

# KNIGHTLY NEWS

Knights of Columbus - Council 11187



## Dear Brother Knights By: Joe Rossi, Grand Knight

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### APRIL ACTIVITIES

7—9:00AM First Saturday Mass, 10:00AM Officer's Meeting  
Easter Egg Hunt at the Shelter House

15—EASTER SUNDAY

24— Social Meeting 8PM at Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal—  
Euchre Tourney

### MAY ACTIVITIES

4—5 MEASURE-UP CAMPAIGN

5—9:00AM First Saturday Mass, 10:00AM Officer's Meeting

14—8:00PM Business Meeting

21—First Degree 8PM

28—Social Meeting 8PM

During the month of February I, and many others were saddened by the loss of two good friends, Monsignor Steve Hawkins and Bob Snider. I had known, worked and golfed with both Monsignor Steve and Bob for many years. I consider it my very good fortune to have known these two outstanding Catholic gentlemen and they will be sorely missed.

The council is considering various means of honoring their memories. Committees have been assigned to look into some options that may be available to us. More information will be forthcoming in future newsletters.

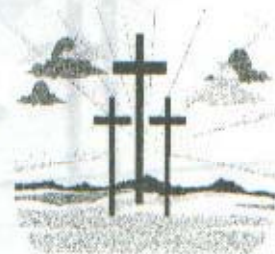
I am proud to report that your Council

is on track to achieve Star Council rating this year. This is a result of all the hard work of the officers, the committee chairmen and a membership that

is always willing to help as needed. **Let's keep up the good work !**

On Sunday, March 18th a state-wide first degree was held at Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Grove City. Members of our Council First Degree Team participated in the event and

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**"He is risen"**

## Annual Pancake Breakfast Success

By: Bud Joos

Pancake Breakfasts for this fiscal year exceed expectations. In our proposed budget for the year 2000—2001, we projected that the cash profit from this project would be \$2541.00 based on the previous years and expanding to four breakfasts instead of three.

We had a cash profit this year of \$3458.00, some \$900.00 more that projected.

I want to thank all the Knights and espe-

cially my co-chairs Bogomir Glavan and Fred Barwick for all the enthusiasm that was exhibited by the council. I never had to beg for help because there were many fellow knights that asked to help. We are the best council!

**Bud Joos,**

DGK

HAPPY  
EASTER

### Special Olympics Donations allows bowler to achieve her dreams



Thank you so much for your generous donation to Pickerington Special Olympics. I appreciate all of the effort each of you put in to raising the money. Enclosed is a picture of the switch operated bowling ramp I purchased with part of the money. It has given this athlete an opportunity that she would not have had without your support. I can not tell you how excited she gets each time her bowling

ball rolls down the ramp. Thank you so much!

*Heidi Cornhill*

*Thank you for purchasing the switch operated bowling ramp for Pickerington Special Olympics.*

*Beth is enjoying bowling!*

*Thank you  
Jeff & Sandy Wells  
Beth*

### Motion to aid Mugagga Trip

At the March business meeting, Ray Creamer made a motion asking for \$500.00 to be donated to assist with expenses for Mugagga's trip to Seton Parish this summer. He is coming to share his priestly ministry with us this summer. The parish will be providing room, board and stipends; however help is needed

with his travel expenses.

You may also make a private donation by contacting Kathy Pione at (740) 927-3605.

### Dear Brother Knights

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our Council had three new members join that day. Chris Hall has done an excellent job as Membership Chairman and he reports that Dan Stephan, Chris Iversen and Ron Schubert have joined our ranks. Let's all make the new members feel welcome at the first opportunity.

vance to Third Degree at a ceremony held on Feb. 25th at OLPH. Congratulations go to Pat Cleary, Rick Humphries, Wayne Patterson, Mark Dembski, Gene Ebert, Tony Del Matto, John Letourneau and Dave McAllister for having advanced to the rank of Third Degree.

Len Fatica reports that the Clipper

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**HAPPY  
EASTER**

Our Council also had 8 members ad-

## Deputy Grand Knight's Challenge

By: Bud Joos

### What's Going On Out There!

As I write this, one news item of the day informs us that there is an outbreak of Foot and Mouth Disease in Great Britain. This animal disease report replaced the news item of two weeks ago about the discovery of Mad Cow Disease in Germany. The German nation thought that the precautions they were taking would bar the Mad Cow Disease from their country. But the disease did appear in Germany.

The United States created an agency in the early 1900's, which now operates as the USDA Plant and Animal Inspection Service (APHIS). This agency was charged to prevent certain untreatable diseases from being imported into this country. The focus of this agency has shifted over time from horse diseases to cattle, swine and poultry.

I attended the annual Ohio Veterinary Medical Association meeting last month and while attending the outbreak of Foot and Mouth disease was discovered in Great Britain. Most people are not aware nor does the media report that in the 1950's Foot and Mouth Disease was very common in Mexico. As the disease was considered a threat to our livestock in the southwest, the United States and Mexico cooperated to inspect all the cattle in Mexico and proceed on a slaughter/vaccination program to eliminate the disease in our border country. Of course there was local opposition in some areas because of religion and fears that the gringos were there to cause more oppression that already existed in their poor land. The overall results were beneficial

to Mexico. Not only did they now have cattle to sell for the American dollar, but the poor family had cattle, sheep and swine that were many times more productive since they were not lame and could barely eat enough to stay alive. The only good thing about Foot and Mouth Disease is that is not contagious to humans.

Another disease that was eliminated from cattle for some time was Bovine Tuberculosis. I was involved in the testing of cattle herds in my locality when I was in large animal practice. We thought that as of several years ago that we would not see this disease again in our livestock. But as of the past year the state of Michigan has lost their accreditation status as TB free. This time the disease was not shipped in, but the infection came for the white tail deer population.

It seems that even the best precautions sometimes are not enough. But the lesson to be learned from all of this is to be vigilant. There are many that stand vigilant that we may enjoy our abundant way of life. We too must be vigilant to always be ready for unexpected.

Now the challenge: are you being vigilant in your everyday living?

*St Luke, Chapter 12, Verse 38, "You also must be ready, because at an hour that you may not expect the Son of Man is coming"*

Your Deputy Grand Knight,

*Bud Joos.*



**"You also must be ready, because at an hour that you may not expect the Son of Man is coming"**

***Have You Purchased Any Kroger Food Certificates Lately?***

***Our Council Has Sold Over \$26,000 Worth Since November!***

***We Have Generated Over \$2200 In Earnings Thus Far!***



***Certificates Are Available In \$25 and \$50 Denominations.***

***They Are Available Many Times Throughout The Month:***

<b><i>First Saturday K of C Masses</i></b>	<b><i>Saturday</i></b>	<b><i>April 7</i></b>
<b><i>Business Meetings, 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday</i></b>	<b><i>Monday</i></b>	<b><i>April 9</i></b>
<b><i>Social Meetings, 4<sup>th</sup> Monday</i></b>	<b><i>Monday</i></b>	<b><i>April 23</i></b>
<b><i>1<sup>st</sup> Weekend Masses Of The Month</i></b>	<b><i>Sat/Sun</i></b>	<b><i>April 7&amp;8</i></b>
<b><i>3<sup>rd</sup> Weekend Masses Of The Month</i></b>	<b><i>Sat/Sun</i></b>	<b><i>April 21&amp;22</i></b>
<b><i>All K of C Functions:</i></b>		
<b><i>Lenten Fish Fry</i></b>	<b><i>Friday</i></b>	<b><i>March 30</i></b>

***Your Participation In This Program Is Appreciated!***

***The Following Brother Knights Can Answer Any Questions:***

<b><i>Mike Croyle</i></b>	<b><i>577-1731</i></b>	<b><i>Bob Ketchum</i></b>	<b><i>755-9328</i></b>
<b><i>George Williams</i></b>	<b><i>861-4109</i></b>	<b><i>Fran Vendetta</i></b>	<b><i>868-0609</i></b>

***Remember, Never Leave Home Without Them!!!***

# Monsignor Hawkins Memorial Golf League

Sponsored by Elizabeth Ann Seton K. C. Council # 11187, Pickerington, Ohio

**Where: Homestead Springs Golf Club**

**Starting date Thursday, April 26, 2001.**

**Ending date is Thursday, August 16, 2001.**

**Tee times 5:07 p.m. to 6 p.m.**

League is limited to 32 golfers.

Cost: \$11 per round plus a one-time charge of \$8.50 for prizes.

We pay for 17 rounds and get one round free.

\$187 plus \$8.50 = \$195.50

All interested golfers must contact J.B Boblett (614-856-1612) by April 10, 2001.

All those who were in the league last year will have first choice.

All rounds must be played on league day. It may be possible to play early if management can work you in. Management is not responsible for keeping any league records.

If there are any interested golfers in being subs let J.B. know.

All subs must have handicap rounds finished before substituting.

All payments must be made by April 15, 2001.

**All checks must be made payable to John Pizzuto, Treas.**

**Do not make the checks payable to the council. This is not a part of our council funds.**

***Our after-League Scramble is confirmed for September 8, 2001 at Homestead.***

***Tee times reserved for 28-32 golfers starting from***



**APRIL SOCIAL EVENT**

**Tuesday April 24, 2001**

**EUCHRE TOURNEY**

**AT**

**Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal  
Council 11188**

**At least 10 couples needed**

**Contact John Morrison for info and sign-up**



**GOLF  
LEAGUE  
2001**

## March Business Meeting

The motion which was reported in the last news letter regarding the scholarship fund was tabled at the April meeting. This was due to the formation of several committee's who will be researching alternative methods for this scholarship. Pat Cleary and Bob McNichol will be researching how we can set up a Vocational Scholarship in honor of Fr. Steve.

We also discussed the possibility of planting a tree with a memorial plaque to honor our deceased members. More to come regarding this issue.

Deputy Grand Knight Bud Joos is researching the possibility of adding Monsignor Hawkins name to our Council name. This would be an addition and would not remove St. Elizabeth Ann Seton from the name.

Joe Rossi informed us that our candidate for "Knight of the

Year" is Hector Raymond. Please give Hector your support and congratulations on this honor.

Joe also informed us that the "Wives Appreciation Dinner" is now renamed to the "Bob Snider Memorial Wives Appreciation Dinner". This is a fitting honor for the man who made this dinner so special for many years.

Please noted that the April Social meeting is a euchre tournament being held in conjunction with Council 11188—Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal- Brice, OH. We need approximately 10 couples. Contact John Morrison for details.

April 1st the Fourth Degree members of our Council will participate in the Confirmation services at Seton. They will be in full regalia.

John Hamilton mentioned that he needs help with the 2nd and 3rd Degree programs. You need to be at least a third degree Knight to participate. Contact John if you can help.

Greg Lowe (Lecturer) closed the meeting with a talk on Patriotism. Greg's talk got into the history of the pledge of allegiance. It was an excellent insight into the transformation of this honored pledge over the years. One interesting note from this talk was that the Knight of Columbus were instrumental in getting "One Nation, Under God" inserted into the pledge. Note we are also currently trying to add "Born and Unborn".

## Prayer Corner

Please keep the following people in your prayer this month;

Tim Bowie

Marie Morrison

Ed Loch

Joe Philapek

Larry and Barbara Pennington

Bill Cotter (deceased)

Betty Sanderell

Bob Mulholland





**Annual Easter Egg Hunt**  
**April 7, 2001 3:00PM**  
**Meet at the Shelter House**  
 (Rain Date will be following Saturday April 14—same time)

Thank you Knights



**Catholic Diocese of Columbus**

Church Ministry Vicariate  
 Office of Episcopal Vice  
 Delegate for Religious  
 614-228-2458

Mr. Joseph Rossi  
 Knights of Columbus Council #11187  
 352 Valley Lane  
 Pickerington, Ohio 43147

Dear Mr. Rossi:

As Grand Knight please convey our sincere gratitude to all the men of Council #11187 for their generous contribution of \$190 to the upcoming Vocation Discernment retreat to be held in July, 2001.

Bishop Griffin has also given us a generous gift of \$1,000. The Bishop's gift plus the generosity of the Knights of Columbus Councils throughout the area bring us to a little more than half of the monies needed to do this weekend.

The Team and I are now confident that by the time we get to our July date we will have all that we need for this effort. Donations are still coming in from Knights of Columbus Councils and we will charge each participant just a bit more than we did last year.

Thank you again for your response to our request. As we get closer to the date we will provide you with more information hoping that you will publicize the event in your area. We also list every participant know the groups, like yours, who assisted in making the weekend possible.

Let us all pray that God will make all our efforts in behalf of vocations bear fruit for the Diocese of Columbus.

Sincerely,  
*Sister Joan M. Harper, CDP*  
 5-21-01

Sister Joan M. Harper, CDP  
 Vicar for Church Ministry  
 Delegate for Religious

JSH/



A note to our fellow Knight's as the vacation season approaches. When on vacation you can access mass times, churches and directions on the web at [masstimes.com](http://masstimes.com).

This is great when you are traveling.

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*I, along with my family, express our sincerest heartfelt appreciation for the display of honor shown on behalf of my husband, Robert Snider. At times like this, words do not come easily, however words could never convey the gratitude I feel for the respect which the Knights of Columbus, Council 11187, has honored my husband with this past week.*

*Bob always talked highly of his association with the Knights of Columbus and of the men with whom he so eagerly served. It is touching to see that his involvement was truly appreciated, by those such as himself who so desire to model the Christian man through their involvement in the Knights of Columbus here at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton. The resolution which was read is a tribute to the wonderful organization to which Bob was so dedicated and so proud to be a part. Thank you for remembering our beloved with the daily masses.*

*Please know that all of your prayers and thoughts were very much appreciated.*

*Yours truly in faith,*

*Cora Snider & family*



*"The Lord will give strength unto His people: the Lord will bless His people with peace." PSALM 124: KJV*

## Dear Brother Knights

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Baseball ticket sales are doing OK. He would like to see better participation from the members. These tickets are a bargain, a \$5.00 general admission ticket for \$2.00. And you can use the ticket for any home game from opening day to June 8th. With a bargain like this everyone should be going to more than one game. **See Len for your tickets.**

We are planning an Easter Egg Hunt for the children of the Parish. Chairman Tony Long has made arrangements for the Easter Bunny to deliver the eggs for the hunt on April 7th. Look for more info on this event in the Church bulletin.

Last but not least, I have the distasteful task of reminding some of our brother Knights of their obligation to keep their membership dues current. At

the present time there are still over 50 members who have not paid their 2001 dues. Your Council has already advanced your membership dues to Supreme, the State and Chapter and your fellow Knights would appreciate your clearing up this matter. If you haven't paid your dues yet, now is the time to get a check to Dave Shaver via the church mail boxes or mailed to his office in Pickerington

Fraternally yours,

**Joe Rossi,**  
Grand Knight