



Secaucus Nightly News

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Newsletter of Mary Immaculate Council #12769, Knights of Columbus

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Please Attend Our 1st Meeting (8/15)!

The Grand Knight's message:

Setting the Record Straight

It is unfortunate that someone amongst us has circulated a rumor that I am closing down the round tables. It is not the first time that this individual has done something like this. Therefore; I have to set things straight and place them in their proper perspective. To begin with a report was filed by the round table liaison naming himself as the coordinator for all of the Round Tables. I received an e-mail from Stephen Hinckley from Supreme saying that he can not be listed as the coordinator for all of the Round Tables. I also checked with the guide book that I picked up at the Grand Knights meeting in June and it says that the coordinator is a parishioner of the church being named as the Round Table. Also those members who belong to the parish named as a Round Table should be coming to our meetings or according

to Mr. Hinckley they are just members and not a Round Table. It seems like we were misled all along on the procedures of a Round Table and I plan to meet with the named coordinators on August 14th to set things straight. This was kept between myself, the liaison, District Deputy and Mr. Hinckley. Until a certain individual decided to spread the rumor around to council members and individuals in the church. Council business is not suppose to be discussed outside of the Council Chambers (non members) and this is not the first time that this individual has done this. Hence the reason that I must address this here and in more detail in Chambers. This is what causes dissension in the organization and causes it to splinter. If there is a problem, address it in Chambers or approach the Officers to get the truth. The goal of a Round Table is to strive towards becoming a Council.

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On another note we have an Officers meeting on August 13th at 7 PM in the cafeteria. On August 15th we have our first meeting for this Columbian Year. August 19th we have our annual family picnic in Schmidt's Woods beginning at 1 PM to 5 PM. Bring the family so that they may share the day with other family members and get to know one another. Also bring your swim gear for there will be passes to get into the pool. Begin purchasing your Oktoberfest tickets for October 20th beginning at 6:30 PM. Anyone purchasing 8 tickets or more we will reserve a table for you and your guests. See Earle Connelly III Chairman or any officer for tickets.

On a sad note we lost our Past Grand Knight Jim Cannan recently. Jim's contributions to the Council will be sorely missed. Jimmy Burke, who was a member before moving to Florida, suddenly passed away right after returning from a cruise. Ed Rumplach also passed after a long illness. May they rest in peace. Page 3

In closing I would like to congratulate the new officers for the 2018-2019 year and thank those who decided not to return to their offices. Our Recorder Mario handed in a letter of resignation that he will be unable to perform as

Recorder and Brian Harth has volunteered to fill the position in the meantime. I want to thank Mario for his years of service as Recorder and thank Brian for stepping up to fill the position.

Vivat Jesus,
SK. Sal Manente Sr.
Grand Knight

Do you have a pet project that you have been thinking about? Now is the time to put your thoughts on paper and submit them to the Grand Knight. It could happen if you do the research and have a plan.

Dates to Remember:

Aug 13 - Officers Meeting

Aug 15 - Business Meeting

Aug 15 - Assumption, HOLY DAY!

Aug 19 - Knights Family Picnic

Sep 1 - Blood Drive, 9-1:30 pm

Oct 13 - ALZ Walk, Lib. St. Pk., J.C.

Oct 20 - Oktoberfest, 6:30 pm

**Please visit our website at:
www.kofc12769.org**

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Our Council and our Assembly have lost 3 Sir Knights in the last few weeks!



Past Grand Knight Jim Cannan served in many positions in the Council and also at Immaculate Conception Church.

Charitable contributions in Brother Jim's name may be made to the Leukemia Foundation, or the Alzheimer's Association.



Jim Burke was active in the 4th Degree Color Corps before he moved to Florida. Memorial Donations may be made to Lady Lake Dog Park, Lady Lake Fl.

May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen

Are you a member of one of our round tables?

Please read this:

The goal of the round table is to assist your parish and become a Council of your own. The only way this will happen is by attending our meetings, learn how a Council functions and become more involved. This way, once you recruit more members to join your Round Table, you will be closer to becoming a functioning Council.



Ed Rumplach accepts the Color Corpsman of the Year 2007-08 with his family.

Check us out on Facebook:
<https://www.facebook.com/maryimmaculate12769/>

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DGK Rich Steffens is pictured with the Sisters of Life. The Council and Steffens Provisions have continued to support the activities of the sisters.

Please send your submissions to:

newsletter@kofc12769.org.

**Have you met with Anthony Genova,
The Knight's Insurance Agent?**



Welcome Father Ben! On July 18th Father Ben Jerson M, Canete joined The Knights of Columbus and Council 12769. Father Ben was recently ordained in Rome and is staying at St Francis Church in Hoboken thru August. Father Ben will then be assigned to a parish in The Philippines. Father Ben in the center with District Deputies Guisepppe(left) and Douglas(right) while Diocesan Membership Chairman Brother Silvio is behind the three.

Your Officers for 2018 - 2019

