

Knights of Columbus

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April Newsletter 2016

Regular Meetings—April 5 & 19 at 8PM
 Surge Meeting — April 12 at 7:30
 Hour of Adoration— April 8 at 8PM
 Saturday Knights Club Meeting
 April 2 at 7:00

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

Communion Breakfast: We had an excellent showing of brothers on March 13 at St. Mary's for our annual Mass. Thanks to all who participated. It made a very strong impression on the Parish. After Mass, we had our Communion Breakfast at our Council. We had a full hall of people. Mike Bellotti was our speaker and he gave a great talk on the various programs that his office has implemented to assist inmates so they don't make their way back to prison. The return rate for Norfolk County is significantly lower than the national average. Sheriff Bellotti donated his speaking fee back to the Council (he is a brother Knight in a Council in Quincy). The food was excellent as always. The Kitchen Commandos did their usual outstanding job. Pictured above is Sheriff Bellotti and the Grand Knight.



Spring Social: We had a very successful Spring Social on March 19. It was a sellout. We had some excellent food—corned beef, cabbage, vegetables, Irish bread, desserts. There was more than enough food for everyone. We had an excellent band named "Coinz" and the place was rocking until Midnight. We had loads of raffle prizes and auction items and our scratch ticket board. Chuck Dello Iacono (shown on the left) did an amazing job with the catering and he helped serve, too! Everyone pitched in and everyone had a great time. Thanks to those members who helped and those who attended. It was a great fund raiser and a "fun raiser" as well. We made almost \$6K which goes right into our Charity Fund and Scholarships.



Newsletter Month: April, 2016

Motions: Both motions brought forward in February for voting in March were approved.

Feed the Homeless: We provided the meal at the Abundant Table on March 16. We served pasta, meatballs and 3 bean salad. Thanks to the brothers who helped out, especially Fred Loewen for taking over the main cooking job as Bill Killion was travelling. We had enough food and enough brothers to do the job right. Our next meal will be turkey, rice pilaf, vegetables, and gravy on April 20. Please plan to be there at 5PM.

Eucharistic Adoration: Our next Hour of Adoration is on Friday April 8 at 8PM. We had a strong showing in March. Lets build on that. It's a time for quiet, peaceful reflection with our Savior there to guide you. Please join us. You'll walk away a better person

Membership: There is a First and Second Degree at Middleboro/Lakeville on April 26 at 7PM. Meet at the Council at 6PM. There is also a 3rd Degree on April 5 in Whitman at 2PM. Please contact Charlie Black at 781-326-6243 if you would like to make this degree. We had two new members make their 1st and 2nd Degrees in February—Denis Smith and Ken Micciche. Welcome, brothers. We then had 4 members make their 3rd Degree on February 28—Denis Smith, Mike Kerrigan, Magnus Luxama, Tom Chirokas. Welcome to Knighthood.

Saturday Knights Club: We had our meeting on March 5. We did a lot of planning for the Spring Social and then settled in for a cutthroat game of Left Right Center. Everyone had a great time and we had a very large group. Our next meeting is on April 2 at 7PM. We will have our annual auction. It's always a great time, lots of laughs, and some pretty good bargains, too. Bring what you want to give away and bid on other people's "treasures".

Investment Club: The Investment Club will meet on the fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:30PM in the clubroom.

KC Club: \$25 to James Tuite and Alice Morrissey. **\$500 drawings won by Mike Podolski and Bob Simpson.** Tickets for next season have been mailed out. Please return your funds promptly.

Attendance Prize: \$97 for Brian Keaney and \$107 for Paul Munchback (not present)

Motions

1) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$240 for 6 tickets to the Annual Lantern Award Banquet.

Submitted by Charles Black, PGK

Seconded by Charles Powers

2) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$1250.00 to augment the third 2015 scholarship to correct a miscommunication with Dedham High School

Submitted by Charles Black, PGK

Seconded by Charles Powers

Shaun McKenna, Grand Knight

William Killion, Recorder

Brothers, Wear your emblem proudly!