



ST. EDWARD'S COUNCIL # 707



"SERVING GOD'S PEOPLE"

Clinton & Camanche, Iowa

Grand Knights Message

Hello Fellow Knights, Good news abounds for us privileged to be Knights. With last springs's Fish Fry proceeds accounted for we, as a council, were able to present both parishes with checks of appreciation.

With most of the money turned in for the "Baby Bottle" fund drive, we, as a council, have given The Pregnancy Center in Clinton a check for over \$2300. Thank you to all who supported this.

As of this writing, this years' Corn Boil is over and it was a resounding success. Many fellow Knights and Ladies were in attendance to both assist in serving, and, to enjoy the afternoon's meal.

Next on our calendar is the "Tootsie Roll" drive for People with Intellectual Disabilities. This year it will be held the weekend of August 5th-7th. I need your help brothers to spend 2 hours at any of the six locations, on any of these three days handing out Tootsie Rolls and collecting donations. Ninety percent of the money collected is given out by us, your Council, to organizations in the community. The remaining ten percent is given to the State Council to support the Iowa Special Olympics. Please call myself at 563-357-8197 prior to July 30th. After July 29th please contact Past Grand Knight Jim Horst at 563-249-4622.

Football Frenzy is back again with a twist. Due to the uncertainty of this year's NFL season, this year's fund raiser is tied into college football instead of the professional game. Due to the College season ending 1 1/2 months before the pros do, all tickets must be turned in by September 15th. This is a state fundraiser to defer additional expense placed upon us, HIKE!

Finally, I am looking forward to my term with great anticipation of meeting as many of you as I can. My e-mail address is dan.mceleney@yahoo.com, and my electronic door is always open, so please drop me a line. Our August meetings will be Monday, the 8th and Monday, the 22nd.

See you at the next meeting,
Dan McEleney,
Grand Knight.

District Deputy Report

I want to thank everyone for making me feel welcome on my first council meeting in Clinton. I also want to thank Wiley Plummer for helping me assume the duties of district deputy. My wife, Jan, and I attended the Corn Boil on Sunday and had a fantastic meal of which I know I ate too much. I am looking forward to working with your council in the next few years.

You're Brother Knight

Ron Sebastian

Knight and Family of the Month

Knight of the Month for July is Bart Vander Bleek and the Family of the Month is Dan & Rose. McEleney Congratulations, to all...



St. Edwards Council had the installation of officers July 24, 2011. Those officers in the photo are from left to right are; District Deputy Ron Sebastian, Grand Knight Dan McEleney, Deputy Grand Knight Mike Yackshaw, Chancellor Terry Geerts, Recorder Tony Schwendinger, Financial Secretary Bart Vander Bleek, Warden Pat McClimon, Past Grand Knight and 3 Year Trustee Jim Horst, Lecturer Wayne Schoel, 1 year Trustee Benito Gonzales, Inside Guard Chris Russen, Outside Guard Chuck Fuegen. The other officers not in the photo are; Treasurer Mark Mangin, Advocate John Frey and 2 year Trustee John Seitz.



St. Edwards Council Ladies Auxiliary had their installation of officers July 24, 2011. Those officers in the photo are from left to right are; Trustee Mary Sartwell, Corresponding Secretary Sharon Schmitz, Vice President Mary Bray, Treasurer Mary Sullivan, Trustee Donna Holtkamp, President Betty Fullick, Trustee Mary Outzen and Trustee Kay Schwendinger. The officers not in the photo are Recording Secretary Maureen Geerts and Financial Secretary Molly Bronkema.

BABY BOTTLE DRIVE



Grand Knight Dan McEleney of St. Edwards Council #707 presents a check in the amount of \$2323.44 that was collected on our "Baby Bottle" drive to Executive Director of the Pregnancy Center, Merri Harridge, with Past Grand Knight Jim Horst looking on.

Council Business

Knights of Columbus Family Week is August 6-14, to Honor our Founder during this month contact your Catholic family and friends and recruit new members.

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Ladies Auxiliary

Hello Ladies, The Corn Boil was a great success. Our Bake Sale was the best one we have had so far. Thank you to all of you for the big donations of baked goods and for coming up to the hall and helping out with whatever job you did. I appreciate your help and so do the Knights. I have some good news to share with you, last night I approached Lucille Schoel to join our Auxiliary and she did. Please all of you try to make our August meeting to welcome her and make her feel at home with us. See you then. God Bless you all, Betty Fullick.

Persons with Intellectual Disabilities

Drive

On August 5 - 7, 2011 we will be having our annual Tootsie Roll Drive for Persons with Intellectual Disabilities. We will need plenty of help to make this a big success. This year we will also be passing out Tootsie Rolls before a Lumberking baseball game on July 29, 2011. When you are called, please offer to volunteer a couple hours passing out Tootsie Rolls and collecting donations. This money goes to some great causes. We have many stores to cover along with all the weekend masses.

If you are missed in the calling list and would like to help please call chairman for the drive Mike Yackshaw at 243-5217 or cell phone 212-5217 or you may call Dan McEleney at 242-0638.

Attendance Drawing

For July 11, 2011 for \$25.00 Wayne Schoel, and for \$7.50 James Flood. Sorry not Present.

Birdies for Charity

A total of 2,160 birdies were made during the 2011 John Deere Classic! That means every penny pledged is worth \$21.60

John Deere Classic will be sending statement to those who pledged, when you receive a statement please return it promptly to Birdies for Charity. Thank you for your cooperation.

Camanche Corn Boil

Sunday, August 7, 2010 from 3:00 pm - 7:30 pm the Church of the Visitation located at 1028 middle Road Camanche, IA., will be having a Corn Boil. The menu will include corn on the cob, pulled pork sandwiches, hot dogs, potato salad, beans, desert and beverage. The cost is \$7 per adult; \$3 per child ages 6 - 12 and 5 and under eats free. Carry outs available. Everyone welcome.

Knights of Columbus Benefits

Your Knights of Columbus Field Agent is professionally trained, confidential and a brother Knight. He can develop a plan that will cover your needs and keep it affordable.

For your K-C benefits contact Matthew Otting 24070 Rockdale Rd., Maquoketa, IA. 52060. Phone 563-221-1476. Email matthew.otting@kofc.org.

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