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MILTON, FLORIDA USA**

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GRAND KNIGHT'S REPORT

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Brother Knights and Ladies:

I want to thank my Brother Knights for having the confidence in me, to elect me for another term as your Grand Knight. I hope and pray that I will continue to earn that confidence as the new fraternal year progresses.

As a council, we have accomplished MUCH during the past fraternal year. As I compiled the information for the 'State of the Council' address at the recent Officers Installation Banquet, I was amazed at the many projects we had undertaken during the course of the year.

I recently completed the Annual Columbian Award application for submission to the Supreme Council. As some of you may already know, there are six major categories of activities to be reported (they are Church, Community, Council, Family, Pro-Life and Youth), and we must report at least four activities in each of the major categories. The challenge was not to try to come up with at least four activities on which to report in each category, but rather, which ones (of the many we did) were the most worthwhile to report. What I'm trying to say is that we are a VERY ACTIVE COUNCIL.

Unfortunately, some of our members don't seem to feel that way. Or maybe they feel that we are TOO active! In the world we live in today; is there such a thing? During the past year we had to suspend more than 85 of our former members because they no longer felt that the Knights of Columbus was the Catholic, Family, Fraternal, SERVICE organization to which they should belong. And THAT is sad.

July will be a busy month for those of us who can, and will, take the time to help renovate the newly acquired K of C Building, setting on the northeast end of the Parish Festival Grounds. The plumbing work is all completed, and, by the time you read this, the electrical work will be completed, and the access/entry ramp will probably be installed as well. What we will then need are volunteers to clean, paint and do some renovation work on the inside of the building. Our scheduled opening day is September 1, 2010. However, it will be nice if we can open much sooner than that. Many of our members and wives are looking forward to resuming the Friday Night Socials. So am I. And, as soon as that is possible, we will do so.

We will have our "Christmas in July" sale again this year, on the weekend of July 10th and 11th. It will take place in both the Church Vestibule and in the Parish Hall. This will be your chance to order that "something special", if we don't have it in stock. Catalogs will be available.

Fraternally,
GENE SKALSKY
Grand Knight

FIELD AGENT REPORT



JULY: What Happens to Them if You Can't Care for Yourself?

Raising a family is costly. For many of us, there's not much left over for long-term goals...such as saving for our children's education or for retirement.

Ideally, caring for a sick parent wouldn't have to be part of that equation. Yet as with so many things in life, the reality is quite different. Today, many people start families in their 30s and 40s - while their parents live well into their 70s, 80s, and 90s.

If one day you require nursing care, you might have to ask your children for help just when they're ready to send their own sons or daughters off to college. This is, in fact, a common dilemma among middle-

aged people today. Experts have even coined a term - "the sandwich generation" - to describe those who are squeezed between these conflicting financial obligations.

Knights of Columbus Care
- a long-term care insurance plan - is now available to members and their spouses ages 30 through 85, subject to underwriting requirements. You have a choice of nursing-home-only coverage, or comprehensive coverage - which also covers at-home and hospice care.

In addition, you choose your daily benefit amount, benefit duration, and elimination period. This flexibility allows you to determine both your coverage and the premium you will pay. I can furnish details.

Nursing-home care can cost upwards of \$45,000 per year (Source: HCIA Inc./Arthur Andersen LLP, The Guide to the Nursing Home Industry, c. 1998.) That could easily force you to deplete assets or to rely on your family for help.

Contact me to find out how long-term care insurance can give you peace of mind.

May God bless you all,
Jeff Fischer, FICF, LUTCF
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In Memoriam



SK (PGK) Bob Viens

Our brother Bob received the honors of the 1st Degree in January 2000, and attained full Knighthood as a 4th Degree during March 2005. Along with his best friend and helpmate, his wife Pat, Bob continued a very active life in service to one, service to all, even through his ongoing medical challenges. Their continuing participation included his selection as Council Grand Knight for Fraternal Year 2006 - 2007 and was followed by continuing unparalleled service as Council Trustee. Bob was a true role model for those facing adversity and will be dearly missed

Prayer Requests

Please keep the families of our deceased Brothers; Edward Koehler, Percy Pose, and Jim Doran, also Mrs. Ruth Staples, widow of PGK Jack Staples, and Past District Warden, SK James Kennedy, in your prayers that they may rest in the loving arms of our Lord and Savior

Also, Keep Ron Yasurek, Jim Podlogar, and Marvin Brosset, raised in prayer that they recover from their medical problems

Please express your condolences to Jerry and Barbara Goebel, on the loss of their son, as well as Ron & Lindy Winn for the loss of Ron's sister.

FIELD AGENT REPORT



August: What You Should Know About Mortgage Insurance

Did you purchase a new house recently? Congratulations! On a more sobering note, this is one of the biggest purchases you'll ever make – and probably came with a sizable mortgage.

There's no question that such a large obligation should be factored into your life insurance planning. The real question is which type of policy would best meet your needs.

"Mortgage insurance" is actually a form of decreasing-term insurance. The face amount decreases as your principal balance decreases. If you die, the balance of your mortgage will be paid off.

You can also purchase individual term life

insurance with a decreasing benefit, and the K of C offers this type of policy. Your beneficiaries could choose not to pay off the mortgage balance, and instead use the death benefit for some other purpose (education, retirement savings, etc.)

Don't rule out permanent life insurance for mortgage protection. The fact is, many people move frequently during their adult years, often to more expensive housing. Owing a mortgage becomes a permanent obligation that doesn't diminish - and, in fact, may increase. A permanent policy would be a wise buy in such situation.

Buying a house is a hectic time. I can help make it a little bit less stressful by outlining your mortgage insurance options for you. Call me anytime and don't forget to ask me about our annuity rates!

May God bless you all,

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"Campaign for People with Intellectual Disabilities"

As a result of a rewarding and successful campaign conducted for the benefit of people with intellectual disabilities by Knights of Columbus Council 7027 of Milton, FL; donation checks were presented to two worthwhile local charitable organizations. Council 7027 members collected donations for three days during this fund-raiser, and the high visibility of the program has led to increased positive public perception of the Knights of Columbus in the Milton area. Checks were presented by Grand Knight, Gene Skalsky to Principal Ray Thompson and Teacher Jan Powell of Morning Star School for children with developmental disabilities in the Pensacola area, and also to Ms. Veena Ooms of ARC Santa Rosa, of Milton, FL.



COUNCIL 7027 CONTACT ROSTER

COUNCIL OFFICERS

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| Chaplain - Rev. Dennis O'Brien | 623-3600 |
| Grand Knight - Gene Skalsky..... | 995-8890 |
| Deputy Grand Knight - Dan Arndt | 626-6213 |
| Financial Secretary - Bob Haring | 981-1061 |
| Treasurer - Vic Rhodes | 994-4394 |
| Recorder - Kameron Orlik | 313-5861 |
| Lecturer - Bryan McLeod | 602-2747 |
| Chancellor - John Recke | 981-8078 |
| Advocate - Jack Barrett | 723-2093 |
| Warden - Rusty Bradberry | 981-2438 |
| Inside Guard - Bill Van Chesky | 501-6946 |
| Outside Guard - Bert Sandvoss | 623-4827 |
| One Year Trustee - Bob Veins..... | 623-9810 |
| Two Year Trustee - Bill Glover | 994-5810 |
| Three Year Trustee - Ron Winn..... | 983-1325 |

COUNCIL DIRECTORS

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| District Deputy - Ron Winn | 983-1325 |
| Programs - Dan Arndt | 626-6213 |
| Community - Larry Burkhalter | 454-9996 |
| Family - HELP NEEDED..... | OPEN |
| Membership & Publicity - HELP NEEDED | OPEN |
| KC Charities - Mike Kassinger | 623-1139 |
| Vocations - Chuck Brewer | 623-0328 |
| Youth - Rusty Bradberry | 981-2438 |
| Field Agent - Jeff Fischer | 981-8207 |
| Church - Rev. Mr. Chris Christopher | 384-1082 |
| Council - Joe Scialdone | 390-3150 |
| Pro-Life - Ernie Cyr | 981-8588 |
| C.C.M.I. - Joe Scialdone | 390-3150 |
| Newsletter - Jack Barrett | 723-2093 |
| BBQ Cook-off - Ivan Delabruere..... | 623-3433 |

Happy July B-Day!!

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|--------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| Gene Landry 1 | Shawn Coakley 15 | Brian Kapple 24 |
| Anthony Rivers 1 | Carl Heskett 17 | Larry Hehr 25 |
| Richard Barnard 4 | Daniel Gerencser 19 | Romeo C Munar 26 |
| Kenneth Pyryt 4 | John Klein 20 | Joseph Cherian 29 |
| Rev Todd Hevia 6 | Jerry Nelson 21 | Adamo Manfra 30 |
| Nonito Villaruel 6 | Brian Goley 23 | Jerry Ottley 30 |
| John Netardus 7 | Romeo Munar 23 | Wesley Smith 31 |

Happy August B-Day!!

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| David J. Murphy 4 | Nils A. Matolay 21 | .Michael Kassinger 24 |
| Nathaniel F. Klein 9 | Ralph R. Kohlenhoefer 21 | Brian P. Bucher 25 |
| Brian A. Sanborn 10 | Michael J. Buehler 22 | Michael H. Keith 27 |
| James Gentry 16 | John K. Recke 23 | John H. Wachtel 28 |
| James J. Nicoletti 16 | Stephen K. Rhodes 23 | Jeffrey T. Fischer 29 |
| Bernard E. Fox 19 | Victor L. Vangrowski Jr. 23 | Juan M. Mores 29 |
| Gary K. Worman 19 | Michael W. Thompson 24 | Ben M. Mulloy 29 |
| John K. Pfeiffer 19 | Gregory A. Jackson 24 | Richard M. James 30 |
| Edward M. Rouse 20 | | Ray Burch 31 |

August 2010

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| 1 | 2 | 3 7PM: Boy Scouts meet in Parish Room | 4 | 5 6 PM: CCMi Mtg. And Council Planning Mtg. | 6 | 7 |
| 8 | 9 | 10 7PM: Boy Scouts meet in Parish Room | 11 9:30AM: 7027 Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting | 12 7PM: Council Business Mtg. Parish Hall 1st Deg at 6PM | 13 | 14 |
| 15 | 16 | 17 7PM: Boy Scouts meet in Parish Room | 18 | 19 7PM: 4 th Degree Assembly Mtg. Parish Hall | 20 | 21 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 7PM: Boy Scouts meet in Parish Room | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 29 8AM: Corp. Communion with Wives, Bkfst at Aces | 30 | 31 7PM: Boy Scouts meet in Parish Room | | | | |

September 2010

| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
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| | | | 1 | 2 6 PM: CCMi Mtg. And Council Planning Mtg. | 3 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 | 7 7PM: Boy Scouts meet in Parish Room | 8 9:30AM: 7027 Ladies' Auxiliary Meeting | 9 7PM: Council Business Mtg. Parish Hall 1st Deg at 6PM | 10 | 11 |
| 12 Family Bkfst- Parish Hall Open to the Parish - FREE to 'New' Families Aux Bake Sale | 13 | 14 7PM: Boy Scouts meet in Parish Room | 15 | 16 7PM: 4 th Degree Assembly Mtg. Parish Hall | 17 | 18 |
| 19 | 20 | 21 7PM: Boy Scouts meet in Parish Room | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 Youth program: see schedule |
| 26 8AM: Corp. Communion with Wives, (Regalia) Bkfst at Village Inn | 27 | 28 7PM: Boy Scouts meet in Parish Room | 29 | 30 | | |

Proposed Programs, Events & Socials Calendar for 2010-2011:

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- August
- 5th - C.C.M.I. and K of C Council Planning Meeting, 7:00 p.m., **Blessed Mother**
 - 11th - K of C Ladies Auxiliary Meeting - 9:30 a.m., **St Joseph Room**
 - 12th - K of C Council Meeting – 7:00 p.m. – **Parish Hall**
(**First Degree Exemplification, 6:00 p.m., Parish Hall**)
 - 19th - K of C 4th Degree Meeting, 7:00 p.m., **Parish Hall**
 - 22nd - Fr Kevin celebrates First Mass - St Rose of Lima Feastday
 - 29th - Corporate Communion Mass w/wives; 8:00 a.m.; Breakfast at Ace's
 - 29th - Baby Shower for woman who chose life during last 40 Days For Life (St Mary's – Pensacola)
- September
- 2nd - C.C.M.I. and K of C Council Planning Meeting, 7:00 p.m., **K of C Bldg**
 - 8th - K of C Ladies Auxiliary Meeting, 9:30 a.m., **K of C Bldg**
 - 9th - K of C Council Business Meeting, 7:00 p.m., **K of C Bldg**
(**First Degree Exemplification, 6:00 p.m., K of C Bldg**)
 - 12th - K of C Family Breakfast, K of C Ladies Auxiliary Bake Sale, All Morning,
(Open to the Parish - FREE to 'New' Families) **Parish Hall**
 - 16th - K of C 4th Degree Meeting, 7:00 p.m., **K of C Bldg**
 - 24th-25th - 40 Days For Life Council 7027 24-hour Vigil at Abortion Mill
 - 25th - K of C Youth Soccer Challenge, 9:00 a.m., M H S Soccer Field
 - 26th - Corporate Communion Mass (Regalia) w/wives; 8:00 a.m.; Breakfast at Village Inn
 - 3rd, 10th, 17th, - K of C Social Hour - 5 p.m. 'till - **K of C Bldg**
- October
- 3rd - Respect Life Sunday – Missionaries of Gospel of Life Promise Ceremony (St Rose of Lima)
 - 7th - C.C.M.I. and K of C Council Planning Meeting, 7:00 p.m., **K of C Bldg**
8th, 9th & 10th - St. Rose of Lima Fall Festival, Parish Festival Grounds
 - 13th - K of C Ladies Auxiliary Meeting, 9:30 a.m., **K of C Bldg**
 - 14th - K of C Council Business Meeting, 7:00 p.m., **K of C Bldg**
(Evening Prayers in St Rose of Lima Small Chapel, 6:30 p.m.)
 - 14th - Columbus Day Commemoration Program, Time TBA
 - 16th - K of C Park Avenue Cleanup (9:00 a.m., meet in Parish Hall parking lot)
 - 16th-17th - Respect Life Weekend (Fr. Peter West - Priests For Life - (celebrates all Masses
 - 16th-17th - K of C Membership Blitz after All Masses (**Sacred Heart Cathedral**)
 - 21st - K of C 4th Degree Meeting, 7:00 p.m., **K of C Bldg**
 - 24th - Corporate Communion Mass w/wives; 8:00 a.m.; Breakfast at Ryan's
 - 24th - Ten Commandments Monument Dedication, 9:30 a.m. (between Masses)
 - 28th - Date Pending - K of C Open House & Member Benefits Night Dinner/Program,
 - 31st-NOV 7th – White Ribbons Against Pornography Week 6:00 p.m., **Parish Hall**
 - Date Pending - K of C Spelling Bee, 9:00 a.m., **Parish Hall**
1st, 15th, 22nd, 29th - K of C Social Hour - 5 p.m. 'till - **K of C Bldg**

LADIES AUXILIARY



Ladies Auxiliary Notes

Many things have been happening with our Ladies Auxiliary. In June the Council and Ladies Auxiliary helped host the Diocesan Youth Leadership Camp in our area, and from all the chatter we've heard, it was a success. On June 26th our Council held its annual Installation of Council Officer's and Dinner. The Ladies did a fantastic job in helping making it a festive occasion. Our Thanks go to Wanda Baker, Kateri Baker and many others for their hard work.

For the very first time the Ladies Auxiliary selected an 'Auxilian of the Year'. The selection was made on accomplishments, activities and good works in the categories of Auxiliary, Church, Community, Council and Family. The award was presented to Marianne Richardson at the Installation of Council Officer's Dinner.

At our meeting on July 14th, Fr. Dennis O'Brien, our Chaplain, with the assistance of the Council Grand Knight, installed the newly elected Auxiliary Officer's; President, Kateri Baker, Vice President, Marianne Richardson, Secretary, Meg Browder and Treasurer, Martha Skalsky. It was quite an impressive ceremony.

A number of events will be coming up in the next few months. One of those events will be a Bake Sale on September 12th, during the monthly Family Breakfast. For more information about the bake sale contact Joan Haring. A Yard Sale is scheduled for August 28th in our Parish Hall. The Young at Heart and the Ladies Auxiliary are jointly sponsoring this event, with all proceeds going to St. Rose of Lima Building Fund. If you have something to donate, contact Marianne Richardson at 995-7056. Please pray for no rain, and a great success. We are also beginning to get our thoughts together regarding the BBQ Cook Off Competition scheduled for March 4th, 5th and 6th, 2010, at Seville Square in Pensacola. According to our newly elected President, Kateri Baker, there is more to come, so stay tuned.

Please keep our sick brothers and sisters, Jerri Neilan, Jim Podlogar, Marvin Brossett, Bob Viens, and Ron Yasurek in your prayers.

Our Condolences go to Ron and Lindy Winn, on the loss of Ron's sister, Rina Mitchell; Jerry and Barbara Goebel, on the loss of their Son, Steven Goebel; and the Staples Family, on the loss of their beloved Ruth Staples. May they all Rest in Peace.

Our next monthly meeting is August 11th at 9:30 a.m. in the St. Joseph Room. All Knights wives are welcome to join us.

Martha Skalsky
Publicity

Members of Council 7027

If any of you who are members of the Milton Knights of Columbus Council are involved with the Oil Spill Cleanup, PLEASE let me know, so that we can comply with a request to report outreach to the Gulf Coast Oil Spill by members of our council to The Supreme Council Department Fraternal Services

Fraternally,
SK Gene Skalsky



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Standouts For July/August 2010

Family Of The Month for
July 2010

Kameron & Elizabeth Orlik

Knight Of The Month for
July 2010

John Juul

Family Of The Month for
August 2010

SK John & Orlene Marchal

Knight Of The Month for
August 2010

SK Bobby Gable