



Knighly News

A News Letter of the Knights of Columbus,
St. Mark of Highlands Ranch, 1498

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**The Next Regular Meeting is Thursday, May 4th, 2006
at St. Mark Catholic Church, 7 PM. Rosary at 6:30 PM**

Grand Knight's Message-Dan Lazzeri

Brother Knights,

We have just completed our Lenten and Easter activities. They were many and meaningful. We began with Friday fish fries, continued with Stations of the Cross, and completed with the first Divine Mercy Service at St. Mark. I applaud all of you for your service to our council and the community of St. Mark.

At our April business meeting, we will be reading the names of brothers that are stepping up to the challenge to lead our council for the next fraternal year. Some will act in the capacity of an officer for the councils and some will serve as a director of one of our several committees. It is not too late to volunteer! If you have interest in an officer position or as a committee director, I encourage you to contact Andy Michaud or myself.

Further opportunities exist to volunteer within our council. We have several committees that serve the Church, the community, family, youth and our council that would be appreciative of any and all help offered.

I ask that you pray for those that will lead us over the coming year and for those that have given their time and talents over the past year.

Vivat Jesus,

Dan

April 6, 2006 Meeting Minutes-

Minutes of the April 6, 2006 General Council Meeting, called to order at 6:35 PM by Grand Knight Dan Lazzeri

General:

- The roll of officers was called:

Present

Grand Knight – Dan Lazzeri; Deputy Grand Knight – Andy Michaud; Chancellor – Damon Franks; Treasurer – Dan Mortimer; Recorder – Paul Stege; Financial Secretary – Patrick McAllen; Advocate – Chet Elder; Warden – James Cooke; Inside Guard – Miles Gooderham; ; Outside Guard – Marc Solome
Trustee 1st Year – Brian Lefever; Trustee 2nd Year – Michael Beiriger

Excused

Chaplain – Fr. Larry Solan; Lecturer- Bernie Kuta; Trustee 3rd Year – Gene Solome

Absent

The minutes of the preceding meeting were approved as published.

Applications for Membership:

- Robert Siefker (Transfer)

Grand Knight's Report:

- Welcome to all the new First Degree Members.
- A special Thanks to all that helped with the Lenten Fish Fries. They were very successful. We aren't sure of the final tally, but it looks like we covered all our expenses and possibly a bit more.
- The 104th State convention is coming up. There are several resolutions that will be voted upon, please feel free to grab a copy, read them and give your opinion to the delegates.
- We received a message from the Pennies from Heaven committee; asking if we have sent our money, which we have.
- The officers have a new web site where they can access the officer reports. Please see Dan for details about accessing the site.
- There are some materials about the Fr. Michael J. McGivney Guild. The guild is supporting the

canonization of Fr. McGivney, the material is asking all Knights to join and support this effort.

- New Officer and committee chair openings coming, please prayerfully consider getting more deeply involved in serving your brothers. Anyone who has an interest should get with Andy Michaud. We will be reading the proposed office slate in May and voting in June.
- There is a special guest for HRCA coming at 8:00 for a presentation of a check and to provide us information and request our assistance in their efforts to serve the Therapeutic Recreation Program.
- We want to recognize the new 2nd and 3rd degree members.
- We also received some Thank you notes:
 - The Denver Catholic Biblical School for the Donation
 - Adam and Mandi Bauer, for the donation to HRCA, which funded a scholarship for their son to attend the HRCA Summer Sports camp.

Chaplain's Report: Fr. Larry

- None

Treasurer's Report: Dan Mortimer

- After the Fish Fries our balance is \$17,520.82

Receipts Read:

- Reimbursements –
 - o Dan M. FF Supplies \$12.60
 - o Dan L. FF Supplies \$898.63
 - o Damon FF Supplies \$247.13
 - o St. Mark Donuts \$160.00
 - o Paul Henderson Refund \$110.00
 - o Mike Brady Refund \$110.00
 - o Chubby's Burritos \$400.00
 - o Party America \$96.57
 - o Colorado State Conv. \$125.00
 - o Dan T. FF Supplies \$332.35
- Deposit –
 - o March Deposits \$956.50

Financial Secretary Report:

- None

Trustees Report:

- None

Chancellor Report:

- None

Committee Reports:

Membership – (Chris O'Reilly)

- Congratulations to all the new 2nd and 3rd degree members (Al Stapleton, Greg Staley, Bob Hay and John Park).
- The upcoming opportunities for advanced degrees are:
 - April 8th Pueblo

- May 20th Regis High School
- June 3rd Colorado Springs

Program Director (Andy Michaud)

- None

Council – (Dan Timmerman)

- Let thank Jack Doyle for all his help and wish him a Happy Birthday.
- Jack will be relocating to the Houston Area in May.
- Dan Timmerman has the Parish Priest book available for anyone that wants to borrow it.
- There will be no Donuts, Burritos or registrations this Month because of Easter.
- Thanks to John Parks for stepping up and taking the lead for donuts in March.
- Please remember to volunteer, "God does not call the enabled, he enables the called"

Family – (John Park)

- Because of the situation with the new space and the potential overflow the Kids Easter program will be canceled.

Community – (Al Stapleton)

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Church – (Al Schopp)

- Thanks to all that participated in the Lenten Stations of the Cross, we have had several comments about how well done it was.
- Thanks to all that assisted with the International Day of the Unborn. The crowd was small but powerful. A special thanks to Michael and Lorraine Bierger, we can all learn a lot from their care and devotion the unborn.
- Stations of the Cross on Good Friday. Please remember to attend.
- Please, Please, participate in all the HOLY WEEK activities. This is the most important week of the church calendar. I strongly urge everyone to attend the Holy Thursday Stations and Service, Easter Vigil. This is the first Easter in our new space please come celebrate.

Youth – (John Whattam)

- We currently have 8 applications for the scholarships
- We have been approached by the Boy Scouts and asked if we would charter a Venture Troup.
- We have been approached by some current College Freshmen that missed the scholarship opportunity and asked if we would consider offering them a scholarship.

Report of Standing Committees

First Degree Team (Dan Timmerman)

- Thanks again for another nice job.

Fourth Degree Report: (Jim Holton)

- We have 10 new members

- The fund raising activities are selling Creator Mundi – religious items once per quarter after masses.

Unfinished Business:

- Do we want to change the Council Name to John Paul II – **(Denied)**
- We revisited the \$500 donation to the youth trip **(Approved)**

New Business:

- Delegates for the State convention – Dan Lazzari, Brian Lefever, Alternates – Andy Michaud and Damon Franks **(Approved)**
- We should start to consider starting a Library **(Tabled for Future)**
- Request from current College freshmen for us to offer last years scholarship **(Denied)**
- Marvin spoke of the upcoming capital campaign, formal presentation at next meeting.

Fund Raising Committee (Paul Stege)

- No Report

Insurance Agent’s Report:

- Doug was offered a new position, one that he can’t pass up. This will be his last meeting (a record for us 4 meetings).
- Doug feels blessed to have gotten to know and to serve us. Thanks and congratulation on the upcoming Double Star Award.

District Deputy’s Report: (Ted Wolk)

- The 1st degree team did another good job, (what do the raps mean?)
- We need to get a picture of Columbus for the back wall.

Awards:

- Family of the Month – Terry & Sandy Sandrock
- Knight of the Month – Robert Hay

Under Good of the Order:

- Gene Solome
- Fr. Larry Solan
- Lawrence Solan Sr.
- Leonard Schumacher

Birthdays

Knight May Birthday’s

- George McCauley May 1
- Garrett Christnacht May 7
- James Cooke May 23
- Tom Neib May 28

Wife May Birthday’s

- Laurie Neib May 7
- Sandi Cooke May 8
- Eileen Desch May 12

May Anniversaries

- Manny and Laura Rosales May 18
- Dave Petteys and Pat White May 23
- George and Marianne McCauley May 25

St. Mark of Highlands Ranch, 1489, Council Officers and Directors

Chaplain	Fr. Larry Solan	720-348-9700
Grand Knight	Dan Lazzari	303-346-0695
Dep. Grand Knight	Andy Michaud	303-471-2409
Chancellor	Damon Franks	303-683-0162
Recorder	Paul Stege	303-470-5552
Treasurer	Dan Mortimore	303-683-2831
Advocate	Chet Elder	303-683-4575
Warden	James Cooke	303-346-8545
Inside Guard	Miles Gooderham	303-791-8846
Outside Guard	Marc Solome	303-791-2201
Trustee 1 st Year	Brian Lefever	303-791-9205
Trustee 2 nd Year	Michael Beiriger	303-683-3296
Trustee 3 rd Year	Gene Solome	303-791-2201
Financial Secretary	Patrick McAllen	303-683-2757
Lecturer	Bernie Kuta	303-346-8830
Membership Director	Chris O’Reilly	303-791-9120
Council Director	Dan Timmerman	303-683-0153
Family Director	John Park	303-683-3805
Community Director	Al Stapleton	720-344-2160

Church Director
Youth Director

Al Schopp
John Whattam

303-791-3322
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May 2006

Highlands Ranch Knights of Columbus

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4 Business Meeting 7 PM St. Mark, 6:30 PM Rosary	5	6 Beer & Brats Northridge Park 5:00 PM
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18 Fourth Degree Mtg 7 PM St. Mark	19	20 2nd and 3rd Degrees Foxfield (Regis HS) #12336
21 Doughnuts & Coffee, Breakfast Burritos, and the Information Booth 4th Degree Security Assembly	22	23 Planning Meeting 7 PM (TBD)	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

June 2006

Highlands Ranch Knights of Columbus

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Business Meeting 7 PM St. Mark 6:30 PM Rosary	2	3 Beer & Brats Northridge Park 5:00 PM 2nd and 3rd Degrees Col. Spgs. #582
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18 Doughnuts & Coffee, Breakfast Burritos, and the Information Booth	19	20	21	22	23	24
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July 2006

Highlands Ranch Knights of Columbus

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Beer & Brats Northridge Park 5:00 PM
2	3	4	5	6 Business Meeting 6:30 PM St. Mark First Degree Ceremony	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16 Doughnuts & Coffee, Breakfast Burritos, and the Information Booth	17	18	19	20 Fourth Degree Mtg 7 PM St. Mark	21	22 4th Degree Aurora, Assembly 2656
23	24	25 Planning Meeting 7 PM (TBD)	26	27	28	29
30	31					