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Faithful Navigator's Message



Brother Sir Knights

Although this past month has been fairly quiet, if you check out our calendar for this month and next, you can see there will be several activities for you to participate in. As always, I ask each of you to consider getting involved in at least one event. Information will be forthcoming and your assistance will be greatly appreciated.

We had the honor and great pleasure to have the Worthy District Master of Virginia, Cy Alba and his wife, Joann, and Past State Deputy Bill McCarthy and his wife, Joan,

present at the Past Faithful Navigator Dinner on September 21. Past Faithful Navigator Mark Sewell and his wife, Dori, were the guests of honor and thanked for their service, dedication and support to the Assembly.



October 19th will be our next regular business meeting and we will be celebrating the 39th anniversary of our Assembly. You may want to make a note of this date on your calendar and plan to come. We might even have cake and ice cream for this occasion.

The next 4th Degree Exemplification will be held in Fairfax on October 29, 2011. We have several candidates from the our supporting councils who will be joining our Assembly. Details can be found elsewhere in the NAVLOG. Come join us in showing our appreciation and support of these fellow Sir Knights.

Please continue to pray for those Sir Knights who have health issues that restrict them in their activities as we all miss them very much.

God bless you and your families.

Fraternally:

Bob Jankovits, FN

Sir Knight of the Month September 2011



In each Council or Assembly, there is one person who is always ready and willing to step up and take charge of a task without being asked. During the month of September, this Sir Knight approached me and was ready to accept the responsibility of completing the arrangements for the Past Faithful Navigator Dinner. I willingly accepted his offer and for anyone who attended, you saw the fruits of his labor. Everything was perfect and we all enjoyed a very pleasant evening. We are grateful to have a Sir Knight and gentleman such as this in our Assembly and it is my honor to select SK Richard R. "Rich" LaRoche as the "Sir Knight of the Month for September 2011". Thank you Rich, for everything you do for the Knights of Columbus, our church and the community.

Bob Jankovits, Faithful Navigator

Assembly #1613 Color Corps Commander



September Activities

September was another quiet month for the Color Corps. We had a tremendous turnout for the Wake and Funeral Service for Sir Knight Ted Lloyd on August 29 and 30. Special accolades to Sir Knights Jack Rosner, and Ron Drew for performance above and beyond for standing watch throughout the rosary and following eulogy by Sir Knight Ted Lloyd, III—a total of over 45 minutes.

Upcoming Events

Our Fall Confirmation support season is rapidly approaching with the first on October 1, as listed below along with all other Confirmation requests. In addition, Fredericksburg

Council has requested an Honor Guard for its Corporate Communion at the 8:30 am Mass on October 30.

Oct 1, 2011	11:00 AM Confirmation w Bishop Loverde	St. Matthew Church
Oct 13, 2011	07:30 PM Confirmation w Bishop Loverde	St. Patrick Church
Oct 14, 2011	07:30 PM Confirmation w Bishop Loverde	St. Patrick Church
Oct 22, 2011	10:00 AM Confirmation w Bishop Loverde	St. Patrick Church
Oct 22, 2011	01:30 PM Confirmation w Bishop Loverde	St. Patrick Church
Nov 5, 2011	02:00 PM Confirmation w Archbishop Broglio	St. Jude Church

Muster time is 45 minutes before start

Color Corps Pins

At the request of our Faithful Captain, I am repeating this short note about the wear of lapel pins on regalia. It reviews the current requirements that became effective on January 1, 2011. These requirements refer to two situations: 1) when dressed in full service regalia and 2) when dressed in social regalia.

When in full service regalia, which consists of tuxedo, cape, chapeau, gloves, service baldric, sword and scabbard, and jewels and/or miniature ribbons, the National Fourth Degree Lapel Pin (#PG-745) is worn on the lapel with the point dividing the flag from the Fourth Degree emblem on a line extending from the top of ribbons if worn, of three finger widths above the top of the pocket. This pin is only worn when in full service regalia.



When in social regalia, which consists of tuxedo, social baldric, and jewels and / or miniature ribbons, the flag pin (#40) and the Fourth Degree pin (#133) are worn ¼ inch above and below the same line described above. Normally, if one performs at a Fourth Degree event in full service regalia in the morning and attends a Fourth Degree event in social regalia in the evening, the pins must be changed. Exceptions may be made by the Master.



In situations involving the wear of full service regalia, and social regalia at the same event then wear of the National Fourth Degree Lapel pin is allowed on both forms of regalia. This situation could occur if one performed as a member of the Color Guard in presentation of the colors at a Fourth Degree Banquet, and then attended the banquet. Nevertheless, in this situation the social baldric should replace the service baldric.

David Case, SK, Commander

Honor America Corps



On 11 September 2011 the Honor America Corps provided a 13 flag static display at Our Lady Queen of the Apostles parish in Alexandria, VA in commemoration of the tenth anniversary of the 9/11 tragedy in our Nation.

A display for the St. Patrick Parish Festival was rained out on 24 September 2011.

On 28 September 2011, a presentation will be made to the China Marines on the occasion of their reunion at the Fredericksburg Hospitality House. A 14 flag display will be provided.

Once again this year the Honor America Corps will take part in the annual Christopher Columbus Day celebration at Union Station in Washington, DC. An email will be published requesting Sir Knights to participate. Car pools will be available.

For further information on the Honor America Corps please contact Commander Frank Connors at fsconnors@aol.com or 540 786-3177.

Fraternally,

Francis S. Connors
HAC Commander

Activity Calendar Oct—Nov 2011

October 2011

- 1 Oct State Quarterly Meeting** – At J.P. II High School in Woodbridge
- 2 Oct Respect Life Sunday**
- 7 Oct Fourth Degree Candidates Reception** – At Fredericksburg Council #4034 Hall (7:30 PM)
- 8 Oct Aquia Field Mass** - Wreath laying ceremony at the roadside Crucifix Memorial on U.S. Route 1 just north of Aquia Creek at 10:30 AM. Mass in Brent Family Cemetery near St. William of York Catholic Church in Stafford at 11:00 AM. Fourth Degree Knights in regalia assemble at the Crucifix by 10:15 to form honor guard
- 9 Oct Council 10246 Corporate Communion Honor Guard**
- 10 Oct Columbus Day Ceremony** – Union Station, Washington, DC (Honor America Corps, time 10:00 AM)
- 19 Oct Regular Business Meeting** – **Color Corps Practice a** at 6:30 pm. (**12434 Bishop Keating Council Host**)
- 22 Oct Assembly 1613 39th Anniversary**
- TBD Arlington Diocese Pilgrimage**
- TBD Paul Stefan Home – Gala Event** – Color Guard for Opening Ceremony, 7:00 PM
- TBD Veterans Administration Hospital, Salem, VA, 75th Anniversary**, Honor America Corps static display
- 29 Oct 4th Degree Exemplification** – Fairview Marriott, Falls Church, VA

November 2011

- 1 Nov All Saints' Day
- 2 Nov All souls' Day
- 6 Nov Daylight Savings Time Ends
- TBD Special Olympics Fall Games— Virginia Beach. Multi-day event.
- 11 Nov Veteran's Day Observance/Recognition
- 16 Nov Regular Business Meeting—Fredericksburg Council Home, 7:30 PM. Color Corps Practice at 6:30 pm\
(St. Jude Council 13599 Host)
- 22 Nov Council 10246 Memorial Mass, St. Patrick's Church, Honor Guard
- 24 Nov Happy Thanksgiving Day to All

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More Pictures from Faithful Navigator's Dinner



***Sir Knights with Birthdays in
October***

*May God bless you on this special occasion
With a day you'll love to recall—a day filled
With sunshine and laughter—your very best
Birthday of all!*

Belanders, Manuel M—9
Bishop, A. Lee—18
Boos, Edward W—31
Burke, William R—9
Drew, Ronald E—16
Dufort, Thomas W—11
Earnest, Gary G—11
Farrell, Frank J—10
Fertig, Peter H—10
Grey, John C—11
Hess, Charles M—26
Kaczmar, Stephen R— 29
Kratochvil, Joseph F—25
Kunlo, John D—21
Lam, Tanh N— 18
Lang, William S—11
Moyloan, Maurice P—15
Noonan, Richard T—3
O'Leary, Ryan C—12
Steiniger, Michael—13
Steiniger, Ralph—28
Vanatta, Robert E—4
Rev. Weston, Michael D— 28
Woeletz, Carl M—21
Zawora, John A. Jr.—7



Fourth Degree Exemplification

The Virginia District will host the first of its two annual Fourth Degree Exemplifications on Saturday, October 29, 2011 at the Fairview Park Marriott in Falls Church. The date and location of the second Exemplification will be announced later this Fraternal Year.

The Assembly currently has 5 candidates - 3 from Fredericksburg Council #4034 and 2 from Council #10246. If you know of any eligible Third Degree Knight who is interested in making his Fourth Degree this Fall, please have him fill out a Form 4 (7/07 version only) and turn it in to Faithful Navigator Bob Jankovits or Faithful Comptroller Rich LaRoche ASAP. We need to vote on any new candidates by Friday, October 7th to ensure the paperwork is submitted to the Virginia Master on time.

In order to be eligible, a candidate must be a member of the Order at least six months prior to taking his Fourth Degree. That means he must have joined the order no later than April 29, 2011.

Information regarding the exemplification was sent to the membership via email on September 5th. If you haven't been to a Fourth Degree in the past two years, we encourage you to attend. Like all of the other degrees, there have been some significant changes made to the Fourth Degree ceremony.

If you and your wife would like to participate in the social events (i.e., ladies luncheon and banquet), please refer to the September 5th email and provide your meal selections and checks to Rich LaRoche ASAP. Email or call in your meal selections to Rich at stone48@verizon.net, 540-370-4541 (H), or 703-963-7726 (C). Mail your checks to Rich at PO Box 9024, Fredericksburg, VA 22403-9024.



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