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GRAND KNIGHT'S NOTES

By Mark Runge, Grand Knight

Brother Knights,

I want to thank all of you for the time and effort you have given the council in its efforts to support our parish and Father Tom this past calendar year!

Advent is here and Christmas will be here before you know it. Please keep in mind this opportunity to strengthen family bonds, help those who are in need and celebrate the birth of our Lord. Take time to relax and enjoy the season and being with family and friends. I wish you all a very Merry and Holy Christmas and a very happy and safe New Year!

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Bill Beyer



FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Dan / Christy Freeman



FREE THROW CHAMPIONSHIP

The Knights of Columbus will hold the local Free Throw Championships on Sunday, Jan. 11, 2015. The competition will be held at the Emporia Middle School gymnasium from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Participants can come and shoot anytime during that time period.

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

Cruz Jasso is chairing this event and needs about six volunteers to assist him. Contact Cruz if you can help by calling 342-7075 or 344-2451.

ADOPTED SEMINARIANS

The council's adopted Sacred Heart seminarians for the 2014-2015 fraternal year are:

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Mount St. Mary's Seminary
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Jonathan Fox

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Dec. 6 Ham & Bean soup supper, 5 to 8 p.m., in the parish hall in conjunction with the Altar Society's craft sale.
- Dec. 7 "Super" Breakfast in the parish hall in conjunction with the Altar Society's craft sale.
- Dec. 16 Bagging candy for Sacred Heart School, 5:30 p.m. in the Knights Hall
- Dec. 25 Christmas Day
- Jan. 1 New Year's Day
- Jan. 11 Free Throw Contest, 1 to 2:30 p.m. Emporia Middle School gymnasium
- Jan. 13 Officer's meeting, 5:30 p.m.
- Jan. 18 Breakfast in the Parish Hall
- Jan. 26 Regular meeting – Rosary at 6:30 p.m. Followed by meeting at 7 p.m.
- Feb. 15 Breakfast in the Parish Hall

There will be no officer's or regular council meetings in December.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

The council welcomes Alex Mosakowski and Curtis Wilhelmson as its newest members. Alex and Curtis joined the First Degree at the October meeting.

KNIGHTS NOTES

- Thanks to all who helped with the Birthright Baby Bottle program and to Jim Pickert for coordinating the Knights' effort.
- Members put up and took down the American flags at Sacred Heart Cemetery on Veteran's Day. Thanks to Bob Burenheide for his leadership with this project. Additionally, several members served as flag bearers for the Veteran's Day mass as well. Thanks to all who participated.
- The council put together a food basket and the parish office assisted us in delivering it to a family in time for Thanksgiving.
- The officers recommended and the council passed a motion to donate \$100 to the reconstruction effort of the Fr. Juan Padilla monument near Council Grove.
- The council raised nearly \$3,000 during the recent Tootsie Roll Drive. After paying for the candy, 80% was distributed to the CHRISM program and 20% to local Special Olympics. A few boxes of candy are left and are for sale for \$10 per carton (50 Tootsie Rolls) or \$50 per case (six cartons).

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