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RETARDED CITIZENS DRIVE REACHES \$12,736

The Annual Retarded Citizens Drive held in April grossed a record amount of \$12,736 exceeding any prior drive in Council history. The drive was well organized and planned by our co-chairmen John Boyle III, Bill Smela and Mike Kramer. In addition a record sum of money, this year's drive also produced a record number of collectors and counters. All of this was accomplished despite record torrential rains which fell on Sunday.

The canister collections on the various corners and at the local churches amounted to \$9513. The collection from the local business community amounted to \$1440, and the response from the members netted an additional \$1783 from approximately 140 brothers.

Thanks go out to all brothers, families and friends who helped in the process of running this drive. A sincere thank you is expressed by Union Council to the members of the local business community for their generous contributions. They are: Accredited Health Services, Adele Kessler Foundation, All Trades Uniform Rental, American Union Bank, Anthony Panariello & Betty Cervenak, Anthony Russo, B. Warren Hehl, Boyle Co., Boyle Hotels, Barros Inc., Carmen's Bakery, Compact Disc World, Crown Travel, Degnan-Boyle Realtors, Edcon Inc., Emiliani Supply Co., F&S Plumbing & Heating, George's Pro Shop, Gillette Foods, Harmonia Bank, Ideal Graphics Inc., Keystone Promotions, Lee Surgical Supply, Lora Machinery, McCracken Funeral Home, Mr. Sub, Nawrocki's Pharmacy, Peter Louie DDS, Raymond O'Brien Atty., Saul Unter DDS, Schering-Plough, Schwartz's Pharmacy, Shoppers Liquors, Spruce Auto, Temple B'nai Abraham, Thomas DiStefano DMD, Sung's Union EXXON, Ultrapet, Union Center National Bank, Union Elks #1583, Union Little League, Union Plate Glass, United Jersey Bank, Deputy Mayor James Roberts, Dr. Richard Wolf, William McGrath, World Tariff Services Inc. PLEASE PATRONIZE THESE FINE PEOPLE WHEREVER POSSIBLE. The recipients of this year's drive are: Burnet Jr. High TMR program, Camp Fatima, Special Olympics, McCauley School, Boy Scout Troop 555 and State Council Charities.



PGK Bob Pfarr presents a plaque to PGK John Zimmerman on the occasion of the Knighthood Degree that was held in John's honor this past June.

Past Grand Knight

Dinner Dance

Honoring

PGK Robert Pfarr

Sat. Sept. 28th 1991

7 to 12

Cocktails, Dinner,

Dancing

and Open Bar

\$25.00 per person

Call

Mr. Barney Capp at

964-3143

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MONTHLY MEETINGS

1st Mon. Council Officers
2nd & 4th Mon. Regular Meetings
3rd Mon. Swim Club
1st Wed. 4th Degree Officers
2nd Wed. 4th Degree Color Corps
3rd Wed. 4th Degree Regular
4th Wed. Council Committees
4th Thurs. Columbian Club

K of C Golf Classic Sat. Oct. 19th

Rain date Oct. 20th

Tee off 10AM

Spooky Brook Golf Course

\$42.50 per dufer

Includes-Green fees, cart,
food and beer back at the club,
and PRIZES.

For reservations contact

John Peters - 908-964-6869

Payment Deadline Oct. 12th

Knight of the Year



PGK Bob Pfarr presents a plaque to Wes Czap, this years Knight of the Year. This award was presented, along with the Columbian Award presented to Jack Bruno, at our June Dinner Meeting.

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Random Thoughts

There is no greater loan than a sympathetic ear.....Liz Taylor and Will Rogers agree "I never met a man I didn't like"..... We may not imagine our lives more frustrating and complex - you can't do business from there.... Children are like airplanes - you only hear about the ones that crash..... Hospitality is making your guests feel at home even though you wish they were.... Trying to squash a rumor is like trying to unring a bell..... There is no prejudice so strong as that which arises from a fancies exemption from all prejudice..... Ignorance doesn't kill you but it makes you sweat alot..... Men: statistics show no women ever shot her husband doing dishes!!!..... By perserverance the snail reached the ARK..... If you have anything after taxes;its a receipt-Family:A unit composed not only of children, but of men, women, an occasional animal, and the common cold..... Make someone happy, mind your business..... The only perfect mates come in shoes and gloves..... When you get to the end of your rope, tie a knot, hang on, and swing..... Education's purpose is to replace an empty mind with an open one.

Grand Knight's Column

Don Pfarr



It seems like it was just a few weeks ago when the pool was opened to kick off the Summer season. Now Labor Day is upon us and so the summer of '91 will slowly fade behind us while its' memories linger on.

We have one more opportunity, however, to briefly hold onto Summer with our Annual Family Picnic on Saturday, September 7th. If you haven't already purchased your tickets you can still do so at the gate. I'm looking forward to seeing you there.

While the pace during the summer is usually not quite as hectic for most, there has been a fair amount of activity around the Council. Membership Chairman Pat Sheridan has been busy conducting interviews with a large number of candidates and we recently held our initial First Degree of the new Columbian year with a very sizable class. The Blood Drive we held on August 11th was the most successful one in recent memory and I thank everyone who came out to donate. Congratulations also to Blood Bank Chairman, Dom Clementoni PGK who did an excellent job of coordinating and promoting this worthwhile cause.

As we turn our attention to September our sights are set on students going back to school and getting back into the regular work routine with the hectic pace that is so familiar to us. At the Council it is also the time of year that we set aside to honor our immediate Past Grand Kight to formally recognize the contributions he has made and to thank him for all he has done for the Council. So I encourage you to mark Saturday, September 28th on your calendars and come out for the Past Grand Knight's Dinner Dance to be held this year in honor of PGK Bob Pfarr.

We also begin our First Friday Mass Program for the year on September 6th. Please come out and join us as our Chaplain Fr. Ed will be our celebrant. Finally, a reminder that there is still work to be done outside to close up the pool, patio and picnic areas. Especially for our new members, this is an ideal way to get involved, to meet some of your brother knights and also to receive pool passes for next season. See you at the Council!

ASK ANOTHER MAN TO BE A KNIGHT!

