

Knights of Columbus

DEDHAM COUNCIL NO. 234

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December Newsletter 2019

Regular Meetings—Dec 3 & 17 at 8PM

Surge Meeting — Dec 10 at 7:30PM

Hour of Adoration— Dec 13 & 27 at
8PM

Saturday Knights Club Meeting:
Dec 7 at 7PM

GRAND KNIGHT Paul Hart CHAPLAIN Fr. Wayne Belschner DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT Lindsay Barich CHANCELLOR Robert L. Black, P.G.K.	RECORDER Steve Riley, PGK FINANCIAL SECRETARY Stephen Heaslip TREASURER Francis A. Galvin, P.G.K. ADVOCATE John F. Murphy, P.G.K.	WARDEN Tom Chirokas INSIDE GUARDS Frank Fico Joseph Griffin OUTSIDE GUARDS Richard Bingell James Brothers	TRUSTEE - 3 YRS. John Deschenes, P.G.K. TRUSTEE - 2 YRS. Frank Jurczak, P.G.K. TRUSTEE - 1 YR. Steve Riley, P.G.K. INSURANCE AGENT Richard Parisi
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On the web at www.dedhamkofc234.org

Tootsie Roll Drive: Final update. Dedham Council raised over **\$7200** again this year. Great job all who helped in any way during the campaign.

Children Christmas Party Sunday Dec 8th at 12:30PM at the Council Hall: This is always a great event for the kids. Food, Christmas carols, fun and a special visit from Santa. Please come if you can. Bring your kids, grand kids, great grand kids ! (remember to bring a wrapped gift with the child's name on it for Santa to present). Questions or if you can help please contact brother Stephen Heaslip 339-237-0912

Christmas Party at Coffee and Donut Sunday: Sunday Dec 1st after the 9AM Mass at St Mary's we will host a Christmas party for families. There will be Ornament making, opportunity for family pictures, Trivia with prizes and more, Brothers if you can help please let Jerry Alberico PGK know, 781-636-8843.

Memorial Mass: was held Nov 20 at 7:30PM at the SMA fathers. This was a wonder mass remembering our departed brothers and a good showing as well. Great job by Kevin and Debbie Leach on the collation.

Speaker Series: Brothers, Next one December 3rd at **7PM before the meeting**, Speaker Kevin Hallinan a dynamic speaker, one topic will be membership. Please come early and participate.

Curran Classic: Another great college hockey game to see, This year we are leaning on going to an NU game again. Date TBD. Dinner before at location to be determined (if you'd like) and the game at 7PM. It's a fun night out. Tickets at most will be \$20 unless we get enough participation and get the group rate. Questions please contact Rob Curran PGK, 617-512-6171

We are a "Band of Brothers" Please see the flyer insert and send your communication info.

Motions: All motions were brought forward into November passed.

Eucharistic Adoration: Hours of Adoration for next month are on Friday Dec 13th and Friday Dec 27th at 8PM. In St Joseph's Chapel.

Investment Club: We will not meet in December due to the holidays.

Saturday Knights Club: Our next meeting will be on Dec 7th at 7PM.

We will sing carols in front of the crèche and have our "papal swap" after. We had a great "Friendsgiving" meal at the Killions. Pictured are two baskets that we put together and are going to two families in need in Dedham.



Christmas Crèche: We will be putting up the Crèche Sunday Dec 1st after the 11AM Mass. Please help if you can. Many hands make light the load!

Advent Concert: St Bartholomew's Sunday December 8 at 2PM, All welcome. Brother Charlie Kanelos is the choir director, refreshments immediately following. 1180 Greendale Ave Needham.

Attendance Prize: John O'Connor, \$161 and Jeff Ladino \$171 (not present)

KC Club: Shaun McKenna, Marcia Hayes, Tom Chirokas, Joe D'Amico \$25 each

MOTIONS

#1 Motion that Dedham council #234 appropriate the sum of \$300 to fund the purchase of for a Christmas Party at the ARC of South Norfolk located on Clapboardtree Street. Exact date TBD. I have 4 boxes of toys to give out and would be looking for other brothers to help out. All unused funds to be returned to the council. Submitted by Joe Griffin and seconded by Richard Bingell.

#2 That scholarships be increased to 2 \$1500 scholarships and one \$500 scholarship for high school seniors who are children of council members in good standing. Submitted by Bob Samonte and seconded by Joe Griffin

#3 That Dedham Council #234 add electronic payment processing to our bank account with Venmo or Paypal. Submitted by Joe Griffin and seconded by Bob Samonte

Paul Hart Grand Knight

Steve Riley, Recorder