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Grand Knight's Message

Well, it's been an interesting year past. Life has changed for all of us in so many ways. By the time you read this, Bingo should be back in full swing, and the Patriot's Day Parade is a happy memory.

Getting reorganized seems to be the priority. Our meeting held on September 13th has been a call to arms. We need you. While we want to re-establish our tried-and-true programs, I hope to see even more. More for the community, more for our church and more for each other.

I would like to start a new initiative in providing for our community essential services and youth programs. I would like to start personal development classes for our membership. These will include Financial Management, Time Management, and Communication. I say the last because I have found communication to be lacking in too many areas.

We are strong minded men with a mission to serve God, our families and our communities. With you, it will be a great year.

Ernest Gailor, GK



Upcoming Events

September	7 Tue.	CD of A Meeting
	11 Sat.	Elks Patriot Parade
	13 Mon.	K of C Meeting
	17 Fri.	Joe's Italian dinner
	24 Fri.	Fish Fry
	27 Mon.	Assembly Mtg.

October	4 Mon.	K of C Meeting
	5 Tue.	CD of A Meeting
	8 Fri.	Joe's Roast Beef Dinner
	18 Mon.	Installation of Officers
	24 Mon.	Assembly Mtg.
	29 Fri.	Fish Fry

Columbian Report

We are starting to book more events and still conform to state rules. Thanks to all for staying safe and supporting us through this pandemic., It is not over yet, but we can see the light at the end of the tunnel. With events picking up, we can use more help tending bar and otherwise helping with the events. Contact Gus Ross, Ken Davis, Dave Tarity, or Rick Schwartzbeck. If interested we will train you.

Watch for blood drives and other council sponsored events as we emerge from the pandemic.

Columbian Board of Directors

Raffle

The 4th Degree Scholarship Raffle was drawn on August 20. #397 was drawn, but again this person was not paid up to date. The drawing for September is now almost \$1600. If it is not "hit" at the drawing September 17, at 7 p.m., we will have 3 winners of 1/3 of the total. For \$60 you can get in on the last drawing for this year. We will also now be collecting for next year's raffle. The mailbox is in the bar with the envelopes. There is also a box in the game room. This raffle is open to all K of C members and all Catholic Daughters.

This raffle has financed our Scholarship and is now entering its fourth year. Help support this scholarship which is given each year to a deserving high school student.

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Any member-provided news or updates can be sent to our entire membership by sending an email to the Grand Knight at: rgorman25@msn.com.

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