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### Dates to Remember

August 4 —Installation of Council Officers

August 25 — Installation of 4th Degree Officers
September 22—Family Picnic

## Knight News

#### A Word From the Grand Knight

he installation of officers is scheduled for August 4th starting at 6:00 pm with dinner following. Our new District Deputy, Joe Willis, and the other three councils from our district will be joining us. Signup sheet is posted in the council room. The 4th degree installation is scheduled for August 25th with the same time schedule.

I would like to thank the Holy Family Men's Club for inviting all the Knights to a very nice All Star Game Steak Dinner. The food was **excellent** and what a value for \$20. The Men's Club doesn't make any money on this event and simply does it to provide camaraderie for the Catholic men of our community. Does this sound familiar? For the good of our Catholic community? Sounds like something our Knights of Columbus Council and Assembly would do. It's a no brainer; every cook for this event was a K of C Council 1098 member as is most of Holy Family Men's Club. And from what I understand the same holds true for St. Elizabeth's Men's Club and most likely St. Mary & St. Mark Boosters. What great Parish organizations that culminates to help form our K of C Council. The finest gentlemen I know and enjoy spending time with. If you know of a member of any of these men's clubs who is a practicing Catholic 18 years or older who doesn't belong to Council 1098 please invite them to join us. They'd soon discover they would be in the company of gentlemen that help support our Catholic cause.

In discussions with Knights from other councils, some not even in our district, I was asked the question, "how active is your membership and what percentage are involved." My answer was about 17% to 20% of our membership and their ladies are very active; they said the same holds true for their councils. They indicated that they try and hold a fund raiser about every six weeks to two months. My comment was we do a little more than that — we hold two fund raisers a week which they found hard to believe and inquired for more details. My reply was that our Council, Assembly and our Ladies staff two bingos a week, that's one every  $3\frac{1}{2}$  days, one hundred fund raisers a year besides the other activities we get involved with. I further commented that in my opinion our active members make up the most active Council in the State and probably the Country. How many other K of C Councils and Assemblies can boast that they hold a fund raiser every  $3\frac{1}{2}$  days, over one hundred per year?

We are the best of the best and don't let anyone tell you otherwise! If you're a member who doesn't work bingo please consider it, we need help. Come out to the hall and get involved with the active members of the best group of Knights and Ladies in the Country.

Sincerely, John Haug Sr.

#### **KC Meeting Attendance/50-50 Winners & Losers**

June 26, 2012

Bob Kurilla won the 50/50 drawing and James Mason failed to win the attendance drawing.

July 10, 2012

No meeting.

# AUGUST 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2 5th Degree Workday	3 Wilbur/Alsop Bingo Team	Installation of Officers 6:00 pm
5 Schuler Team Bingo	6	7	8	9 5th Degree Workday	10 Petty Bingo Team	11
12 Rotter/Gray Bingo Team	Columbus Home Meeting 7:00 pm	14 KC Meeting 7:30 pm	15	16 5th Degree Workday	17 Friedel Bingo Team	18
19 Softball Bingo Team	20	21 Ladies Auxiliary 7:00 pm  4th Degree Meeting 7:30 pm	22	23 5th Degree Workday	24 Dillier Bingo Team	25 Installation 4th Degree Officers 6:00 pm
26 Cauble Bingo Team Newsletter Items Due	27	KC Social Meeting 7:30 pm	29	30 5th Degree Workday	31 Friedel Bingo Team	

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