

The Knight Life

St. John Vianney Council 7525 Monthly Newsletter June, 2017



Upcoming Events & Important Dates:

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Mon. June 19	Pot Luck Dinner, Scholarships and Annual Awards. At 6:00 pm in SJV Church Basement Please RSVP
Thurs. July 6	Officers Meeting at 6:30 in SJV Church basement
Thurs July 13	Meeting at 7:00 pm, with meal at 6:30 pm. FOURTH Degree Meeting at 6:00 pm in SJV - Church Basement
Su Apr 8, 2018	Kamp Ta Kum Ta SUPER BINGO

Last Meeting: We had a nice turn out, enjoyed a good meal and had a chance to visit. The donations from the meal will all be given to Care Net (Aspire). We started the meeting with a First Degree, in which we had our 11th new member join us this year. His name is Andrew Shedyak. Please welcome him when you meet him. At our meeting we Honored Ray Rogers as Knight of the Month and Charlie & Karen Brown as Family of the Month. We also had an Armor Award for Mike Bullock. We then Thanked ALL who made the Day of Prayer Service. Then thanked Jay and Gerry for helping install our hanger rack. Also Thanked Bob W. for working at the Winooski Senior Bingo. Then we read a nice Thank You letter from UVM Catholic Center for helping with their BBQ. Also had Thanks from Ted for work done at St. Jude's Church. We then reminded everyone about Memorial Day Mass, Silver Rose Ceremony, Camp Ta Kum Ta BBQ and our Tootsie Roll Campaign. We also congratulated Patrick Benner, Ali Nasab, Mike Bullock and Jim Ewing for taking their Fourth Degree. We announced that Father Pat has set it up so we can have our meetings on Thursdays Starting in July – so Officers will meet the first Thursday and Regular meeting the second Thursday. The Christmas Parties will be on Dec. 10, this year at St. John Vianney Hall. We hope to get people to work on painting the Basement hall of the SJV Church. We also would like to have a Garage type sale in July. We approved funds to round our check we will be presenting to CTKT. Then Gerry presented a Bottle Collection plan to raise charity funds. We announced that we received Youth Service Award form state K of C at the Convention. And an award from Supreme for International Service Program – for Community Service – For our Super Bingo. We received Fifth Place from Supreme. Considering ALL COUNCILS this is a GREAT Honor! Our Agent Dave G. had no news but congratulated us on hopefully making Star Council Award.

Elections were then held and we had three new members get elected to an office: The elected were:

Grand Knight: Bernie Hemond
Deputy Grand Knight: Tom Gravelin

Chancellor: Dick Stevens Recorder: Ted Barrett Treasurer: Dick Labrecque Advocate: Wally Rooney Warden: Patrick Benner Inside Guard: Bob Wilkens Outside Guard: Ali Nasab Trustee 3 yr.: Mike Bullock Trustee 2 yr.: Don Sutton Trustee 1 yr.: Jay Benson

Financial Secretary (Appointed): Charlie Brown Chaplain: (Not Elected) Father Pat Forman

NEXT MEETING: In June there is no meeting but a POT LUCK Dinner (see below)! Come to Pot Luck instead of a meeting! The Next Regular Meeting will be on July 13 in the basement of St. John Vianney Church.at 7:00 REMEMBER: We have social time and a meal at 6:30. We are adjusting the time a little so that FOURTH DEGREE can meet at 6:00 pm – then we ALL eat before REGULAR meeting.

IMPORTANT: JUNE 19 POT LUCK: We will be having our annual FAMILY Pot Luck Dinner. This is the night we give out scholarships and our awards for the year. This is a family meal, so bring the family. PLEASE RSVP to me by email or call 777-8181 (I will be at camp and do not take my phone in the boat since we turned it over, so leave a message and I can call you back.) so we know how many are coming and what DISH YOU CAN BRING to share. Come at 6:00 to visit and hopefully meal will be at 6:30.

RECRUITMENT DRIVE: We reached our goal this year but keep your eyes looking for new members, as we start a new year.

SCHOLARSHIPS: We do have applicants – so come and see at June 19 Pot Luck Dinner.

EMAIL NEWS: Are you now getting our news by mail?? You could get it faster and get notices that the mail people do not get. PLUS you could help cut our copy and postage expense. If you could get EMAIL please let me know!!

REMINDER - DUES: If you have not paid this year's dues – this is a reminder. Send dues to Charles Brown, 93 Randy Lane, Burlington, Vt. 05408. Remember these dues; go for the Columbia Magazine, Supreme & State Per Capita, and remainder to our expenses and charities

GOOD OF THE ORDER: Please keep the following in your prayers: Harold Ponto, P. Benner, Marguerite T., Mike Audette, PSD Paul Mitchell, Fr. Hamilton, Joe Lane, Ray Newman, Elaine Read, Frank Myers, Paul Pouliot, M. Locker, Francis Cross, Jim Frail, Andrew Bolognia, Lois Ladd, PSD Don Sutton, Al Dunbar, George and Sheila Stevens. As always please pray for our clergy and the safety of our men and women in uniform

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Dave Giuliani regarding K of C benefits and Ins. He can help with Long Term care, Annuities & Retirement, as well as Ins.. Phone:802-272-6009 Email:david.giuliani@kofc.org

HALL: Sale is still in the works! Getting CLOSER!?!?!?

PRAYER FOR THE HUNGRY: Lord Jesus Christ, You urged us to give You food in Your hunger which is visible to us in the starving faces of other human beings. Let me realize that there are millions of persons – children of the same God and our brothers and sisters – who are dying of hunger although they do not deserve to do so. Do not allow me to remain indifferent to their crying need, or to soothe my conscience with the thought that I cannot do anything about this evil. Help me to do something – no

matter how small – to alleviate their heart-rending want. Also let me pray regularly that these poor starving people will be rewarded for this terrible suffering they are enduring, and be relieved of it as soon as possible.

<u>Personal Word</u>: Please come to OUR Pot Luck Dinner, to enjoy a meal out and visit other Brothers and their Families, on June 19 at 6:30. Then On July 13 come to OUR meeting. Our FIRST meeting of the New Year to help set goals!

Call me personally if you have a question, or ideas. Ideas getting new MEMBERS? I would like to talk with YOU!

Vivat Jesus, Bernard Hemond Jr, GK

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