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Special points of interest:

- Entertainment Books
- Football Frenzy Sweepstakes
- Theresa Tomeo
- Columbian Classic

GRAND KNIGHT'S NOTES



My Brother Knights,

I hope the summer months were good to all of you. Welcome to our new fraternal year. I'm coming at you hard and fast as we begin our fraternal year in earnest. I'm asking for a little of your time and a little of your money in Sept. Surprised? I doubt it.

With your time, I encourage you to support three events. First, help our council sell Entertainment Books at Kroger Sept 10th - 12th and help fund our charities and events. Volunteer for a time slot with David Westwood, dwestw1142@hotmail.com. Second, gather your family and join us at the Friends of the Poor Walk; support St Vincent de Paul and the less fortunate families in Dayton on Sept 25th. Register ahead of time at www.stvincentdayton.org/walk and collect pledges to support the cause, or just show up. The total walking distance is about 2 1/4 miles. Add your name to our "community team", [KofC St Leonard Council](http://www.kofc10215.org). And third, support our gathering of new members at the 1st and 2nd Degree Ceremony in the council chamber on Sept 26 at 2pm. If you haven't seen a Degree ceremony lately, this is a great way to get rejuvenated and refocused.

With your money, I ask you to support our Football Frenzy ticket sales and Entertainment Book sales by buying at least one of each and selling one of each to someone else. Let's make this a strong month by showing strong support for your council in September! Thank you!

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Vivat Jesus,

Frank Rand

Football Frenzy Sweepstakes

Please know that we are selling football tickets again this year. Tickets are \$10.00, and you have a chance of winning \$400.00 each week beginning with the last 10 games of the season. If your ticket has the four teams that score the most points that weekend you receive \$400.00. There are 8 additional winners for the next highest and so on, and then for the two lowest...

Call Paul Schwab @ (937-312-9949) or simply come to the meeting on September 13th to buy one for yourself; you could also take some to sell. The council benefits gentlemen for each ticket sold. We need the money to help the less fortunate. Thank you

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Catholic Men's Conf.	[open]	
Cancer Walk	[open]	
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Thought of the Month

At the end of our life, we shall all be judged by charity. -
 - St. John of the Cross

Entertainment Book Fundraiser

CHARITY

Greetings, it is that time of year again for our annual Entertainment (ET) Books fundraiser that directly supports our Council, St Leonard's Capital Improvement Fund and other local charities. The 2011 Entertainment Books should be shipped out early Aug 2010. We will begin books sales once they are delivered. We have coordinated with Kroger's and reserved our dates to start selling ET Books from Aug 10 through Dec 10. As always your support is greatly appreciated to make this fundraiser a complete success. Please review the dates that are available and mark your calendars. Signup sheets will be at our monthly meetings. We will need an average of eight (8) Knights for each weekend for only three (3) hour at a time. Not listed are four potential weekends; Kroger's requested us to call prior to the weekend, so flexibility will be a major factor for those weekends. More information will be passed out during our monthly meeting.

The reserved dates are:

10 Sep - Friday from 1200 to 6:00 PM

11-12 Sep - Sat/Sun from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM

22 Oct - Friday from 1200 to 6:00 PM

23-24 Oct - Sat/Sun from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM

12 Nov - Friday from 1200 to 6:00 PM

13 - 14 Nov - Sat/Sun from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM

3 Dec - Friday from 1200 to 6:00 PM

4 -5 Dec - Sat/Sun from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM

17 Dec - Friday from 1200 to 6:00 PM

18 -19 Dec - Sat/Sun from 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM

For additional questions or concerns please contact David Westwood at

937-499-0365 or Email at DWestw1142@hotmail.com.

Speaker Teresa Tomeo, Oct 5 2010

CHARITY

Teresa Tomeo, author, syndicated national Catholic talk show host, EWTN television show host and motivational speaker, will be presenting "How the Media Affects Your Children, Your Family and Your Faith" on October 5, 2010 at 7 PM at the Church of the Incarnation. It is being hosted by the Respect Life Committee and sponsored by our Council and other parish organizations. October is Respect Life Month and the group wanted to do something special. Theresa Tomeo will give an eye opening presentation on this topic and address how we, as Catholic Christians, can make a difference in the type of information that floods our homes and lives on a daily basis. Look for further information in the future.

Call Mary Gutman at 433-1705 or Beth McKenna at 436-7522 for information.

Columbian Classic 2010

FRATERNITY

The Knights of Columbus and the Dayton Serra Club will be hosting the Columbian Classic 2010 Dayton Deanery Priest Appreciation Golf Outing/Dinner on Monday, October 11, 2010 at the Community Golf Course 2917 Berkley Street, Kettering, Ohio 45409. Dinner (includes two entrees) with draft beer bar (COD for bar) will follow at 5PM across Dorothy Lane at the Christopher Club 3150 South Dixie Dr. Proceeds will benefit the Knights of Columbus and Serra religious vocations programs.

Golf and dinner will be \$75 per person before September 15 and \$85 after. Dinner only will be \$20. Program sponsors are \$50 and Hole sponsors are \$175 (includes dinner and program). Please make checks payable to 'Columbian Classic.' Flat donations are also accepted and can be sent to:

Columbian Classic
3033 Kettering Blvd
Suite 210
Kettering, Ohio 45439

Registration: 10 AM
Tee Time: Shotgun start at 11 AM
Competition: Scramble format
Prizes: Low score team (1st, 2nd, and 3rd)
 Longest drive
 Closest to the pin
Reservations: Accepted on a first-paid/first-served basis
 Due Sept 27, 2010
Shirt Size: Small, Medium, Large, XLarge, XXXLarge

You can put together your own foursome or we can find a foursome for you.

Contact Bob Erhart at (937) 299-2263 or Jim Duffin at (937) 298-3988 for questions and information concerning donations and sponsorships.

Bishop Fenwick High School Fish Fry

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Saturday, October 2, 2010 at Bishop Fenwick High School Cafeteria and Gymnasium 4855 State Route 122 Franklin, Ohio 45005 (must be 21 to attend). Mass at 5:15 in the chapel with the event mass at 6PM. Fish by the Hecht Family, Blackjack, Texas Hold'em, Silent Auction, raffle, music, NCAA Football on the TV's, and refreshments. Go to www.fenwickboosters.com for more information.

Membership

During July, August, and September, recruiting rallies throughout most councils seem to be the most important activity. It is no different at 10215. Our Grand Knight talked about it in his message last month and now on Sept. 12 at Incarnation Parish we will be kicking off our first recruiting effort at all masses.

Another ongoing effort by you Membership Director is a periodic follow-up on our prospect list which has produced some results in the past, but none so far this year. This next effort becomes most important as always. I suggest that you, Brother Knights, make a list of all eligible co-workers, neighbors, friends, fathers, sons, brothers, nephews, cousins, in-laws, grand-fathers, and grand-sons. When you get one of them to join between Sept. 12 and Oct. 1, your name will be entered into a drawing to win 2 tickets to a University of Dayton Football Game! Lets have a little fun too and God bless all your efforts.

Your Membership Director,

Tom Spitzig

Donations Needed for The Castle

Two of Concl 10215 members volunteer at the Castle in Centerville. The Castle provides a place for mentally challenged people, an opportunity to spend a day with their peers. The Castle provides a hot meal at lunch (which may be the only meal of the day, for some), and various challenging activities 5 days a week for the members. Dick Corron & Bill Topp have a bingo game each Thursday for the members. The prizes we give to the winners are all donated. If you have any "white elephant" items around the house you no longer need, we can use them. Both for men & women. We also use personal items such as toothpaste & tooth brushes or any other personal items.

Please call Bill Topp at 433-5887

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September 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

- 7 Sep - Officer's meeting 7:00 PM
- 13 Sep - Rosary 7:00 PM (Council Chambers)
- 13 Sep - Council Meeting 7:30 PM

- 12 Sep - Recruiting Rally @ Incarnation
- 25 Sep - Walk for Poor
- 26 Sep - Euchre in Auditorium
- 26 Sep - 1st and 2nd Degree

October 2010

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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- 5 Oct - Officer's meeting 7:00 PM
- 11 Oct - Rosary 7:00 PM (Council Chambers)
- 11 Oct - Council Meeting 7:30 PM

- 2 Oct - Fenwick Fish Fry
- 5 Oct - Speaker Theresa Tomeo
- 11 Oct - Columbian Classic Golf Outing

Labor Day
 September 6

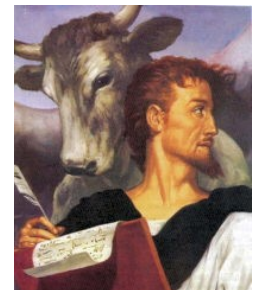
The Birth of Mary
 September 8



Our Lady of the Rosary
 October 7



Feast of St. Luke
 October 18



Prayer Requests

Please pray/ continue to pray for:

- Bernie Koziej who has terminal cancer.
- Ben Cramer suffering from COPD disease.
- Unborn Children & those lost to abortion.
- Soldiers & their families... and all protectors of freedom
- An increase in vocations.

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*“ So I say to you, ask,
and it will be given to
you; seek, and you will
find; knock, and it
will be opened to you.”*

Luke 11:9

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I really want to be your agent!

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**NEXT MEETINGS: Monday, September 13
 Monday, October 11**