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December 2017

GRAND KNIGHT'S NOTES

By Matt Coleman, Grand Knight

Brother Knights,

Wishing you and yours a very blessed Christmas season. Thanks for everyone's support for all Knight's initiatives in 2017; what a positive start we're ready to make in 2018!

A very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!



DUES WILL BE DUE SOON

Dues notices, membership data sheets, and 50/50 raffle tickets will be arriving in your mail box soon. Dues are \$25. Please pay your dues promptly and help out the financial secretary.

The cash prizes given out this year in the raffle will be the same as last year. Fifty percent (50%) of the receipts will be given out in seven cash prizes. The cash prizes will be given out in the following percentages: 40-20-10-10-10-5-5. The drawing will be held in February. Remember to return the Member Data Sheet. This is the only way the financial secretary has to get the membership anniversary certificates.

FREE THROW CONTEST

The Knights of Columbus will hold the local Free Throw Contest on Sunday, January 21st, 2018. The competition will be held in the North Gym at the Emporia High School from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Participants can come and shoot anytime during that time period. Please enter at the southeast doors of the High School by the Fitness Room.

The contest is open to all boys and girls in the community ages 9 to 14. Age eligibility is determined by the age of the contestant as of January 1st. We encourage all eligible boys and girls to participate. Entry forms will be available on site on the date of the contest. There is no entry fee.

Curtis Simons is chairing this event and needs about six volunteers to assist him. If you are able to assist with this event please contact Curtis Simons at 620-794-6985 or curtis.simons@usd253.net.

FAMILY OF THE MONTH

December – Pat and Lori Clark



KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

December – Steve Harmon



MASSES FOR DECEASED KNIGHTS

One of the most important ways the Knights of Columbus support each other is through prayer, especially at the time of death. In 2018 the following masses will be said for deceased members of the Knights:

January 28th – 8:00 a.m.
February 24th – 5:45 p.m.
March 25th – 9:30 a.m.
April 29th – 11:00 a.m.
May 26th – 5:45 p.m.
June 24th – 8:00 a.m.
July 29th – 9:30 a.m.
August 26th – 9:30 a.m.
September 30th – 11:00 a.m.
October 28th – 8:00 a.m.
November 25th – 11:00 a.m.
December 29th – 5:45 p.m.



DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Congratulations to the following Knights celebrating birthdays and anniversaries in December:

Birthdays:

William R. Brooks
Marvin N. Brown
Leonard J. Dieker
Stephen J. Herrman
Ronald J. Kloppenberg
Melvin L. Scheller
Benjamin M. Schneider
Kenneth L. Schuler
Rev. Emmanuel Tamale
Wesley G. Weishaar
George A. Wellnitz
Jeffrey B. Williams
James L. Woodling
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Anniversaries:

Curtis D. Simons
Kenneth L. Martell
Marvin N. Brown
Patrick J. Buck
Russell D. Jenkins
Steven A. Henry
Timothy L. Helmer
Timothy R. Bluma



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Dec. 25 Merry Christmas
- Jan. 1 Happy New Year
- Jan. 9 Officer's Meeting
- Jan. 21 Sunday Morning Breakfast
- Jan. 21 K of C Free Throw Contest
- Jan. 22 Regular meeting – Rosary at 6:30 p.m.
Meeting at 7 p.m.

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