



Knights of Columbus
VALPARAISO COUNCIL # 738
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Council Newsletter

September/October, 2015

CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

September			
15 th (Tues)	Council Business Meeting/ First Degree	7:30 PM	Tiny Tim's - Lower Level (Handicapped Accessible)
20 th (Sun)	Soccer Challenge (See below for details)	10:00 AM	Soccer Field at St. Paul's Catholic School
October:			
6 th (Tues)	Social Meeting – CSI (Speaker and Fun Mystery Contest)	7:30 PM	Tiny Tim's - Lower Level (Handicapped Accessible)
20 th (Tues)	Council Business Meeting	7:30 PM	Tiny Tim's - Lower Level

COUNCIL MEETINGS: 1st and 3rd TUESDAYS of each month @ 7:30PM, Tiny Tim Center Lower Level

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- **Officer Elections** – The following officers were elected or appointed:

2015–2016 Officers – Valparaiso Council 738:			
Grand Knight	Paul W. Tougaw	Financial Secretary	Joe Boyce
Deputy Grand Knight	Hubert E. Hoffman	Treasurer	Walter Martin
Recording Secretary	Robert H. Groff	Chancellor	Mark T. Phillips
Warden	Marvin L. McGinley	Advocate	David J. Brandewie
Inside Guard	Harry Kilander	Trustee 1 Year	Ed Kolar Jr.
Outside Guard	Leonard J. Jozwiak	Trustee 2 Years	Ralph Neff
Lecturer	James N. Hunt	Trustee 3 Years	Chris Connell
Chaplain	Rev. Joseph Pawlowski	District 6 Deputy	John Wolsiefer

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **Soccer Challenge** – The Knights of Columbus Soccer Challenge starts at 10:00 AM (Registration at 9:30 AM) on **Sunday, September 20, 2015** at St. Paul Catholic School Soccer Field, 1855 W. Harrison Blvd, Valparaiso, IN 46385. All boys and girls 9-14 (as of Sept. 1, 2015) in the Valparaiso and surrounding communities are invited to participate in the local competition. Winners will advance to the K of C Indiana District 6 on September 27, 2015. Please bring a **copy** of child's Birth Certificate. Please contact Ray Tarnow (219) 477-8489 or Tom Mack (219) 805-2303 for further information.
- **Improved Communication** - We are trying to improve communication with all of our members. In order to save money, e-mails will be sent out bimonthly to those members with known e-mail accounts. Letters will be sent to those without e-mail addresses. If you know of someone not receiving our newsletters, please send the e-mail address or home address to ptougaw@frontier.com to have them placed on the list.
- **COUNCIL CONTACT** – For news or information about council events contact **Paul W. Tougaw, Grand Knight**, (219)476-0116, e-mail: ptougaw@frontier.com

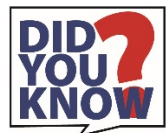
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Report on Picnic



A good time was had at the Council Picnic held on August 2, 2015. Tootsie Roll Drive checks were awarded to Share Foundation, Chasing Dreams, and St. Agnes Center for \$1,667.00. Many thanks to Marvin and Nora McGinley, Ron Biggs, Walter Martin, Ed Kolar and all who attended for their help in making this event a success.

Good Time at Ridiculous Trivia Contest



Twenty two Knights and their spouses attended our September Social Meeting. Four teams participated in three trivia contests. We had a great time and surprised ourselves with many great answers. Team four (Bob Matthys, Ron Biggs, Theresa Biggs, and Mike Simpson) won first place, received certificates, and fabulous prizes for their efforts.

Join Us for Our Next Social Meeting- Crime Scene Investigation



On October 6, 2015, we will have a speaker to talk about Crime Scene Investigation followed by a Mystery Contest named "Who Stole Paul's Marbles?" Teams of attendees will actually participate in a crime scene investigation including, statements, finger prints, riddles, and various clues to determine the thief. Food will be served and prizes will be awarded. Please try to attend, bring your spouse, and bring a guest who might be interested in becoming a Knight of Columbus.

Meeting Schedule Changes and Activities

Starting September 1, 2015, we have changed our meeting schedule from a Business Meeting on the first Tuesday and a Social Meeting on the third Tuesday each month to a **Social Meeting on the first Tuesday and a Business Meeting on the Third Tuesday of each month.** This appears to allow more members and spouses to attend our Social Meetings. **We will have our First Degree Initiation Ceremonies on the odd months starting in September on the third Tuesday of the month before (7:30 PM) our regular Business Meetings.**

There is a possible Need for Regular and Substitute Members of the First Degree Initiation Team

Our present First Degree Initiation Team has done a splendid job of representing our Council by presenting a very professional and moving ceremony for several years. In due time, some of these members will ask to be replaced for various reasons. Council #738 will be need of some members to replace those retiring from this prestigious group. The commitment includes being available for our Business Meetings on the odd numbered months. If you are interested in this calling, please contact Paul Tougaw at ptougaw@frontier.com or call (219) 476 0116.

PRAYERS - Please remember our ill and departed Brother Knights and their families in your prayers.

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Adopted Scheduled Meeting Nights for 2015-16

Tuesday	Sept. 15, 2015	7:30 PM	Business Meeting/First Degree
Sunday	Sept. 20, 2015	10:00 AM	Knights of Columbus Soccer Challenge
Tuesday	Oct. 6, 2015	7:30 PM	Social Meeting – Crime Scene Investigation (Speaker and Mystery Contest)
Tuesday	Oct. 20, 2015	7:30 PM	Business Meeting
Tuesday	Nov. 3, 2015	7:30 PM	Social Meeting – “Bingo+”/Speaker
Tuesday	Nov. 17, 2015	7:30 PM	Business Meeting/First Degree
Tuesday	Dec. 1, 2015	6:30 PM	Merry Christmas Party – Meal, Music and “Rotten Santa” Gift Exchange
Tuesday	Dec. 15, 2015	7:30 PM	Business Meeting
Tuesday	Jan. 5, 2016	7:30 PM	Business/Social Meeting/First Degree
Tuesday	Feb. 2, 2016	7:30 PM	Social Meeting – To be determined
Sunday	Feb. 7, 2016	TBD	Tentative date of Pancake Dinner
Tuesday	Feb. 16, 2016	7:30 PM	Business Meeting
Tuesday	March 1, 2016	7:30 PM	Social Meeting – To be determined
Tuesday	March 15, 2016	7:30 PM	Business Meeting/First Degree
Tuesday	April 5, 2016	7:30 PM	Social Meeting – To be determined
Tuesday	April 19, 2016	7:30 PM	Business Meeting
Tuesday	May 3, 2016	7:30 PM	Social Meeting – Ladies Choice
Tuesday	May 17, 2016	7:30 PM	Business Meeting/First Degree
Tuesday	June 7, 2016	7:30 PM	Social Meeting – To be determined
Tuesday	June 21, 2016	7:30 PM	Business Meeting