



KNIGHT LIFE



EDWARD DOUGLASS WHITE COUNCIL 2473

ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA

August 2017

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Number 2

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Aug 3..... EDW-CCA Meetings LL 7:30 pm
- Aug 3..... LUK MeetingCH 7:30 pm
- Aug 4..... Crab FeastMH 6:30 pm
- Aug 10..... Officer & Chairmen MeetingCH 7:30pm
- Aug 8-10 .. Carroll Valley Golf Trip
- Aug 14..... Golf Club at Raspberry Falls 9:00am
- Aug 15..... Feast of the Assumption
- Aug 17..... 2nd EDW Meeting is canceled!
- Aug 22..... CCA Board MeetingCH 7:00 pm
- Aug 28..... Golf Club at Herndon..... 9:00am
- Aug 28..... CJB 4th Degree Assembly LL 7:00 pm
- * Every Sunday we pray the Rosary at 12:30 within Mary's Circle. If it's raining we move inside the mansion
- ** Family Breakfast & Supper Club are on hiatus in August



LABOR DAY

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2017

MASS & PICNIC

Mass – 11:00 AM – Paradise Ballroom

Picnic – Noon - 6:00 PM Council Grounds

Picnic Menu

Grilled BBQ Ribs..... \$10.00

BBQ ¼ Chicken..... \$ 8.00

BBQ Beef Sandwich..... \$ 8.00

Italian Sausage & Peppers \$ 8.00

Hot Dog..... \$ 3.00

All selections served with corn on the cob, coleslaw, baked beans and chips.

FAMILY OF THE MONTH

This month I would like to recognize the (very) extended Louis Hargenrader family. Brother Hargenrader passed away suddenly on the 26th of July, and was a 67-year member of the Knights of Columbus and a long-time Red Coat. Louis, aged 86, and known to all for his boundless energy, was out mowing the lawn when he left us. Only the day before (Sunday) he had been ushering at St. John the Beloved, and bringing the coffee and donuts for the post-Mass social, as was his custom. His four children, Louis Jr., George, Carol and John arrived with their children from as far away as Alaska. I believe the count of grandchildren who were present for the reception (held in the EDW Main Hall) numbered sixteen, but there were so many family members! Throughout the events held to honor Louis (Mass, Visitation/Rosary, Interment, Reception), his sons made sure their mother (Helen) was able to participate from home hospice via the miracle of the internet. All the Knights of EDW share the loss of our brother, and will keep him, and all of you in our prayers.

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

OK, this really isn't just about a Brother Knight. But it is about an EDW Council Home "plank owner" as they say in the sea services, and an incredible marriage. I was introduced to Lucas Gallegos and his lovely wife, Earlene, by Steve Libera at the Hargenrader reception. Lucas, was once a local businessman who owned a few bakeries, most notably Lee Bakery and Caterers in North Arlington at Cherrydale, then moving to the Chesterbrook Shopping Center on Old Dominion in McLean. He told me he was an EDW member when the council moved from Clarendon to the current location at 5115 Little Falls Road in 1951, and that he opposed the council plan because he thought the property was too expensive! I was so amazed to find a man and woman still going strong and speaking of life in the area before the move to our iconic council home, that I forgot to ask them how long they'd been married. When I got home, a quick internet search told me what I needed to know. A Catholic Herald article from 9/05/2012 was written to honor these long-time residents of McLean, who were then celebrating their 70th wedding anniversary (they were married August 1st, 1942!). This means that Lucas and Earlene are celebrating their 75th on the 1st of this month! EDW honors you both on this wonderful milestone.

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GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE



Thanks to all who helped make our 4th of July celebration a great success! Special thanks to Fr. Joe, who said our installation Mass, and joins us once again as our EDW Chaplain. Many thanks also to our worthy District Deputy, Thom Galvin, who ensured we had a proper installation ceremony. I know how much attention to detail goes into these events, and how busy it is this time of year for Thom and Marijo with all the activity at the Deep End. Our new council officers hardly missed a beat and were out of coats and ties and were soon having fun at the picnic and pool. Like our worthy DD, some were off to serve others and support our council and club. Our worthy Outside Guard Chris Hudson was one of these. Chris pulled a quick change and took the first shift at our KOVAR beer tent. Joining Chris in this fundraising effort were Bob Wear, Mark Stoffel, Ken "Get your BEER here!" Metcalfe, Karen Hwei, Pete Andriole, Brett Smith, Jude Franklin, Jason Kalafat, John Neville and Tom "two shifts" Stanley. Our first two KOVAR tent events this year have raised well over \$1,000.00 for our charity that assists Virginians with intellectual disabilities, including strong support for Special Olympics.

Despite some brief showers and lightning that cleared the pool for almost an hour, the weather was otherwise picture perfect. Many of our picnic goers took shelter under tents, in the Deep End and in the Council Home, and when the storm passed, the picnic grounds were as busy as ever. Once again, our Columbus Club staff outdid themselves hosting yet another excellent family event.

The weekend following the 4th of July, the KofC Virginia State Organizational meetings for the new fraternal year were held at St. Leo the Great parish in Fairfax. Installation Mass and ceremony for our state officers and district representatives followed. Our District 29 representatives are once again EDW Past Grand Knights: District Deputy Thom Galvin, and District Warden Art Gamotis.

On a personal note, I was born in downtown Los Angeles, and most of my siblings were born in Queen of Angels Hospital in the LA metropolitan area. The mega-city now known as Los Angeles was once the small village of "El Pueblo de Nuestra Señora la Reina de los Ángeles." Translated, that means "the town of Our Lady Queen of the Angels." This is one of the wonderful titles of our Blessed Mother that follow from the great Solemnity of the Assumption that we celebrate this month.

Our Lady Queen of Knights, and Queen of Heaven, pray for us!

Vivat Jesus!

Joseph Thomas Baker

Grand Knight

SICK AND IN OUR PRAYERS

Please remember the following members and their families in your daily prayers. If you have time, give them a call or drop them a note.

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September 17, 2017
 9:00 AM - 12:00 Noon

- Omelets Cooked to Order*
- Belgium Waffle Station*
- Scrambled Eggs*
- Sausage Links*
- Sausage Patties*
- Bacon*
- Corned Beef Hash*
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- Sausage Gravy*
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COUNCIL OFFICER INSTALLATION

The Installation of Officers for the new fraternal year was conducted in the Lower Lounge after Mass on the 4th of July. Those installed by District Deputy Thom Galvin included:

Grand Knight – Joe Baker, Chaplain – Fr. Joe Giordano, Deputy Grand Knight – John Rovinski, Jr., Chancellor – David Nassar, Financial Secretary – Bill Wester, Treasurer – Jim Tuomey, Recorder – Jim Saenz, Advocate – Charles Feghali, Warden – Jon Casey, Guards – Chris Hudson and Scott Wanek, and Trustees – Chris Bannon, John White, and Art Gamotis.



Newly installed EDW Officers flank the red jacketed 29th District Deputy Thom Galvin (1 to r): Outside Guard Chris Hudson, Advocate Charles Feghali, Trustee Art Gamotis, Chancellor David Nassar, Warden Scott Wanek, Grand Knight Joe Baker, Trustee John White, Financial Secretary Bill Wester, Deputy Grand Knight John Rovinski, Jr., Chaplain Fr. Joe Giordano, and Trustee Chris Bannon

THE FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

Tuesday, August 15th, is the Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, and a Holy Day of Obligation. As Pope Pius XII writes in his Apostolic Constitution *Munificentissimus Deus* (11/1/1950):

“Hence the revered Mother of God, from all eternity joined in a hidden way with Jesus Christ in one and the same decree of predestination, immaculate in her conception, a most perfect virgin in her divine motherhood, the noble associate of the divine Redeemer who has won a complete triumph over sin and its consequences, finally obtained, as the supreme culmination of her privileges, that she should be preserved free from the corruption of the tomb and that, like her own Son, having overcome death, she might be taken up body and soul to the glory of heaven where, as Queen, she sits in splendor at the right hand of her Son, the immortal King of the Ages.”





LADIES U-KNIGHTED NEWS Jo Balsamo Wood

Ladies U-Knighted would like to thank everyone who stopped by our tent and purchased delicious home-made baked goods on July 4. We will be back again on Labor Day with some more goodies to tempt your palate. Please stop by our tent for a visit, check out what we have to offer or just to say hello!

Save the Date and mark your calendars – Open to Everyone. This year’s Halloween party will be held in the Old Council Home on Oct 28.

We are always looking for new members to join the fun and LUK wants to welcome our newest member, Ms. Jamie Booth. Jamie likes to cook and bake and will be a big asset to our group during bake sales and parties. Ladies U-Knighted meets at 7:30pm at the Old Council Home on the first Thursday of each month. If you or your friend or family member are interested in joining, please stop by for a meeting. Follow us on Facebook at Ladies U-Knighted.

EDW BLOOD DRIVE ON OCTOBER 15TH

Thank you to all of the donors who turned out at our June Blood Drive and made it a big success. With 41 donors, the number of lives that were saved or protected by our members and families is a true reflection of our council’s commitment to life. EDW will host 3-4 annual blood drives and our goal is to routinely receive 80 or more donations. We plan to accomplish this through strengthening the Council’s relationship with our surrounding parishes as well as getting the word out to our members and pool community. Further, we will provide a reliable and convenient opportunity to regularly donate blood and save lives by coordinating the drives with traditional EDW events such as family breakfasts. In addition to advertising in the Knight Life and posting information around the campus, we will publish the drives in our parish bulletins and staff sign up tables following masses at each parish prior to the drives. You may schedule a donation on-line at:

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PAST GRAND KNIGHTS' PICNIC

The Annual Edward Douglass White Past Grand Knights' Picnic was held June 25th at the pavilion. Grand Knight Chris Bannon passed the traditional Saegmuller Stein to incoming Grand Knight Joe Baker as Chris prepared to join the ranks of EDW PGK's. Many thanks to our new Deputy Grand Knight John Rovinski for assisting with the planning and invitations.



Past Grand Knights (l to r): James Walthall, Thom Galvin, John White, Jerry Garren, and Ken Goss, Jr. are joined by incoming GK Joe Baker, Immediate Past Grand Knight Chris Bannon, Deputy Grand Knight John Rovinski, Jr., Chancellor David Nassar and Inside Guard Scott Wanek.



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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GOLF CLUB NEWS - PART I*

The K of C Golf Group is looking for a few good men. If interested, call Larry O'Brien at 703-978-5651 (evenings and weekends).

Special thanks to our exalted president Warren Kaufman, George Copey, Gene Meale, Lou Lane and Joe Capello for all their hard work and for what they have done for our group. Warren has been exchanging emails with members and handling the check-ins at dailies among other things; George has been handling the financial side and check-ins; Lou has been handling our out-of-town trips; Gene has been handling check-ins and assisting in too many ways to note here; and Joe has been our ombudsman. The next time you see them, thank them for all they do. Some say no one ever asked them to thank them, but I'm asking you to do so now.

Upcoming out-of-town trips include Carroll Valley (August 8-10) and Shenvalee (September 5-7). Prospective members should note that you can attend one or more dailies or trips. One member is trying to see if we can get a group discount by having our ball retrievers regripped.

We had 42 golfers at Prince William and the weather couldn't have been better. Closest to the pin winners were J. Sinclair, Obert and Darrell Gott. South Riding had cloud cover, and with the usual shotgun start, we didn't see any rain until about the fourth hole. Closest to the pin were Brian Gunn, Dick Higdon and Bob Brever. Unfortunately, we were rained out at Forest Greens.

* Editor's note: This article was written for the July Knight Life, but was lost due to the departure of our previous Editor and the transition of Council Officers

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K OF C GOLF CLUB NEWS - PART II

BY LARRY O'BRIEN

Our trip to Shenvalee included good weather and great golf. The first day was Creek to Olde. Closest to the pin included George Copey on Hole No. 3, Creek; Warren Kaufman on Hole No. 7, Creek; Warren Kaufman again on Hole No. 4, Creek; and Dick Ryan on Hole No. 6, Olde. Blind Bogey winners at 76 each included Jack Sinclair, Jack Creamer and Larry O'Brien. Low gross and low net included: (A) Warren Kaufman, (B) Dick Ryan, (C) John Stockman and (D) John Curtis. Captains' Choice winners, in this order, were Warren Kaufman, Joe Capello, Lou Lane and Harvey (the fictitious rabbit from the Jimmy Stewart movie - our groups allow a team member to hit twice in a threesome to round out a full team or a foursome). Second place included Bob Brever, Danny Mansuy, Larry O'Brien and John Curtis. Tying for second place were Jack Sinclair, Dick Ryan, Bob Hughes and Jack Creamer. Third place included Dick Higdon, Jim Graham, John Stockman and George Copey. The fourth-place team had some light drama by removing its captain during the course of play in the first recorded mutiny in our group's history at Shenvalee. We agreed that what happens at the course stays at the course. Translated, that means we can't disclose that Dick Higdon was replaced with John Stockman by team members Jim Graham and George Copey (oops!). Many played another nine holes, and we finished just minutes before the beginning of a thunderstorm.

Closest to the pin at 1757 on June 19th were Lou Lane, Hole No. 7, Darrell Goff, Hole No. 14, Art Gamotis, Hole No. 16, and Kevin Neyland, Hole No. 18. At Bristow Manor, it was Jerry Sall, Hole No. 3, Fuzzy Collier, Hole No. 8, Bob Brever, Hole No. 11 and Bill Timmons, Hole No. 14.

Note that the dailies in August at both Raspberry Falls and Herndon include free range balls.

SECOND MEETING IN AUGUST IS CANCELED

At our July 6 meeting, as we traditionally do each year, all present voted unanimously to cancel our second monthly meeting in August. Please note that the council home will be open that evening.



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