MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

Knights of Columbus Council # 17304

Date / Time: May 9, 2022

Location: St. Martin de Porres & via Zoom



ATTENDEES:

Title	Person	Attendance	Title	Person	Attendance
Grand	Russ Woodford	Р	Lecturer	Thom Vars	Р
Knight					
Deputy	Paul Parkes	P	Warden	Richard	Р
Grand				Summar	
Knight					
Chancellor	Nick Cumberland	Α	Inside Guard	Mario Martinez	Р
Recorder	Brandon Story	Р	Outside	Nathan Bernard	Р
			Guard		
Treasurer	Octavio Rojas	Р	Trustee – 1	Jim Slee	Р
			Year		
Financial	Dominick Gervasi	Р	Trustee – 2	Chuy Romero	Α
Secretary			Year		
Advocate	Ed Flanagan	Р	Trustee – 3	Ruben Diaz	Р
			Year		
Chaplain	Father Stephen	E	District	Robert Daleo	Р
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P = Present, A = Absent, E = Excused

Guests:

• **Seminarian**: Brendan Devine, from Holy Cross Council; Went to Cornell – started vocation to Priesthood. Going to France to study. Settling affairs to move abroad.

Grand Knight Woodford called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Approval of minutes for previous meeting:

- Approval of the minutes Motion seconded and approved to approve minutes from previous month.
- GK Russ Woodford: Purge history of "Good of the Order" as it is getting too long.

<u>Grand Knights Report – Russ Woodford</u>

• Budgeted money for Seminarian - \$500; possibly increase to \$750.

<u>Treasurer's Report – SK Octavio Riojas</u>

Bank Balance 05/9/2022	\$29,445.28		
PayPal Balance	\$0.00		
Total Cash on Hand	\$29,445.28		
Outstanding Checks	\$0.00		
111 - Nathan Bernard	(\$50.53)		
112- Shayne Fernandez	(\$56.16)		
113- Russ Woodford	(\$50.00)		
Total Outstanding Checks	(\$156.69)		
Total Cash Available	\$29,288.59		
Breakdown:			
Crisis & Contingency Fund	(\$1,300.00)		
Monument Fund	(\$2,000.00)		
General Fund Balance	\$25,988.59		

Membership Report – DD Rob Daleo

- o 109 Members; + 15; netted 12
 - Currently at 240% of membership goal
- o Bryan Stonerock moved from Dayton, OH

Bingo - Nathan Barnard - April 30, 2022

- Profit \$1,710; had 73 attendees total
- Ray: Food service \$299 gross / cut 9 briskets
- 45% increase in Bingo attendance from previous event word is getting out.

- Need to apply for more licenses
 - o Discussion about having Bingo at Fall Festival.

Fish Fry Update - Ray Mangold

- Made \$2,862 total
- Gross was \$7,341.
- Fish cost was up 30% over the course of the event.
 - Tacos restarting in May.

Mother's Day Roses – SK Mario Martinez:

- Thanks to Mario for Roses this past weekend.
- Ordered 500 roses for handout at masses Total of \$649.98

Wheelchair Sunday: SK Mario Martinez:

- Collecting after each mass this weekend
- Will have Card reader; form in bulletin

Brisket Tacos - May 15: SK Ray Mangold:

- Teams instead of individual sign-ups
- Need help for all masses on Sunday.
- Should be done by 11:30 mass

Our Lady of Guadalupe: DD Rob Daleo:

- Original Our Lady Tillma was 68x48 (W)
- o Plan for fundraiser to buy one large tillma for parish for Hispanic community.
- o Fund raiser for Tillma and Pro Life Ministries.
- o Gift of Father McGivney for Council from vendor.

Knights Picnic – June 18 - GK Russ Woodford:

- Picnic out on Soccer Field
- Chicken has been ordered.

Corpus Christi – SK George Siller:

- Event is June 19.
- Knights taking lead on building alters.
 - Six alters total
- Each alter has a theme from each of the parish ministries.
- Need more people to assist who can help build.

Doughnut Sunday - May 29 - SK Russ Woodford:

• Help needed with setup for Donuts.

Fourth Degree Representative - Dean Hansen

- New Members Needed: Last year had 965 New Knights in District; net gain of 1 964 passed away
- New uniform is being accepted; getting out more and more
- Resolution at State Council to combine 3rd and 4th Degree resoundly failed.
- April 17: Color Corps Fallout 9:30 & 10:30 Mass for Easter
- St. Patrick in Denison 150th year of Church.
- Casino Setup on May 7th in Bedford
 - o Few people were available for tear down.
- Next Meeting 6:30 June 27 at Holy Cross for Election of Officers

Ace Wings – Unapologetically Prolife: SK Dean Hansen:

• Pro-life wings – prolife without apologies, compromise or acceptance.

<u>Insurance Agent Report – Don Burks:</u>

- Fraternal Benefits Knight Online Ed Slott
- Knights of Columbus Donor-Advised Fund
 - 100% Catholic Organization used
 - o Money given to fund and recommendations made to you or your family.
- Council Account: Money donated from Council to grow for charitable purposes.
 - Link goes out to public for donors.

District Deputy Report -DD Rob Daleo:

- 99% attainment to District Goal
- May 25 Next chapter meeting

- June Chapter Meeting is here at SMdP
 - O Daleo is running for a different position.
- June 26 is Fraternal Benefit Night.
- June 11-20 Silver Rose is Available; dates are pending.

Award - Quick Start Honor Roll- GK Russ Woodford:

- o Received an award at Texas State Council in Corpus Christi.
 - Membership, Insurance and Charity Targets exceeded.

Unfinished Business – GK Russ Woodford

- **Brandon Story:** Second (procedural) vote to move \$2,000 from General Fund to Monument Fund.
 - Would take Monument Fund total from \$2,000 to \$4,000.
 - Have over \$18,000 in General Fund currently.
 - o Secondary vote to reallocate money from Monument Fund to General Fund
 - Second vote discussed and passed with no objections.
- SK Dean Hansen / DD Rob Daleo: New Slate of Officers 2022-2023:
 - Grand Knight Russ Woodford
 - Deputy Grand Knight Mario Martinez
 - o Chancellor Nick Cumberland
 - Recorder Brandon Story
 - o Treasurer Sergio Guerrero
 - Advocate Ed Flanagan
 - Warden Richard Summar
 - o Inside Guard Chris Ifemeje
 - Outside Guard Nathan Bernard
 - Trustee 3 Year Carlos Olivarez
 - Trustee 2 Year Ruben Diaz
 - Trustee 1 Year Chuy Romero
 - Motion to vote via acclamation by Rob Daleo.
 - Officers elected by acclamation.

New Business – GK Russ Woodford

- SK Dominick Gervasi Bills to be paid:
 - o Ruben Diaz: \$60 Gift Card for Wood for Cross.
 - o Ray Mangold: \$30.55: Bingo Supplies
 - o Dominick Gervasi: \$103 Bingo Prize Fees for State Controller

- Mario Martinez: \$649.98 for Mother's Day Roses for this past weekend
- SK Dominick Gervasi Draft Budget circulating around for first vote.
 - Increasing money for state convention participants; from \$1k to \$2k
 - Seminarian: Moving from \$500 to \$1000
 - Our Lady of Guadalupe Kit (remove)
 - Bumped up amounts for Coats for Kids and Wheelchair Ministry
 - Email any suggestions separately to Dominick
 - Motion to pass budget on first initial vote.

<u>Christmas Party – December 3- GK Russ Woodford:</u>

• Need suggestions for Restaurants to host party.

SK Dean Hansen/ DD Rob Daleo: New Members:

- William (Liam) Campbell Third Degree Knight at St. Joseph's in British Columbia.
 Husband of Kathy Campbell in church office.
- Bryan Stonerock moved from Dayton, OH
 - Motion made to accept transfers into Council.

Family of Month / Knight of the Month: GK Russ Woodford:

- No Update
- Good of the Order Thom Vars: Run for Public Office

GK Summary – GK Russ Woodford:

- Appreciate everyone's support.
- Ukraine in 10 days, Knights raised \$3M for relief efforts

Good of the Order:

- Republicans, Christians
- Supreme Court Justices
- Thom Vars Christina Vars turmoil at place of employment.
- Brandon Story: Cousin Robert Story who passed from Cancer recently.

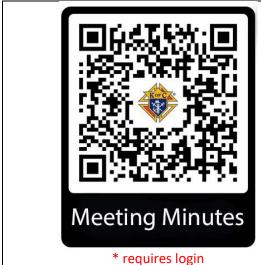
Older Items:

- O Cherie Brickey return to good health
- Ukrainians prayers
- o Gary Hinderman Waiting for Kindey Transplant
- o Kathy Yaseli heart condition and needs testing
- o Edee Hansen Diagnosed with syndrome which curls fingers
- o Ed Flanagan: Grandson who is deployed on nuclear sub.
- o Ruben Diaz: Peter Vargas been ill

Meeting was adjourned at 8:07 PM.

Minutes by: SK Brandon Story, Recorder

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