

Knights of Columbus Council #14349 /Sacred Heart
Spring Grove, PA

Next Meeting: 06/15/10 at 7 PM.

Council Meetings are held every third Tuesday at Sacred Heart Parish Center/ 1031 Sprenkle Rd. Spring Grove, PA 17362

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About Our Organization

The Knights of Columbus is a Catholic men's fraternal organization. The Knights of Columbus provide social and intellectual fellowship for the members and their families. The fellowship is developed by the members' participation in educational, charitable, religious, social welfare, war relief and public charity projects.

The Sacred Heart Council of Spring Grove, PA has as its mission to perform good and charitable deeds that benefit the Sacred Heart Roman Catholic parish of Spring Grove, PA and the general Spring Grove and greater York, PA communities. Our monthly council meetings are for members only. However membership in our Council is open to any man of good character who is also a practicing Catholic. If you believe you would like to join our society, please contact Chuck Becker, our Grand Knight to arrange for an interview. []



Grand Knight's Message

Charles Becker, Grand Knight

In July we will be doing our quarterly Adopt A Highway clean up on Saturday 24 July at 9 am meeting at the Parish Center. This is a very worthy and highly visible project that our council has taken on. Todd Lau started, and fully set up this cause a short time ago. As the saying goes; many hands make light work, I hope to see many Knights out to support Todd and this cause.

A vote will need to be taken during our June meeting. Dan Lawrence's one year term as a member of the Board of Trustees is set to expire. Please consider if you would like to hold this important position, or be willing to nominate someone else. This position will be for a three year term.

I Hope to see many members at our next meeting. We will be discussing many important topics such as the upcoming parish picnic.

Charles Becker

Grand Knight

Chef's Committee Holds CCD Breakfast

On May 2nd our Chef's Committee organized and held a pancake breakfast for the final day of CCD. As members of our committee can tell you organizing and implementing a breakfast where pancakes are served is very challenging. The challenge comes in having adequate manpower and cooking capacity to keep up with the demand and prevent long lines (queues) of diners from forming.

On May 2nd the preplanning of our committee resulted in a well organized breakfast where the queues were kept at reasonable levels.

Between 75 and 100 children and parents were served. Free will offerings by the diners helped to defray a significant percentage of the food costs.

Another success for our Chef's Committee!

Highway Pickup_July 24th

It has been over a year since our council adopted the Route 116 highway from the south side of Spring Grove to the bridge at the Heidelberg town line. In that time we have made great strides in improving the look of that stretch of road.

Todd Lau of our council has done a great job organizing our highway team so that we get the job done safely and also have fun.

Todd has scheduled our next pick up for July 24, 2010. This activity is open to all council members, and members of their families. As before, everyone who wishes to participate will need to sign a waiver. Todd asks that team members assemble at the parish center picnic benches on Sprengle Rd at 9 AM on 7/24/10. At that time Todd will provide a safety briefing and will pass out reflective vests and gloves.

After the safety briefing the teams will drive to their designated section of the highway and pick up litter along the side of the road. In the past the required time to complete this work has varied from 2 hours to 3 hours.

At the conclusion of the pick up Todd has suggested that this time we might organize an informal picnic at the parish center picnic grove for the participants. More details on the picnic will likely be discussed at our council meetings in June and July.

Annual Picnic_Planning Begins

This year the council has tentatively decided to move our annual picnic closer to the fall time frame. This is being done to maximize the number of Knights and Sacred Heart parish members who would be able to attend the picnic.

One of the current proposals is to hold the picnic on the day of Sacred Heart CCD registration. This topic will likely be further discussed at the June and July council meetings.

Planning Calendars:

Planning Calendar_June-2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8 Deadline for Newsletter	9	10 Newsletter Distributed	11	12
13	14	15 Council Meeting	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

Planning Calendar_July-2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12 Deadline for Articles	13	14	15 Newsletter Distributed	16	17
18	19	20 Council Meeting	21	22	23	24 Hi Way Clean Up
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

Knights of Columbus Insurance Corner

By Jim Short

Most of us either know of someone or happen to be that someone that has been rejected due to health reasons for Life Insurance. Well, brothers, your Knights of Columbus recently approved a special plan for members and/or their family that provides insurance regardless of your health situation. This plan is a “Guaranteed Issue Plan”. If you or a fellow member has been rejected because of your health condition - call me – Jim Short, your council field agent at 717-332-3999.

God Bless, - Jim

Please pray for our sick



These parishioners of Sacred Heart need our prayers.

Gladys Batts	Lee Benton	Frank DeCello
George Kern	Francis Martin	Michael Palmieri
Toni Kern	Mary Roller	Father Tom
Carly Smith	Tom Kennedy	
Ed Chmiel	Sandy Bailey	

Thank you for your compassion.