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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

MESSSENGER

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Council Receives Two New Members!



Just prior to our Monthly Dinner Meeting on Thursday, January 20th, two on-line members took the Degree of Charity, Unity and Fraternity. Please join us as we welcome Neil Moore and Gavin LaDore into our ranks. To the left is a photo of Gavin being presented by his dad, Scott. The degrees are always special, but when a member witnesses his son's degree, everyone in the room is excited. We look forward to many years of active service. God Bless.

Neil Moore Serves Up A Feast

New Brother Neil Moore just couldn't wait to share with our council one of his many talents. He can cook. In the photo to the right, Neil is serving up a classic Shrimp Boil! We had a good turnout at our meeting and look forward enjoying his creations. As usual, dinner is served at 7:00 PM before our Business Meetings and is the only item on the agenda for our monthly Dinner Meetings. All council brothers are welcome.



COUNCIL MEETINGS

1st & 3rd Thursdays at 7:00 PM



COUNCIL HALL RENTALS

Call : 914-939-4343

Rentals@KofC503.org



LADIES AUXILIARY

2nd Wednesday - 7:00 PM



Council Business & Events



- Feb 3rd... Knights Business Meeting...** Please join us for a manly meal at 7:00 PM.
We need you there to vote on our donations. Meeting starts at 8:00 PM.
- Feb 5th... Venison & Game Dinner...** Please save this date. We hope to sell out this year.
Please make your reservation asap: Scott LaDore: 914-939-0727 is waiting for your call.
- Feb 8th... NO Ladies Auxiliary Meeting...** Meetings will resume in March.
- Feb 15th... Cook At Ronald McDonald House...** Meet at the council hall at 3:00 PM.
- Feb 17th... Knights Dinner Meeting...** Please join us for dinner at 7:00 PM.
- Feb 24th... Feeding Our Neighbors...** We open our dining room to serve food to our neighbors.
All are welcome. Food is provided by Meals On Main Steet. 5-7 PM.
- Feb 26th... DJ Danny...** Doors open at 6:30 PM... Downstairs... Please support this new activity

Fourth Degree Dues And Council Dues Are Not The Same

In the past few weeks it has come to our attention that there is a misconception or confusion about Fourth Degree Assembly dues. Our annual dues of \$30 per member covers your council membership fees. The Fourth Degree Assembly dues are billed separately.

Venison Dinner Is Set For Saturday, February 5th

The fun starts at: 7:00 PM. The cost is \$60 per adult and \$20 per youth. Paid Reservations only. The menu will include many of your traditional venison and game favorites. This ridiculous price includes: Beer, Wine & Soda. There will also be a 50-50 Raffle. For more information or to save a seat, please contact Scott LaDore: 914-882-0370. You may also pay via Venmo: council503

Attendance Raffle Is Now \$143.00

With each meeting and event our council's attendance raffle continues to grow.
Every Brother Knight has a chance. You must be there!

DJ Danny Will Play Your Favorites

Please consider joining us for at Club 503 for a great night of music, drinks and snacks! Saturday, February 26th. Doors open at 7:00 PM - Lower Meeting Room. DJ Danny will be taking requests and playing all of your favorites. Admission is just \$20 and includes an assortment of bar food specialties! You can send payments via Venmo: council503. Reserve you table asap. For more information, please contact: Phil Dorazio 914-356-4211. Hope to see you all!



January Restaurant Raffle Chosen

Our Prize winner for the January \$100 certificate to Sergio's Restaurant is Brother Ken Sunderland. The \$100 gift certificate to T & J's Restaurant will be given away in February.



Pray The Rosary Every Day

