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Grand Knight's Column

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A little less than a year ago I said I considered it an honor and a privilege to be the Grand Knight of Union Council. At various times throughout this Columbian year this privilege has stood out for me a little more than usual. There is no better example of this than during the recent State Convention when I had the distinct pleasure of accepting, on behalf of our council, three awards presented by the State Council.

One in particular I would like to single out here is the award presented for "Council Bulletin", otherwise known as our Knight Digest. Congratulations for this go to our Digest Editor Gary Hornig for his efforts and hard work along with Brother Jerry Frino and the talents he provides in producing our Knight Digest which received 1st place honors in the State.

At this time I am pleased to report that we have received over \$14,000 to date for the Retarded Citizens Drive which once again established a new record for this fundraiser. Thanks to all who supported us with this cause! I am also pleased to announce that Father Leonard Dembow has accepted the position of Chaplain with our Council. On behalf of all our members Father Dembow I want to welcome you as we look forward to a long lasting friendship.

By this point in time the Pro-Life Billboard we have been working on should be in place on Morris Ave. I would like to acknowledge the efforts of Pat Sheridan whose persistence and dedication to this cause was instrumental in the billboard becoming a reality. Thank you Pat and thank you to those of you who have contributed to the initial funding for this effort as we continue to show our support for the Right to Life.

As this Columbian Year is quickly drawing to a close we will soon be electing new officers to continue guiding our council. I want to congratulate them as well as the
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Union Council Recognized at State Convention!

Union Council received four awards, at the recently concluded State Convention, in recognition of its accomplishments in four activities which took place over the past two years. The first award was presented in recognition of having collected over \$12,700 during the 1991 Retarded Citizens Drive. This was followed by our Knight Digest being cited as the 1st place winner in the State for Council Bulletins from among all council's with 500 or more members.

Our council's Degree teams were also recipients of awards with honors for First Place in the State going to our First Degree Team and First Place in the Archdiocese for our Second Degree Team which represents District #3. Congratulations to all those involved!

SUMMER CRUISE ON THE BLACK WHALE

Excursion to Trump Castle

Sat. August 1st 1992

10 AM departure - arrive A.C. 12 PM

5 PM departure A.C. - arrive 7 PM

Fare \$25.00

Upon arrival passengers receive \$15.00 coins. For further information and reservations call: Vince Iannuzzi - 687-9381

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newly elected members of the Columbian Club Board and wish them well in all of their efforts. I encourage you to continue supporting them as there is always much to be done.

I also want to thank my fellow officers, my program chairmen, the current Columbian Club and Swim Club Boards and all of you for the support given to me throughout this year. It has been a challenging yet rewarding year and I thank you for giving me the opportunity to be the Grand Knight of this fine council. Lastly I want to thank my wife Donna and our daughters Katie and Suzanne for their love, support and understanding.

"SQUARE DANCE"

* Come to a Ho-Down with us on Saturday, June 27th.

* Beer, soda, wine and snacks - \$6.00 per person.

* 8:00 P.M. till Midnight.

* For tickets contact Bob Sugzda - 851-9182

AUCTION
JUNE, 19, 1992
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ON THE PATIO
7:00 PM
CASH & CARRY
COLLECTABLES, LAMPS,
DOLLS, JEWELRY,
FISHING EQUIPMENT

COME AT 6 PM
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