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GOOD SHEPHERD KNIGHTLY NEWS

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NEXT MEETING ON THURSDAY MAY 5TH AT 7:00PM

The Good Shepherd Knights (like a Men's Club, but on steroids) will be gathering again to have fun, plan parish service events and brainstorm other activities to help serve others. Officers meeting at 5:00, new member meeting at 5:30 and delicious fried chicken dinner at 6:00. Rosary led by Donnie Folz at 6:40, then meeting at 7:00. We had 41 guys for February and 35 for March. April's meeting had 34 dudes, so we are glad to see all you guys showing up. So come get some award-winning chicken, and bring a Catholic buddy if know someone that would have fun hanging out. Woos

Baseball Hats
Still available
for \$10

Hat given
away after our
Half Pot at
meeting

Cardinals
vs.
Giants
Late game at
Ron's Mancave
8:45

Special Needs Fishing Tournament

On Saturday May 21st, beginning at 7:30 at "Lake Last Cast" in Boonville, the Boonville Knights will host a wonderful event for special needs individuals. It is a great morning event and people come from around the Tri-State to fish. It is a free event for all and all the food is provided by the Knights. There are easy jobs for everybody. Last year we helped unload gear, set up chairs, registered people, passed out containers of worms and measured caught fish. You don't hafta be a fisherman either to have fun. Our God has put these special people on earth for us to take care of and they absolutely love reeling in a big catch. So mark your calendars and let's have a good Good Shepherd show of support in Boonville that day. We are the KNIGHTS!

Men's Kickball - May 14th

Mark your calendars, get your team ready, or be ready to volunteer for this wonderful parish event. We usually need help lining the fields, umping, and especially help with grilling and wrapping (not rapping). This has the makings of being a highly attended event. Contact Sammy Winn if you'd like to help out, we'd love to have lots of Knights show up! It is also the drawing of the big HALF POT prize, so there should be lots of folks there!!

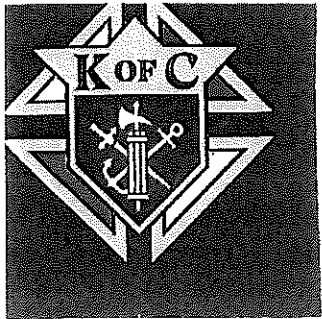
Half Pot Sales Are Blowing Up At Good Shepherd

Eric Henderson and his crew of salesman are lining and signing people up for this massive giveaway on May 14th! At this printing, the jackpot is nearing \$7,000, and we still have more than 2 weeks left of selling.

Tickets are available after Masses or at the meeting on May 5th.

ARISE!
MAY
15th
7:00

Get your free
Knights
collector pen
at Meeting!!



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Knights of Columbus State Convention April 29-31

The State Convention will be held in Fort Wayne this year and John Smith and yours truly shall road trip up there and represent our Council. John and I shall be civil, courteous and dressed up all dapper-like. Highlight report at meeting !!!

Memorial Day Poppy Program

There is opportunity for us to jump in and help distribute Poppy flowers after Masses on the weekend of May 21-22nd. The weekend BEFORE Memorial Day weekend. These flowers would also have a card attached to them that would have the information I've posted below. We would be able to take donations, that we would forward to a veteran charity of our choice. We would need volunteers to help after Masses. We love our Veterans and this is a way to thank them for their service to our country. More info at our May 5th meeting.

On May 28, wear a red poppy to honor the fallen and support the living who have worn our nation's uniform.

The Poppy Story After World War I, the poppy flourished in Europe. Scientists attributed the growth to soils in France and Belgium becoming enriched with lime from the rubble left by the war. From the dirt and mud grew a beautiful red poppy. The red poppy came to symbolize the blood shed during battle following the publication of the wartime poem "In Flanders Fields." The poem was written by Lieutenant Colonel John McCrae, M.D. while serving on the front lines. On September 27, 1920, the poppy became the official flower of The American Legion family to memorialize the soldiers who fought and died during the war. In 1924, the distribution of poppies became a national program of The American Legion. Led by the American Legion Auxilliary, each year members of The American Legion Family distribute poppies with a request that the person receiving the flower make a donation to support the future of veterans, active-duty military personnel and their families with medical and financial needs. Poppy Day is celebrated in countries around the world. The American Legion brought National Poppy Day* to the United States by asking Congress to designate the Friday before Memorial Day, as National Poppy Day.

In Flanders Fields

By Lieutenant Colonel John McCrae

In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row,
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard amid the guns below.

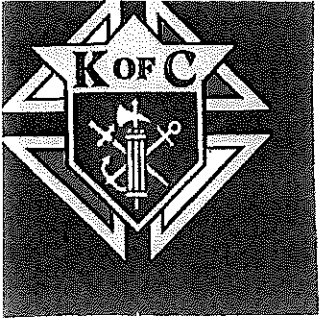
We are the dead; short days ago,
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved; and now we lie
In Flanders fields!

Take up our quarrel with the foe
To you, from failing hands, we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high
If ye break faith with us who die,
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow
In Flanders fields.



"A single tear shed at the remembrance of the Passion of Jesus is worth more than a pilgrimage to Jerusalem or a year of fasting on bread and water."

- St. Augustine



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New Knights rap hitting charts

Now this is a rap, but if you don't like rap, let's call it a poem. So, study it and learn it and it can become a good sales commercial for new members.

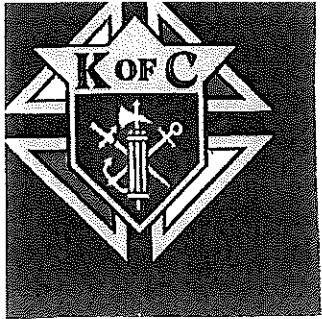
Here's a rap about a crew, we gotta discuss
Known as da Knights of - Col-um -bus
A Catholic band of brothers dat have big fun
With over 3 million strong, weez getting it done
Started by Father McGivney in 18 -82
Here's some of da things, that we do
We jump in political fights, defend unborn rights
When da Church needs help, they call the Knights
We support our clergy, no club does more
Coating kids, building homes & meals to da poor
Special Olympics and Baby Boxes for mothers
Disaster relief for our sisters and brothers
We're playin & prayin hard right here in our Church
Lookin for a cool club, ain't no need to search
We're from many backgrounds, ages and places
Most know each other on a first name basis
So if yah wanna join, all yah gotta do is ask
We are the KNIGHTS, and we're up for the task!



Alejandro stars in Memorial Play

Our youngest Knight, starred in the recent play at Memorial, "Beauty and the Beast". This dude knocked it out and will be a movie star someday.





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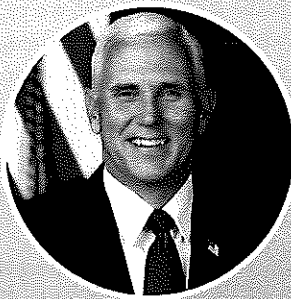
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Right to Life[®]
of Southwest Indiana
An affiliate of Indiana Right to Life

ANNUAL BANQUET AUGUST 25, 2022

Old National Events Plaza | Evansville, IN

with special guests:



The Honorable
Former Vice President
of the United States,
Mike Pence



CEO & Founder,
And Then There
Were None,
Abby Johnson

Reservations for Corporate Sponsorships, Tables and Tickets Opening Soon!

Right to Life Banquet 8/25/22

Mark your calendars for this wonderful event, and get with Deacon Dan to reserve your spot. It should be a wonderful Pro-Life event which will even have our own 5th Ward City Council dude Justin Elpers on hand. It is a nice evening of speakers and dinner as well as pro-life info. Protection of the unborn is an important and moral stand that the Knights have and will always support with action and funding. So let's fill these 2 tables up and show support!!

My apologies- the MLB standing were unable to be printed out due to technical difficulties.

"Knights at the Otters"

Mark your calendars for this FREE event for you and your whole family and anyone else you want to bring. On August 18, 2022 at 6:35 on a "Thirsty Thursday" at Bosse Field, this party shall take place. Your free ticket includes Admission, Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, chicken, Baked beans (sorry, not Joanie Pohl's), chips, sodas, water, bags of peanuts AND a one of a kind OTTERS HAT. Food served from one hour BEFORE game until one hour AFTER game starts. We must have headcount turned in BY August 13th, so let us know before then!!! Check out flyer attached to this Knightly News



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of Columbus**



We will follow the state mandate
on this day as it pertains to masks.

For: Special Needs Individuals

When: Sat., May 21, 2022

Time: Registration begins at 7:30 am

Where: Lake Last Cast

(map on following page)



**Free Event!
Free Food!**

**Free fishing poles & bait
also available to use!**

www.kofcfishing.homestead.com

Questions? Contact: Dennis McVey
812.217.8065 (jdm3rd@aol.com)
OR Dan Deters-812.457.1585
(ddeters17@gmail.com)

Lake Last Cast

KNIGHTS

At the



Thursday

August 18, 2022

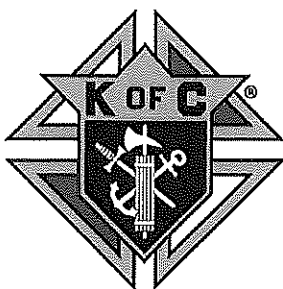
Game Time 6:35

Opponent

Windy City Thunderbolts



- Reservations are to be handled by each council and are due by Sunday, August 13, 2022 to Brother Knight Mark Hackert to mhackert76@gmail.com
- Each council will be invoiced and to pay Otters directly
- Once final numbers are received by each council. Bill Bussing will issue a check to each council to be used for payment of invoice from the OTTERS.
- Councils are responsible for their reservations, pick up and distribute tickets to members
- Each tickets includes, Game Admission, Hamburger, Hot Dogs, Chicken, baked beans, Potato Chips, Water, Soda and complimentary peanuts. AND ONE OF A KIND OTTERS HAT. Food served from one hour prior to game to 1 hour after game starts.
- REMEMBER, it is THIRSTY THURSDAY—Special Prices for beer



KNIGHTS
OF COLUMBUS
IN SERVICE TO ONE. IN SERVICE TO ALL.