



Knighly News

Council 5544 August 2010

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Have a Fun Sweet Corn Festival!

**August Business Meeting
Has been moved to
Third Wednesday of month
August 18, 2010**

Rosary at 6:30 pm, Meeting at 7:00 pm

Grand Knight Report

Brother Knights,

I want to thank all of you for electing me Grand Knight. I will do my best to serve you. I will also solicit your advice in matters affecting the council. If anyone has any concerns about the council let me know. As I can't read minds as well as I used to (ha ha).

Beings this is my first letter it will be short.

I also want to thank Jay for the wonderful job that he has done for the last two years!!!!!! Thanks Jay!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Vivat Jesus!!!

Jeff Freilinger

Grand Knight #5544

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Special points of interest:

-Family of the month for **July** is Dick & Paula Street for all their help with BBQ Round-Up. Thank you for spending most of your entire weekend there helping us. Your dedication is appreciated!

-Knight of the month for **July** is Mark Seber for working multiple shifts at the BBQ Round-up. Thank you Mark for always saying yes to our projects. We can not say thank you effectively enough!

BBQ Round-up Thanks!

We would like to thank all of the Knights and their families who helped with the BBQ Round Up. We had 54 people help work 388.5 hours during this 4 day event. It was great to see new faces and some we haven't seen for a while come and help. There were 5 young people willing to come and work with their parents for a total of 15.5 hours.

We would like to give a special Thank You to Richard and Paula Street and Mark Seber for working 139.5 of those hours during the weekend.

We would also like to give a special Thank You to the 7 St. Jude parishioners who helped out with the BBQ Round Up by working 25.5 hours. The parishioners are Jane Siegel, John and Diana Kaeser, Donna Ellis, Ken and Margie Washburn, and Linda Kroeger. When you see them at Church, let them know how glad you are for their help.

~Chris and Barb Zaugg

What the Recorder Heard

The July meeting was the usual installation of officers, with the only other business being the payment of bills.

Beginning with the August meeting the new Grand Knight has decided (in consultation with several officers) that we need to follow the existing council by-laws and charter constitution laws of the order in respect to Article VII of the council by-laws and Chapter XIV (Laws governing the subordinate councils) sections 122 & 145 of the orders constitution. Meaning that there will be a trustees meeting immediately following the normal monthly business meeting and all bills must be submitted through the recorder to the board of trustees for approval of payment. Copies of the relevant sections of the by-laws and constitution will be sent as an attachment along with the normal monthly business meeting minutes email (hard-copy will be available at the August meeting.) No voting is necessary as this is bringing our council into compliance with the existing by-laws and constitution.

Dick Street-Recorder

Altar Servers Night at Ballpark

Thank you to Dick & Paula Street for grilling all the hot dogs and burgers at Cleveland Park for our Altar Servers Night at the Ballpark. Thank you to the families that brought along the sides, salads, and desserts, they were very tasty!

We hosted about 56 people for the picnic and game. There was beautiful weather this year so it was a perfect night at the ballpark.

Thank you to all the Altar Servers and their families for their willingness to serve our Parish each year! We appreciate all that you do!



Here come the Hawkeyes!



Are you ready to see the pre-season 5th ranked team in the nation? Do you bleed black & gold? Do you want to see three players who are in the running for national honors play this season? Here is your golden ticket!!!!!!

This year the Hawkeyes play some NATIONAL televised games and each of us has a chance to "be there" - - **FOR FREE!**

The schedule is in, & some of the start times (for the national games) are in.

Right now - yea - **NOW** mark your calendar for these dates (and then call Blaine Miller to lock yourself in.)

Sept. 4th - Eastern Ill. (11:05am start)

Sept. 11th - Iowa State (2:35pm start) - always a good blood bath.

Sept. 25th - Ball State - Oh well they can't all be top shelf.

>> **Oct. 2nd - Penn State (7:05pm start) - Are you kidding - this will be a GREAT game.

Oct. 23rd - Wisconsin - always a good game.

Oct. 30th - Michigan State - usually a fun game, half of Michigan comes out.

Nov. 20th - Ohio State - no time announced yet, but you can bet your bippi it'll be a national tv game.

Call Blaine (654-0050) to find out how to get in on this.

Let's see - ride down for free, park for free, ride the train for free, get in for free, get to watch 3/4 of the game - where is the down side here?

Uniform is easy: A pair of black pants, black shoes (comfortable shoes), white shirt. The rest will be provided when you check in at the stadium. We report 2 hours prior to kick-off and will car pool again this year from St. Jude!

Anyone (16 or older) can help with this one! The more people we can send down to help the more money we will be able to make! Consider joining us for a game, or games, this season!

Tootsie Roll Drive Coming Soon

Mark your calendars now for the annual Tootsie Roll Drive for the Mentally Handicapped in our area! This fund raiser is a big one for our community and for Discovery Living here in Cedar Rapids. This is one we need everyone's help with-young and old!

We will be needing help September 16-19. Shifts begin early in the day (11:00 am Thurs. & Fri., 9:00 am Saturday) and run in two hour increments! Get your whole family to help. Great way to earn service hours for Confirmation.

Phone calls will be made in August for help so please be generous with your time. Discovery Living always appreciates our efforts!



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August 2010

Aug. 13-15	Sweet Corn Festival	All Day/Each Day	Parish Grounds
Aug. 18	Council Rosary	6:30 PM	St. Jude Chapel
Aug. 18	Council Meeting	7:00 PM-8:30 PM	Parish Center

September 2010

Sept. 4	Iowa Football	11:05 AM	Kinnick Stadium
Sept. 8	Council Rosary	6:30 PM	St. Jude Chapel
Sept. 8	Council Meeting	7:00 PM-8:30 PM	Parish Center
Sept. 11	Iowa Football	2:35 PM	Kinnick Stadium
Sept. 16-19	Tootsie Roll Drive	All Day	Community
Sept. 25	Iowa Football	TBD	Kinnick Stadium
Sept. 29	Blood Drive	2:30-8:00 PM	Parish Center