

Council meeting of 9/19/13 opened with Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance.

Officers present

GK Martin

DGK Lewis

Treas. Reynolds

Warden Flores

Inside Guard Vittetoe

Recorder Harrington

District Deputy Joe Herrity

Deacon Kevin Heim opened the meeting with a discussion of the concept of what we now know as CHRP, or Christ Renews His Parish.

This concept pre dates Vatican II, and it's purpose was to include men specifically in Church teachings. The original "Cortisio's" were intended to bring a renewal of faith by attending and witnessing the journey of faith of all during this process.

Thank you Deacon Heim.

The regular business of the council began with a motion to accept meeting minutes of August mtg. There was a second from the floor, motion passed.

Financial Secy. report.

Financial Secy. away on business, report unavailable at this time.

Treasurers report

Cash on Hand \$70.00

Checking \$14,640.68

Savings \$405.53

Total \$15,116.21

GK Martin spoke regarding holding the executive committee mtg. on the 1st Thursday of the month. He concluded this was working well for the most part and will continue for the near future.

Second reading of the CHRP request for funds for this upcoming event.

(see August minutes for complete motion.)

This request was read to full council.

Motion received and 2nd.

Motion passed.

Funds will be allocated.

Discussion followed regarding a request from CHRP for assistance at meals during this event. Details to follow.

GK Martin took the floor and made a rather enjoyable presentation which concluded as a sales pitch for Football Frenzy coupons. This resulted in at least 1 coupon being taken. Good try Worthy Grand Knight Martin.

Football Frenzy coupon sales were updated with apprx. 50% of tickets being sold, in most part by past Grand Knight Hauser. The Council thanks Don for his hard work.

District Deputy Report

DD Herrity discussed upcoming exemplification opportunity(s).

Herrity noted an upcoming 2nd& 3rd Degree Exemplification at St. Francis in West Des Moines.

This particular Exemplification will be followed by a televised football game and food.

All current 1st degree Knight are encouraged to take this next step in Knighthood.

Past GK Hauser is sending GK Martin and DGK Lewis a list of 1st degree Knights in council 10558.

There will be a 4th Degree Exemplification in early October at Christ the King Church in Des Moines. Please check State website for particulars.

There was a request from State for \$200.00 to offset expenses for State Convention. This money will be returned to our council after it's conclusion.

There was a motion from the floor, 2nd.

Motion carried.

A presentation was made by DD Herrity to GK Martin of Star Council award. This award is bestowed by State and Supreme and only 23 Iowa Councils received this distinction out of over 200 Iowa councils.

A second reading of a Motion made by past DGK Wenham to contribute partial proceeds of Golf Outing to St. Augustin School. Please review August Minutes for actual language.

The motion was read to full council.

There was a 2nd from the floor.

Motion passed.

Funds will be allocated.

Youth programs.

Information and details forthcoming.

Habitat for Humanity.

This volunteer program is coordinated by Vern Faber.

Thanks went out to Rob Den Hartog for his recent work on a Habitat Home.

DGK Lewis suggested we ask a representative from Habitat be asked to address council regarding this program.

Coats for Kids

David Vittetoe is coordinating this program.

An insert is tentatively scheduled to be included in the Parish bulletin. A suggestion was made to include a flyer in the membership dues notice.

An Institutional advertisement in the Parish Bulletin. Additional discussion will occur at future meetings.

A new Banner for the Council has been purchased to replace a badly worn used Council banner. This Banner will be used at future charitable fundraisers and is available for other appropriate Council events and outings. Once again, thanks past GK Hauser for this effort.

7 E-mails are "bouncing back" when internet blasts are sent. GK intends to contact these individuals.

An Exemplification team is being formed for the upcoming 1st Degree Exemplification at St. Augustin. Recorder to forward a list of past team members to GK Martin.

Motion made to adjourn, 2nd. Meeting adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

Meeting closed with prayer by Warden Flores.

Faithfully Submitted

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