

Council 12720 Minutes 05 Sept 2013

Regular meeting called to order by GK Steve Curcio.

Opening Prayer

Read by Rich Kramer, PGK Art Padilla and PGK John Saenz.

Roll Call

Absent: Agent Tom Sitzmann, Advocate Tom Pomeleo, Warden Doug Berg, Chaplain Fr. Gregory Ezeanya.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read. Luis Maal made a motion to accept the minutes as read, Al Pearson 2nd the motion, the Council voted and motion passed.

GK Report

GK Steve Curcio reminded the council of the 4th Degree Reverse Raffle in November; council gets 1/3 of the proceeds.

Correspondence: Email from Sarah Guarnere asking of the council's interest in sponsorship of the yearly calendar (bottom center). The cost estimate is \$665.00. Al Pearson made a motion to authorize GK Steve Curcio to follow through with the sponsorship up to the amount of \$800.00. Luis Maal 2nd the motion, council voted and motion carried.

Football Frenzy tickets are still available.

The council social will be 20 September 2013. GK Steve Curcio asked for ideas to increase attendance and expand the social.

Treasurer Report

The August breakfast net was \$413.00, and \$69.00 on the 50/50 raffle. The savings account balance is \$8994.32 and the checking account balance is \$1592.32.

Financial Secretary Report

Read by Dr. Cichon; Income to date \$6855.00 and expenses to date \$5130.13. YTD dues remain the same at \$2410.00.

Committees

Luis Maal reported that the Squires have been awarded the Brother Barnabas Award for the "Sloppers for Seminarians" event; only the top 25 Squire programs, Worldwide, are awarded this distinction. The award presentation will be at the 8am Mass, Sunday 15 September 2013. The council is asked to attend, to support the Squires; 4th Degree please wear tuxes & social baldrics, 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Degree wear white shirts/grey trousers/red ties/blue blazers.

Jay Baillargeon reported that the Alzheimer's Walk is Saturday, 7 September 2013. Please support the Squires by donating or walking. Donations can be made online.

Luis Maal reported that everything is in place and the Soccer Challenge will happening.

Luis Maal also reported that the State Meeting for Squires officers is Saturday, 14 September 2013, here at the Shrine of St. Therese.

Old Biz

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John Saenz reported that the Parish Festival will be Saturday, 5 October 2013 following the 4:30pm Mass. There will be a Mexican dinner and live Mexican music. Our council will be providing and preparing the food. Tickets are available from John.

DGK Jim Mathews reminded the council of the need for help setting up tables for the Parish Festival, Friday, 4 October 2013. Also, any large silent auction items that need to be picked up – the KofC can pick them up if notified.

PGK Dwight Scott reported that only two Knights of Columbus attended the Silver Rose Mass at the Shrine of St. Therese and an increased attendance at this and similar events would be nice.

New Biz

Luis Maal and Jay Baillargeon are developing a Pueblo KofC business owners directory. Please contact Luis or Jay to be included or for more information.

The Squires will be having a parking fundraiser in the Diocese Pastoral Center parking lot during the Chile Festival, 20-22 September 2013.

The Squires have tentatively planned a Grinder dinner to be held Friday, 18 October 2013 with the proceeds to support Seminarians.

District Deputy Report

Dennis Caporicci reported that if anyone needs the Field Agent's phone number, please see him and he'll give it to you.

Dennis Caporicci also reported that there needs to be clarification of new council member Brian Bissonnette.

Jay Baillargeon reported that there will be a Blue Mass, for first responder by the KofC, on 11 September 2013 at 12noon at St. Mary Help of Christians.

Good of the Order

Mrs. Cichon, in her recovery; Mrs. Potestio; the Caring Pregnancy Center and those that they help.

Closing Prayers

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