meeting –July 21
Surge Meeting – July 14 at 7:30
Hour of Adoration—July 8 at 8PM
No Saturday Knights Club Meeting

GRAND KNIGHT

Shaun L. McKenna
CHAPLAIN
Fr. Mark Storey
DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT
Steve Riley

CHANCELLORRobert L. Black, P.G.K.

RECORDER

William Killion, PGK

FINANCIAL SECRETARY
Robert MacDonald

TREASURER

Francis A. Galvin, P.G.K. **ADVOCATE**

John F. Murphy, P.G.K.

WARDEN

Frank Jurczak
INSIDE GUARDS

RJ Razon

Charles Powers

OUTSIDE GUARDS

Steve Hern Paul Hart Richard Bingell TRUSTEE - 3 YRS.
Jerry Alberico, P.G.K.

TRUSTEE - 2 YRS.
Robert Curran, P.G.K.

TRUSTEE - 1 YR.

Kevin Leach, P.G.K.

INSURANCE AGENT

Matthew McDonald

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No Meeting on July 7 or August 4: As is customary over the summer, a motion was passed to cancel the first Business Meeting in July and August. We will still have a Surge meeting on July 14 and August 11.

Feed the Homeless: We provided the meal to the Abundant Table on June 17. We provided 100 burgers and 100 hot dogs for their annual cookout. We ran out of food and fortunately there were extra hot dogs on site. Please note that we will NOT serve a meal at the Abundant Table in July and August. However, we will be providing a meal to the residents of O'Neil Drive in Dedham on July 15 at 5:30PM. It's great to give to our own senior citizens. Please join us at 5:15PM at O'Neil Drive.

Eucharistic Adoration: Our next Adoration is Friday July 8 at 8PM. Please join us. Take an hour out of your busy schedule and spend some guiet time with our Savior.

Scholarship: The names of the recipients will be published in the August newsletter. As is our custom, the parents of the student are the first to be told, usually at graduation time.

Lecture Series: Dan Linskey, retired Superintendent-in-Chief of the Boston Police Department spoke on June 16. He gave a first class talk about his role in the Boston Marathon bombing and all of the behind the scenes action and the emotion behind it. Thanks to Bob Desmond, PGK for lining up such an engaging and passionate speaker.

Flag Day Parade: The Dedham Flag Day Parade was held on Sunday June 14. We had a total of 13 marchers (not including Frank Jurczak's daughter who was in a stroller and so disappointed when the parade was over). We went through 40 pounds of mini tootsie rolls. It was a perfect night for the parade and everyone loved seeing us. If you did not march this year, do it next year. It's fun.

Election of Officers for 2015-2016: Congratulations to all of the brothers who were elected to the different offices in the Council.

Membership: There are no degrees in July or August.

Columbia Magazine: Check out page 30 of the June magazine—Knights in Action. Our Council is in there.

Newsletter Month: July, 2015

Motions: All 4 motions in the June newsletter passed on June 2. There were no motions submitted in June for consideration in July.

Saturday Knights Club: The Saturday Knights Club held their Mystery Ride on June 6 and it was a resounding success. We carpooled to the Newport Playhouse, ate from a buffet with really good food, saw a play, and came back to the dining area for a cabaret. Everyone had a great time. Thanks to Charlie Powers for coordinating a great evening. The SKC will take the summer

off. We will meet again on September 12. Pictures of the event are below.

Barnraiser: We had a barnraiser at Sam Celata's house on June 6. We cleaned up his property outside. His son and daughter were very appreciative of the work that was done. Pictured are Frank Jurczak, Rob Curran, Paul Hart, Brian Keaney, Steve Riley, Bob Desmond, Andy Lawlor, and the daughter and son of Sam. Grand Knight Jerry Alberico was also present but was taking

the picture. Sam passed away 10 days later.



Sam Celata: Our oldest member, Sabino Celata, PGK passed away on June 16. Sam was very active in the Council for many years and was known in Dedham as "Citizen Sam". Thanks to all of our brothers who attended his wake and funeral.

Knight of the Year: Grand Knight Jerry Alberico selected Steve Riley for this award. Steve has been active on almost every committee and every event that our Council runs. He has proven to be a tireless brother and embraces whatever role he has. He is now our Deputy Grand Knight. Congratulations to Steve. Also selected as Honorable Mention were Paul Hart and Kevin Leach for all of their contributions to our Council. Thank you, brothers.

Attendance Prize: \$82 to John Black and \$92 to Joe Sergi (not present)

KC Club: \$25 winners: George Doherty, Ellen Rea, Rita Girard, Joe D'Amico

Shaun McKenna, Grand Knight William Killion, Recorder Pictures of Saturday Knights Club Mystery Ride Below



