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GRAND KNIGHT'S NOTES

By Mark Runge, Grand Knight

Brother Knights,

March is the time for Lent and preparation for the Easter celebration. Please remember to take time to cleanse your soul and repent your sins. There are many opportunities to take the sacrament of penance. Also, Lenten sacrifices do not only mean what you give up but it also can include what you can do for others. Our council provides these opportunities to help others with the many activities we have going on each month. Take advantage of these and get active and participate! It'll do your soul good. Thanks, as always, to all who help and give back to your parish and council. Keep up your good works!

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Fred Spellman



FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Marvin / Mabel Gast



50/50 RAFFLE WINNERS

Following are the winners in the council's 50/50 drawing which was held in February. The event raised \$1,477.50 (353 tickets sold) for various council activities with the same amount going to the cash prize winners. Thanks to all who participated!

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| 40% winner (\$591.00) | Richard Herrman |
| 20% winner (\$295.50) | Gary Reno |
| 10% winner (\$147.75) | Terry Hall |
| 10% winner (\$147.75) | James Geitz |
| 10% winner (\$147.75) | Gladys Herrman |
| 5% winner (\$73.88) | Keith Dreiling |
| 5% winner (\$73.88) | Tim Helmer |

SECOND / THIRD DEGREE OPPORTUNITY

All First Degree members should strongly consider attending the upcoming Second and Third Degree advancement ceremony on Sunday, March 30, in Olpe. This is held once a year in our district and it's an opportune time to advance through the next two degrees. There is no cost to First Degree members and it includes a meal catered by the Olpe Chicken House after the ceremony. Contact GK Mark Runge (mrune@emporia.edu) or FS Richard Haag (richard@sbcglobal.net) for information.

KNIGHTS NOTES

- Please note the advertisers/sponsors on this newsletter. We have some new sponsors this year. Please say thanks when you patronize them – they make the newsletter possible! Thanks to several Knights who worked on this project.
- The K of C armbands are finished. A special thanks to Cathy Runge for her work on this
- Carl Antes is heading up the nomination committee for officers for the fraternal year 2014-2015. If you have any nominations or wish to serve please let Carl know.
- Did you know this newsletter can be delivered to your e-mail inbox? Contact Mark Runge (mrune@emporia.edu). It can also be viewed on the council's web site. Between newsletters e-mail is utilized to keep the members updated in a timely manner. Make sure Mark has your e-mail address.

MEN'S NIGHT OUT FUND-RAISER

Men's Night Out is almost here! The date is Saturday, April 5, from 5 to 11 p.m., at Nelson's Toy Shed. Tickets are \$25 and available from several Knights members. Thanks to Kevin Nelson and Mark Hogan for co-chairing this event and to Kevin for the use of his building. A large television will be tuned to the Final Four games. You must be 21 to attend.

Tickets have been sent out for sale. Menus are being worked on. Help with set-up is needed on Friday early evening and on Saturday. Please contact Kevin (kevinredline@cablone.net or 344-1841) or Mark (mjchi@att.net or 412-7020) if you can help out with these set-ups. Sign-up sheets will be circulated for snacks and finger foods for the event in future emails.

We will need the ticket money turned in no later than Thursday, April 3, to Kevin or Mark. Now is the time to really sell the tickets. We need a good showing from the Knight membership, and then ask a friend to come along. You do not need to be a Knight to attend.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Mar. 30 Second & Third Degree Ceremony, Olpe
Candidates arrive by 12:30 p.m.
Second Degree at 1 p.m. followed by the Third Degree
- Apr. 5 Men's Night Out, 5 p.m.
- April 8 Officer's meeting, 5:30 p.m.
- April 13 Breakfast in the parish hall
- April 28 Regular meeting – Rosary at 6:30 p.m.
Followed by meeting at 7 p.m.
- May 4 Senior Recognition Breakfast

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