

**Knights of Columbus**  
**Immaculate Heart of Mary Council # 12845**  
**1343 Centerville Lane, Gardnerville, NV 89410**

*July 2011*



*Mike Mullins*  
*Grand Knight*

*John Manley*  
*Deputy Grand Knight*

Brother Knights,

We are starting another year. As Grand Knight I am proud to say we are fortunate to have the Officers and Committee Chairpersons who have volunteered to serve for this coming year.

As Grand Knight I am looking forward to an exciting year. This Council was Chartered in 2001 and in ten (10) years we have accomplished many of our goals (supporting the church, Community, and youth). We have donated approximately \$165,000.00. We formed a corporation with an account balance of approximately \$120,000.

Father Michael McGivney started the Knights in the year 1882. He had a dream. His dream came true surpassing all his expectations I am sure. I have a dream and it's having more Knights getting involved. With 142 members, we have 30 to 40 members doing everything.

I realize we all have busy lives with family, children, and work. I also realize some knights work out of town or work night shifts and can't make all the meetings, but if it is possible, maybe get involved in one of our work projects like the seminarian fund or tootsie roll drive, cooking at the Relay for Life event, trimming trees at church in the spring, church ground cleanup in the spring, asphalt

repairs, etc., Bingo (we can always use help).

I have been asked "how do you do what you do, working 9 to 10 hours a day and all you are involved in ? My answer is that I make the time. I believe in the Knights of Columbus and what we stand for, what we do, and what this council has accomplished. I am proud of this council and our brother knights. I have realized that God has blessed me with many gifts and talents. I feel I want to give back to the Lord by my involvement as a thank you. I ask for you to look at yourself and ask yourself "do I say thank you Lord for all that you have given me". How often do we do this? It is easy to take for granted all that we have and I ask of those not involved to get involved in some way and even make this council better than it is,.

I want to thank all of you who have been so involved over the past years and I ask for your continuing support to this outstanding council.

If you want to get involved or have any questions, please give me a call any evening after 7:00 PM at 782-7290. I am here to serve this Council and each and every Brother Knight.

Your Brother Knight  
Grand Knight  
Mike Mullins  
In Christ name we serve

## Passing of District Deputy Geoff Brunner

It is with sadness I announced District Deputy Geoff Brunner passed away peacefully this evening at St. Mary's Hospital in Reno. Geoff has served Council 12845 and Nevada State Council in several positions most recently being the District Deputy for District Five for the last three years. Brother Geoff will be missed by all who have known and worked with him, He was one of my best District Deputies, always keeping me up to date with what was happening in his district and was always available when I asked for his assistance. Keep him, his wife Pat, and his family in your prayers. Geoff, May the Lord bless you and keep you. May the Lord let his face shine upon you and be gracious to you. May the Lord look upon you kindly and give you peace. May his soul and the souls of all the Faithfully Departed Rest in Peace.

David M. Ryan State Deputy

July 4, 2011

Brother Knights,

We are all saddened by the passing of our Brother Knight Geoff Brunner on the evening of July 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Geoff has suffered over the past three months when he broke his hip from a fall on the ice. He then developed an infection in the convalescent home and has been hospitalized ever since. Geoff suffered a lot physically ever since. He suffered mentally with the unknown of what was going to be done next to improve his condition.

Geoff was voted Knight of The Year for his outstanding dedication to the Knights and our Council. He was also State District Deputy serving other councils. Geoff will be very much missed.

Please pray for Brother Geoff who is now with our Lord and has no more suffering.

Please keep Pat Brunner in your prayers for her health and strength in these difficult times. If Pat needs any help, as Knights, we will respond to her needs.

Funeral arrangements will be forthcoming.

Mike Mullins  
Grand Knight

## K of C 2012 Budget & Council meeting

Study the budget, print it out and bring it to the meeting Wednesday night.

### Account REVENUE EXPENSE

365 Club Donation \$365.00 \$(365.00)  
BINGO 50/50 \$4000.00 \$ (2,000.00)  
BINGO FOOD \$5,500.00 \$ (7500.00)  
BINGO HOT BALL \$2,800.00 \$ (2,400.00)  
DESIGNATED BINGO 1 \$ (1,000.00)  
DESIGNATED BINGO 2 \$ (1,000.00)  
DESIGNATED BINGO 3 \$ (1,000.00)  
DESIGNATED BINGO 4 \$ (1,000.00)  
BINGO REVENUE \$32,500.00  
BINGO SUPPLIES \$ (1,200.00)  
BINGO OTHER \$ (1,200.00)  
MEMBER DONATION \$100.00  
DUES \$3000.000

MISCELLANOUS \$- \$-

NEW YEARS EVE PARTY \$5,500.00 \$(3,600.00)  
SEMINARIAN FUND \$1,500.00 \$(1,500.00)  
STATE REIMBURSEMENTS \$800.00  
TOOTSIE ROLL \$1,200.00 \$ (1,2000.00)  
1<sup>ST</sup> DEGREE ASSESSMENT \$ (100.00)  
BADGES \$ (200.00)  
BANK CHARGES \$ (200.00)  
BINGO ADVERTISING \$ (4,000.00)  
BINGO BLACKOUT \$ (2,000.00)  
BINGO HALL RENTAL \$ (2,200.00)  
BINGO LIQUOR LICENSE \$ (240.00)  
BINGO SPECIAL BLACKOUT \$ (1,199.00)  
CHARITABLE DONATION \$ (500.00)  
COLUMBUS HALL IHM Inc \$ (71.00)  
COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES-OTHER \$ (1,000.00)  
RELAY FOR LIFE \$ (700.00)  
CONTINGENCY FUND \$ (1,500.00)

COUNCIL REFRESHMENTS \$ (350.00)  
COUNCIL SUPPLIES \$ (500.00)  
DECEASED FAMILY DONATIONS \$ (400.00)  
FOUNDERS DAY DINNER \$ (500.00)  
LIQUOR LICENSE-NON BINGO \$ (40.00)

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OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE \$ (500.00)  
SUPREME PER CAPITA \$ (1,000.00)  
POSTATGE \$ (200.00)  
PREIST ANNUITY \$ (600.00)  
SCHOLARSHIPS \$ (2,000.00)  
SHIRTS \$300.00 \$ (300.00)  
CHURCH GROUNDS \$ (200.00)  
ROSARY MAKERS \$ (1,000.00)  
STATE ASSESSMENT-DUES \$ (2,000.00)  
STATE CONFERENCE \$ (500.00)  
STATE CONVENTION \$ (1,100.00)  
YOUTH ACTIVITIES \$ (1,500.00)  
YOUTH MISSION \$ (1,000.00)

ENDING FUNDING BALANCE \$ (5,000.00)

\$57,565.00 \$(57,565.00)



**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS INSURANCE**  
*"YOUR SHIELD FOR LIFE"*  
**NEW FRATERNAL YEAR 2011-2012**



**The Best is Yet To Come!!**

A new fraternal year is upon us. Congratulations to the newly elected Grand Knights and Deputy Grand Knights, as well as the other entire dedicated brother Knights who will serve in either an elected and appointed leadership position in the new Columbian year. I'm sure you have a list of goals and objectives that you intend to accomplish during the coming year. You have my assurance that as your Field Agent I am eager to help. ."

To attain the Star Council status it is a yearlong commitment as well as the most

prestigious award the Order offers at the council level. As your Field Agent I am certainly committed to help determine how many Fraternal Benefits Nights you will want to conduct in your council during the fraternal year, and to work hand in hand with your membership committee. As well, I am committed to helping on the insurance side, but will be equally as glad to help on the membership side as well

If you know an eligible Catholic man who might be interested in joining the Order (and who among us doesn't), he's probably just waiting to be asked. We can help you, either by approaching him or by "coaching" you – transferring sales skills that you can use to recruit him and other prospects. As always, I am at your service.

Let's get an early start to attain your council's goals and objectives that are so critical to the growth of your council.

As our Supreme Knight, Carl A. Anderson once said in the (June 2004 Knightline), "Indeed, the best is yet to come, because we Knights will see to it."

To make this fiscal 2011-2012 year "Your Shield for Life". "The knight's shield has long been a symbol of strength and honor," Supreme Knight Carl A. Anderson "And those are exactly the words that best describe the Knights of Columbus insurance program. Especially in difficult economic times, our exceptional strength and our long history of integrity and service to brother Knights and their families, remind everyone that we provide the best protection available." "Your Shield for Life".

Please allow me to be an additional financial asset for you and your family, as a Million Dollar Round Table member I have been able to learn from the greatest minds in the financial advisor world. With my experience and the Knights of Columbus' strength we provide you a financial team that is second to none.

To contact me with regards to any of your insurance needs, please call my office at (775)842-8722 or e-mail me at [todd.cabral@kofc.org](mailto:todd.cabral@kofc.org).

Fraternally, Your Brother and Field Agent,

*Todd Cabral*  
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