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Knights of Columbus Council 6625
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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

It was decided at the officer meeting that changes needed to be made to the fish fry and bar. We are a charitable organization that cannot give to others unless we can make a profit on our activities. We made the following changes effective immediately.

Fish dinner-\$5.50 includes fries and slaw, fish sandwich \$4.25.

We will offer limited options in the near future.

Bar prices: longnecks \$1.25, cup .75 and picture \$3.50.

Reasons for changes:

We need to increase the number of people we serve.

We need to improve the quality of product served.

We need to reduce the overall cost of product served.

If improvement is not soon we will need to make drastic changes to our business plan. We need new ideas and more workers at the hall. A planning committee meeting was held and we are reviewing all our options.

There is an event at the hall every Saturday and Sunday in October.

Director Positions Open:

Membership Director-

Program Director-

Council Director-

Community Director-

Youth Director-

Tootsie Roll Drive-

District Deputy-Walt Jones 288-5543

Field Agent-Mike Sullivan 692-0538

MEMBER ACTION ITEMS

- Enclosed you will find two tickets for the Council Mouse Race. This is not an event to eradicate the park mice. This is a fun night at the races. If you cannot attend please forward the \$25.00 for two tickets to me or drop off at the hall with your name. Thank you for your support of council activities. 5 Dogwood Est, Glen Carbon, IL 62034.
- Volunteers are needed for all the above positions that are not filled. Please call or Email me to fill any of these positions, suggestions of things the council should be or not be doing. Tom at 444-9781 or tomdixon42@sbcglobal.net.
- Ticket sellers, runners and others needed for the mouse race.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Scheduled Events

August 4-Monday- 7pm Buffalo Park Club meeting 6pm
-Council 6625 meeting 7pm
-1st Degree Team Practice 7pm
August 10-Mother of Perpetual Help Dinner
August 11-1st degree 7pm
August 14-Thursday- Blood Drive at Buffalo Park 3-7pm
August 16-Mouse Race at Buffalo Park-we need workers listed above.
August 18-Monday-Officer meeting-7pm
August 23- State Horseshoe Tournament- St Rose,IL 11am
August 25-Monday-Our 4th Degree Assembly 1758 Steak Dinner-eat at 6:30 sharp. We need a better turn out from our own Sir Knights this year.
Call Joe Thomas at 667-2278
August 31- Communion Breakfast—after 8am mass at MPH Please sit in front on right-Breakfast location suggested is St Mary's pancake breakfast.
Sept 19 & 20 Tootsie Roll Drive
Oct 4-Saturday-Wine Fest-Frank Scarborough chair.
Oct 12-Sunday-4th degree Exemplification Breese-1pm
Oct-Sundays-Turkey shoot.

Weekly Scheduled Events

Wednesday--Bingo 7pm-- Food 5pm till 7pm
Thursday--1st week—cooks choice-we need a cook
2nd week--family style
3rd week—Wing Night—5pm till 8pm
4th week—Pizza and Pasta—All you can Eat—5pm till 8pm
Friday--Fish Fry--4pm till 8pm
Saturday-Bar open-need volunteer bartenders

Please welcome a new brother into Council 6625.
Tim Patek- 1st degree transfer.

VIVAT JESUS (may Jesus live),
Tom

A story from Tim Krumm about a group of lab mice that lived in a maze. Everyday a big lump of cheese was placed in the middle of the maze and all the mice would eat their fill. One day there was no cheese placed in the usual spot and all the mice were concerned. One group said "the cheese will be back. Let's sit here and wait for it to reappear". Another group said "The cheese will never come back" and they ran helter-skelter looking for the cheese, got lost in the maze and died. The last group said, "I don't know if the cheese will ever come back here. Maybe it will but we better take steps if it doesn't come back. This group mapped the maze, shared information and eventually found the new location of the cheese. They were quite tired but they survived.

This newsletter and a calendar of events is available on our website address so take a look at it on—<http://www.geocities.com/kofc6625>