

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

Next Meeting: 07/20/10 at 7 PM.

Council Meetings are held every third Tuesday at Sacred Heart Parish Center/ 1031 Sprengle 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

Congratulations to Randall Kolasa who was voted in by this council for a 3 year term on the Board of Trustees. Everyone in this council wishes Randy much success in his new position. Holding an office and the responsibilities that come with it is a great way to support the council to its fullest. Remember that next year at this time all offices will be open for elections. If you are thinking of an office you may want to hold think of shadowing that position to see what is involved.

“Adopt a Hwy” is 24 July, meeting at the parish center at 0900. Many hands make for light work so let's have a good turnout. Rumor has it that Todd Lau has some after cleanup festivities planned.

The KC office has been cleaned and straightened up. It now is organized and can be utilized for what it was intended for. The next tasking I would like to see completed is our wall space. I will procure block anchors so we can place our charter, pictures, and star awards up, and also other items we choose to display.

Hope for a good turnout for our July meeting!

Charles Becker
Grand Knight

Council Donates Mulch to Parish Center

At the suggestion of our member Paul Wivell, the council voted to donate the funds to obtain mulch to landscape the bushes on the south side of the parish center.

On July 15th, Paul Wivell picked up the mulch from H&H in Spring Grove and then applied the mulch to the parish center garden area.

We appreciate the way Paul consistently makes good suggestions on how the Knights can assist the parish.

Highway Pickup_July 24th

Information provided by Todd Lau.

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, weather permitting...meet at parish center 9am. In case of inclement weather the make up date will be Sat. July 31 at the same time.

This activity is open to all council members, and members of their families. Please email Todd Lau @ tjlau1@comcast.net if you have not signed the sign-up sheet and you plan on helping.

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 Todd will have burgers, dogs and beverages after clean up.....any questions call please call Todd at 717-887-3600.

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.

Along those lines, the council voted to obtain an outdoor gas grill for use at council events.

Planning Calendars:

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

Planning Calendar_August-2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9 Deadline for Newsletter	10	11	12 Newsletter Distributed	13	14
15	16	17 Council Meeting	18	19	20	21
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Knights of Columbus Insurance Corner

By Jim Short

Once the 4th of July is history, most of us think we have passed the half-way point for summer. We want to make good use of these remaining days of the second half of summer. Maybe you are near or past the half-way point of your life cycle. Now would be a good time to take stock of your financial picture. The Knights have programs that can help you, regardless of where you are in your life span.

As your Council Field Agent, I would be happy to meet with you. Call me at (717)332-3999.

Enjoy the balance of the summer.

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	
Carly Smith	Tom Kennedy	
Ed Chmiel	Sandy Bailey	

Thank you for your compassion.