



Secaucus Knightly News

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Newsletter of Mary Immaculate Council #12769, Knights of Columbus

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JOBS WELL DONE!

The Grand Knight's message:

I'm happy to report that through the efforts of our Brother Knights, in concert with the generosity of the parishioners of Immaculate Conception Church, we together were able to send \$1,309.00 to Team Rubicon to aid in their efforts of helping those devastated by Hurricane Dorian. This went beyond our expectations and demonstrated how working together can provide such satisfying results.

Thanks to Deputy Grand Knight Steve Zambrano for his efforts towards our annual Soccer Challenge held on September 28th. We wished for a larger turnout, but it was an improvement over other years. We learned some valuable lessons from Soccer Moms on how to increase attendance in the future. Ten year old Champion Daniel Grudleov wowed the fans powering four high kicks into the high right hand corner of the net for a fast 80 points.

The Secaucus Champion scored a total of 140 points and will move on to the regional finals.

Brother Knights, as we move into October, our focus turns to the upcoming Oktoberfest. My message is simple. Sell! Sell! Sell! October 26th will be here before we know it, and the deadline with our caterer is even sooner! It'll be a great night of food, beverages, and great music from DJ Chris, so it's an easy sale to our friends and parishioners. If everyone makes the effort to sell a few tickets, the result will be another successful event for our Council and another year of support for our Seminarians.

See you at our Council meeting this Wednesday October 2nd. Bring in your ticket sales. Running a little late from work? Come directly to the meeting and enjoy some refreshments.

Vivat Jesus,
Rich Steffens, Grand Knight
Cell: 201-481-8751

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Dates to Remember

Wed, 10/2 - Business Meeting

Sat, 10/5 - ALZ-NJ Walk in JC

Wed, 10/16 - Business Meeting

Sat, 10/26 - Oktoberfest

Sat, 11/16 - 50's - 60's Dance

Last Call!!!!



Alzheimer's
Walks this fall
around the state.
Come out to
Liberty State
Park on Oct 5th

and walk for our brother knights who are suffering from this disease or who have succumbed and have gone home to our Lord. Sign up or make donations-tax deductible under:
"Team Columbus"

<https://alznj.akaraisin.com/ui/walktofightalzheimers2019/team/217948>

**Please send photos
and articles to:**

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<http://www.kofc12769.org>**

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

I'm pleased to announce that our Knight of the Month for August is Lecturer Charlie Schumacher! Charlie is the backbone of our Council. He is the architect of our website and of our Monthly Newsletter, gathering information and photographs from the beginning of the month until the end to keep our Brother Knights well informed. He downloads the newsletter on our site and emails it to all our members. He also brings copies to our meeting for those members who do not have access to email. Charlie is a valuable asset to me as Grand Knight, sending out blast emails on short notice to inform the Council of important upcoming events. As Council Lecturer, he performs his position extremely well. He's our Council's conscience, reminding us at every meeting of the importance in having our Rosary with us at all times and giving us a sharp preview of important dates looming on the horizon. In Charlie's modest way, he helped to provide the resources and workmanship necessary to install new lighting in the Church cafeteria. Charlie has dedicated many years to our parish. He possesses the character and integrity that is an example of what every Knight should be. It is my hope that the State Council will consider Charlie for State Knight of the Month.

Vivat Jesus!

Rich Steffens, Grand Knight

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***Have you paid your dues?
At \$20 per year, it's truly a bargain!***

Contact Richard Marrero, FS
richardmarrero@yahoo.com

The 200 Club is here! First run is October 4th and ends on February 14th. Please see Sal Manente Sr. for your numbers. He has a list of those who took part in the club from last time give him a call and he can let you know how many you may have. Send either a check made out to the Council or pay Sal when you see him.

Are you a member of one of our round tables? **Please read this:**

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

**Those who put
everything in
God's hand
will eventually
see God's hand
in everything.**



Are you afraid to carry your rosary because it might break? Come to the next meeting and receive a free "Rosary Ring" to keep in your pocket or on your key ring!



GK Rich with DGK Steve, Ryan, Anthony, John Niznik and Mike Dalpozo manned the Knights table at the car show. We gave out bouncy balls to the kids and child ID kits to the parents. We sold some tickets to the Oktoberfest as well. It was a good day of promoting the Knights and what we stand for. Helping people!

There are more of last months activities on the next page ----->

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The judges are on the field!



Contestants at the ready



Silas kicks!

Soccer photos by Chris Brillantes



Fr. Rolando and parishioners of Immaculate Conception Church process around the church grounds to celebrate the birthday of the Blessed Mother. It ended with the Parish Feast in the parking lot.



All the News that Fits We Print!