



Council of Palms

Lenexa, Kansas – Council 6673

JANUARY – 2010

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First meeting of 2010 January 12

The Royals are getting ready for spring training and your officers and committee members are busy preparing a number of Knights of Columbus activities for winter and spring such as the shrimp dinner and LINC. Please attend the January meeting and take an active part. If you have not been to a meeting for a while you will be pleasantly surprised. The meeting starts at 7:00; please be there.

Nick Disidore, Nick Beachler, and Ted Naravong became brother Knights at a specially called Thursday evening First Degree ceremony on December 10th, 2009. Please welcome them to our council when you see them at Mass or socially over the next few weeks.

Membership retention and recruitment continues as a high priority. If you have not paid your dues for 2009, please send a check to the Eric Strathman.

Ted Jones, 3rd Degree Knight

One of our brother Knights passed away on December 21, 2009. He was a resident of Lakeview and was found in his bed that morning. Theodore S. Jones, III, 73, of Lenexa, Kansas, died December 21, 2009. Memorial Mass will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday, December 30, 2009, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church, 13615 W. 92nd, Lenexa, Kan. About 15 Knights attended the funeral and about 100 total family and friends.

Toy Drive



Doug Leikam, Chairman of the Toy Drive, watches while Mike Crosthwaite does the heavy lifting of one of the first toys donated. Again this year, the December 5th/ 6th toy drive was a huge success with XXXX toys donated to Turnstiles and other Johnson County charities.

Schedule of Upcoming Council Activities

Jan 12	Regular Meeting
Jan 23/24	Life Saver Sunday
Feb 17	Ash Wednesday

Knights Christmas Party



Erica Strathman, "Santa, I can explain"

This year's Christmas party was held at the Fr. Quigley Center. Special guests included Fr. Tom and Fr. Pat who each were presented with a gift from the Knights for their continuing spiritual and overall support. An extra special attendee was Santa (Doug Liekam), definitely the most anticipated and favorite with all the kids. Coordinating the event were Gerardo and Jennifer Lopez along with Jim and Rebecca Merwald. The 100 plus guests enjoyed food and beverages provide by Hy-Vee. Next year's party will be Saturday December 11 so make sure to mark your calendar.

Life Saver Sunday

Life saver Sunday is set for the Masses on January 23rd and 24th. After each Mass, Knights pass out free suckers to everyone and receive donations of cash which will go toward pro-life. Your help at the Mass you attend is needed and Bob Sherman is bringing a sign up sheet to the meeting this Tuesday. This is a very worthwhile program to raise money for the Advice and Aid Pregnancy Center which is located in Johnson County.

New Years Resolutions

1. Loose Weight
2. Eat Heart Healthy
3. Exercise Daily
4. Get active in K of C

Valentine Dance Daughters of Isabella

Please join your fellow parishners on Saturday, February 13th for the second annual parish wide Valentine dance. Janet Sherman (492-5555) is the chairperson. Signup sheets are in the bulletin and a table is set up in the Church before and after Masses.

Shrimp Dinner/ Planning Stage

The shrimp dinner is in the planning stage. Jeff Adams has chaired this project for several years and always depends on help from the entire Council.

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The next council meeting will be on Tuesday, January 12, 7:00 p.m. in the Social Room. Come join 50 of your closest friends.



Toys go on the Turnstiles truck



Santa captivates the children at the K of C Christmas party.