



# knights of columbus

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Saint Margaret's Council 13908

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## MAY NEWSLETTER

Things are starting to happen within our Council so be sure and attend a meeting. Our next meeting will be 7:00 p.m. June 8<sup>th</sup> at St. Margaret's Church and there are several important fundraising items on the agenda.

## ACTIVITIES

### **4<sup>th</sup> of July Fundraiser**

It has been proposed that we provide a refreshment booth on the church grounds for people attending the Lee's Summit fireworks show. We would provide an assortment of burgers, hot dogs, brats, beverages etc. We will be giving a final decision on this at the June meeting so please be sure to attend and voice your opinion.

### **Las Vegas Night**

We have been contacted in regards to hosting a Las Vegas Night for Channel 5 on August 21<sup>st</sup>. More discussion and planning will started at the June Meeting.

### **Street Cleanup**

We are in the final phases of having a section of Colbern Road designated to our council for cleanup. This area would be in front of the elementary and middle schools on Colbern. More information will follow once everything is finalized

As a new council we are wide open for any new activities, so bring any activity ideas to a council meeting and share them with your brother knights.

# COUNCIL BUSINESS

## **Officers Jewels/Nametags**

As of the May meeting our officers are now sporting some new necklaces. The Officers Jewels that Tom ordered are now in and we are beginning to look quite official. Also the first of the nametags have arrived and can be picked up during any meeting.

## **Apparel**

Several brother knights were also seen sporting some new shirts at our last meeting. For all of those who ordered shirts please see Richard to pick yours up, and pay for them.

## **Website <http://www.kofc13908.com>**

Our website is now up and running. You will find some very useful information there. Items like upcoming events, our illustrious officers, and links to other informative sites as well as a means to contact our offices, field representative and District Deputy. If you have any suggestions for items to add please let the Deputy Grand Knight know. The website is now linked to the parishes website as well.

## **Social Hour**

We are now holding a social hour after our regular meetings. This is a good time to learn more about your brother knights and to just relax and enjoy good companionship. Beer and soda will be available and is being provided on a rotating basis by our membership.

# MEMBERSHIP

## **Degrees**

There will be a 1<sup>st</sup> degree held on June 13<sup>th</sup> at Council 6819's monthly meeting.

## **Recruitment**

There was once a poll conducted amongst catholic men as to why they didn't belong to the Knights of Columbus. The number one answer was they have never been asked. We all benefit from having new members. It gives us additional people to share the load as well as bringing new ideas to the council. So consider asking your friends, relatives, fellow choir members, lectures, extraordinary ministers (Eucharistic ministers), ushers and even the man sitting next to you each week at mass. Forms are available on the tables as you walk into church each week.

If anyone has any ideas for the newsletter please feel free to let me know.

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