




Council #1769

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Our next **stag feed** is scheduled for Tuesday, July 16th. **Group 5** is assigned to help clean up after the feed. Please be there by **7:30**. Thank you

Group 5 Richard A Gress, Todd W. Leonard, Richard Strathman, Gary J. Niehues, Dennis L. Rottinghaus, Michael G. Steinlage, James K. Uphaus, Josh M. Rottinghaus, Stephen J. Kramer, Greg C. Elder, Douglas M. Schmelzle, Joseph A. Kramer, Mark Thomas, Anthony Gudenkauf, Thomas Uphaus, Tim Hunninghake, Luke Runnebaum, Devin Argo, Aaron Duryea, John J Nordhus, Dan O'Brien, Trey Holthaus, Camron Feldkamp, Robert Cross, Matt Lueger, Austin Schmelzle

Last month we hosted the Seneca Tractor Pull. We had over 600 people attend on what turned out to be a beautiful evening. Thanks to everyone who volunteered their time. A special thanks to Ross Plumberg and Darin Koerperich. Ross did an excellent job chairing the pull while Darin volunteered close to 20 hours to help make it a success. For both of their hard work and dedication Ross and Darin were selected as **Co-Knights of the Month for June**. Thank you Ross and Darin for taking time out of your busy schedules to help serve the Knights and the community.

New Financial Secretary- After 10 years of being the financial secretary of our council, Kevin Kohake has decided it was time to move on from the position and turn the reins over to Leon Haverkamp. Many do not know how much time and work the F.S. position takes. It goes way beyond sending out dues. From filling out forms for the State and Supreme to keeping track of all the finances coming in and out they definitely deserve a lot of appreciation for their work. Kevin spent 10 years behind the scenes to make our council as successful as it is. He will be missed but we are looking forward to having Leon as our next financial secretary. Kevin was selected as our **July Knight of the Month**. Not only did Kevin serve 10 years as F.S but also works wedding dances, serves on the 1st degree team, and is a eucharistic minister at church. Kevin is never afraid to step up when help is needed. Thank you for all you do.

This past month the Prayer and Action team volunteered to help clean up the landscaping in front of the hall. Instead of installing new landscaping rock we have decided to concrete along the building due to maintenance issues. With the concrete we have a couple ideas to put some benches along the building and installing a statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary to help decorate the front. A couple months ago we also decided to pour a concrete pad on the north side of the hall to help assist people grilling for stag feeds and benefits. With the concrete pad we will be able to put up a tent to keep our workers out of the weather. We plan on pouring both of these at the same time and will be asking for help when we do.

The Knights received **\$2995** from the Baby Bottle Project. This money will be sent to Kansans for Life. Thank you for you generosity.

God Bless,
Grand Knight Greg Kohake

