Knights of Columbus

DEDHAM COUNCIL No. 234

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July Newsletter 2021

Regular Meeting—July 20 at 8PM Surge Meeting — July 13 at 7:30PM Hours of Adoration—July 9 and 23 at 8PM

Saturday Knights Club Meeting: No meting in the summer

GRAND KNIGHT

Tom Chirokas
CHAPLAIN
Fr. Wayne Belschner
DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT
Joseph Griffin
CHANCELLOR

Robert L. Black, P.G.K.

RECORDER

William Killion, PGK
FINANCIAL SECRETARY
Stephen Heaslip
TREASURER
Steve Riley, PGK
ADVOCATE
Andrew Lawlor, P.G.K.

WARDEN

James Brothers
INSIDE GUARDS
Frank Fico
Charles Kanelos
OUTSIDE GUARDS
Richard Bingell
James Brothers

TRUSTEE - 3 YRS.
Lindsay Barich, P.G.K.
TRUSTEE - 2 YRS.
William Killion, P.G.K.
TRUSTEE - 1 YR.
John Deschenes, P.G.K.
INSURANCE AGENT

Jerry Alberico, PDK

On the web at www.dedhamkofc234.org

Zoom Meetings: We have **stopped our Zoom meetings** and we are once again meeting in the hall. We started out on June 1 meeting in Andy Lawlor's yard and then on June 15 we met in the hall, where we will meet regularly. **We will not meet on July 6 or August 3, per motion made and passed on June 15.**

Scholarships: The winners of this year scholarships have been selected. They are Jacob Williams, son of Michael Williams and Fabian Heaslip, son of Steve Heaslip. The choice was difficult because of so many applications. Congratulations to both.

BC Football Game: We are organizing a trip to the BC game on Sept 25 vs Missouri. Tickets are \$35 each. We can meet at the Council and go together as a group. If interested, let John Deschenes know. Tickets must be paid for by July 20.

Saturday Knights Club: We had our "not so mystery" ride on June 12. We all met at the Newport Polo Club in RI and had a fantastic afternoon and evening. It was very

relaxed with good food and company. Most members agreed that we need to make this an annual event (not for the mystery ride but another time). The SKC takes the summer off. We will start in September. Our new President is Debbie Curran and VP Kelly Curran. Looking forward to another great year.



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Motions: The one motions brought forward in May passed in June

125th Anniversary Date: We have a date and venue for our Council 125th Anniversary gala. It is **November 5, 2022 at the Hilton in Dedham.**

Transitional Deacons: Two of our members, Patrick O'Connor and Nick Stano, both from St. Mary's, were ordained as Transitional Deacons by Cardinal Sean O'Malley on June 12 Congratulations to both brothers.

Coffee Hour at St. Mary's: We have resumed our monthly coffee hour at St. Mary's. We will do this on the first Sunday of the month after the 9AM. If you would like to assist, just show up after Mass.

Election of Officers: The slate of officers that was proposed for the Fraternal Year 2020-21 was elected on June 1. They are reflected in this newsletter. The outgoing Grand Knight Lindsay Barich wishes to thank all members for their participation in a very challenging year. Great job, Lindsay.

Eucharistic Adoration: Hours of Adoration are June 11& 25 at 8PM. Social distancing is practiced but masks are no longer required. Please join us.

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

Red Cross Volunteers: The Red Cross reached out to us to provide some volunteers for a once a month "ambassador" stint in the Dedham location. Thanks to the Grand Knight and Steve Hern for stepping up. Please consider volunteering. They really need the help. This is important charitable work. For information, contact the GK at his email address lindsayb@uwinc.com.

MOTIONS

- 1)That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$100 for a donation to the Makayla Fund. Submitted by William Killion, PGK and seconded by Frank Galvin, PGK.
- 2) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$250 for the Grand Knight's expenses for fraternal year 2021-2022. All unused funds to be returned to the Council. Submitted by Steve Riley, PGK and seconded by Frank Galvin, PGK
- 3) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$500 for the Surge Program for fraternal year 2021-2022. All unused funds to be returned to the Council. Submitted by Steve Riley, PGK and seconded by Frank Galvin.