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## **SLATING COMMITTEE**

Our election of officers for 2013/2014 will be held on June 10. 2013. Any Brother Knight who is a third degree member of the Knights of Columbus and wishes to step up and become active in the leadership of Council 3660 may apply. If you are interested in being Chancellor, Recorder, Warden, Treasure, Advocate, Inside Guard or Outside Guard please contact the Grand Knight Dan Constantino or any of the council officers, your intention of running for an office. This is a good opportunity to learn the work of the council and to advance to another office.

We are also looking for members interested in becoming a member of the Realty Board. There will be two positions for a three year term.

We also have a position on the House Committee that we will be electing this year. This position is for a three year term.

## ATTENTION ALL MEMBERS FIRST DEGREE APRIL 8, 2013

Msgr Downey Council has scheduled a first degree for Monday, April 8, 2013. Please ask your Catholic friends, relatives or parishioners if they would be interested in becoming a member of the Knights of Columbus.

Candidates should report to the Financial Secretary by 6:45pm. If you have any questions, please contact Jeff Spitz or any council officer.

## **COUNCIL SUNDAY BREAKFAST**

Sunday, April 14, 2013 will be our next Sunday Breakfast in the Great Hall. The meals will be served from 8:00 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. The cost will be \$9.00 for adults, \$4.00 for Children 5–12 with children under 5 free.

These Breakfasts are a great time to plan a family get together or to get your Church, Grad/High School or any group together.

The Officers of the Council and its members wish to thank everyone for the support we have received for these breakfasts and hope you will continue supporting our breakfasts.

## EUCHRE CLUB Wednesday, April 10th



The Knights of Columbus Council 3660 Euchre Club will have its next Euchre Club gatherings on April 10th. Remember, this Club is for members, spouses, parish associates and friends and will be held on the <u>Second Wednesday</u> of each month.

The schedule for 2013 is as follows:

May8th/Jun 12thJul 10th/Aug 14th Sept 11th/Oct 9th/Nov 13th/Dec 11th

The games will start promptly at <u>12:30 PM</u> and will end about 3:30 PM.

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## GRAND **KNIGHT'S MESSAGE**



Dear Brother Knights,

First and foremost I would like to thank each and every member who supports your council. For those who come in on a daily basis and for those who come in and dine with us on Friday and Saturday nights. Thanks again for all your support. The Council Breakfast, we had on March 10th was a great hit. Please keep supporting this event.

Our April Family of the month is Timothy and Melinda McCarthy. Any time I call on Tim he will always be there. Thanks goes to Melinda for trying to keep Tim in line. It has to be a tough iob.

A committee was selected to elect a Catholic Layman of the year. This year Harold Matthews was selected as our Layman of the year. Harry is committed to his Faith, Family and Council. It would take forever write everything about Harry. Congratulations Harry for all your support and kindness for everything you do for the council.

I would like to thank Mr. and Mrs. Michael McCarthy for the job done this year with the St. Baldrick's event. What a touching event.

Once again for those who are delinquent in your dues, please submit them as soon as possible or contact our Financial Secretary Jeff Spitz or myself to get current, we need your support.

We have a 1st degree scheduled for April 8th and we are offering a \$25.00 Gift Certificate for the first member who signs up 5 new members and brings them to this event.

Last I would like to thank my wife and kids for putting up with me for the hours that I put in at the Council. Let's all take a moment and thank God for what we have in life and for our loved ones.

**Your Grand Knight Dan Constantino** 

## ATTENTION 1ST DEGREE MEMBERS

Major degrees (2nd & 3rd) will be conducted on the following date:

Sunday, April 7th, 2013 at the Fr. William Garrity Council 1156, 2202 M Street, Bedford, In.

Candidate Registration: 11:30am EST
2nd degree will begin at 12:30 pm EST
3rd will follow immediately after the 2nd degree
Candidates should arrive no later than 12:15 pm
EST

A light lunch will be served for candidates and guests immediately following the ceremony.

REMEMBER: If you are a sponsor of a candidate you should bring him to the degree.

## **2013 EVENTS**

#### APRIL

8am-11:30am

Council Breakfast

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24	Spaghetti Dinner	4:30pm—7:30pm		
	MAY			
4	<b>Kentucky Derby Special</b>	4pm –8pm		
5	Council Breakfast	8am—11:30am		
13	<b>Council Meeting: Slating</b>	of Officers		
	7:30pm			
	JUNE			

10 Council Meeting: Election of Officers-TBA

If you have any questions or want more information about any events, contact Dan Constantino at (317)631-9591 or GrandKnight3660@yahoo.com.

## **EUCHRE TOURNAMENT**

A Euchre Tournament will be held on Saturday, April 13<sup>th</sup>, starting at noon in the Great Hall. Entry fee for this tournament is \$20.00 per two man team and is payable when you sign up. The entry fee includes food and suds. Please sign up in advance. Envelopes will be available at the bar and they should be endorsed "Euchre Tournament" on the front.

## SPAGHETTI DINNER

Msgr. Downey Council will be hosting our next Spaghetti Dinner on Wednesday, April 24th, from 4:30pm to 7:30pm in the Dining Room. The cost of the meal will be Adults—\$8.00, Children 3-12—\$4.00 and under 3 years—Free. The committee would appreciate making reservations for this event to assure we have a sufficient quantity of food.

The Dinner Menu will be Spaghetti with homemade Meatballs and Sausage, Salad, Bread Sticks, Coffee or Tea and Desert.

## THANK YOU

On behalf of the St. Baldrick's Foundation, thanks to the Knights of Columbus #3660 for hosting this event for the 8th straight year. This year's event helped raise over \$40,000 and the eight year total is over \$370,000 to help fund childhood cancer research. A great evening was had by all who witnessed the head shaving and enjoyed the food and fellowship. A special thanks to the kitchen staff, bartenders, and waitresses for their hard work and great service.

If you did not have a chance to donate yet, it is not too late to do so. To donate, go to <a href="http://www.stbaldricks.org/events/mypage/203/2013">http://www.stbaldricks.org/events/mypage/203/2013</a>.

St. Baldrick's Thanks You

## Gibault

The following letter was received from Zach Pies, Development Director:

Dear Knights of Msgr. Downey Council,

Thank you for your gift-in-kind donation of: (48) brand new warm coats, (2) CASES OF Tastykake Krimpets, (1) case of Tastykake Juniors, (1) case of Tastykake Chocolate bells, (1) case of Bluebirds fried cherry pies and (102) children's books. Your gifts are awesome and appreciated!

I can assure you the boys and girls will love their new warm coats — especially now when the weather is barely above zero.

Please extend my sincere thanks to all your members who made these gifts possible. Your gifts show you care. God Bless you.

Sincerely Zach Pies

In another letter he stated the following:

On behalf of everyone at Gibault, thank you for your thoughtful gift of \$2,269.64 and your awesome gifts of new toys for the children. Your contribution will be used to care for the children placed at Gibault.

Grand Knight Dan Constantino and a group of members who had not been to Gibault visited Gibault shortly after Christmas and then again on February 9, 2013. He presented these gifts for the children of Gibault and from the members of Msgr. Downey Council.

## COUPON COUPON

This coupon is good for \$1.00 off the price of ONE ADULT SPAGHETTI DINNER Good at the spaghetti dinner on April 24, 2013 only.

**Dan Constantino GK** 

## **Insurance check-up for 2013**

An insurance check-up can be as important as an annual physical. Unlike many other products, you don't just need money to obtain life insurance, long-term care or disability income insurance. You also need good health, and no one knows when your health could change.

Did you take time out of your schedule last year to meet with me? If you did, thank you for seeing me and helping secure your financial future. I will be in touch with you to schedule your annual review to verify that everything is heading in the right direction. We'll make sure that if your goals and budget have changed, your plan still works for you.

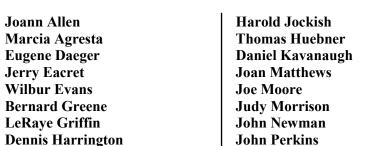
If you didn't have a meeting with me last year, I hope you will answer my invitation this year. It's a wise idea to have an expert look at your finances. Schedule some time to visit with me, your professional Knights of Columbus insurance agent, and I'll provide an insurance check-up that will quickly identify any gaps in your family's life insurance program.

Did I mention my check-up is free of charge? When was the last time you received something for free that could be providing value to you and your family for generations? And I'll come to your house when it fits your schedule. Call me today.

To Obtain More Information Call David Dickinson (317) 850-8240

## **SICK LIST**

The following members of the Council were reported ill at the time of publication:



Ray "Dutch" Roembke Elaine Shea Margaret Strack Angie Tyree Thomas Westell Sr.

Thomas Westell Sr. Thomas Westell Jr. Celia Woodward



The Officers And Members Of Monsignor Downey Council Offer Their Prayers And Good Wishes To The Members And Families Listed And All The Sick Of Our Council.

## **SYMPATHY**

The officers and members of Monsignor Downey Council offer their sympathy and prayers to:

- **♦** Maggelina M. Corsaro, 98, Indianapolis, passed away March 3, 2013.
  - Widow of our late Brother Daniel, Corsaro, mother of Brother Paul, Brother Joseph, Daniel Corsaro, sister of Joseph Caito, Mary Schembra (wife of Brother Joseph), Marguerita Bova, 14 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren.
- ₱ Else J. DesJean, 88, Indianapolis, passed away February 23, 2013.

Wide of Brother Cyril Des Jean, mother of Stephen, Lawrence, Philip, Jeffrey, Robert Taylor, Jeanne, Goedde, Stepmother of Phillip, Thomas, John, Mark, Matthew DesJean, Colette Tellman, Denise Hunter, 29 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren.

**♥** Brother Thomas P. Moriarty, 81, Indianapolis, passed away January 17, 2013.

Husband of Patricia Moriarty, father of Brother Steven, Brother Kerry, Brother Daniel, Brother John Moriarty, Patricia Janitz, Joan Tutino, brother of Brother Patrick Moriarty, 11 grandchildren, 6 great-grandchildren.

**₽** Brother James Sgroi, 91, Indianapolis, passed away January 17, 2013.

Widower of Patricia Sgroi, father of James, Janice Sgroi, Charlene Lindblom, brother of Salvator Sgroi, Jr, 15 grandchildren, 3 great-grandchildren, 1 great-grandchild.

May Their Souls and The Souls Of All The Faithful Departed, Through The Mercy of God, Rest in Peace. Amen.

			ENTERTAINMENT
		APRIL 2013 SPECIALS	6:00 PM TO 9:00 PM
Friday	5	CHICKEN PICCATA	Karaoke with The Gold Hits
Saturday	6	COUNTRY FRIED STEAK	
Friday	12	SHRIMP SCAMPI	Karaoke with The Gold Hits
Saturday	13	CHICKEN CAJUN	
Friday	19	WHOLE CATFISH	Karaoke with The Gold Hits
Saturday	20	PULLED PORK BBQ SANDWICH	
Friday	26	PAPRAKIA ENCRUSTED FLAT IRON	Karaoke with The Gold Hits
Saturday	27	LEMON DILL COD	
		2013 SPECIALS	
Friday	3	BACON WRAPPED FILET	Karaoke with The Gold Hits
Saturday	4	FRIED CHICKEN w/BISCUITS & APPLE BUTTER	

## GENERAL MANAGER NEWS AND NOTES

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SUSAN CONSTANTINO, GENERAL MANAGER – (317) 784-3660

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# **APRIL 2013**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31 EASTER SUNDAY	1	2	3	4	5	6
7 2nd & 3rd degrees Bedford, In 12:30pm	8 Directors Meeting 7:00 pm 1st degree Regular Meeting 7:30 pm	9 Realty Board Meeting 7:00 pm	10 Euchre Club 12:30pm to 3:30pm	11	12	13
14 Council Breakfast 8 am—11:30 am	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22 Regular Meeting 7:30 pm	23	24 Spaghetti Dinner 4:30—7:30pm	25	26	27
28	29	30	May 1	May 2	May 3	May 4 Kentucky Derby Special 4pm—8pm