

The Kilmer Chronicle

June 2013 Joyce Kilmer council 2483 Knights of Columbus

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GRAND KNIGHT'S REPORT - As June is fast approaching, it is amazing that the Columbian year is almost over and I will be finishing my term. It was great to see everyone at the Steve Forbert Concert and the Memorial Day Parade. The concert raised money for the building improvements and air conditioners. We can now have summer events without the interruption of air conditioner noise...I hope to see many of you on Friday for the Hackettstown Relay for Life. Thanks again to **PGK Mike Kennedy** for leading our team... As final duties in June, I submit our year end report and application for the Columbian Award. With all the service projects we do, I am confident that we will receive this. This is not to put a plaque on the wall but to thank everyone who made our charitable events possible...Our semi-annual audit is due in July. Our super money team, FS **Bob Piereth** and **Joe Easty** lead that effort. The trustees will conduct the audit...Finally, our elections will be held at our June 6 meeting. Thanks to everyone who agreed to move up and to our new candidate for jumping on board. This is an important chance to make your voice heard in selecting our council leadership...Have a great summer and thanks for your support this year. GK David Burns dwburns1@verizon.net

Officer Nominations

Grand Knight—Joe Yapaola

Deputy Grand Knight—Charlie Shipley

Chancellor—John Sartori

Warden—Steve Fantano

Advocate—John McHugh

Recorder—Keith Holman

Treasurer—Joe Easty

Inside Guard—John Michalko

Outside Guard—No Nomination

K of C Trustees—David Burns Columbus Club Trustees – John McHugh

Karl Strohmaier

MikeDiRenzo

Paul Greszczak

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Family Picnic: The Family Picnic is back and scheduled for July 27th at the American Legion pavilion. The event was a great success last year and we look forward to even more

participation this year. Cost to rent the pavilion and beverages will exceed \$500.00 and, as such, requires written notice of intent. This was presented at our business meeting on April 18, 2013 and a resolution of approval will be brought to the floor at our next business meeting scheduled for June 6, 2013.

300 CLUB REPORT - On April 26th, the regularly scheduled meeting of the 300 club was held. Congratulations are extended to our man from Massachusetts Tom Delaney was elected President by a plurality of 241 votes. This is Tom's first term as president and will be assisted by yours truly to see him over any rough spots that may occur. I am pleased to report that at our meeting there were applications read for the openings in the Club. Three new members were approved and added to our ranks and we look toward their participation during the remainder of the year. In a more somber vein we all were deeply saddened with the news of the passing of Eileen Williams who with husband Lou was a strong supporter of the Club and her presence will be missed by us all. Eileen and Lou did so much for not only our Club but for the Knights of Columbus as well. Our next meeting is scheduled for June 28th. Hope to see you then. PGK John G. Takacs

COLUMBUS CLUB REPORT – Thanks to all who attended the Steve Forbert concert in May, it was again, a sellout! Thanks to all the Brothers who helped with the event too...Two major projects were just completed at the hall. First a new air conditioning system has been installed with separate units in the hall and bar areas. Second, the retaining wall at the front of the building has been replaced, and the flagpole and memorial area have been paved over with concrete. It looks great, and the air conditioning works great, is much quieter, and more energy efficient. As we did with the siding project several years ago, we are looking to the membership to help defray the costs. Anyone wishing to contribute can simply send a check to the hall, (142 Liberty Street) and simply annotate the check or envelope to the “Building Fund”. Our next big Columbus Club event will be our Golf Tournament & clam Bake, Saturday October 12th.

JUNE CALENDAR

Sun June 2 – Breakfast Buffet 7:30 to 10:30 AM

Thu June 6 – K of Council Meeting 8:30 PM

Fri June 7 – Spaghetti Dinner 6 to 8 PM

Mon June 10 – Columbus Club Meeting 8 PM

Sat June 15 – K of C One Pitch Softball Tournament

Thu June 20 – K of C Council Meeting 8:30 PM

Fri June 28 – 300 Club Meeting 9 PM

