

Council of Palms #6673

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What's happening!

It's Urgent Football Raffle time. We have 901 tickets handed out so far. 247 tickets have been sold. Mike Crosthwait says that we are almost to the breakeven point. The weekly exchange continues Wednesday from 4:30 to 5:30. This weekend we will be offering raffle tickets for sale at all Masses. **The total amount of prize money that will be given out this year will total \$25,400.00. Brother's, let's sell some tickets!** Call or email Mike Crosthwait to get additional tickets: (913) 645-5203 or michaelscrosthwait@gmail.com

Our job search group has a new name: **The Knights Employment Help Group.** The group is looking to help anyone needing assistance in securing a job: by advising what is available, by offering tips on how to interview, with resume help, and help with finding government jobs. Zoom meetings are every Wednesday at 6:00 pm. Zoom Meeting Link: <https://zoom.us/j/91669476022?pwd=dUxIWURVN3krSkxkNFlvZnRaaWdTQT09>

Volunteering at a moment's notice Brothers, in the coming weeks we will be called upon to continue to fill the needs of the parish as it tries to partially return to this new normal that we are living. We have been sending out many emails asking to help fill these needs. Please understand that your flexibility, your caring, your dedication, and your courage have not gone unnoticed. Thanks for all that you do. OK, BUZZWORDS. "INTO THE BREACH!"

Knights in Action!

The **Holy Trinity/Council 6673 Food Drive** was another success for Catholic Charities. We almost filled up another truck with supplies for the needy. Thanks to all of the volunteers, and a special thanks to all the parishioners that donated. Our next food drive will be September 26th. Mark your calendars or use the Council's calendar: <https://calendar.google.com/calendar/embed?src=kofccouncil6673%40gmail.com&ctz=America%2FChicago>. The Council's calendar can also be accessed from our website: <http://www.htknights.org/>.

The **inaugural Fr. Tom Dolezal Charity Golf Classic** was an amazing success. Mike Stompoly has not computed all of the numbers yet, but he told me it is safe to say that the amount donated will be at least 10% over what was the previous record! We should have the numbers by our next meeting in September. Special thanks go out to Mike and Calvin Todd our chairs, and to all of those who gave up their Friday to volunteer their time. Mike thinks we had some help from above:



John Cyphert: Sir Cyphert's wake was a beautiful event highlighted by his grandchildren reciting their favorite memories of him. It was a special time for his family and for his friends. Thanks for making this happen, Bob Deady!

Knight of the Month

Knight of the Month for July is **Patrick Eastman** for volunteering at all of our events and for bringing his son Phoenix to help us out. **Thanks for helping us out Patrick!**

District Deputy

Our new District Deputy is Richard Warwick. We look forward to working with him to make our region strong.

Insurance Agent

Our new Field Agent is Jason Murphy. He is a native of MN. Jason served 30 years in the U. S. Army before being medically retired. He has a bachelor's degree in Industrial Engineering, 3 master's degrees and certification in Myers-Briggs Type Indicator and Basic Yoga. His phone number is: (913) 333-1519

Membership

Brother Knights looking to acquire their 2nd and 3rd degrees of the order can attend Exemplifications online! It only takes about an hour. Here is the link to complete your advancement:

<https://event.on24.com/eventRegistration/EventLobbyServlet?target=reg20.jsp&partnerref=71720e&eventid=2406521&sessionid=1&key=BCC733CD980E359DF0FDB1688C8B4CB2®Tag=&sourcepage=register>

The above link also can be used for 1st degree initiations. Please contact Ken Kleekamp @ kenkleekamp@gmail.com with the recruit's name and contact info.

Fourth Degree News

No news to report.

Moving off of the table

Would like to thank both Mike Crosthwait, and Gerry Slavik for their tremendous service to our council. I know both will continue to support us (me). That's why I'm titling this Moving off of the table. They are still here. Thank you both.

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