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To volunteer for any Committee, contact the Chairman. We have an active schedule planned for the year, and all

Happy October Birthday to

Rev. Elbert Callis
John Cheek
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William McLoughin
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George Rogers
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Michael Skinner

Grand knight's

Brothers,

Now that the dog days of summer have turned to cooler days of October (maybe), we can open the windows and enjoy the weather. With the cooler air the council's calendar becomes busier and the need for putting together activities increases. Please consider helping out with a few events by volunteering or to participate. Also, please try to attend one meeting a month on either the first or third Thursday.

Recruitment is our *priority*, keep talking to our future candidates and have a form 100 available to sign up future knights. We will be planning a **recruitment drive** soon and details will be discussed at our meeting.

Our **Fraternal Insurance program** provides for your family and the **Annuity Program** enables a member to provide a safe investment for retirement through tax deferred savings. For more details please contact **Brother John Ross**.

Kindly **pray and reach out** to members in distress. If you know of anyone who may need our support, please let us know we would be glad to assist them. The Knight of the Month for August is Carl Heinrich for all the tireless work he gives to the council behind the scenes. Whether it is setting up for breakfast or taking the lead in other council activities, Carl is an indispensable member of the council. Thank you Carl for all of your hard work.

The Family of the Month for August is the Chris Barnoud Family. Thanks to all of the great things they do for the St. Ann parish and community. Thank you for all of your efforts.

Finally, I would like to thank the members of the council that have come to me with suggestions for new ideas and fundraisers. The ideas have been numerous and creative, and please stay tuned for more information on them as they are finalized. As always, if you have any suggestions for fundraising or fraternal events, please don't hesitate to give me a call at 901-412-1954 or email me at gtirc@bellsouth.com.

God Bless
Gary Tircuit

pro life

St Ann will the day of Oct 17th (from 6am till 7pm) to pray and fast in front of Planned Parenthood. The program is called 40 Days for Life. We did it last year. Guys to volunteer for a 2 hour stints. Please email John Vetter at johnv@deltadatainc.com or call 283-2760 to sign up.

District 1 picnic

Date - October 17, 2009 Time - 2pm-6pm

Location - W.J. Freeman Park
2629 Bartlett Blvd. (shelter just inside park on right side)

Food - We will be serving hamburger, hotdogs, trimmings, desserts. Meal should be ready to eat approx. 3pm.

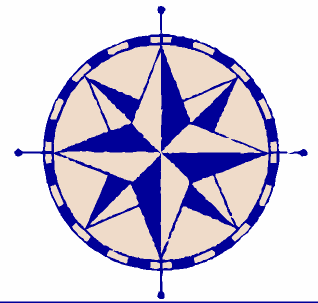
Activities - Playground for kids tennis courts
Kickball/dodge ball moon bounce(provided by 9317)
Frisbee horseshoes?
Piñatas or goodie bags corn hole(provided by 7170)

Each family bring - lawn chairs, insect spray, suntan lotion

I will need a head count on who will attend by 10/9/09

Thanks,

Gary Tircuit



COMING EVENTS

- 10-1-Business Meeting
- 10-5 2nd Degree - St. Francis 6pm
- 10-6 Degree Team Practice
- 10-8 Squires Meeting
- 10-10 4th Degree - Church of the Resurrection
- 10-10 Special Olympics - CBHS
- 10-10/11 Dog Show - Agricenter
- 10-15 Social
- 10-24 3rd Degree - Holy Rosary Church
- 10-26-09 4th Degree Meeting - St. Ann
- 10-31-09 Trunk-r-Treat

DOG SHOW

Brothers,

Just a few days left until this year's Showcase of Dogs. This is an annual event that the Knights have been involved with for at least 10 years. Basically, we stop cars coming into the Agricenter and collect parking and admission fees from them. This year the charity we are working for is Hope House. They are very excited that we asked them to be our beneficiaries this year and they have really gone all out to help us promote the event which will be Oct. 10 and 11th at the Agricenter. We still have a few choice timeslots left to fill. I know that we have other events on those same dates, but if you can see your way clear to help, please email me at rfhessjr@gmail.com or call 326-8347.

Vivat Jesus!
Frank
Hess

PRAYER REQUESTS

Standing Prayer List as of August 1st, 2009

Ann DiBartolo, Vince Balla's father and sister, Abigael and Natalie Rivera, David Brooks, Dan Martini, Michael Skinner, Betty Bradley, Matthew McLean, Ed Kitts' family, Larry Schellman, Mary Friends' family, Benito Andreucetti, Michele Kinsella, Christopher Zelle, Kalar Fultz, Bernice and Vito Collona, and The United States Armed Forces and their families.

June 4th Additions

Debbie Jones, requested by Ike Davidson
Tony Salvati's family, requested by Joe De George
Megan Jones, requested by Fr. John Hourican
Virginia Furmanski and Debborah Webb, requested by John Ross
Ed Zavodny, requested by Tom Zavodny
Tyler Roman, requested by John McLean

Submitted by: Wm. John McLean (Recorder)

MR DRIVE

Brother Knights:

Thanks for the help on Saturday, September 19th at Kroger on Stage. It was a very good day. We had a mix up on the dates at Kroger on Summer and the Girl Scouts won out.

I know the Wal-Mart on Hwy 64 will be a hard and busy weekend. However, we need the money for the MR.

Try to work in a couple of hours "PLEASE"! The Drive is as follows:

Friday, October 2nd from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM
 Saturday, October 3rd from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM
 Sunday, October 4th from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM.

Also, please give some thought to the last drive at Schnucks on October 23rd from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM; October 24th from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM; and October 25th from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM.

The MR Drive is the only 100% charity drive that we have!

God Bless!

Ike Davidson - home 387-1319/ cell 603-0796 / davidso97@bellsouth.net
 C. J. Burti - home 384-7676



Trunk or Treat 2009

Knights, we need your help. Council 7170 will be hosting a Trunk or Treat on Saturday, October, 31 from 6:30pm-830pm in the chapel parking lot. We need volunteers to come out, dressed up in your favorite costume, decorate your vehicle, and pass out goodies to the kids.

Here are some tips to help create a fun trunk or treat

- *decide how to decorate your trunk
- *think about if you want the children to win a prize or receive candy for participating
- *buy an appropriate amount of candy or prizes
- *place your candy or prizes in the trunk
- *decorate your car in a way that will attract the children to your car
- *dress up in a friendly costume
- *wait for children to show up at your trunk

If you can participate be at the church parking lot no later than 630pm

Also, send me an e-mail, gtirc@bellsouth.net or give me a call 384-4344 if you like to participate
 Gary Tircuit



**NEXT BUSINESS MEETING – Thursday, Nov 5th 7:00 P.M. McGivney Hall
 Rosary, upstairs in St. Joachim Chapel, begins 6:15 P.M.**



Knights of Columbus
 Edward J. Kitts Council #7170
 6529 Stage Rd. Bartlett, TN 38134

Brother Knights,
St. Ann's Special Olympics Fun Day Event is coming soon

Oct 10, 2009 at CBHS event starts at 9:00 AM

I need volunteers to contact me even if you told me before (I have CRS).

I need 1 more gas grille to use on that date(Chris Barnoud, Tim McCaffery, and Ed Wiseman are donating theirs).

I need someone to get the propane tanks of the Knights to be refilled(5-6 of them)--either deliver by 9 AM or get with grille trailer.

I need 2 volunteers for ice pickup--on Kirby Whitten next to Jolly Wash north of Summer--need full size truck(750 lbs. of ice)-- need to be delivered at 7 AM at CBHS(we have coins donated to pick up approx 48 bags @ 16 lbs).

Ed Wiseman has a trailer--I need someone with a truck to pick up those grilles the night before and deliver to CBHS by 9 AM.

I need 2 more volunteers to help with AM coffee, hot chocolate, donuts, etc be there by 7:30 AM--10AM.

I need 7-8 people for lunch service 10 AM-1 PM.

Please respond to me by email Brad<bnbs5196@bellsouth.net>

If you can't call me at 482-1104 and leave a message.

Brother Knights do you have a business you would like to promote? Please email your business card to bryan@emidsouthinc.com and I will ad the card to our newsletter.

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