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Happy Birthday America Day

Dear Brother SKs and Ladies:

Due to us being unable to find a proper location at Seton Parish or St. Pius X, I was forced to cancel the June 17th Assembly meeting. Our next meeting will be Wednesday, July 15th at Seton Parish. Please make your calendars.

Elections took place at our last Assembly meeting on Wednesday, May 20th. Please join me in thanking those members who agreed to serve as officers in our Assembly next fiscal year. With their leadership, our Assembly will continue to be shining example for other Assemblies in Ohio District 3. The officers are as follows:

Faithful Navigator	SK George Schneider
Faithful Captain	SK Frank Hare
Faithful Pilot	SK Gene Ebert
Faithful Admiral	SK Phillip Siedlecki, PFN
Faithful Purser	SK Gordon Burke
Faithful Comptroller	SK Terry Reine, PFN
Faithful Scribe	SK TBD
Faithful Inner Sentinel	SK Larry Armstrong
Faithful Outer Sentinel	SK Thom Laughery
Third year Trustee	SK Steve Dodaro PFN,
Second year Trustee	SK Gordon Pickett Sr, PFN
First year Trustee	SK CW Higdon, PFN

I also ask you to join us on Saturday, August 1, 2015 after the 5:15pm Mass at St. Joseph Cathedral in downtown Columbus as our news officers take the oath of office for the coming fiscal year.

The fourth degree is dedicated to the service of our veterans. This summer and fall we will have the opportunity to welcome veterans returning from Washington DC on Honor Flights. Scheduled dates are June 20th, August 29th, September 19th and August 10th.

Please support our Assembly in any way you can. With the support of all our members we will continue to serve those around us. The joy we feel simply by helping other is something we get a chance to experience over and over again the things we do as an Assembly.

I leave you with one final thought. No matter how good or bad we have it, we should wake up each day and be thankful for our lives. Someone somewhere else is desperately fighting for theirs.

SK Phil Siedlecki

Faithful Navigator

Culture of Life: Pope Francis' Words

No Article this month

Edd Chinnock

Respect Life coordinator

2900 Assembly News

Pope John Paul II Assembly 2900, Pickerington, Ohio USA



Business Meeting Minutes: - June 2015

Meeting was opened at 7:37 PM by our Faithful Navigator with normal procedure and prayer.

Roll of Officers: All were present except Faithful Friar, Faithful Comptroller, Faithful Scribe, Faithful Commander, and Vice Commanders - Excused

Reading of the minutes: The previous month's minutes were motioned to be approved as entered by Steve Dodaro, seconded by SK Ed Chinnock, voted on and passed.

Reading of the Bills and Communications:

Bills: Bills read and a motion was made by SK Gene Ebert and seconded by SK George Schneider to send the bills on to the Trustees for payment. The motion was voted upon, passed, and the bills were sent to the trustees for approval, and were paid.

Communications: None

Faithful Navigator Report:

Faithful Navigator Phil Siedlecki began by saying that since the last meeting the spring exemplification was held and 9 new Sir Knights joined our assembly. He then handed out the new English company catalogs and handed out the new directive to be filled out or changed. He strongly urged by new and seasoned members to please update this form.

May 30th is an honor flight.

SK Steve Valentine has stepped down as Vice Commander and SK Jerod Long has accepted the role as Vice Commander.

Since we cannot obtain a room for our June meeting due to VBS, the July meeting has been cancelled.

SK Phil Siedlecki also thanked everyone for all of their help this past year.

District Master's Report: Installation of new officers will be held on Saturday, August 1 after the 5:15pm mass. The dress is social baldric. There will be a dinner after the installation of officers.

Provincial meeting will be October 2-4 at Kalahari once again. The price does include water park passes each night you stay.

Tentatively the fall exemplification will be held in Dover this November.

Faithful Comptroller's Report: None

Faithful Purser's Report: We are financially solvent and doing well.

Faithful Captain's Report:

SK Frank Hare told us that SK Shawn Ansboro and SK Steve Dodaro did an excellent job for the spring exemplification. The other two Sir Knights from the other two assemblies did a great job with the hospitality room. We had taco night tonight and everyone loved it. At the July meeting will be the ice cream social.

Faithful Pilot's Report:

SK George Schnieder talked about the district pilot's report and the upcoming events. Brian O'Conner's Thanksgiving Mass. SK's are to report at 1:30pm.

Veteran's Affair Liason: SK Thom Laughery and SK CW Higdon found an organization called the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA for a possibility to donate to this organization. This organization is the Archdiocese for the US military and get no money from the government. They are responsible for recruiting and deploying priests for our military.

Unfinished Business: SK Bo Glavan held elections and those who were nominated we elected in.

Report of the Trustees: No Report

New Business: SK Bo Glavan moved to donate \$XXX to the Archdiocese for the Military Services, USA. SK George Schneider 2nd, passed and published for the July meeting.

Gordon and Steve have the rebate checks for the exemplification.

Report of the 3rd degree:

Council 11187: the 2nd annual car show on June 12th. And a 1st degree will be held on May 27th at 7:00pm, candidate call at 7:30. At Seton, there is a rosary held for the military every Monday night at 6:30pm.

Council 5253: June 22th and 27th 1st time the food trailer will be out. It will be at the Ohio village at the fair grounds for the civil war reenactment.

Respectfully submitted by:

SK Jerod Long

Faithful Scribe

Almost made the Scribe read the minutes...but I'm a nice guy

Captain's Report

The July Assembly Social and Meeting is Wednesday, July 15th. Please plan to attend to thank outgoing Faithful Navigator Phil Siedlecki for his service this year and welcome our new FN George Schneider.

This month's social will feature our annual ICE CREAM SUNDAE BAR. Please bring to share an ice cream toppings, side dish or salad. As always we'll kick things off around 6:45pm.

Please note that we lost a member of our Assembly last week - SK Timothy Kujawa. Brother Tim was a Honorary Life member with 44 years of service to the Knights of Columbus. Please keep Tim, wife Gloria and his family in your prayers.

Thanks as always,

SK Frank Hare

Faithful Captain

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Pilot's Report

Editor's Note: Pilot's schedule
<http://www.kofccolumbus.org/PilotsReport.htm>

The link to the Pilot's report gives the latest news and events.
Email alerts are sent out when events arise that are not scheduled

SK Gene Ebert

Faithful Pilot

Thank You - May 20, 2015

The Buckeye Military Moms of Chapter 9 thank you for your generous donation of items to pack in boxes sent to deployed soldiers. At a packing we typically pack and send about 300 boxes. To date we have had packings in December and March. In addition, we are helping with boxes to go to the USS West Virginia (a submarine) and will pack boxes on June 6 for the Rickenbacker Guard unit deployed earlier this year. Our next public packing is August 15.

Please know that in the past year soldiers in difficult circumstances and far from home have opened our boxes and have been reminded of home and of our gratitude for what they do. Your contributions have helped make this possible and are much appreciated.

Sincerely,

Blue Star Moms



Brian O'Conner's Thanksgiving Mass and Assembly 2900

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In Service To One. In Service To All.



ST. GABRIEL
CATHOLIC RADIO
AM 820



July 2015	
15	Assembly Business Meeting and Social 6:30pm
4	Independence Day - Happy Birthday America!!!
August 2015	
19	Assembly Business Meeting and Social 6:30pm
13	PLSD School Starts (K-12)

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Prayer Corner

We list and keep in our prayers:
 Fr. Frank Higdon, Burt Lawrence, Ryan Schneider,
 Charlie Giametta, Peg Brock, Jeff Samborsky, Fred
 Barwick, Carol Puhlman-Schneider, Gordon Burke,
 Gordon Pickett Jr. and Sr., Keith Zabrockie family,
 Wayne Patterson and family, Msgr. Nunan, Terri Joos,
 Maureen Patterson, Jim and Margie Patterson, Nancy
 McComb, Hans Bauer family, Caroline and Frank Hare,
 Carrie Ebert, Glen Williams, Anna Williams, Father
 Klima as well as our military and veterans.



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Meeting Reminder - OFFICERS

Any Officer that can not attend the up-coming meeting needs to call or email me. If no call or email is received you will be marked as unexcused/absent.

Phil Siedlecki
 Your Faithful Navigator