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## GRAND KNIGHTS MESSAGE

Dear Brother Knights,

Can you believe Christmas is just weeks away? This year has gone by a little too quick! With the approaching holiday season let us all try to slow down and share time with our family and friends and try to help with at least one worthy cause concerning those less fortunate than ourselves.

Congratulations to the 9 new members that joined us last meeting. It was heart warming to see such a large number of members who turned out to show their support. Thanks to Mike Sartain for doing such a good job as membership director. I am proud to say that we gave a check for \$7,675.00 to Fr. George to distribute to the Holy Ghost missions. Thanks again to all those men, women and their families who helped with this worthy cause.

A BIG thank you to Robert Massery and his team, especially the cooks, for such a successful Hog Roast and Mega Draw. It raised approximately \$10,000 to help the school. The Mega Draw raised approximately \$3,800 for the Columbus Club for a new ice machine.

Please remember to pray for our military and their families and our priests. With the holiday season fast approaching please remember the reason for the season is Christ.

It's good to be a Knight!

Faternally yours,  
Danny Kordsmeier  
Grand Knight

## Membership News

A 1st degree exemplification was held at our last meeting. 9 new members joined our ranks as Knights of Columbus. If you know any of these guys please shake their hand and welcome them to our council. New members and Old, as mentioned at the meeting the best way to get involved is to show up at the meetings and get into the mess of things. Or if you cruise the back of this newsletter you will find a list of all of our chairmen for various activities. If any of these activities spark an interest please give that chairman a call and let him know you would like to help. You will also notice articles in our newsletter asking for volunteers. Call these men looking for help and volunteer. I can promise that the rewards are much greater than the amount of work that it takes to get involved.

- Jamie Guidry
- Shade Gilbert
- Caleb Seiter
- Neal Griffith
- Bernie Anderson
- Daniel Antoine
- Daniel Moix
- Corey Breeding
- Keith Rowe

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The Knight of Columbus Sausage crew will be making sausage for sale again this year, to benefit the Sister of Charity Mission fund. To place orders call Theresa Nahlen at 329-3704. Sausage is in 5lb packages for \$20.00, you will be called when ready for pick up at 2595 Nutter Chapel Rd. Cut off date for order is Dec. 10, 2008, you must pre-order as sausage is made up by amount ordered.

## Notices

- Regular Council Meeting 1st. Tuesday of the Month , at 8:00 PM. Rosary at 7:30 PM. Meal at 6:30 PM.
- Committee Meeting Monday after council meeting 7:00 PM.
- Centennial Hall (501) 327-8222
- Columbus Club (501) 327-8222
- [www.kofconway.com](http://www.kofconway.com)



### Youth Activity

Our annual essay contest is being offered to students in the 8th & 12th grades. The theme is "The Responsibility of the Catholic Citizen in a Free Society". The goal of the essay contest is to give the students the opportunity to strengthen the bond between the Knights of Columbus and Catholic schools. The winners will be announced after the first of the year.

The annual Knights of Columbus free throw championship is scheduled for Sunday, January 11th at the parish family activities center. This event is open for both girls and boys ages 10 to 14 (as of January 1). Registration will begin at 1:00 for those that did not pre-register. The contest will begin at 2:00.

**Anyone wishing to volunteer for this activity** can contact Gary Walter at 329-7759.



Tim Hess & Mark Fenner

We are currently looking for someone that may be interested in publishing this newsletter monthly. If you think that you might be interested please call Rod Harrison 336-7310.

### Knight of the Month

Bryan "Red" Prewitt

Were not sure what happen to Red's information. We are guessing that it was an email heist and someone will be calling us soon to let us know what the ransom is.



### Family of the Month

Richard Siebenmorgen

Richard has been a Knight for 29 years and is currently a 3rd degree member.

*Present involvement with the K of C, church, school or the community:*

- Member of 1St & 2nd & 3rd degree teams
- Warden
- Usher @ church
- Adoration
- Bazaar worker
- Helped w/Fall Festival

*Past involvement with the K of C, church, school or the community:*

- Inside Guard
- Member of Bazaar ticket committee
- KC Lenten fish fry

Richard is married to Paula (Zeltner) and they have been married for 24 years.

*Paula's involvements with KC, church, school or community*

- Adoration
- Bazaar worker
- Preschool teacher & St. Joseph Preschool
- Girl Scout Leader
- Flea Market volunteer
- Helped w/Fall Festival

Richard and Paula have 3 kids, all girls. Ellen 15, Amy 14 and Mary Rose 11. All 3 attend St. Joseph.

**Pictures**

- Some little ladies watching the Gold Fish at Family Fun day.
- Danny Joe & Gerald Elsinger
- Heathens
- Our Grand Knight



FAMILY ACTIVITY

OUR TURNOUT FOR THE SUNDAY MOVIE MATINEE WAS NOT WHAT WE WERE HOPING FOR HOWEVER THOSE WHO DID SHOW UP I THINK HAD A GREAT TIME. THE MOVE WAS "THE INCREDIBLES". WE WERE SERVING UP FREE SOFT DRINKS AND POP CORN TO ALL. WE ARE PLANNING ON ANOTHER DURING THE DECEMBER MONTH TO BRING IN THE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY. WHEN THE DATE IS SET IT WILL BE SENT OUT VIA EMAIL TO ALL KNIGHTS THAT HAVE SUBMITTED AN EMAIL ADDRESS AND TO OUR FRIENDS AT ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL.

Wildlife Supper News

Mark your calendar for January 30th for the annual Wildlife Super. This year's event looks like a big time judging from the deer camp stories I've already heard. We will of course have a gun to give away for a door prize and we will have many more door prizes for kid's only drawings. New for 2009 will be a homemade sausage judging contest. Those of you who make your own sausage can bring your different styles to be judged by an independent panel. Contest will begin at 6:00. Call Robert Halter at 329-6326 for more information.

Below is a list of all of our Knights and Family of every month in 2008. Each of these will be honored along with each of you at our annual Knights of Columbus banquet Saturday January 17th. Please visit our website www.kofcconway.com and place your vote for Knight and Family of the year. We are also accepting reservations for this event. You ask how much is it....Well it's FREE but you have to call and make reservations. Call Mark Bailey 513-0273 or Danny Kordsmeier 329-3673 or Rod Harrison 336-7310. This is for Husband and Wives or if your not married you may want to bring that special person in you life.

Table with 3 columns: Month, Knight of the Month, Family of the Month. Lists names for each month from January to December.

God Bless our Military

CPT Jason Atkinson is currently deployed to Iraq and is located in Baghdad. His brigade is 1st Infantry Division and he is part of the Iraq Assistance Group (IAG) Tasking.

Jason is married to Jennifer (Burroughs) Atkinson and they have a son Riley Jackson Atkinson born on May 4, 2008. Jason was deployed on May 25, 2008.

Jason is a son of Charles and Katie (Simon) Atkinson of Hot Springs, AR.

Grandson of Louis and Theresa Simon of Conway, AR.

Louis is a deceased Knight (12/19/07) of the Knights of Columbus.

www.kofcconway.com/Gcalendar.htm

Calendar for DECEMBER with days of the week and dates.

- 2 General Meeting
8 Club Meeting
24 Christmas Eve
25 Christmas

Calendar for JANUARY with days of the week and dates.

- 1 New Years Day
6 General Meeting
11 Freethrow contest (Activity Ctr)
12 Columbus Club meeting
17 Knights Banquet

If you have something you would like to have published in the Knights of Columbus Newsletter just send it to Rod Harrison's email address on the back page of this bulletin. We are always looking for information to share with our council.



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