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State Deputy



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State Deputy's Message

Brothers,

The membership goals for our jurisdiction for 2016-2017 are as follows:

- Intake 2400 members
- net intake 1560 members
- net/net 100 members
- 55 star councils
- 6 New Councils
- 5 councils reactivated
- 60 Roundtables.

Our state incentive programs were announced in the July 2016 Crusader newsletter. A reminder will be sent throughout the year. As a result of net membership intake for 2015-2016, over \$15,000.00 is being awarded to councils and District Deputies for their efforts in recruitment. 208 councils will receive a credit on their state per capita bill mailed out in July for having a net/net positive membership growth for the year.

In addition 9 District Deputies will receive a \$100.00 gift card for having 100% or higher in membership growth in their District.

The DD winners are:

- DD 4 - Paul Pinkman.
- DD 17 - James Hans,
- DD 25 - Paul Donini,
- DD 29 - James Mlodgenski,
- DD 30 - Al Del Tufo,
- DD 33 - Eduardo Fuentesilla,
- DD 34 - Ed Michalak,
- DD 43 - Dave Coppola,
- DD 55 - Joseph DeNardo.

At a raffle held at our Grand Knights meeting in June, three winners were chosen for sponsoring new members into our order. The winners were Patrick Harrington FDD Council 5730, Andrew Letizia Council 6320 and Robert Bolletino GK Council 3969. Each man received a \$1000 gift card. Congratulations to all Councils, Sponsors and District Deputies.

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State Deputy Message continued

The State of New Jersey was also recognized by our Supreme Council as being in the top 10 jurisdictions for the highest contributions for this past year.

The 2015-2016 year ended with our state continuing to expand both in programs and in membership. The DD's and GKs had the opportunity at our Grand Knights meeting in June to hear about our new programs for 2016-2017. We encourage all councils to use the DVD that was distributed and to reference it often during the fraternal year. The Program and Membership staff is ready to continue to assist where needed.

On July 9, I Installed our State Officers for the 2016-2017 fraternal year. It was my honor and privilege to welcome back and Install Bishop Paul Bootkoski, Bishop Emeritus of Metuchen, as our State Chaplain. Bishop Paul replaces Bishop Charles McDonnell, who, due to health reasons, can no longer participate. Msgr. Michael Mannion will continue as our Associate State Chaplain.

Congratulations to all. I look forward to another very successful year.

Together we will continue the good works of our order and to "Protect God's Kingdom". Have a great year.

[Bruce De Molli KSG](#)
NJ State Deputy



Program Corner

Brothers,

I hope you are all having a great summer with your family and friends. These warm times can make us easily forget the winter we had and possibly let down our guard in planning the good works we do. Let's keep our focus and start to plan out the activities we hope to accomplish this Columbian year within our Council's. We need to stop for a moment and look forward. We need to have our service program plans in place to have a successful Columbian year.

How are we going to get there? Supreme has given a great tool in the Fraternal Leadership Success Planner and State Council has produced the Grand Knights' Handbook. During the Grand Knights meeting in late June, we gave an overview of the planner as well as the GK Manual and asked you to make good use of them. We can use these resources to our advantage.

To help increase the level of good that each of our councils do, Supreme offers a series of "Featured Programs." All of these programs have several things in common.

- They help others in need;
- They satisfy the Councils requirements in a single program area (e.g. Council, Community, etc...);
- They do not just engage members of the Council; they incorporate our parish and community;
- They help us reach others beyond the doors of our Council. This in turn, encourages other likeminded Catholic men to join;
- They attract the attention of local media – that community interest article all of the local news editors are looking for.

If you think the "Featured Programs" are too difficult for a single council to achieve, talk to your District Deputy about making one or several of the programs a District endeavor. Supreme gives all of the Councils involved credit for their participation.

Our August considerations should be:

- Submit form 185 – Report of Officers chosen for Term – due 7/1/16;
- Submit form 365 – Service Program Personnel Report for the Term – due 8/1/16;
- An organizational meeting with your council program chairmen;
- a "District Featured Program" e.g. Coats for Kids;
- Venerable Fr McGivney's Birthday, 8/12;
- the Soccer Challenge kit, should be ordered by 8/20;

As you can see from the programs and actives planned, August is a busy month, like any other month that can bring great memories with a plan to achieve your goals.

Let us, together, do our best to develop a calendar of programs with the tools supplied by our State Council and Supreme. Remember, to have fun in doing and promoting God's work while bringing other like minded Catholic men into our Order. Vivat Jesus!

Vivat Jesus!

[Keep the Faith,](#)

[Jim Sweeney FDD](#)



SOCCER CHALLENGE

VITO PULITO, CHAIRMAN

LET'S KICK FOR FUN!!



Our SOCCER CHALLENGE will be here before you know it. At the New Jersey State Grand Knights meeting on June 25th at the Hilton Hotel I had the great pleasure to meet many of you as you came by my table to pick up the Soccer Challenge information. I gave out over 100 packages, what an outstanding sign of enthusiasm for the program. Hope you followed through and ordered your kit (SC-KIT) for starters. Let me introduce our Soccer Challenge team leaders, below. I also would like to give a special THANK YOU to Robert Rogan, who has decided to step down this year after many years of service to our soccer program. Also welcome Steve Cortese as he will lead the Newark region - THANK YOU Worthy Brothers for taking the lead!! Please reach out to anyone of us with any questions:

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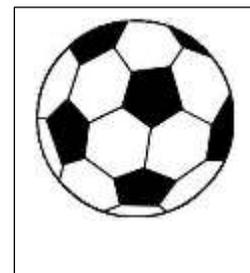
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We have an aggressive program timeline and it is very critical that we hit these target dates.

Council –	Target no later than end of September
District –	Target no later than mid –October- TBD by District Deputy
Regional –	Target no later than end of October – TBD by Regional Chairman
State Final -	Target early to mid November – TBD by State Chairman

The key to a successful program is to COORDINATE & COMMUNICATE. Our team is fully engaged with the program and timelines. A must do as a Council leader is to contact your District Deputy with your soccer challenge details and also contact your regional chairman listed above with the same. This will ensure transparency of the activities. The chairmen will report this information in their monthly reports so we are all connected. This clearly ensures that we are all on the same page and have a smooth Soccer Challenge. Last year we set a new high as every age group had a winner. This year our goal is to have each region and age represented in the Finals. The team and I truly look forward to having an OUTSTANDING 2016 SOCCER CHALLENGE and most important let's make sure that our little soccer stars have FUN!!

Vivat Jesus, Vito A. Pulito, [State Soccer Chairman](#)



General Agents Corner

It's Not just for final expenses anymore.....

"I just want enough to bury me".....or "buy the Fr. McGivney plan and give the Order the honor of burying you".

Those two statements are two of the most common that I have heard in my time as a field agent and general agent. They give the impression that all Knights of Columbus insurance is good for, is to pay for a member's funeral. Whole life insurance from the Knights of Columbus for generations has been used to cover the final expenses of our members and their spouses. To insure that the next generation doesn't get stuck footing the bill for the funeral.

That's good, great even, because it helps fulfill Father McGivney's dream that no Catholic family be financially devastated by the death of a loved one. It would be better if the amount paid for more than the final expenses though, (even back when the Order was founded as a fraternal benefit society, the death benefit was a lot more than the cost of a funeral).

Life insurance, and specifically Knights of Columbus Whole Life insurance can mean so much more to you and your family. Forbes and CNBC have called whole life insurance from a participating company, (a company that pays dividends), an asset class that "every family needs". Life insurance changes lives and saves lives. It gives a family the means to go on even when the worst tragedy occurs. Life insurance provides college educations, pays off mortgages, pays bills, replaces lost income, and it gives hope.

That said, whole life insurance from the Order can do so much more for you and your family, now and in the future. Here is a list of potential uses for our flagship product:

- Final Expenses
- Pay off a mortgage taken out later in life
- Leave a legacy to kids, grandkids or a charity of your choice
- Social Security planning, (making sure the surviving spouse is ok when one SS benefit goes away after the first spouse passes).
- Transfer of wealth/transfer of savings outside of probate, without income tax and possibly outside of the NJ inheritance tax and if properly executed in a trust, outside of NJ State Estate taxes, (federal too).
- Chronic illness Rider can help pay for nursing home costs
- Inside buildup of cash values can be source of income*, or low cost loan in times of need*
- Repay any other debts incurred by you or a member of your family
- Not all whole life needs to be paid until you die, we offer four limited pay options that cut your years of payment from to age 100, to age 65, or 20 years, or 10 years, or even just one single payment.

We sell term insurance to members and their spouses up to age 70 and we sell whole life insurance and our outstanding Second to Die product to members and their spouses up to age 79. We even feature a no medical check policy that guarantees acceptance***.

There are a dozen other uses, for this most versatile product. Ask your field agent or general agent to help you figure out if Whole Life or one of our other top rated insurance products makes sense for you and your family.

*- cash taken out of a policy that exceeds the total of the premiums paid is considered interest income and is subject to state and federal income taxes.

** - loans need to be repaid, with interest, or the effect on the policy can have adverse tax consequences.

***-Graded death benefit, returns premium during the first two years of the policy in force and full death benefit after month 24.

[Charlie Miraglia](#), General Agent, Northern New Jersey

MEMBERSHIP CORNER

Brothers, I hope you are all having a great summer and sitting at your desk with your FRATERNAL LEADER SUCCESS PLANNER as I am. Now is the opportunity for you to develop your strategy for making STAR COUNCIL. The necessary requirements are as follows:

1. Submit your SERVICE PROGRAM PERSONNEL REPORT-form #365 due August 1st
2. ANNUAL SURVEY OF FRATERNAL ACTIVITY-form #1728-due January 31st
3. MCGIVNEY AWARD-meet membership quota
4. FOUNDERS AWARD-meet insurance quota
5. COLUMBIAN AWARD-form #SP7-June 30th
6. COUNCIL IN GOOD STANDING

If you are going to meet your membership quota I hope you have enlisted one of the best men in your Council to be your Membership Director and assist him in building a membership team. Meet with your Pastor, set up recruitment drives (BLITZ) and discuss with Father how you can build the Domestic Church. Have your Retention Committee start today to call members you have not seen in a while greeting them with "How's everything, we haven't heard from you in a while, is everything okay?" If your Council has ROUND TABLES now is the time to see if there is anything they need.

Meet with your Insurance Agent. You must build a strong partnership between your Council and the agent. Always report on Knights of Columbus Insurance at every meeting whether he is there or not.

The State and Supreme have set up incentive programs for the upcoming year. Supreme has 2016 Membership Olympics for Councils, Recruiters, District Deputies and Field Agents. All of these I will send to you. The new State Incentive Program is as follows:

1. For each member that a council recruits between July 1, 2016 and June 30, 2017 less suspensions, that Council will be paid \$10.00 per new/reactivated member from the State Council (net total). The amount will be issued as a credit towards their state per capita bill mailed in September.
2. For each new member or reactivated member, the sponsor will be entered into a state drawing at the end of year Grand Knight meeting. Copy of the form 100 to be sent to the State Membership Director. (Prizes to be determined)
3. For Councils that achieve the highest membership intake by diocese and by membership size will be invited to the end of the year Founder's Day Dinner. (More information and the criteria to come)

As always THINK OUTSIDE THE BOX. Take your time in planning your upcoming year, get your programs in line and always remember that your State Membership team is always available. Team is with you every step of the way. Don't hesitate to call, your Diocesan Chairman or I am always available

Your friend in Christ

[Mike Vaclavicek, FDD](#)

State Membership Director

"Protecting God's Kingdom"

PATRIOTIC CORNER

My Brother Knights,

In spite of the heat, by now we are all into our summer schedules of down time and grilling burgers and wieners with maybe an occasional dip in the pool. But, don't get too relaxed and forget that our work as Knights shouldn't be placed too far back on the burners. These periods of time for relaxation and socializing with family and neighbors can be turned into productive opportunities for membership contacts. There has to be someone you can recruit for the Fourth Degree and Color Corps at the Parish, ball game or BBQ. Give it a try, you could get lucky. The new contact may never have another opportunity to hear your presentation or maybe no one has yet taken the time to invite him. Let you be the Knight to break the ice and get him motivated to make the move. Remember, if at first you don't succeed, try, try again. Persistence really does pay off.

My tenure as Master for the Second NJ District comes to an end on August 31st. In that time, our district has welcomed over 1300 new Brother Knights into the Fourth Degree. This is not the result of just one person's efforts. My thanks to all those who have participated in the accomplishments of the district during my five year tenure in making plans and the implementation of the many tasks needed to reach that membership number and our other goals.

Special thanks to the Assemblies, Councils and individuals who so generously participated in raising over \$14,000.00 for the Military Chaplain Scholarship Fund, more than our assigned goal and in a shorter time period than expected.

To those who have so selflessly and generously given of their time and talents to bring my tenure to a successful conclusion, please accept my sincerest THANK YOU, all of you, for a job well done.

God Bless and keep you well.

Viva Jesus!

[Chet Kulak,](#)

Master, 2nd NJ District



*****Editor's note: Worthy Master, from those of us that had the privilege to serve the Order during your term as Master, we thank you for your time and talents in leading the District. You truly lived up the title of Worthy Faithful Master.

Culture of Life Corner

Brothers:

It is already August, and I hope that your council has been staying active instead of slowing down for the summer. There is a lot to do starting this Fall, and if you want to be successful, you need to start planning now! Also, if you have not already done so, please be sure to appoint a Respect Life Chairman and a Religious and Civil Rights Chairman for your council. Once you have, be sure to let us know, so that we can get e-mails and other information to them. This can be done easily by online form for [Respect Life](#) and [R&C](#). We need you to do this, even if it is the same person as last year!

Spiritual Adoption. This is a new program this year and if you intend to participate, you need to start planning now. Talk to your pastor about having a “pledge drive weekend” at your parish to get the participants. Then get the baby shower on calendar for nine months later, so that is ready to go. Launching this program can be a great way to celebrate Pro-Life Month. Everything you need to run this program can be found on the State Council web site at this [LINK](#).

Pro-Life Month. Speaking of Pro-Life Month, you should be starting your planning now. There are lots of things that you can be doing, so it will take you some time to implement them. In addition to a Diaper Drive, which I hope your council is already running, why not order some “Adoption As An Option” car magnets and sell them after Masses? You could do this in conjunction with a Rose Sale! The information you need to order the magnets is at this [LINK](#).

The 20/20 Project. The war against abortion is going to succeed not all at once, but by winning a series of individual battles and achieving particular goals. This is what lies at the heart of the 20/20 Project, which the State Council has pledged to support. Order some magnets for your cars or schedule a Pro-Life Mass. More information is available in the Grand Knight’s Handbook on page 10-42 and 43.

Also, October 21 is Turn Off the TV Day, so you will need time to promote this in your parish with flyers and announcements in the parish bulletin. A pulpit announcement would be good too. Again, get the Catholic community involved. All the resources you need are on [the State Council web site](#).

There are many other things you can do too! Hold a vigil at a local abortion mill; order and hand out Truth Booth Cards; have a Baby Bottle Drive to raise money for the Share in Life or Save a Life programs! No matter what, make this October special with lots of pro-life activities!

Vivat Jesus!

[Steven J. Richardson, FM](#)

Culture of Life Programs Director



*Celebrating
Anniversaries
this Month*



SCHEDULED DEGREES

[LINK](#) individual councils below for details.

<u>DEGREE:</u>	<u>LINK</u>	<u>LOCATION & DATE:</u>
<u>CAMDEN:</u>		
1 st – Aug 1 st	Council 3451	Mays Landing
<u>METUCHEN:</u>		
1 st – Aug 22 nd	Council 13264	Raritan
2 nd – Aug 22 nd	Council 13264	Raritan
<u>NEWARK:</u>		
1 st – Aug 28 th	Council 3550	Ridgefield
2 nd – Sept 14	Council 5498	Midland Park
1 st – Sept 25	Council 3550	Ridgefield
<u>PATERSON:</u>		
1 st – Aug 18 th	Council 6904	Whippany
1 st – Aug 19 th	Council 359	Morristown
<u>TRENTON:</u>		
2 nd – Aug 1	Council 5714	Maple Shade
1 st – Aug 18 th	Council 8603	Bayville
1 st – Aug 23 rd	Council 14615	Little Egg Harbor
2 nd – Sept 6	Council 6284	Hightstown
3 rd – Sept 16	Council 6530	Marlton
1 st – Sept 21	Council 3402	Keport
2 nd – Sept 21	Council 3402	Keyport
3 rd – Sept 30	Council 636	Princeton

[All Website Schedules](#)



<u>COUNCIL- Town</u>	<u>CHARTERED</u>	<u>YRS</u>
253 – Elizabeth	8/1/1897	119
11409 – Warren	8/1/1994	22
11415 – Hillsborough	8/1/1994	22
5015 – River Edge	8/2/1960	56
2393 – Bernardsville	8/8/1922	94
6504 – East Hanover	8/20/1973	43
12769 – Secaucus	8/23/2000	16
7648 – Jersey City	8/28/1980	36
5337 – Willingboro	8/29/1962	54

Our State Deputy Bruce De Molli, the State Officers, the Past State Deputies and the Crusader Staff would like to take this opportunity to wish **ALL** councils best wishes on their **Charter Anniversary**.

Happy Anniversary

May your council continue to grow and do good deeds for many more years to come! Let's continue to grow our Order, expand our programs and, carry on "**Protecting God's Kingdom!**"

[NOTE: Due to the large number of anniversaries in certain months, we may have to limit the publishing list to the names of councils celebrating their 25th, 50th, 75th and 100th Anniversary in some months. When there is adequate space for more, we will include all Councils]

From our Webmaster

OK, admit it. The District Deputy Orientation Meeting and the Grand Knights' June Meeting were a blur! There was a whole lot to take in, speaker after speaker came to the podium; some talked really fast – you didn't realize shorthand proficiency was a job requirement as a DD or GK; then someone walked in front of you and you didn't catch what was on the screen; then you just had to get up to get another cup of coffee right when a new speaker was being introduced – “what did they say his name was?”; and of course, after too many coffees you just had to...well we all know what you just HAD to do! And there was no audio piped in either.

Fear not! All is not lost. When you signed in at the meeting, right after Mass, you were given a small packet of information – chief among them was a CD which contains the Grand Knight Handbook or manual. Everything that was discussed at the meeting in East Brunswick is there on that CD. Didn't make the meeting? Your District Deputy was given a CD for each of the Councils who did not show up for the meeting. Still can't get your own copy? Naturally we have a plan “C”. Log-in to the state website at njkofo.org, click on Members > Manuals & Directories > 2016-2017 Grand Knight Handbook (with working hyperlinks).

One of the best ways you can serve as your Council's Chief Executive Officer – and this goes for District Deputies as well – is to sit down, open up the Grand Knight (and District Deputy) Handbooks and read. The handbooks used to be a 350+ page, three ring binders, now you just need to click and scroll. Make yourself comfortable, get a fresh cup of coffee, and read. “They” tell you that if a question comes up at a meeting, or in a phone call, to never give the wrong answer. Always say, “I'll get back to you.” But if you HAVE read your handbook(s), and reasonably committed them to memory, you stand a good chance of having the answer right then, not having to put off a discussion until your next meeting.

If you have not already done so, you need to register for a password on the state website at njkofo.org – upper right corner. If you have been registered, but were newly elected or appointed as a Grand Knight, Financial Secretary or a state program chairman – you need to re-register so your security access level is increased.

On the state website, under Members, is a primer on finding your way around the state website.

OK, since you brought it up...a word about posting Degrees: PLEASE, if you are hosting Degrees, get the word out. There are Councils all over the state that do not have the wherewithal to host their own Degree, for whatever reason, and they are flat out desperate to bring candidates into the Order. Let me rephrase that. They are desperate to bring candidates into OUR Order.

Yes this is about membership goals, and with good reason. This is also about the viability of our Order! Living down the shore most of my life let me use an analogy. Candidates are like a fish on the dock. You've sat out in the hot sun for hours, and you have finally “reeled” in a candidate; you gently take the hook out of his mouth; and you either bring him home or he is going to flop back into that vast sea. Ok, forget the part about bringing your fish home for dinner...you get the idea. You have to help your fellow Council's strike while the iron is hot.

We have a new way of posting Degrees so as to conform with requirements from Supreme and our Worthy State Deputy, Bruce DeMolli. Grand Knights or Financial Secretaries are to report Admission Degrees, and District Deputies are to report Formation Degrees (formerly called the 1st and 2nd Degrees) by logging In to the state website; selecting Degrees > “Degree Reporting Form (For GK, FS, DD use ONLY)”. This form will be transmitted to your Diocesan Aide to the State Deputy, who will verify the information and complete the “Aide's (ONLY) Degree Reporting Form”.

If you are NOT an Aide, please do not use the Aide's form – it will not get processed properly!

Remember, I have walked in ALL of your shoes. There are no dumb questions, only dumb answers. I answer my phone 24/7 – 732/ 504-7496, and check my e-mail frequently. When in doubt ask! Good luck, and go get 'em!

* **PRIVACY NOTICE:** By submitting your original registration, or accepting an officer or staff position, you agreed to receive official New Jersey State Council Knights of Columbus e-mails from webmaster@njkofo.org. Should you decide, at any time, not to receive official New Jersey State Council correspondence and notifications please send an e-mail to optout@njkofo.org and enter Unsubscribe in the subject line. Please allow 72 hours for us to process your request.

PLEASE: Remember to notify us if you change phone numbers, addresses, or e-mail addresses as we also update the State Directory and the mail server.

Vivat Jesus!!! [Bernie Ernst, FDD](#), New Jersey State Webmaster

From the Editor's Desk

Brothers,

To the new and returning Grand Knights, thank you for your service to the Order. To the "Retiring" Grand Knights (I prefer the term New Past Grand Knights, lol) congratulations on your term as Grand Knight, now sit back and relax for a short time. Don't sit too long though, your Council needs your guidance and help, your job is never done. I hope you all continue to read the Crusader, so you get our message and see where the Degrees are so you can bring in new members and advance some of the members still needing their 2nd or 3rd Degrees. If your area is anything like mine, there are a multitude of First Degrees, very few Second Degrees, and some Third Degrees. to host Degrees in your Council, and be sure to invite the members of your Council to come and witness the new Degrees. Encourage their involvement, both as active members of Degree Teams and as an audience when you host Degrees. Also, remember to have some of your members, especially the Officers, attend Degrees when you take your members to other Councils for their advancement. It will encourage them to take the next step, whether it be advancing to the Third Degree or becoming an officer or chairman.

For the incoming Grand Knights, don't forget to use the knowledge of your Past Grand Knights, they love to start a sentence with the words "When I was Grand Knight...". IF you haven't already done so, go to the State Council website and request your password, you will find the website to be a big help to you with forms and information. The State Directory is on there, as is the Grand Knight's Manual, but you need a password to access the parts of the site that will help you most. To request a password, use this [LINK](#). Your password will be sent shortly after we receive and process the form. Please fill out the entire form, do not leave any space empty. Too many times, shortcuts are taken, and members are given lower access they need because they left areas of the form blank. I failed telepathy in High School, along with a few other courses, lol

For the incoming District Deputies, the same holds true. I am sure some of you already have heard the words "this is how I did it when I was DD", lol. Don't worry, you'll use those words yourself someday. You should have already received your password to the NJ State website. If you haven't, get in touch with me.

For DD's and GK's, this process is different than the password for the Supreme Council website. Supreme will contact you and invite you to join their website, if they have not already done so.

Feel free to contact Bernie Ernst or myself for any help you need, we will assist you in any way we can. We are here to help you fulfill the duties of your office in whatever way we can.

John A Gazis, FDD
Crusader Editor

Upcoming Events:

* PLEASE NOTE - **ALL MONTHLY REPORTS ARE DUE AT THE STATE COUNCIL OFFICE ON THE 15TH OF EACH MONTH.**

Be sure to make a note of the activities that are scheduled for the next several months. Click the specific activity [\[hyperlink\]](#) to obtain more information, details and forms. Log-in required.

2016

- August, 2, 3, 4 - Supreme Convention, Philadelphia
- August 12 - Birthday of Fr Michael J McGivney
- August 14 - Passing of Fr Michael J McGivney
- August 15 - Reports Due
- September 7 - Labor Day - FLY YOUR FLAG
- September 15 - Reports due-
- October 10 - Columbus Day – Fly your Flag
- October 15 - Reports Due
- Oct 21, 22, 23 - State Retreat
- October 31 - Halloween

Quarterly Calendar



AUGUST 2016						
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From the Crusader Staff

As the summer winds down, let's spend as much time as possible celebrating our families, your physical family, your Church and Knights families. Take your family for an outing to the beach, the mountains or just spend the day together in the backyard, enjoying each other's company and all God has given you.

Remember those we have lost, they are not gone, we will see them again across the great divide

Please forward this Newsletter to all your council members.

WHEREVER YOU SEE PRINT ["LINK"] THE COLOR OF THIS BOX – OR – YOU CAN HYPERLINK DIRECTLY TO THE WEBSITE

CHECK for "Summary of Forms & Deadlines"

