

SENECA KNIGHTS NEWSLETTER

January 2015

Council 1769

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MAJOR DEGREE WORKS – 1ST, 2ND & 3RD DEGREES

The Seneca Knights of Columbus will be sponsoring a Major Degree Works at the Knights of Columbus Hall on March 13, 2016. If you took the first step in becoming a Knight this past year, or have been a 1st degree Knight for several years, now is your opportunity to move on to 2nd and 3rd degree status. **Take the next step to broaden your relationship within this fraternal order of Catholic men.** Also, if you know someone who has an interest in joining the Knights of Columbus, bring them to this event. Mark your calendars and save the date!

BUILDING COMMITTEE REORGANIZATION

The Knights of Columbus Hall “Building Committee” has been reorganized. The newly appointed committee members will serve two year terms and are allowed to stay on for two terms. Jim Runnebaum, Tom Kramer and Ross Plumberg will serve until January 1, 2017 and Dave Kramer, Sam Hutfles and Adam Niehues will serve until January 1, 2018. The new officers will be Jim Runnebaum, President, Dave Kramer, Treasurer and Adam Niehues, Secretary. Those retiring from the committee are Steve Stallbaumer, Glen Meyer and Arlen Henry. We wish to thank these men for their faithful years of service.

FREE THROW CONTEST WINNERS

The Annual Free-Throw Contest for all youth ages 9 to 14, was held January 10 at the Saints Peter and Paul School gymnasium. The participants included 17 boys and 7 girls. Listed below are those who have qualified to advance to the District Contest to be held at Sabetha in the High School Gym on February 14. The gym will be open at noon and the Contest will begin at 1pm.

Age 9 – Kate Bartkoski and Sam Nordhus
Age 11 – Wade Leonard
Age 13 – Myrah Schmelzle and Damon Koch

Age 10 – Jillian Stueve and Ardan Broxterman
Age 12 – Allison Schmelzle and Cole Hermesch
Age 14 – Rachel Gudenkauf and Andrew Leonard

THE KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Stanley Schmitz has been selected as the ***December 2015, Knight of the Month***. Stanley became a Knight in July 1962. He continues to be very active in many of the functions of the Knights Hall. He has participated in bowling for several years and attended several K of C bowling tournaments. He has worked and called Bingo. Stanley and his wife have and are currently providing the lunch-stand during Bingo on Wednesday and Sunday evenings. Stanley is a Past Grand Knight (1988-1989). His years of service have been invaluable and greatly appreciated.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Feb. 6 - K of C Appreciation Dinner
Feb. 7 - Boy Scout Sunday (9am Mass)
Feb. 9 - Regular K of C Monthly Meeting @ 8pm
Feb. 14 - District Free-throw Contest at Sabetha
Mar.13 - Major Degree Works in Seneca
Mar 15 – K of C Stag Feed

