

September, 2016 Newsletter



Jim Gerke – Grand Knight
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A huge thank you to all who helped at the Shootout. There were 58 volunteers (40 Knights, 18 Ladies) with a total of 579 hours (Knights 419, Ladies 160 hrs). They filled 98 job slots. Cart drivers collected \$370 in tips. (a suggestion was made to put towards Coats for Kids).

Thank you to the seven persons who helped Bob O'Bryan move, load and unload Father Henry's items from the hospital to Laurie then later to Rolla. This turned into a bigger job than was expected. Thanks again.

Ken Nicholson still has 50/50 Raffle tickets that the council will pay half and split the winnings. We will not have a meeting before the Harvest Festival, however you can contact Ken by phone or email: (lakeman3142@gmail.com) or 573-374-2226.

Anyone interested in the White House Retreat (very rewarding) in St. Louis September 26 -29th can contact: Jim Gerke by phone 573-569-2930 or Bob Raeth 573-286-1204. We will be glad to answer any Questions you may have.

Linda Durben is in real need of help Sept.23 & more so on the 24th at the Harvest Festival. Please phone her at 573-745-1208.

IN THE NEAR FUTURE:

September Calendar:

- 2nd - First Friday Mass, anointing of Sick and Holy Hour
- 10th - Air Show, Camdenton
- 15th - Officer Meeting, St. Joe's Hall, 5:30 p.m.
- 16th - Fish Fry, B team
- 16th-18th – Boy Scout Retreat, Help needed
- 24th – October Fest and Church fundraiser, Raffle
- 27th – Council Meeting, Rosary starts at 6:40 p.m.
- 26-29th – Knights' White House Retreat in St. Louis

Future Dates:

October:

- 7th – 8th Tootsie Rolls Drive – need help, wives can work with husbands
- 9th - Pancake & Sausage Breakfast
- 8th - 9th - Membership Drive after all Masses, need help
- 16th Knights of Columbus Sunday
- 22nd – Hay Ride, Paul Van Evercooren
- 30th - 5th Sunday, Knights' Rosary at 7:30 and 9:00

Volunteer Opportunities:

- Air Show in Camden on **September 10th**, contact Brad.
- Boy Scouts Retreat on **September 15th through 18th**.
- October Fest on **September 24th**
- Tootsie Roll Drive **October 8th and 9th**

September Birthdays

- 03 - Jim Gerke
- 04 - Frank Ferguson
- 04 - Bob O'Bryan
- 08 - Stephen Shelton
- 10 - Jerry Unrein
- 11 - Ray Bellus
- 13 - Vaughn McCain
- 15 - Mike Fadden
- 15 - Tom Reidy
- 17 - Ed Ruehter
- 19 - Tom Bartow
- 19 - Rick Purdon
- 21 - Troy Wormsley
- 23 - Lee Combrevi
- 23 - Mike Shepherd
- 25 - Bob Schleper
- 29 - James Jerome
- 30 - Alan Cannon
- 30 - Jerry Petersen

September Knights Service Anniversaries (# of years):

- 41 - Robert Belker
- 24 - George Stark
- 23 - Ronald Flynn
- 21 - Mike Kuse
- 21 - Dan Sutherland

- 19 - John Pilla
- 16 - Ronald Oldham
- 16 - Mike Szemplenski
- 14 - Jim Kempf
- 08 - Mark Hallak
- 08 - Bernie Schweiger

GOOD OF THE ORDER:

Ralph Baracz, Bill Shortino, Duane Kennedy, Tom Gerant, Jim Kempf, Mike Kuse, Jim Saab, Clarence Hager, George Tankersley, Andy Bayerl, Dennis Devine, Bud Reker, Tom Costello, Dan DeLuca, Gene Cwiok, Mike Kuse, Bill Sayers, John Willcott

Also, please see the attached “Thank You” note that was read at the last Council Meeting.

God bless each and every one of you,

Jim Gerke

LADIES AUXILIARY MONTHLY INFORMATION

Next meeting: **September 27, 2016 at 6:30 P.M.**

After praying the rosary we will meet in St. Joseph’s Room.

Dues for the upcoming 2016-2017 year are due - \$12.00

September Birthdays:

- 17 - Norma Lovell
- 19 – Priscilla Miller
- 20 - Nora Lee Waisner
- 22 - Judy Raeth
- 30 - Myra Brazie

Shoot Out Volunteers: Thank-You for volunteering. This event truly is a wonderful money-maker for us. As yet, we do not have any report of the dollar amount.

At the Sept. meeting ladies will decide upon the upcoming donations.

Marge Van Evercooren will report on South Elementary School’s need.

Newly Widowed Fund: Norma Lovell and Committee will present recommendations

September 16 Fish Fry: All ladies encouraged to bring a dessert (pie is always in high demand)
Dessert Booth workers are: Marge Van Evercooren, Marquita Renth, Shirley Gebhardt

Pecans are being ordered and will be available for sale at Fish Fry and Fall Festival.

Also, bring your calendars so to update them with upcoming Events.

We welcome our 2 newest members: Priscilla Miller and Mary Noyes

Our goal is for 1 new member each month. Every wife of a Knight of Columbus is welcome to join our Auxiliary. So, invite a friend and bring to the meeting.

Hostesses for September meeting are: Nora Lee Waisner, Sharon Konuch, Linda Neff

Looking forward to seeing you September 27.

God Bless All

Julie Dorman
President