

Knights of Columbus Meeting  
Fr. Joseph Boylan, Jr. Council #15175  
October 4, 2011

The Council was called to order at 7:00 pm

The roll of officers was called and noted as follows (P – Present; A – Absent):

Chaplain (Monsignor Ward)	A	Financial Secretary (Jeff Furler)	P	Inside Guard (Tony McCauley)	A
Grand Knight (John Fruin)	P	Treasurer (Tim Abel)	P	Outside Guard (Terry Cochran)	P
Deputy Grand Knight (Joe Klingler)	P	Lecturer (Dan Hunt)	P	Trustee (Jim Woodward)	A
Chancellor (Dan Lamboley)	P	Advocate (Jeff Lopez)	P	Trustee (Kevin Cook)	A
Recorder (Luke Filosa)	A	Warden (Mark Rayburn)	P	Trustee (Roger Nalewajka)	A

The Opening Prayer was the Our Father.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all members present.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were sent via email and paper copies were available. The following additions were to be added to the September 20 meeting minutes:

- Jason Bramley and the service he provides to the Knights of Columbus.
- Add Rich Staley to the volunteer list for Pancake and Sausage Breakfast Committee.

The Treasurer reported as follows:

Tim Abel presented the Treasurer's report. The Council ended the month of September with an ending balance of \$9,005.15. Total cash receipts of \$9,864.99 and total disbursements of \$5,381.84.

We are estimating about a \$3,000 profit from the golf outing. The Council thanks Luke Filosa, Jeff Lopez, Tim Abel, and Dan Lafayette for all their work with spearheading the outing. Thank you to Jeff Furler for donating the time share to the Ozarks...it went in an auction and raised \$450.

Do we include the profits made from other things that took place during the golf outing and then use this towards the proceeds that go to the church? Guy DiCiaula made a motion to include all profits in our 10% gift to the Parish. Chad Baldwin seconded the motion. The motion was approved by a vote of the members present.

The following committees reported:

Baseball game went well. There will be another opportunity next year for the Council to attend a Cardinals game.

The soccer outing resulted in 5-6 kids showing up. Each kid won their division. The kids advance now to the regional competition...maybe in Ottawa. If kids do well there, they will move onto State.

Church grounds cleanup resulted in 10-11 guys showing up. The group cleaned up corn husks, trimming of some bushes, chopping down of two trees.

Thinking about having another highway clean-up before it gets too cold.

Breakfast update...Jeff sent out a notice to the committee to start planning.

Dan Lamboley reported on the following membership activities –

We will have membership drives after Masses the weekends of Nov. 6 and Nov. 13....sign-up sheet for volunteers to man the table will be available at the next meeting

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11/15 – We will conduct a 1<sup>st</sup> Degree Initiation beginning at 6:00 p.m.

10/20 – 1<sup>st</sup> Degree at Bloomington Council...candidates be there at 6:45 p.m.

10/30 – Major Degrees at Peoria

11/13 – Major Degrees at Lincoln

Dan also reported that an on-line order form for selected apparel from Select Screen should be available this week. Orders will need to be placed by Oct. 19.

Unfinished business was taken up and disposed of as follows:

Lesson learned from the golf outing...missed a potential sponsor due to the timing of the outing.

The following new business was brought up:

Paul Rayburn addressed the Council on behalf of the Bloomington/Normal Young Catholics which represent young Catholic couples and unmarried Catholics between the ages of 22-35. They started meeting as a group with most parishes represented in town. A cookout in August resulted in 40 people showing up and a Facebook® following has about 75 people. The group is planning an event in October and asking the council for a donation of \$100. The Council will have its name on advertisements for this. Chad Baldwin made a motion to provide \$100 to the Bloomington/Normal Young Catholics. Joe Klingler seconded the motion. The motion was approved by a vote of the members present.

Deacon Pool: Plea for help with RCIA to get more sponsors. Currently have about 8-12 candidates. Attendance requirements involve participation in RCIA classes after the 9:00 Mass, every Sunday morning from 10:15 – 11:15. The first rite is coming up and would like to have candidates and sponsors meet before this. Jeff Furler gave his perspective on RCIA as he has sponsored three candidates.

Lecturer Dan Hunt: Dan Deneen will provide estate planning planned for the October 18 meeting. From this meeting we would have Jason Bramley come to talk more to the council about a few of the items covered by Dan.

Welcome to Chad Baldwin who is transferring from the Normal Council.

The District Deputy reported as follows: On the state web-site there is a list of approved organizations the Council can donate money made from the tootsie roll sales to. Special education organizations and schools would be good organizations to consider, and there are several in the community to consider. Part of what the Council makes (10%) goes to the state, which is then sent organizations throughout the state. The rest still goes to the state and they will funnel to the selected organizations we designate.

Closing Prayer was the Hail Mary.

Respectfully Submitted by,

Dan Lamboley, Chancellor