

2014-2015 COUNCIL EXECUTIVE

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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE:



Brothers:

As our summer comes to a close we will soon see trees changing colours and another season will be upon us. So it is with our Council. We begin a new fraternal year and just as we adjust to the season so too we must look at the changes ahead for our Council.

First I must thank the Executive for all their hard work at making my first term so enjoyable and successful. Through the Executive and Brothers involvement we have been able to offer our youth Basketball free throw, an essay contest, carry out a very successful Roses for Life campaign, make a contribution to the Special Olympics, assist our schools and support our Clergy and Religious. Our Brothers contributed over 9000 volunteer hours last year in visiting and entertaining the sick and serving as pall bearers and in other ministry positions.

One of the highlights of my term as Grand Knight was our Awards night when we paid special tribute to our eight Charter members. It was so touching to see these fine gentlemen reminisce and it provided me the opportunity to meet some of those Brothers for the first time. We also were able to thank some of our other Brothers for their contributions to our Council. Thanks to all.

As we look ahead to this new fraternal year we thank those

members who stepped up and accepted executive positions but as you can see we are still looking to fill some positions. If any interest you please let us know.

It is my goal this year to take a fresh look at what we do and to make **Your Council** stronger and more visible to our community and Churches, to make an impact and to be a place where people want to be. We need to get all our family involved in our Council. We need to find new and exciting ideas to attract funds for our chosen charitable partners.

As members if you have not had a chance to help out or participate in recent events how about making the commitment to attend or assist at **one** event this fraternal year. What a difference this would make.

At a recent meeting the question was asked *Why did you join the Knights?* A favourite quote of mine is **“Some men see things as they are and say why? I dream things that never were and say Why not?”**

We look forward to your input on how to make our Council what you would like it to be.

Attached is an interest survey that we ask you to complete ASAP and return to any Executive or drop it off at the hall or in the Church collection plate.

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: Discover a World of Good Things :
: in the Knights of Columbus :
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Fraternally Yours,
Paul O'Neill, Grand Knight

CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE:



Brothers:

The presumption is that as the world grows older we become a more civilized and compassionate society. Recent events suggest this isn't always the case. The fifteen year old aboriginal girl whose body was found floating in a river – the terrible events in Ferguson, Missouri suggest that for every step forward in a civilized world we sometimes take two steps backward.

The message that Jesus lived and preached was that everyone, without exception, regardless of race or creed or status in society is created in the image and likeness of God. That in itself tells us that we are responsible for treating everyone we encounter as our equal under God. One of the vital roles played by the Knights of Columbus and fellow Knights is to help create a world where the events of the past week will not continue to occur.

Father Philip Sherlock, Chaplain

SPEEDRIVER COMMUNITY HALL INC.

The annual meeting of SRCHInc. will be held at our Lounge on Wed. Sept. 17 at 7:00 p.m. All members are invited to the meeting when the Annual audit is presented by the

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auditors. Come and hear how the Hall has been doing this year.

Thanks

Brother Knights:

I have resigned as the District Deputy for District #7 which is composed of Brantford, Paris and Cambridge for Personal reasons. I will continue to be a member of Council #4919.

Fraternally, Daniel Schmalz.

On behalf of the Council I wish to offer our thanks to Danny Schmalz for his service as our District 7 District Deputy. Thanks Dan. We look forward to your continued involvement in our Council

ATTENDANCE WINNERS:



Monthly winners were:

April – Bernie Legault

May – Jim Magennis

July- Tony DaCosta

August – Danny Schmalz

GOOD OF THE ORDER:



“If you know of a member of this Council or an unassisted Brother of the Order, either sick or in distress, please let either the Grand Knight or the Financial Secretary know”

We remember in our prayers Natalie Cox, Daughter of Kaye and Colin Macdonald, Derrick Roach’s mother Queenie, Bill Kovats’ mother Rita, Paul O’Neill’s sister Patricia Lawrence and Tony Da Costa’s niece Doreen Menzies. May they Rest in Peace. We also remember a number of our Brothers and family members who are in need of our prayers.



Take a few moments to wish Happy Birthday to our Brothers:

Sept: Dana Schiebel, Jim Haney, Roger Donais, George Szczepski, Ken Kroeger, Paul Haller, Thomas Keogh, Ernie Kells, Michael Dickson, Tony DaCosta, Anthony Gignac, Jeff Schmalz

Oct: Fr. Schefter, Bill Grekoff, Ray Grubb, Fr. Freitas, Jim Magennis, Wilf Renner, Allan Smith, Michael Carroll, Tim Goad, Robert Dobbie, Francis Isley, John Hutfluss, Darryl DaCosta

Nov: Ab Gignac, Lucas Fernandes, Victor Glyn-Williams, Fr. Anderson, Alfred Diemert, Derrick Roach, Dimas Arruda, Duane Weidinger

Dec. Joe Levai, Walter Koluk, Jorge Dutra, Joe Renner, Bill Villeneuve, Richard Falconer, Carl Soloman, Andre Leclerc, Matthew Cherri, Ken Weisher, Joe McGrath, Chris Lawless, Michael Campbell, Joe Beke

DID YOU KNOW?

- Our Council presented Fr. Schefter with a going away gift as thanks for his service
- Our Council hosted the Icon of Immaculate Conception at both Churches in May

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- That our website contains photos of our activities (www.prestonhespelerknights.ca)
- That we recently welcomed a transfer from Guelph council, Joe Pinheiro of St. Mary Parish and a new Knight Matthew Cummings from St. Mary Church as well. Welcome Brothers.



COMING EVENTS; SEPT.

2014:

Wed. Sept 10 Exec. Mtg 7:00p.m.
General Mtg. 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Sept 17 SRCHInc. Annual
General Mtg 7:00 pm
Sat. Sept. 20 North Diocesan Mtg.
Sun. Sept.21 1:00 p.m. St. Clement
Parish BBQ

COMING EVENTS; OCT. 2014:

Wed. Oct. 8 Exec. Mtg. 7:00 p.m.
General Mtg. 7:30 p.m.
Wed.Oct. 15 SRCHInc Mtg. 7:00
p.m.
Sat. Oct. 5 Bishop's Dinner
4:00p.m. St. Agnes, Waterloo

COMING EVENTS; NOV. 2014:

Wed. Nov. 12 Exec. Mtg. 7:00 p.m.
General Mtg. 7:30 p.m.
Wed. Nov.19 SRCHInc Mtg. 7:00
p.m.
TBD Memorial Mass

COMING EVENTS; DEC. 2014:

TBD Feather Party
Wed. Dec. 10 Exec. Mtg. 7:00 p.m.
General Mtg. 7:30 p.m.
Fri. Dec. 12 Christmas Pot Luck

CHANGES OF ADDRESS:

If you change your mailing address or email address it is important that you let us know in order that we keep our lists updated to keep you informed.

If you are receiving a printed copy of "The Anchor", please email me, Paul O'Neill at pon@golden.net so we can add YOUR email address to our roster, thereby reducing the costs of having to mail the bulletin.

If you have an item that our Brother Knights should be notified about please contact me. We will send out regular emails to our members, to inform them of last minute news, or remind them of coming events. Emails are sent BCC or Blind Carbon Copy, so your email address is kept confidential. If you don't have a personal email, perhaps a family member could receive these emails, print them, and give them to you

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