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2900 Assembly News

Pope John Paul II Assembly 2900, Pickerington Ohio USA

Happy Birth Day America - 4 July 2008

Dear Brother Sir Knights and Ladies:

We have come to the end of another fraternal year. I would like to take a moment to thank all our Past Faithful Navigator, Shawn Ansbro, and all of outgoing officers for the time and effort they have put in during the last year to keep the assembly running, and growing both smoothly and efficiently. The past year has been an active one for the Assembly. As the visual arm of the Knights of Columbus we have seen the list of activities and events we are being invited to participate in soar.

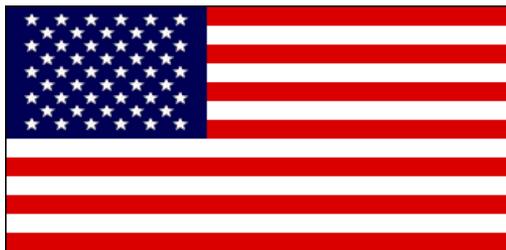
By participating in these events we add more than color and pageantry, we act as visible examples of Catholic citizenship and patriotism. We stand proudly in our faith, and by doing so help others to do the same. From the children making their First Communion, who are just now beginning to comprehend their faith, to those attending a Funeral, who may have fallen away, we have the opportunity to show by example how much our community of faith means to us. This is something that is often overlooked in a time when it is not always considered politically correct to be a practicing Catholic.

Looking forward to the upcoming year I would like to see the visibility of Assembly 2900 continue to grow. We can do this in a number of ways. First, encourage other members of you Council to join. This year we will have both a one (1) day Exemplification in the spring and a full weekend Exemplification in the fall so potential candidates will have options to help fit their schedules better. Second, although I would like to remind everyone and encourage them to attend our meetings on the third Wednesday of every month, I understand some people's work or family schedules prevent it, so I am challenging everyone, including myself, to look through the Pilots report on a monthly basis and based on your schedule try to participate in at least one event per month. Since these events occur at many times and varying days of the week they should fit schedules more easily. Most events also involve more than just our Assembly and they will allow you to meet and socialize with other Sir Knights around the city.

Fraternally Yours in Christ

Terry Reine,

Faithful Navigator



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Business Meeting Minutes

Meeting opened at: 7:30 pm

Roll of Officers: Faithful Pilot, Faithful 3 year and 2 year Trustees - excused

Reading of the minutes: A Motion was made to accept the minutes as published. The motion was seconded and passed.

Faithful Friar's Report: On behalf of Fr. Jim and Fr. Dave thanks were offered for Fr. Dave's first Mass. Then the Faithful Friar's talked about Adam Reese who recently passed away from a head wound caused by a fall. He was very active leading Rosary and being was always a good example to other people. This is what all Knights should strive to be, a good example of Catholic faith. Showing your faith and living it can encourage others to grow in theirs.

Faithful Navigator Report: The Faithful Navigator introduced James and Pete Darrow. James is a 4th year student studying at the Josephinum to be a priest. He related how he first became interested in being a Knight during boy scouts. His Scout troop was not a Catholic troop and he always felt something was missing. When he was later introduced to the Knight he saw it as an adult Catholic Scouts. Pete is a veterinary administrator for the state of Ohio.

The Faithful Navigator presented a certificate of commendation for participating in the serving those who serve voluntary service program. Special recognition was made of Jerry Lowery's contribution to earning this award, which included collecting printer cartridges and his work at the clinic.

The Faithful Navigator then presented a check from the Chapter for our activities in selling ads for the spring ad book. The next exempt will be in Marietta. This will be a one day event. The next spring exemplification will change format and include a dinner dance the Friday evening before the exemplification.

Reading of Bills & Communications:

Communications: No Communications at this time

Bills: The bills were read and passed to the trustees for approval and payment

Faithful Captains Report: Tonight's expenses were XXXX. We had income of XXXX, which gave us a profit of XXXX. Next month we will do an ice cream social. So eat before hand a bring a topping.

Faithful Pilots Report: See newsletter

Faithful Admiral's Report: The Faithful Admiral expanded on the Exemplification. The fall exemplification is 1st of November. We will need ads to get our rebates. The spring Exemplification will be on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd of May 2009. There will be a dinner dance on Friday evening for the spring Exemplification. We currently have 2 candidates for spring. We will be participating in the Reynoldsburg 4th of July parade. 3rd degree members are welcome to participate as well. The Faithful Admiral presented the Faithful Navigator with his PFN pin and the Assembly applauded in thanks for his service.

Faithful Comptroller's Report: We currently have 88 active members. That is a net gain of 5 members. We sent in the new elected officer's report.

Faithful Purser's Report: See Attached report.

Faithful Scribe's Report: If you have not yet turned in a directive please do so as soon as possible.

Report of Committees:

Golf Committee: The Golf outing is creeping up. The following people have committed to working on the committees

Al and Lee Brock - Hole Sponsors
John Stauffer - Golfer recruiting
Mike Croyle - Door Prized
Gene Ebert - Golfer Registration at course.
Wayne Patterson will book the PAC for the meal.
The date has been set for October 5th.

Unfinished Business:

Report of Trustee's: No Report

Name plaques: We are still awaiting name plaques to place on the memorial for Joseph Sanderell, and Richard Arnett. We are following up to make sure they arrive.

Flag and Banner: We are still working on design. We should have a printout of it for the next meeting.

Challenge Coins: We are still checking on prices but they appear to high for our needs.

New Business:

PFN Dinner: This year we will sponsor the PFN dinner. We are looking at the 3rd Friday of October, so as not to conflict with the dinner dance on the first of May at the exempt. We will continue at Confluence Park but will look at a DJ for music. We will check with 3037 to make sure we do not have any conflicts.

Good of the Order: Jeff Samborsky, Maureen Patterson, Robert Kelly, Bob Borys, Fr. Thomas Bennet, Carrie Ebert, Bill Saling, Charles Higdon Jr., Tom Rogers, Tom Denning, The McClellan Family and All of our Priest and Lay ministers, all our missionaries throughout the world.

The 50/50 Winner Drawing: Congratulations to Jesse Garcia who was not present so the amount will roll over to the next drawing.

Terry Reine

Faithful Scribe

Pilot's Report

July 4th 2008 - Reynoldsburg 4th of July parade
July 12 2008 - Installation of Officers - 2900
July 26, 2008- Installation of Officer (3037, 2380, 2727 and 809)
August 19, 2008 - Installation of Officers - 830
September 20, 2008 - Installation of Officers
October 19, 2009 - District 3 meeting
October 31 - November 1, 2008 - Exemplification

Submitted by Jerry Lowery

Captain Report

Special Thanks to SK John and Lady Brenda Beyer for providing everyone with great food and activities for the last 12 months. Their creativity and hard work will be a very tough act to follow. Last month, everyone enjoyed the spaghetti and special recipe sauce prepared by John. Thanks to all who brought in a dessert or side to share.

In **July**, the menu for the dinner will be “*Sloppy Joes*” for the main course and a special dessert treat of “*Built Your Own Sundae*”. We will provide the Sloppy Joes and Buns for the main entrée as well as the ice cream (chocolate, vanilla as well as a sugar free one) and the liquid toppings (chocolate, caramel, strawberry and sugar free chocolate). Please bring a side dish to share or your favorite topping for a sundae. Some examples might be cookie crumbs, candy crumbles, sprinkles, whip cream, cherries, fruits, or your favorite indulgence.

Our July Social event for the ladies will be an old fashion game of BINGO or GREED.

In **August**, we are planning on having “BUILD A SANDWICH NIGHT”. We will provide the deli meats and ask everyone to bring a favorite salad (Waldorf, Asian, strawberry, greens, 7 layer), a side to share. or a dessert.

September will be an “ALL AMERICAN TIME” with hot dogs and apple pie/desserts. We would like to have everyone wear their favorite baseball jersey, hat, or t-shirt! We are currently looking into getting a speaker for the social event.

We look forward to a fun year of providing the food and social events for the upcoming year. If you have any questions or need to reach us, please call Lady Kathy at 614-861-1580 or 614-216-0216.

SK S. David Baker and Lady Kathy

Faithful Captain

Golfer’s Email and Home Address Lists are Needed

We are compiling are lists for invites to our Assembly Golf Outing. Please send via my home email address hurkman26@insight.rr.com so I can put out invites and reminders to anyone who may have an interest. You can also mail these to me or give them to me at the meeting. My home address is 655 Falls Place, Reynoldsburg, 43068-1614. I will add these to the lists of past attendees and also will be inviting all Councils and Assemblies in the Central Ohio area. Your help in making our Golf Outing a Great Success is appreciated.

Thank-you in advance for your cooperation and follow through. It is APPRECIATED !!!



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UPCOMING EVENTS

July 2008	
4	Happy Birthday America
16	Social/Business Meeting 6:30 pm
August 2008	
20	Social/Business Meeting 6:30 pm

Meeting Reminder - OFFICERS

Any Officer who cannot attend any up-coming meeting needs to call or email me. If no call or email is received, you will be marked as unexcused/absent.

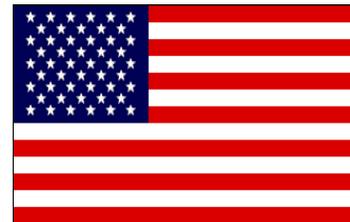
Terry Reine
 Faithful Navigator

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- 2 Year Trustee**
Jesus V. Garcia III, PFN 577-9016
- 1 Year Trustee**
Bogomir Glavan 837-0651
- Faithful Commander**
- Faithful Patron**



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Prayer Corner



Jeff Samborsky, Maureen Patterson, Robert Kelly, Bob Borys, Fr. Thomas Bennet, Carrie Ebert, Bill Saling, Charles Higdon Jr. Tom Rogers, Tom Denning, The McClellan Family. All of our Priest and Lay ministers, all our missionaries throughout the world, and our military around the world.