



KnightWise

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Knights of Columbus Council #345

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DATES TO REMEMBER...

Wednesday, 8/22:
NO MEETING

Wednesday, 8/29:
Installation of New
Officers @ St Rocco's,
Martins Creek

Sunday, 9/9:
Council #345 Annual
Family Picnic @ Louise
Moore Park, 1 PM

Wednesday, 9/12:
Rosary & Meeting @ 7 PM

Wednesday, 9/28:
Meeting @ 7 PM

REMINDER:
Beginning September
12th, meetings will
start at 7:00

Enjoy your summer!



Grand Knight's Message:

In today's society, TIME is one the most valuable and precious commodities we have... Time is eating away on maintaining a lifestyle sometime to the detriment of living life itself! For those of you that know me, you know the hours that I keep. I'm out of the house around 4:45 AM and typically don't return until 6:30 PM. On meeting nights, I may not see my wife until I get home around 10:00 PM and then it's time for me to go to bed. It is possible to go for days without seeing our children. I am a lucky man in that my family understands and we make the limited time we have together quality time. I tell them I love them every day. I tell my friends and colleagues how much I appreciate what they do for me and that I want them to be nothing but the best they can be.

Sometimes it is difficult to balance all the issues that life passes to us. During these times, we must call for help. This, my brothers, is one of those calls. I need your help with the newsletter, our events, your attendance and increasing membership, just to name a few. As your Grand Knight, I want to be the best that I can be and I can only do that with your help. Please volunteer and take an active part in our council. Let's keep the tradition of pride and honor in Union Council #345.

-JC

CONGRATULATIONS NEW OFFICERS!

Please support our officers for the 2007-2008 Fraternal Year

Grand Knight - JC Kelleher	Warden - Dan Bonner
Deputy Grand Knight - Michael Andreano	Inside Guard - Joseph DiMarco
Financial Secretary - Bill Bogari	Outside Guard - Bill Eismont
Treasurer - Tom Rafferty	First Year Trustee - Ken Haney
Recorder - Gregory DeSalva	Second Year Trustee - Frank Gualano
Chancellor - Robert Frederick	Third Year Trustee - Bill Abert
Advocate - Br. Marcel Groth	Chaplain - Father John Pendzick

C.O.A.L. is BACK!

Enclosed with this newsletter are the 2007 Chance of a Lifetime tickets for your own purchase or sale to benefit the PA Knights of Columbus Scholarship Program. Prizes this year include an LCD television, a Caribbean Cruise & a new car! If you need more books, contact a council officer. Special thanks to Jim Szoszorek for heading us into another successful year! Please return tickets ASAP to Jim Szoszorek, 1965 D Cabernet Place, Easton, PA 18045 or call him at 610-419-6989 if you have any questions.

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Meetings will start immediately after the Rosary on the first meeting night of each month unless advised otherwise...



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HELP HOTLINE

Do you know a brother or community member in need of assistance? Someone in the hospital? Need a ride to a meeting?

Who ya gonna call?

HELP HOTLINE!

Contacts:
Warden Dan Bonner:
610-253-6761

G. K. JC Kelleher:
484-357-6081 Cell
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CHECK THE WEB!

<http://kofc345.org>

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Brother Mike Finan
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2006-2007 Union Council #345 Officers
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Deputy Grand Knight - Michael Andreano - 610.438.1744
Financial Secretary - Bill Bogari - 610.258.3622
Chaplain - Father John Pendzick - 610.253.3553
*A full list of officers is available online @ kofc345.org

Parish Technical Support Line
Contact G.K. JC Kelleher at 484.271.6111 for any parish in need of computer help. Our team of experts is available anytime to support our parishes and our community.

PALMER TOWNSHIP COMMUNITY DAYS

This year's event will take place August 16-19. The Community Days are the BIGGEST fundraiser for our council & it gets busier every year! Contact PGK Tom Rafferty with your availability. Special thanks to Tom and Dee Rafferty for running our council's biggest fundraiser for another successful year!

Watch for event details on the web at <http://www.palmertwp.com>.

FOOTBALL SWEEPS ARE HERE!

Time once again to gain from the gridiron. Football sweeps help to offset the cost of state programs and benefit YOU by winning! Our Deputy Grand Knight Michael Andreano will be heading up this year's effort, so please give him all the support needed to make this year the most successful one yet! Tickets are \$10 each with \$2500 given away each week. A total of \$25,000 in CASH PRIZES! Contact Michael or stop by a meeting for tickets.

COME ON OUT TO THE ANNUAL FAMILY PICNIC...

This year's Council picnic will be on Sunday, September 9th at Louise Moore Park beginning at 1 PM. All are welcome to attend. Food, drinks, music and games will be provided. This year's challenge is to encourage potential members and their families to come out and learn more about the Knights of Columbus. A \$25 prize goes out to the Knight who brings in the highest amount of potential members with completed membership forms (Form #100) to this event. The prize will be awarded at the meeting on 9/28.

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