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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Brothers and Friends,

It was best said on an electronic sign on the parkway in Peterborough that read. "Sara says summer deserves a speeding ticket" Yes once again the summer is speeding by. I trust that everyone is enjoying the summer months. We have certainly had some great weather. Columbus Home has been busier this summer than in past years. Dorothy and her helpers have been busy making summer sandwiches in place of souptime for the summer months. Thank you to all that have been able to help her in this worthy cause.

This fraternal year we will celebrate the 100th anniversary of receiving our Charter as a Council on May 24th, 2019. Over the past few months, I have started to see some old pictures and memorabilia from our Council's past that is coming out of the woodwork. If you have a story or anything that has been hidden away, please let us get them out, so we can share them with everyone this year. Let us make it our goal and ensure that all of our members have an opportunity to participate in some way to celebrate this milestone. Brother Richard Hoffman has put in a great effort over the past year and has set the stage for two events May 24, 2019 and September 28, 2019. We need two committees formed this month to work on the finer details of these events. Please get in touch with me to help with the planning for these. I am truly looking forward to this year being one of building our fraternalism, in doing so we honor the efforts of all of those that have paved the way getting our Council where we are today.

On August 19th our new District Deputy Alphonse Ainsworth held his first district meeting. As you may have read in the Columbia or Knightline **Faith in Action** is the new umbrella for all Supreme-Council recommended programs, replacing **Surge for Service**. Faith in action has four categories Faith, Community, Family, and Life. In each of the categories, there are eight programs, yes thirty-two programs. There are many changes with some programs moved into the new categories, some dropped, and new programs introduced. The changes are extensive and covered in an 8-page hand out titled Faith in Action "Frequently Asked Questions". I have requested an electronic copy to share with you. I ask that when you receive it take some time and review it. There are programs each of us will have special interest in, and an opportunity to become involved in to better families, our community and ourselves. If it is a new program that we are not doing now that interests you talk to me and let us see how we can get involved. As a council, we may have to review our program structure and make some slight adjustments moving forward.

Once again, I look forward to working, playing and praying with you all in service to our families, Church, and community throughout our 100th fraternal year 2018-2019.

Fr. McGivney, Pray for us; Our Lady, Queen of Peace, Pray for us

Vivat Jesus!

Stephen Clancy, Grand Knight, Council 1970

Ladies' Auxiliary Report

Hello Ladies:

I guess that you all know that I have taken a couple of months off for some much-needed R & R, but here is a short report on what lays ahead.

Our September meeting is September 11, at the hall, time 7:00 p.m. I will be there. we will discuss the two events that will be held in October. There will be a Hi-Tea on Sunday October 21, organized by Gladys DeLong Maggs. and we have been asked to hold a 60th Wedding Anniversary for Lynn and Jan Kjollesdal. We will need the Auxiliary's help with this event.

We have held the Summer Sandwiches program every Wednesday since the first of June. The Ladies Auxiliary, as well as members of St. Michael's Church have worked very hard in providing help for this event every Wednesday morning. Summer Sandwiches will run until the end of September. I want to thank all those involved for the help they have given to see this project completed and making it a success. We are still looking for someone or two people to deliver sandwiches for the month of September. They will still be given out at the Salvation Army office on Swayne St. If you can help, call and let me know. Dorothy Ruttan 905-372-9428.

The Ladies Auxiliary are still supplying Donuts for the Blood Donors Clinic which is held every third Wednesday of the month.

Our Bingos are the following for the next couple of months, September 15, and September 28. and October 15, and October 31. time for all the bingos are 11:00 to 3:00 for the volunteers. We are always looking for more help so if you would like to help call Pat Brady at 905-377-1956.

Thank you and see you all in September.

Dorothy Ruttan, President Ladies Auxiliary

September Council Events:



Community Breakfast Buffet

- **HAS NOW MOVED TO THE 2ND SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH**
- **September 9th from 9:00 to 11:30 am.** at the Columbus Community Centre.
- **Adults - \$10 Children 5-12 - \$5**



TERRY FOX RUN

- **September 16th at 1:00 pm**
- If anyone is interesting in helping with this event, they can call Fred Stegmayer at 905-372-6670. Otherwise, hopefully everyone can either make a pledge to Bob Clement or Fred Stegmayer or even better participate in the Terry Fox.



Fraternal/Parish Corn Roast & BBQ

- On **September 30th** at Columbus Community Center, Social starts at 5 p.m. and the food will be ready at 6 p.m.
- Anyone from any of our Cobourg, Grafton, Harwood, Warkworth, or Campbellford parishes are invited



- On **September 30th** between 2 – 3 p.m. at Elgin and William Streets, Cobourg

October Council Events:



Community Oktoberfest Dinner & Dance

- On **Saturday, October 6th** at Columbus Community Center, Social starts at 5 p.m. and the food will be ready at 6 p.m. followed by a dance
- \$25 per person, 50% of proceeds going towards Cobourg St. Michaels' church restorations



Community Breakfast Buffet

- **October 14th** from **9:00 to 11:30 am.** at the Columbus Community Centre.

➤ **Adults - \$10 Children 5-12 - \$5**



Formation (2nd) Degree

- On **October 16th**, a second degree ceremony will take place beginning at **7:00 pm**, followed by a light meal at the Columbus Community Centre.



Fraternal Harvest Dinner

- On **Friday, October 26th** at Columbus Community Center, Social starts at 5 p.m. and the food will be ready at 6 p.m.

Upcoming 2018-2019 Council Events:

November:

- Community Breakfast Buffet on November 11th
- Council/Ladies Auxiliary Memorial Service Pot Luck Dinner on November 13th
- Community Roast Beef Dinner on November 18th
- Columbus Home Annual General Meeting on November 20th
- Fraternal Games Night on November 30th

December:

- Knights Christmas Party on December 9th.
- CWL Dinner December 11th
- Bridge Dinner December 12th
- Fare Share Dinner December 13th ?

January:

- Community Breakfast Buffet on January 13st
- Fraternal Movie & Wing Night on January 25th
- St. Mary Choir Fundraiser Dinner on January 26th ?

February:

- Community Breakfast Buffet on February 10th
- Fraternal/Parish Bowling Knight on February 22th

March:

- Pancake Supper on March 5th
- Community Breakfast Buffet on March 10th
- Community Skating Party on March 10th
- St. Patrick's Pub Night on March 16th
- Fraternal Knight on March 29th

April:

- Community Breakfast on April 14th
- Formation (2nd) Degree, Cobourg on April 23rd
- Fraternal Pub Knight on April 26th
- Community Roast Beef Dinner on April 28th

May:

- March for Life trip to Ottawa on May 9th
- Community Mother's Day Breakfast on May 12th
- Ladies Appreciation Dinner on May 14th .
- 100th Anniversary Mass & Reception on May 24th
- Fraternal/Parish BBQ/Sports Day on May 26th

June:

- Community Breakfast Buffet on June 9th
- Volunteer Appreciation Evening on Friday, June 14th



Brothers Birthdays

September Birthdays

Rev. Andrew Ayala, Elmer Barney, William Barr, Laurence Flood, Robert Harper, Cory Pieper, Antonio Sica

October Birthdays

Nicholas Carreau, Peter Cleary, Laszlo Deroth, Richard Hoffman, Ewen McPhee, Paul Murray, Sandor Szulc David Thomas, Paul Vollering, Bruce Wood

John Nordholt, Brother Knight.

When you awoke this morning did you think about the day that you will die? I know, what a heck of a way to begin a story, but that is what will happen to us all one day. As Catholic men of faith, we should have the confidence to face death knowing that we are not alone but there are many who will help us on that journey. In May, I drove up to Combermere, Ontario, to be present at the interment of Brother John Nordholt. The day was rainy all morning and then turned to just overcast. As John's family lifted the simple pine casket over the burial hole, the sun broke free, shining the rest of a perfect spring day!

Back in January began John's passage from this world. Astrid, John's wife, had sent me an e-mail on

Saturday telling me that John had been admitted to the hospital with severe abdominal pain. I told her that I would visit him on Sunday because I was on shift at the firehall. Sunday came and after Mass I went home and napped, figuring I would visit John in the evening. As it happens, evening came and since I was still tired from my shift I decided to put off my visit until the next day. On Monday I went to the noon Mass and then straight from Church to the hospital. Having reached the floor that John was on, I asked at the nurses' station where John Nordholt's room was, and the nurses' reaction seemed a little odd until I was outside John's room and saw John on his bed with a flurry of activity around him and Astrid by his side. Astrid saw me and came into the hall and gave me a long hug, weeping into my chest. Such a strong and gracious woman, Astrid thanked me for coming. Then she seemed to gather some divine strength from her well of faith that she and John shared, before heading back to his side.

I had the privilege of spending the afternoon with Astrid, her daughter Lara and Lara's partner Heath, at John's bedside. All this while John was comatose. Astrid told me what had happened. She had been there for the morning visiting with John. As it was getting on to 11:30 Astrid was thinking of stepping out to go to the noon Mass, as has been her routine with John for many years. John wanted to get up and out of bed and was insistent on it, so Astrid helped him up. He then gave Astrid a long, loving embrace. Within moments of that embrace, John collapsed into a chair. Quickly the Cobourg medical staff rallied to action and hooked John up to Life Support. He had had a major heart attack. A little later he was moved to the intensive care unit where we held our vigil. Lara texted and called the family. All the while John lay peacefully until Lara said, "Dad would not want this. He would not want to be on Life Support." Heath saw John shake his head ever so slightly. It was the sign that indeed John did not want to be hooked up to machines. Fr. Gerardus was called and so by the time John was relieved of the hardware chaining him to this world, our pastor joined our small group around his bedside. We prayed the Chaplet of Divine Mercy together and John became more aware and could be seen and heard softly praying with us.

Such peace and love surrounded our dear brother John. Astrid sang John's beloved hymns to him in a voice filled with divine strength and harmony. After a blessing from Fr. Gerardus and with his wife and daughter holding his hands, his breath ceased.

I would like to share an observation I made after arriving home from this faith filled afternoon. I had a smell on my hands. I had held John's hand at his bedside that afternoon. There was a distinctive smell that reminded me of something. Then it hit me. It smelled just like amniotic fluid, a very distinct memory that I have from being present at the birth of my three children. How fitting that smell of John's body in his passing to eternal life was the same as a baby's first moments of earthly life!

May God bless us and grant us a good death, with our Blessed Mother and St. Joseph by our side, surrounded by loved ones!

[K of C Annual Charities Raffle](#)

The draw occurred on July 12th, 2018 and below are the top 10 prize winners:

Top 10 2018 winners.

Prize #	Prize Won	Winner's Name	City/Prov	Ticket #	Council #
1	\$ 200, 000	Giselle Lafrance	Cumberland, ON	44205	11500
2	2018 Ford Mustang Convertible Eco boost (\$51,231.94)	Arthur Shulist	Wilno, ON	149767	16003
3	2018 Chevrolet Silverado 1500 4WD Crew Cab (\$ 51,187.87)	Paul Marcellus	Paris, On	112447	1679
4	2018 Lowe FM 160 Boat, Mercury 50 hp motor (\$24,803.50)	Cathy Hutchison	Dryden, ON	64355	5144
5	2018 Chevrolet Sonic Hatchback LT (\$24,119.85)	Vira Persichilli	Scarborough, ON	7185	13244
6	2018 Jayco Jay Sport Camping Trailer (\$19,657.48)	Chantal Warwick	Sarnia, ON	98197	5420
7	\$ 10, 000	Mike Dubois	Cambridge, ON	63244	4916
8	\$ 10, 000	Christina Agcaoili	Ajax, ON	85426	6161
9	\$ 5, 000	Slavisa Kovac	Ottawa, ON	175721	13781
10	\$ 5, 000	Doreen Pitts	Wolfe Island, ON	2839	9652

Our council sold 2 of the 500 winning tickets which are listed below:

Winning tickets sold by Council 1970

Prize #	Prize Won	Winner's Name	City/Prov	Ticket #	Council #
268	\$100	Tanya Stegmayer	Roseneath, ON	71515	1970
334	\$100	M. McAllister		71725	1970

Click here for entire list -> [2018 Lottery Winners](#)



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Our Order is among the highest rated life insurers in North America. AM Best has rated the Knights of Columbus “A++, Superior” for 40 consecutive years. It’s a testament to our track record for excellence and security.

I would suggest that a principal reason that we were able to achieve those accolades is because we remain steadfastly committed to the vision of Venerable Father Michael J. McGivney by providing life insurance by brother Knights for brother Knights.

That commitment is an essential core value of the Knights of Columbus, and our core values permeate all levels of our organization. We pledge to serve our brother Knights, and their families, according to our Golden Rule: “In all my professional relationships, I pledge myself to the following rule of conduct: I shall, in light of all conditions surrounding those I serve, render that service which, under the same circumstances, I would apply to myself.”

Let’s talk soon to discuss how our products can bring that peace of mind to you and your family.

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New Faith in Action Programs

FAITH	COMMUNITY
RSVP	Coats for Kids
Into the Breach	Global Wheelchair Mission
Marian Icon Prayer Program	Habitat for Humanity
Building the Domestic Church Kiosk	Disaster Preparedness
Rosary Program	Free Through Championship
Spiritual Reflection Program (new)	Catholic Citizenship Essay Contest
Holy Hour (new)	Soccer Challenge
Sacramental Gifts (new)	Helping Hands (new)
FAMILY	LIFE
Food for Families	Marches for Life
Family of the Month/Year	Special Olympics
Keep Christ in Christmas	Ultrasound Program
Family Fully Alive	Christian Refugee Relief
Family Week	Silver Rose
Consecration to the Holy Family	Mass for people with special Needs (new)
Family Prayer Night (new)	Pregnancy Centre support (new)
Good Friday Family Promotion (new)	Novena for Life (new)



On **Saturday October 13th** and **Sunday October 14th**, Knights will be handing out rose stickers and collecting any donations for the Rose Fund after the weekend masses at St. Michael's Church Cobourg Please support the **Pro Life** activities of council 1970!

Peter & Jennifer Riccio

Pro-Life Couple

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calendar of events



September 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1
2	3	4 Defibrillator Training 6:30 pm Council General Meeting 6:30 pm –Social 7:30 pm –Meeting	5 K of C Bingo 7:00 p.m. 	6 Senior Progressive Euchre 1 p.m	7	8
9 Community Breakfast Buffet 9:00 to 11:30 am 	10	11 Ladies Auxiliary Meeting. 7:00 pm	12	13 Senior Progressive Euchre 1 p.m	14	15 K of C Ladies Bingo 11:30 am – 3 pm
16 	17	18 Columbus Home Mtg. 6:00 pm	19 K of C Bingo 7:00 p.m. Blood Donor Clinic 1:00 to 7:00 p.m .	20 Senior Progressive Euchre 1 p.m 4 th Degree Meeting Port Hope 5:30-6:30-7:30	21	22
23	24	25 Council Executive Meeting 7:30 pm	26	27 Senior Progressive Euchre 1 p.m	28 K of C Ladies Bingo 11:30 am – 3 pm	29 5 th Sunday Rosary
30 5 th Sunday Rosary 2-3 p.m. at William and Elgin Fraterna/Parsh Corn Roast & BBQ						



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	1	2 Council General Meeting 6:30 pm –Social 7:30 pm –Meeting	3 K of C Bingo 7:00 p.m. 	4 Senior Progressive Euchre 1 p.m	5	6 Community Oktoberfest Dinner & Dance 
7	8 Thanksgiving 	9	10	11 Senior Progressive Euchre 1 p.m	12	13 Rose Sunday 
14 Community Breakfast Buffet 9:00 to 11:30 am  Rose Sunday 	15 K of C Ladies Bingo 11:30 am – 3 pm	16 Formation (2 nd) Degree Cobourg 	17 Blood Donor Clinic 1:00 to 7:00 p.m	18 Senior Progressive Euchre 1 p.m 4 th Degree Meeting Cobourg 5:30-6:30-7:30	19	20
21 Ladies Auxiliary High Tea 	22	23 Columbus Home Mtg. 6:00 pm	24	25 Senior Progressive Euchre 1 p.m	26 Fraternal Harvest Dinner 	27
28	29	30 Council Executive Meeting 7:30 pm	31 K of C Ladies Bingo 11:30 am – 3 pm			