



# Knights Digest



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## Retarded Citizen's Drive

The annual Knights of Columbus Retarded Citizen's Drive will be held this year on April 22nd, 23rd and 24th. Union Council #4504 is proud to participate in this yearly drive where the proceeds are donated entirely to help our mentally handicapped brothers and sisters. The money collected last year was donated to:

The TMR Program @ Burnet Middle School, Camp Fatima, Special Olympics, McCauley School, Boy Scout Troop #555, and AAMH.

Each year we try to expand this program and this year is no exception. With a committee made up of 25 dedicated individuals, we have set forth plans and goals to make this our largest fund raiser to date.

### BUT WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!!

Brothers, the best laid plans can not work without you. This is your opportunity to practice one of the greatest principles of our order **CHARITY**.

The Drive this year will be conducted in 3 ways - March Madness Fundraiser (information in this months digest), corporated donations and the April collection. Brothers, this is the way you can help:

- A) Get a group of your friends/relatives and take a table of 10 for March Madness (April 2nd) we would like to see 300 people.
- B) Send in a donation to the council for \$5 dollars or more, marked Retarded Citizens Drive, if everybody did that we would raise \$10,000 dollars!!!!!!! for that part of the drive alone.
- C) If your company will contribute or has matching contributions either ask them or let us know who to call.
- D) The weekend of the drive can you or members of your family donate 2 - 4 hours to help collect in Union. We need 120 people per day.

In a few weeks you will be getting a call from one of your fellow members on the R.C.D. Committee. He will be asking if you have given some thought as to how you can help our mentally handicapped brothers and sisters. Again I ask you to think about this and be as generous as you can with your time and donation. I look forward to seeing you in April at the March Madness Fundraiser and the Drive.

If you have a question or comment please call me @ 688-0106

Pat Sheridan  
Chairman

## First Friday

The April K of C First Friday Mass will not be scheduled as such since it is "Good Friday" of the lenten season.

The next K of C First Friday Mass will be celebrated on May 6th, 1994 along with the May Crowning followed by a dinner. All are welcome to attend by contacting Barney Capriglione at 1 (908) 964-3143.

John T. Huetz Church Affairs

## CONVENTION

It's time to forget the cold of winter, and ponder the warm ocean breezes of Wildwood!

You can do this by making your 1994 K of C State Convention Reservations **NOW**.

Dates: May 12 thru 15, 1994  
Place: Wildwood, New Jersey  
Reservations Call:  
Bob Wozniak (201) 386-7734

## 1993 Humanitarian Hunger Harvest

This year the Food Drive was an overwhelming success. The collection this year was over 14,500 pounds of food which benefited many families in our area.

This drive was a success because of a few people, in particular were Ed Blazinski, Mike Eger, Mike Hrifko and Grand Knight Ray Fluet. A special thanks is extended to Dr. Caulfield, Superintendent of Schools, as well as the principals, teachers, and students of the Union School System whose generosity added greatly to a very productive 1993 Humanitarian Hunger Food Drive.

In addition we would like to thank the supermarkets, Shop Rite, and Foodtown, in Union for their generous contributions. Please support them as thanks for their efforts in helping us this year.

Finally our thanks go to the brothers who brought food donation over the summer to the pool, family picnic golf outing and council meetings.

Fraternally,

Greg Blazinski - Chairman  
Pat Sheridan - Co-Chairman

## ST. PATRICK'S DANCE Last Chance

Food: Corned Beef and Cabbage  
*served family style*

Refreshments: Beer, Wine and Soda

Entertainment: The Bantry Boy's  
Sheridan School of  
Irish Dancing

Time: 7:00 PM -?

Price: \$16.95 per person

No tickets will be sold after 3/11/94

Reservations: ASAP only 2 tables left  
Help us help you, if you plan on attending, buy your tickets or reserve your table now.

Call Pat Sheridan 688-0106  
John Relton 388-8655

