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A Message From Our Grand Knight

Brothers,

Happy New Year! I hope everyone had a joyous and safe time celebrating the holidays with your friends and family.

With 2010 behind us I thought I would set the course for 2011. This year our council has one main focus, Membership. Both our council and the entire Knights of Columbus would have ceased to be in existence if no one asked another catholic gentlemen if they had ever considered being a Knight. In this up coming year we will be having regular membership drives as all our parishes and I urge you to assist in working those drives.

If you are unable to assist working a drive there are other things you can do to help grow our brotherhood. 1.) Wear your name badge to church and church functions you are involved with, 2) ask another catholic gentlemen if they ever thought of being a knight.

When you do have someone interested in joining the Knights, please contact myself or our membership director John Fox via e-mail at. jmfox@san.rr.com.

Vivat Jesus,
Justin Wille
Grand Knight, Council 1349
858-880-8323

January Birthdays

Nicola Saracemi	1-01
Franklin Kramer	1-01
Brian McPherson	1-03
Harry Boyle	1-06
Guillermo Hernandez	1-08

Lawrence Kowerski	1-09
Daniel Mazzella	1-09
Leo Woodford	1-10
Dean Covalt	1-11
Benjamin Gutierrez	1-16
Larry Huynh	1-16
Michael Lopez	1-21
Charles Orlando	1-22
Nicholas Abate	1-23
William Pope	1-24
Jerry Tremper	1-24
Robert Carter	1-26
David Kijowski	1-30

Knight of the Month

The January 2011 Knight of the Month for our Council 1349 is Brother Leonard Hayden of the Immaculata parish for his year-long work supporting the parish with architectural and construction consulting and Christmas card sales this year. A certificate will be given to Brother Leonard in recognition of his hard work and dedication to service to the council. Grand Knight Justin Wille thanks Brother Leonard for all his hard work.

Founders Award



DD Fred Hall, GK Justin Wille and FA Joe Flores

Brother Fred reported that his favorite part of the position is to give awards. He and Brother Joe Flores awarded GK Wille the Founders Award, which is presented in honor of outstanding promotion of the Order's fraternal insurance program.

Testimonial Dinner

San Diego Diocese Chapter State Deputy Testimonial Dinner will be held at St. Therese of Carmel 4355 Del Mar Trails Road San Diego, CA 92130 on Saturday, January 15, 2011. Schedule is 5:30 Mass, 6:30 Social Hour and 7:30 Dinner and Presentations. Cost will be \$25 per person. Menu will be Pepper Crusted Rib Eye Roast, Scalloped Potatoes, Vegetable Ragou Salad, Bread, and Dessert. There will be a no host Bar. Part of the evenings events will be a special Presentation from Chapter Charities

RSVP Jack O'Rourke - 858-395-9985, jack@ulatoski.com.

Third Degree Exemplification at Columbus Club

San Diego Chapter's next 3rd Degree Exemplification will be held on Sunday, January the 30th at our Columbus Club on Home Ave near 805. Please check the Chapter calendar for complete information at <http://www.sdkofc.com/calendar.htm>

After taking the Third Degree Exemplification you are fully qualified to hold Council Office. This is an important step in your journey as a Knight.

The dress code is coat, shirt, tie and dress shoes. It is strictly enforced, no jeans, open neck shirts or tennis shoes

will be permitted into the degree.

It is extremely important that candidates contact our GK or DGK so we can call in reservations in advance. We need a good count so registration will go smoothly and we can get the count for dinner.

Your wives are invited also and will have a tour of the Olympic Training Center to entertain them while you are at the degree ceremony. They will be returned to the Columbus Club in time to join you for dinner following the exemplification.

Please confirm with GK Justin Wille or DGK Jim Accera as soon as possible to attend our Third Degree Exemplification at the Columbus Club. \$25 Registration, \$18 Guests & Spouse. See ad this page

Registration starts at 1:30 PM and will end promptly at 2:15 PM. Exemplification 2:30 PM.

Pray For Our Brothers in the Military

John Morris USMC
GySgt David Kile USMC
Aaron Ramert USMC
Michael Frawley USCG
Alexander Goodno USMC
Patrick Connelly, USN
Henry Taimanglo, USN
Ed Munoz
Roman Caruso



Knights of Columbus

Balboa Assembly #0040
The Columbus Club
4425 Home Ave, San Diego CA 92105
Telephone # (619) 464-2009



3rd Degree Exemplification

Sunday, January 30, 2011

SIGN-IN: 1:30 PM -2:15 PM

EXEMPLIFICATION BEGINS PROMPTLY AT 2:30PM

Registration Information

1. **DEADLINE:** All Council Candidates, Sponsors and Attending Guests must Pre-Register by Thursday, January 27, 2011, **but last minute additions are accepted with a phone RSVP.**
2. **TO PRE-REGISTER:** Each Council Grand Knight or Financial Secretary to email a final list of ALL candidates' names and council numbers to: jkay@sdkofc.com OR call Jerry Kay at 619-464-2009
3. The degree will be held at the Columbus Club at 4425 Home Ave, San Diego. There is easy access from the 805 and the 94 freeways. See map attached. Plenty of free parking. www.columbusclubsandiego.com
4. Candidates and Sponsors must be in possession of a signed current 2nd degree and 3rd degree membership card respectively. Each candidate must know their council's name & number.
5. **DRESS CODE:** Coat, tie, dress shoes. NO DENIM JEANS. No open neck shirts. Dress code will be strictly enforced.
6. **EXEMPLIFICATION FEE: \$25.00 per candidate (includes dinner).** Fee is required for ALL candidates whether they do or do not plan to stay for dinner - No Exception.
7. ALL GRAND KNIGHTS OR ATTENDING COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES present your council's check payable to 'Knights of Columbus' for all attending candidates' fees at time of Sunday Sign-in.
8. **DINNER** provided by Balboa Assembly and BEGINS AT 5:00PM. We will be serving a full salad bar, Turkey & Dressing, Ham, Baked Potato, Carrots, roll, coffee and dessert.
9. **SIDELINER and GUEST DINNERS: cost \$18.00 each.** Wives are specially invited to attend afternoon activity and dinner. Personal checks or cash will be accepted.
10. A No host Bar will be open after the exemplification.

Afternoon Activity for Knight's Ladies & Guests

From 1:30 PM – 2:15 PM - All Guests should check-in and wait in the lounge.

From 2:15 PM - 4PM - All Guests are invited to spend the afternoon at a **special free tour of the 155-acre**



U.S. Olympic Training Center- Chula Vista

For additional information Contact:

Jerry Kay

Phone: (619) 464-2009 or Email jkay@sdkofc.com

January

2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	30	31 New Years Eve	1 New Years Day
2	3	4 First Degree Guardina Angels Santee 7 pm	5 Officer's Meeting Columbus Club Start 7:30 pm	6	7 First Friday Dinner Columbus Hall Home Ave. Make reservations call Vic Miranda, 858-277-5366 or email: vandrmiranda3306@sbcglobal.net	8
9	10	11	12 Business Meeting Columbus Club 4425 Home Ave. Start 7:30pm	13 First Degree KofC Hall Escondido 7 pm	14 Chapter Meeting St. Therese of Carmel Del Mar 7:30 PM	15 State Deputy's Testimonial Dinner St. Therese Del Mar
16	17	18	19 First Degree Good Shepherd San Diego 6 pm	20	21	22 1st & 2nd Degree Our Lady of Grace El Cajon 2 pm
23 Coffee and Donuts St. Vincent's Hall After 8:00 & 9:30 Masses	24	25	26 1st & 2nd Degree St. Charles, IB 7:30 pm	27	28	29
30 Thirtd Degree Columbus Club Home Ave. 1:30 pm	31	1	2	3	4	5

February

2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	1 First Degree St. Luke El Cajon 6:30 pm Officer's Meeting Columbus Club Start 7:00 pm	2	3	4 First Friday Dinner Columbus Hall Home Ave. Make reservations call Vic Miranda, 858-277-5366 or email: vandrmiranda3306@sbcglobal.net	5 Fourth Degree Ontario CA 11 AM
6	7	8	9 Business Meeting Columbus Hall 4425 Home Ave. Start 7:30pm	10 First Degree KofC Hall Escondido 7 pm	11	12 Lincoln's Birthday
13	14 <i>Valentine's Day</i>	15	16 ASH WEDNESDAY	17	18	19
20	21 President's Day Observed	22 Washington's Birthday	23 1st & 2nd Degree St. Charles, IB 7:00 PM	24	25 Lenten Fish Fry St. Vincent's	26
27 Donut Shop St. Vincent's Hall	28	1	2	3	4	5

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Pray For Sick Brothers

Please remember in your prayers our sick brothers; DD Richard Ride-nour, Art George, Victor Ortega, Sebastian Xavier, Vince Giracello, GK Jeff Ostrowski, Wilmer Wolf, and Matt Rifant's wife Tracy, Michael Galasso, Mrs. Mary Brunhozol .

Remember our Deceased

Please remember in your prayers our deceased brothers: Fr. Minmaugh, Pastor at Saint Vincent's Church. Al Telli, Tom Hoang, Rick Conception, John G. Moore, John Dowling, Eugene Thiele, William Shine, Fred Mattry, Michael Wogan, Bernie Robinson, Francis Sick, Al Koenig Victor Ortega Jr., Bobby

Ortega, Richard Nicholas Martin, Bob Benz, John Matschinegg, Robert Lawrence, Billy Roland, John, and Rita Wolf mother of Brother Wilmer Wolf, Alan Hardtarfer Frank Feely.

Church Round Table :

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richport@pacbell.net

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St. John's

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St. Didacus

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Michael Krauss 619-298-7274
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St. Joseph's Cathedral

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I Don't Need Life Insurance

Is that your answer when you are asked to buy life insurance? You say you don't need life insurance, but what about your family? Don't they count?

There has to be food on the table every day. Your loved ones must have clothing to stay warm and healthy. The one thing they need the most is income. You supply all these things

(and more!) for them now. If something were to happen to you would the money go with you?

With life insurance your family's well-being is taken care of. You say you don't need life insurance, but your family does.

Call me today and let's talk about life insurance for your family.

Council 1349 Insurance Field Agent Joe Florés

Life Insurance, Long Term Care,
IRAs, 401-K Rollovers, Annuities

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Business Meeting Minutes 12/8/2010

Columbus Club

Start of Meeting:

Meeting opened at 7:34 PM with 14 members in attendance.

Opening Prayer

Lord's Prayer was said followed by the Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call of Officers read:

Officers Attending:

GK	Justin Wille	Present	DGK	Jim Acera	Excused
Chancellor	Danny Francisco	Present	Recorder	Tom Davis	Present
Treasurer	Jeff Ostrowski	Present	Advocate	Open	
Warden	Rich Portugal	Present			
Inside Guard	Open		Outside Guard	Michael Liebers	Absent
3 year Trustee	Frank Dabalak	Excused	2 year Trustee	Steve McPhillips	Excused
1 year Trustee	Jack Mierzwa	Present			
Financial Secretary	Ron Sheehan	Present	Insurance Agent	Joe Flores	Excused
District Deputy	Fred Hall	Present			

No corrections to minutes, approved as published

Membership Committee

No Report

Knight of the Month

Jeff Ostowski

Grand Knight Report

GK Wille discussed the Pancake Breakfasts that were listed in last months Knightwatch. He also discussed the Feeding America charity Bills for dues will go out for the new calendar year.

Brother Mark Haaser donated 3 gift cards worth \$20 each. GK Wille suggested offering these to our Round Table Coordinators as an incentive for holding membership drives. Motion was tabled until next meeting.

Treasurer's Report

Due to technical difficulties the report was not submitted on time for this newsletter. Will include in next month's numbers.

Reading of Bills and Correspondence

None.

Financial Secretary's Report

Nov. 1, 2010 to Dec. 1, 2010

	Start		Changes		End
Associate Members	151	New Members (Assoc)	0	Associate Members	152
Insured Members	69	Transfer Out	0	Insured Members	69
Inactive Members	13	Member Death (Assoc)	0	Inactive Members	13
Total Members	233	Transfer In	1 Assoc	Total Members	234
		Assoc. to Ins	0		
		Ins to Assoc	0		

Chancellors Report:

Our financial support was provided to our new Seminarians. We are standing by to establish our Squires Circle. Brother Francisco asked for us to look for poster-sized pictures of Columbus, Jesus, and Mary for our Squires Circle. If anyone is interested in assisting or knows of boys interested in joining, please contact Brother Francisco through the GK.

Trustees Report

We began receiving payment from the Moynihan settlement and this will continue monthly

DGK Report

None

Service Program Report

Holding a function on the 4th of July next year as a fundraiser for the club was discussed.. Brother Zac Dooley reported on the Christmas Card Sales. They were going well, but that the weekend of the 11th was the last time to buy.

Standing Committee Reports

None

Old Business

No calls regarding interest in our Squires Circle. We need 10 new boys to start the Circle.

New Business

2 Pancake Breakfasts, Sunday Nov 14th and Dec 12th at St. Vincents. Volunteers are greatly appreciated, or please come to have breakfast. Brother Jeff mentioned again the 4th of July event- to drum up interest in our club.

4th Degree Report

4th Degree Exemplification will be held the first weekend in February. Any interested Knights need to inform the Assembly immediately.

Chaplain Report

No Report

Insurance Agents Report

No Report

District Deputies Report

Brother Fred reported that his favorite part of the position is to give awards. He and Brother Joe Flores awarded GK Wille the Founders Award, which is presented in honor of outstanding promotion of the Order's fraternal insurance program.

Fred has Team California pins for everyone which promote the idea that Together We Accomplish More (TEAM).

3rd Degree is January 30th here at the club, hosted by 1349 and 2891. Many volunteers will be needed. Please leave your calendar open.

Before for the Good of the Order, prayers were offered for Brother Vic Miranda, Jack Keegan, and Knights who have served our country in the Military.

For the Good of the Order

A Hail Mary was said for the sick or distressed and the Our Father was said to close out the meeting at 8:00.

Submitted by Tom Davis, Recorder