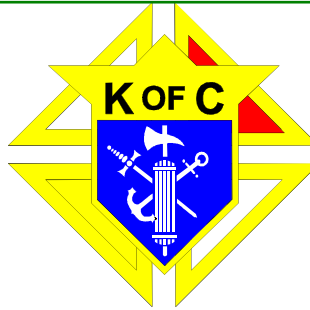


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GRAND KNIGHTS REPORT

Brothers,

I hope you all had a blessed and happy Easter. As we look back to March we had some fun and productive activities at our Council. We started with our annual St. Patrick's Day Party. Brothers Jim Dolan and Tom Tierney host this event every year and do a great job. To Jim's wife, Denise, thank you, the council decorations were outstanding and I'm sure you had a hand in the cooking as well. The corn beef was the best I've ever had and I'm sure Kenny Lee can attest to that since he must have eaten about twelve pounds worth. Thanks to bartender, Larry Caparco and ticket chairman PGK Al Valente.

Texas hold-em is starting to pick up, please help support this event as well as the many others we have. Our Night at the Races was a fun time thanks to PGK Jim Carey for hosting this event and to everyone that helped out, our tellers DGK Don Piscitelli, Bob Lamberson, and Bartending, Frank Cox, great job guys. The proceeds from this event supports our Scholarship Fund.

In between the fun we continued our work at the council. The cabinets are up, sinks in, the wall partition is up and things are moving along. Special thanks to 3 brothers who have been working and even taking days off from work to complete the work and get the council ready for rentals and parties. If you see these brothers express your appreciation to them. Brothers Jim Dolan, Larry Caparco and Chris Pyzynski, THANK YOU. I must thank everyone else that has come down to help out as well.

Finally as the 1st principle of our order is Charity we were able to make donations as allotted for in our budget to, Make A Wish, Alzheimer's, Little Sisters of the Poor and our Easter donation to the Church. This would not have been possible without your support of our various council activities. I hope you will continue to support our events so we may continue our work as Knights of Columbus.

***Fraternally,
GK John Raymond
Grand Knight***

Brothers,

Ahhhhhh...Spring is in the air...

I hope everyone had a wonderful Easter, though it came early this year. It was Easter day when I went for a walk with my brother-in-laws. I realized how soon the weather would be changing. With that said, it's funny how we all --without thinking about it-- switch modes to a more outdoor style. To that end we have a few items scheduled and some being arranged to get everyone together. An International night is being planned for April 26th. Our council picnic will be June 21st at Marjorie Post Park. We also have a few Night at the Races scheduled. If anyone has any ideas for fund raisers or a "fun get together" then please come down and share your ideas. We also could use a few men to step forward to join a committee or two.

We have a fund raiser currently underway which we all need to get behind in a big way and make successful. Our PGK James Carey is running a 50/50 raffle; please see him to pick up some tickets.

Fraternally,
Don Piscitelli
Deputy Grand Knight

COUNCIL HALL RENTAL

Our Council Hall is available for rentals...

*Birthday's, Christening,
Anniversaries, Meeting room, etc.*

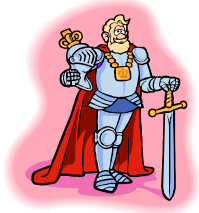
MEMBERS RATES AVAILABLE

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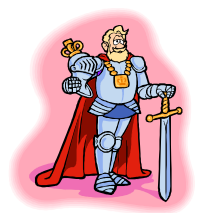
Or

Larry Caparco 799-8168

If you hear of a Brother or family member that is sick, please contact the Chairman of Sickness and Distress as soon as possible:
CHAIRMEN: GK John Raymond
or should anyone hear of the death of a Brother Knight, please notify:
P.G.K. Kevin H. Keep



**KNIGHT OF THE MONTH
FOR
MARCH 2008**



March's Knight of the Month comes as no surprise. This year he's helped the corporation in a big way, it is evident every time you enter our new Council chambers. He has had a hand in everything you see, from painting to plumbing...to cabinets...to electrical...to even putting up the sign!

He is also known for his culinary skills at our Italian Nights.

Please join me in congratulating

SK Larry Caparco

Larry, thank you, we appreciate all you do for our council and corporation.

SHIRTS & JACKETS

Spruce up a bit, get a
Maria Regina K of C Shirt
Or Jacket.

People will want your
Autograph and women will
give you their number..

See the Jacket Chairman..

Mike Latva
516-249-7261



ROASRY NIGHT

APRIL 24TH

7:30 PM

175 VETERANS BLVD.

HOSTED BY KATHLEEN CAREY

PLEASE COME AND JOIN US

**MONTHLY MASS 4/20/08, 9AM
MARIA REGINA CHURCH**



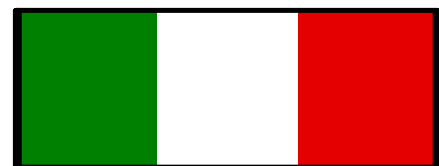
INTERNATIONAL NIGHT SATURDAY NIGHT



APRIL 26TH 2008

8 pm

*Bring down a dish from your
Heritage for a night of tasting and fun.*



TEXAS HOLD-EM



***FRIDAY NITE
APRIL 18TH
Register 7 PM
Start time 8 PM***



***Call PGK Fred Mignone for more info
516- 655-7348***

MARIA REIGINA KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SUPER 50-50

Only 400 tickets to be sold. \$50.00 per ticket

Drawing to be held at Council Picnic on June 21st, 2008

1st prize \$7,000.00

2nd prize \$2,000.00

3rd prize \$1,000.00

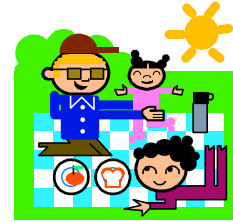
PRIZES SUBJECT TO MONEY COLLECTED

Contact PGK James Carey

516-647-8696



*******COMING IN JUNE *******



COUNCIL PICNIC

JUNE 21 ST

MARJORIE POST PARK
KEEP THIS DATE OPEN
DETAILS UP COMING

UP COMING EVENTS

Executive Board Meeting	8:30pm	04/02/08	Albany Ave.
Council Meeting	8:30pm	04/03/08	Council, Veterans Blvd.
Nominating Committee	8:30pm	04/09/08	Council, Veterans Blvd.
Corporation Meeting	8:30pm	04/16/08	Albany Ave..
Council Meeting	8:30pm	04/17/08	Council, Veterans Blvd.
Texas Hold-em	7:00pm	04/18/08	Council, Veterans Blvd.
Monthly Mass	9:00am	04/20/08	Maria Regina Church
Rosary Night	7:30pm	04/24/08	Council, Veterans Blvd.
International Night	8:00pm	04/26/08	Council, Veterans Blvd.

COUNCIL MEETINGS 1ST AND 3RD THURSDAYS OF EACH MONTH

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ST PATRICK'S DAY PARTY

