



EAST COOPER KNIGHTS

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Dear Brother Knights,

This is my last letter to you as Grand Knight. It has been an extremely rewarding experience to serve the Council in this capacity. The support I received was awesome. From Frank and Tom keeping me straight at the meetings to the behind the scenes arduous work by Don and the other Officers, thank you, I simply could not have done it without you.

There are two recent and current examples of the constant efforts that make this Council such a success. The Spring Spaghetti Supper run by Mark Lazo and company was recently held and turned a nice profit. The annual Book Sale coordinated by Marion Wright and Jerry Gimbert is currently in progress and by all reports another stunning success. The enormous amount of volunteer hours performed by these and many, many other Brother Knights and wives is nothing short of amazing. I have been proud to represent you.

We did attend the State Convention and although we did not impress anybody on the golf course (but recognized for our honesty on our scorecard) the State did present an award to Bobby Geberth for his recruitment success.

The Nominating Committee's recommended slate of officers was voted in at the last meeting. The Installation of the new Officers will take place at Christ Our King's Grace Hall on June 15th at 6:00 PM. There will be a dinner afterwards at Liberty Tap Room. If you wish to attend please sign up at the below link so we can have an accurate head count.

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050844afa628aa8-2017>.

The Knight of the Year and the Family of the Year will be recognized then as well.

In closing, I would be remiss not to thank Fran and Tom Franzone for their work on the Newsletter. No matter what obstacles they face (traveling, weather, a tardy Grand Knight), let there be no doubt the Newsletter will go out.

Thank you all for your support and I look forward to another momentous year with Grand Knight Don Campbell at the helm.

Fraternally,

Sean O'Toole



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

JUNE

Officers Meeting_____	01
COK — 6:30 PM	
Nocturnal Adoration_____	01
Stella Maris — 8 PM to 8AM	
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament_____	02
COK — 7:30 AM to 5 PM	
Pro-Life/Rosary —COK — 7:30 AM_____	03
Online Seminar _____	03
Flag Day Ceremony_____	10
Yorktown @ Patriots Point —9:30 AM	
Spirit Night_____	14
Cane's — 3—8PM	
Installation of Officers_____	15
COK—6 PM followed by Dinner at Liberty Tap Room	
Father's Day_____	18
Regular Business Meeting_____	22
St. Benedict's Parish Hall Dinner: 6:30 PM Meeting: 7 PM	
Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus_____	23

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

James Ball
 Jerry Barnett
 Thomas Beindorf
 Joseph Caturano
 Thomas Cottingham
 John Demo
 Matt Evangelista

Bill Evens
 Michael Flato
 Richard Garcia
 John Gay Jr.
 Gregory Gormley
 Thomas Gwiazdowski
 Connor Herlihy
 John Karnaszewski
 Timothy Keenan
 Ken Kobularcik
 John Maize Jr.

Patrick McDavid
 Edmund McMahon
 Scott Myers
 Daniel Papineau
 Kenneth Schwallie
 Mark Smith
 Timothy Trouche
 Robert Turner
 Doug Wilgus



**Knight of the Month
May 2017
Jack Urbanic**

Jack Urbanic is Council 9475's Knight of the Month for May 2017. Jack is a 4th Degree member of the council/assembly and has contributed to the good of the order since day one. He has served in every leadership role and is one of our most admired and respected Knight. Jack has led our council as Grand Knight and instituted many of the programs and protocol that we still follow today. Unselfish with his time, Jack personally lead the Council charity golf tournament to benefit the Daughters of St Paul for many years and represented Stella Maris as point of contact. Jack is a role model for all of us and his efforts reflect tremendous credit on Council 9475.

Congratulations Jack!!!

Daughters of St. Pauline were our guest speakers and recipients of a check from our join effort Golf Tournament that was held March 21, 2017.



Golf Tournament chairman Jim Welsch front right is presenting a check to the Daughters of St. Pauline, Sister Deborah is accepting the check for the amount of \$11,250.00. Standing behind them left to right are Sister Katherine, Bill Shoemaker Past Grand Knight, Sister Margret, Bob Fintak, Jack Czarnecki and Don Campbell our Deputy Grand Knight; All worked to make the Golf Tournament a great success.

**Family of the Month
May 2017
Jeff and Debbie Pulaski**

Jeff and Debbie Pulaski celebrated 25 years of marriage on February 15th, 2017. They met @ Wild Dunes Resort in 1990 where Debbie was working and Jeff was a driver with UPS..... He drove the Big Brown Truck for over 36 years!!!!!!!!!!!!!! The most recent addition to their family is Max, a 75 lb. German Shepard thanks to the kindness of Brother Knight Steve Majeski and family.

Jeff, a native Charlestonian, retired from UPS and currently works part-time with Rick Hendrick Honda. He is an active member of Christ Our King, serving as Usher, Altar Server, and Sacristan.

Debbie is a retired Human Resource Professional having spent over 23 years specializing in Employee Benefits. She serves at Christ Our King as Lector, RCIA Sponsor, I-BEAM mentor, and is a member of the Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians. She especially enjoys the company of her fellow "Lady Knights" at their monthly dining ventures.

Congratulations Jeff and Debbie!!!



Left to right Grand Knight Sean O'Toole presents Jeff Pulaski center with Knights cup and right Family Director Kevin Cunnane presents Jeff with Family of the Month Certificate.



Left Brother Frank Sherman is receiving his Formation Degree Certificate taken 4/29/17 from our Grand Knight Sean O'Toole. **Congratulation Frank!!!**



Left Brother Knight Deacon Kevin Campbell is receiving his Formation Degree Certificate taken 4/29/17 from Grand Knight Sean O'Toole. **Congratulations Deacon Kevin!!!**

CALENDAR OF EVENTS
JULY

Pro-Life/Rosary _____	01
COK—7:30 AM	
Independence Day _____	04
Officers Meeting _____	06
Life Center—6:30 PM	
Nocturnal Adoration _____	06
Stella Maris—8 PM to 8 AM	
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament _____	07
COK — 7:30 AM to 5 PM	
Spirit Night at Raising Canes _____	12
1777 Hwy 17 N. 3PM to 8 PM	
Regular Business Meeting _____	20
St. Benedict's Parish Hall	
Dinner: 6:30 PM	
Meeting: 7:00 PM	

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

*Stanley and Jean Adams
Eric and Colleen Bendig
Richard and Audrey Burman
John and Angela Demo
Mark and Diane Dickson
James and Shauna Harris
Vincent and Kristy Hoover*

*Robert and Linda Humphrey
Gene and Natalie Knisley
Ben and Joanna Laaper
Patrick and Jane McDavid
Edmund and Kathy McDowell
William and Ruth Ann Murphy
Isaac and Margaret Perkins
Thomas and Kim Siwarski
Don and Kim Slowek*



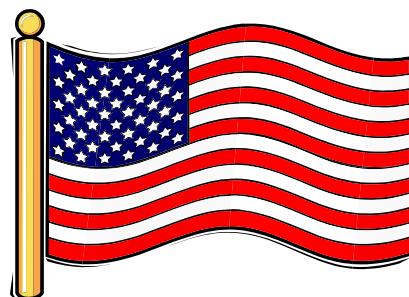
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**Spirit "Knight" Fundraiser at Raising Cane's
To support the Knights of Columbus**



Join us for a Spirit "Knight" Fundraiser at Raising Cane's in Mt. Pleasant to support the Knights of Columbus. **Eat at Raising Cane's in Mt. Pleasant every 2nd Wednesday starting 2017 from 3-8 p.m. and Raising Cane's will donate 15% of their sales when you mention the Knights of Columbus!** You can dine in or drive-thru, just make sure to mention Knights of Columbus! Raising Cane's is located at 1777 Hwy. 17 N. in front of Lowe's at Towne Centre.



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