

Newsletter

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Grand Knight News

Dear Brother Knights

Summer is almost here and I hope all of you are starting to get out and enjoy the warmer weather. I am looking forward to a bright summer and new activities at the council. During the early part of the year, we were very busy with the weekly Fish dinners and the monthly breakfast. Both were very successful and I thank all of you for your support of these events.

Starting next month, we will continue our Steak Dinners (June – September).

Our membership dues are moving forward, we appreciate the continued support and ask all of you members to come out to the council and participate in fellowship and our on-going activities.

We continue to work on the facility, fixing and upgrading as much as we can with minimal cost and volunteer time. At our past business meeting we discussed a recent proposal we received for closing up the back side of the building, creating additional covered storage and concession space. The proposal was sent back for additional updates and we hope to discuss at our next meeting. In addition, we have not lost site of our drive to enhance the grounds with a family oriented shelter facility. Many of us, if not all agree, that this will bring a great opportunity to expand our use of the grounds for all of our members and families.

I look forward to seeing all of you over the summer months.

Sincerely in Christ

Fred M. Fitzsimmons, Grand Knight.

Council Officers Election

In June, new officers will need to be elected for our council. Members, we encourage all of you to consider your abilities and leadership talents and run for office.

A slate of officers has been posted at the council. All members who wish to run for office will need to sign up. The official date of the election has not been set as of this mailing but will be posted at the council.

It is important that you vote! In order to vote, you must be a member in good standing. The financial secretary will certify membership standing.

Our organization depends on member participation. We encourage all members to vote and to consider becoming and officer of this council.

Food Drive 2010

Brother Mack McInnis will again be leading the charge on the K of C 624 food drive. If you remember we turned this into a great event for all of our members. Last year we set a goal of 10,000lbs of food and through all of your efforts and donations we delivered the equivalent of 36,000lbs of food.

We think we can do better this year. Many of the members stepped up to make this the huge success it became. This is a great opportunity to support our community. Look for more information in the coming months.

Newsletter Update: Receive your newsletter via email, sign up at mail@kofc624.org or on line at www.kofc624.org .

Upcoming Hall Rentals

May 22, 2010

June 5, 2010

June 12, 2010

June 19, 2010

June 26, 2010

Next Business Meeting

June 1, 2010 @ 7:30

July 6, 2010 @ 7:30

Upcoming Officers Meeting

May 18, 2010 @ 7:30

June 15, 2010 @ 7:30

July 20, 2010 @ 7:30

Steak Fry

June 16, 2010 @ 6:00 PM.

Prayer to Our Lady, Mother of Mercy

Blessed Virgin Mary, who can worthily repay you with praise and thanks for having rescued a fallen world by your generous consent. Receive our gratitude, and by your prayers obtain the pardon of our sins. Take our prayers into the sanctuary of heaven and enable them to make our peace with God.

Holy Mary, help the miserable, strengthen the discouraged, comfort the sorrowful, pray for your people, plead for the clergy, intercede for all women consecrated to God. May all who venerate you feel now your help and protection. Be ready to help us when we pray, and bring back to us the answers to our prayers. Make it your continual concern to pray for the people of God, for you were blessed by God and were made worthy to bear the Redeemer of the world, who lives and reigns forever. Amen.