



Knights Timely News

**Knights of Columbus
St. John Mary Vianney
Council 11408**



April 2008

Calling all Knights . . . Elections for the 2008—2009 Fraternal Year

Elections Committee being formed at April General Meeting

Election of Officers for the 2008—2009 Fraternal year will take place at our May General Meeting. The Elections Committee will be formed at our April General meeting. The committee will form a slate of Officers that will be announced in our May Newsletter and presented at the May General meeting.

Our current Grand Knight, Clark Gaines, and Deputy Grand Knight, Jim Caldwell, have decided not to serve as officers for the up-coming Fraternal year. This means the Elections Committee will be tasked with finding Brother Knights to fill these important positions. The committee will not be sitting back and waiting for people to step up, they will be aggressively searching and contacting our membership, asking for your commitment.

To understand the commitment and the duties of the Officers a brief description of is provided:

Grand Knight

The grand knight is responsible for the welfare of the council. He presides over council meetings, acts as an ex-officio member of all committees, appoints a membership and programming director, convenes officers for a monthly meeting, and ensures all necessary reports are submitted to the state and Supreme Council. He should also be aware of the council's financial status and ensure that his signature appears on all checks drawn. The grand knight is a member of the Advisory Board with general supervision of the council's Columbian Squire circle.

Deputy Grand Knight

The deputy grand knight is second in command. He assists the grand knight with council affairs and fulfills all duties assigned to him by the grand knight. Should the grand knight be absent from a council meeting, the deputy grand knight will preside. He is chairman of the council's retention committee and also a member of the Advisory Board charged with overseeing the council's sponsored Columbian Squires circle.

Chancellor

The chancellor has a variety of responsibilities. Primarily, he assists the grand knight and the deputy grand knight in the execution of their duties and oversees the council in both their absences. He is charged with strengthening the members' interests in council activities. The chancellor is chairman of the admission committee and a member of the Columbian Squires circle ceremonial team.

Recorder

The recorder is similar to a court reporter or a secretary. He is responsible for maintaining a true record of all actions of the council and it's correspondence.

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Crab Feed April 19th



Knights Monthly Rosary

**Thursday April 10th March 13th at 7:30pm
in the Chapel**

Crab Feed Update

**We still need help with Serving and Clean-up
Expect a call from the your Crab Feed Committee.**

OR

Don't wait for the call, call Mark at 206-979-7634



2007 –2008 Officers

- Chaplin: Rev. Michael Wright
Grand Knight: Clark Gaines
Financial Secretary: Darryl Zaccaria
Deputy Grand Knight: Jim Caldwell
Chancellor: Tom Marier
Treasurer: Marcus Dunsmore
Recorder: Joe Loutsis
Advocate: Steve Eggerman
Warden: Gil Balancio
Inside Guard: Curt Dooley
Outside Guard: Terry Swain
1 Year Trustee: Jim Vaughn
2 Year Trustee: Bill Prah
3 Year Trustee: Glen Rollman

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Program Director Jim Caldwell can be reached at:

425-488-4109 or
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Jeff Schumacher at 425-344-5905 or
Jeff@SeattleKofC.com

Grand Knight's Message

Is winter ever going to end? We need some warmer weather to thaw out all that crab! Speaking of crab, if you haven't bought tickets yet, please do. Many of the Knights and their wives are planning to attend.

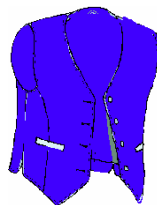
At this month's meeting on Thursday, April 18th we will be forming the nominating committee for the election of officers at our May meeting. Tom Marier and Marcus Dunsmore will be heading up the nominations committee, so if you want to be part of it, just let them know.

There are still a number of events on our schedule that we need your help with including the Crab Feed (Mark Volpe, chairman), Flowers on Mother's Day (Bill Prah, chairman), and the Golf Tournament (Clark Gaines, chairman). Please contact the appropriate guy, if you'd like to help out.

Our annual scholarship program is under way under Ron Smith's leadership. Applications for graduating seniors can be gotten in the parish office. The Columbian Squires is still in formation, so if you know any boys 10 to 18 in the parish, contact Curt Dooley, our Youth Director.

Thanks to those who attended the Knights Lent Rosary and the Knights Pro-Life events this last month. Your support is appreciated.

Vivat Jesus,
Clark, GK



Knights of Columbus Vests still Available !!

Contact Tom Marier at 206-363-4465

Remember our Seminarians Send them a wish of support

Jeffrey Lewis
Catholic University of America
401 Michigan Avenue NE
Washington DC 20017

Mr. Eduardo Barragan
Mt. Angel Seminary
P.O. Box 563
St. Benedict, OR 97373

Remember in Your Prayers

Sick and/ or Disabled:

Debra Burke

Dave Bassen

Joe Rollman, (Glen's brother)

Vic Dalusag

Leon Kuijper

Vern Endres

Joseph Daniel

Avelina Calonge

Andrew Volpe

Shirley Dooley

Lolly Prah



March's K of C Family of the Month

The Zimmerman Family

Tony and Dee

Joe and Dee are charter members of our Parish and have been volunteering since day one. Joe is currently on the Facilities committee and chairman of the grounds clean-up. He recently organized the spring clean-up that had our Parish grounds looking spectacular for the Easter season. Dee, spouse for 39 years, is also active in the church community and volunteers time with the St. Vincent DePaul ministry.

Congratulations Tony and Dee



Knight of the Month For March

Brother Knight

Gil Balancio

Gil has been selected as our Knight of the month for March. Gil is our current Warden and fulfills his Knightly duties with a very positive attitude. Gil has assisted in all of the Knights activities, especially with the monthly Rosary. He also participates in the Rosary put on by our Pilipino community. He would like to see more of his Brother Knights at our monthly Rosary.

Congratulations Gil.



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Financial Secretary

The financial secretary is appointed by the supreme knight, upon recommendation of the council. His main area of responsibilities is maintaining all financial and membership records. He collects and receives all moneys from all sources, including annual dues from council members. He also handles supply orders for the council officers and members, filing the Report of Officer, and submitting all membership transactions to the Supreme Council.

Treasurer

The treasurer is responsible for the safekeeping and maintaining records of all council funds and accounts. He is responsible for depositing money into the council's accounts and provides a certificate of such monies to the grand knight. He is also responsible for payment of all expenses.

Advocate

The advocate is the legal representative of the council and serves as the council's attorney at trials and investigations of any interest to the council. While he does not need to be a member of the legal profession, he should be familiar with the council by-laws, the Order's Charter, Constitution and Laws, Methods of Conducting a Council Meeting, and Robert's Rules of Order.

Council Web Site
<http://kofc.sjvkirkland.org>

Warden

The warden is the 'watchdog' for council property and degree paraphernalia, except the property of the financial secretary, treasurer and recorder. He is also responsible for setting up the council chambers for meetings and ceremonial work. During ceremonial exemplifications, he will appoint and supervise guards.

Inside & Outside Guards

The guards have similar responsibilities, but distinct differences. The outside guard tends to the outer door admitting visitors and members to the inner door. Once at the inner door, the inside guard checks to make sure that their membership cards are current.

Board of Trustees

The board of trustees consists of three members elected by the council and the grand knight, who serves as chairman of the board. They oversee the work of the financial secretary and treasurer, and with the deputy grand knight serve on the council's retention committee. During council elections, only the three-year trustee is voted on, with the others moving on to become two and one-year trustees, respectively.

**Congratulations
 Kramer Taylor
 on your 2nd place finish
 at the State K of C
 Free Throw competition**





**Knights of Columbus
Council 11408 - St. John Vianney
Schedule of Events
for the remainder of the
2007–2008 Fraternal Year**



New Events in Red

APRIL

April 10 – Knights Rosary in Chapel – 7:30 PM

April 17 – Officer/Council Meeting – 7:00 PM

April 19 – 2nd Annual Knights Crab Feed

April 25 - Poker Party (Scholarship Fund) 7:00PM - Glen Rollman's home

MAY

May 4 – Pancake Breakfast/Recruiting

May 8 – Knights Rosary in Chapel – 7:30 PM

May 11 – Flowers for Mom's on Mother's Day

May 15 – Officer/Council Meeting (Council Elections for new officers) – 7:00 PM

May 18 – 1st Annual KOC St. John Vianney Golf Tournament

JUNE

June 12 – Knights Rosary in Chapel – 7:30 PM

June 20 - Poker Party (Scholarship Fund) 7:00PM - Brian Lampe's home

June 19 or 21 – End of Year Picnic Meeting (time to be determined)



April 2008

April K of C Highlights

Thursday
April 10th
Knight's Rosary
7:30pm
Chapel

Thursday
April 17th
Monthly Meeting
Officers/General
7:00pm
Room 6

Saturday
April 19th
2nd Annual
Crab Feed
Dinner
6:30pm
Social Hall

Friday
April 25th
Poker Party
Glen Rollman's' Home
7—11pm

Coming in May

- Pancake Breakfast
- Monthly Rosary
- Monthly Meeting
- KofC St John Vianney Golf Tournament

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10  Knight's Rosary 7:30pm Chapel	11	12
13	14	15	16	17  Officer's & General Meeting 7:00pm Room 6	18	19 Crab  Feed
20	21	22	23	24	25  Poker Party Glen Rollman's Home 7:00pm 11:00pm	26
27	28	29	30			