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Grand Knight's Message

The year continues to speed past us. Let's not get left in the dust! Bingo is finally taking off. Lots of time and hard work by a few has made our hall sing with excitement. Help is still needed. I'm not asking for an "every week" commitment, just whatever time you can give to the cause.

We will start our Personal Dynamics course on November 18th with a program on Communications. Please give Joe Powers a call to secure your seat at this prestigious and timely event. More courses will follow.

I am still looking for a Community Events Coordinator to organize Project Chairmen. We are looking to offer projects that place the Knights out into the community. Ideas may include Children's Christmas Party; Easter Egg Hunt; Coats for Kids; you get the idea. We are not a bank, but a service organization so let's serve!

We have started our "Knight of the Month" program. Each month we will honor one of our own. Nominations can be given to me.

Thank you all and God Bless. Vivat Jesus!

Ernie Gailor, Grand Knight
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Upcoming Events

- November**
- 1 Mon. K of C Meeting
 - 2 Tue. Election Day
 - 8 Mon. Memorial Mass
 - 9 Tue. CD of A Meeting
 - 11 Th. Veterans Day
 - 12 Fri. Fish Fry
 - 24 Fri. Fish Fry
 - 29 Mon. Assembly Mtg.

B I N G O				
7	25	44	57	62
15	22	40	50	70
11	30	FREE SPACE	46	74
2	28	37	55	68
10	27	39	59	75

Bingo is back on Wednesdays!

Columbian Report

It has been a long almost 2 years since the pandemic began. We have managed to pay our taxes, maintain our building, and leave our investments largely intact. Our only major repair was the replacement of the dishwasher. Without bingo, rentals and any other income, the take out dinners have kept us above water. Great thanks to Dave Tarity, Gus Ross, Frank Bunch, Joe Fredette, and their kitchen crew. Also thanks to Joe Freshwater and Mike Finnegan for all minor repairs. We know we may have missed some, but this organization of Catholic Gentlemen with the help of the Catholic Daughters the community has managed to navigate the pandemic. We are getting closer to "normal".

Thanks to all, Columbian Board

Individual Development

In an effort to make our council more efficient the Grand Knight would like to have some courses run to help our membership develop skills that will help achieve that goal. As a result I have accepted his appointment as Individual Development Coordinator. On Thursday, November 11 at 7 PM, I will be conducting a Course on Communication Dynamics in the small meeting room at the hall. Everyone is welcome to attend. If you are interested in attending, please let me know by phone, text, email or if you see me at the hall. That way I'll know how many people to prepare materials for. Vivat Jesus!

I am also planning on teaching a course on running a meeting using parliamentary procedure on Thursday December 9 at 7 PM in the small room at the hall. Please let me know if you can attend!

Joe Powers. (518)428-2375 joep0074@gmail.com

Raffle

The Fourth Degree Scholarship raffle's 1st drawing was held on Friday, October 15. The drawing was worth \$190. Numbers 52, 227, and 58 were drawn with no winner. The next drawing is November 19 at 7 p.m. the prize will be \$365. Still time to get in and grow the prize.

Pro-Life

As you may know, the Knights of Columbus, Catholic daughters and other people who are pro life have had a presence at Planned Parenthood on Washington Avenue in Saratoga for quite a while. We gather there at 10 AM every Friday morning, praying the rosary while holding up signs supporting life! I am happy to report that on Friday, October 22 we had eight people there personifying God's love! We hope you will consider joining us in the future. We have noticed that it appears that we have made an impact because there does not seem to be much going on on Friday mornings while we are there. If we can get enough of a consistent committed presence on Fridays I am hoping to take part of the group and go on Tuesday mornings instead. If you are interested please contact me at (518) 428-2375 or Vern Utter (518) 584-0034
Vivat Jesus!
Joe Powers



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All Council #246 and Assembly #745 News will be distributed to our membership via email. This includes the monthly newsletter, and various bits of K of C news, notices, calendar changes, fundraiser reminders, etc.


Any member-provided news or updates can be sent to our entire membership by sending an email to the Grand Knight at: ernie@harlan-mcgee.com.

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