



**Knights of Columbus Council 2439
Monthly Meeting Tuesday, July 10, 2008
At 7:30 PM - Anthony Hall**

Brother Dave Wendell is responsible for July's refreshments.
Brother Mike Alley is responsible for August's refreshments.

We had elections for OFFICERS at the June meeting. The new and reelected officers are as follows...

Grand Knight	Jerry Etzel	Deputy Grand Knight	Kendall Smith
Financial Secretary	Ron Bernt	Treasurer	John Bischoff (the elder John)
Warden	Carl Sampson	Recorder	Milan Castillo
Chancellor	Bill Rickman	Advocate	Dan Goffin
Inside Guard	Jim Kingsbury	Outside Guard	Randy Riesterer
Trustee, 1 year	George Gerspacher	Trustee, 2 years	Leo Brinkman
Trustee, 3 years	Kent Purdy		

We will have INSTALLATION of officers for the fraternal year at the July meeting by our District Deputy, Rich Stanislawski.

Congratulations to the newly elected officers, and thanks to the reelected officers and those that are stepping down after serving the council well. Thanks especially to Jerry Etzel for accepting the job of Grand Knight! Please give Brother Jerry your full congratulations, help and support! Together let's make this another great fraternal year!

We didn't quite make all the requirements for STAR COUNCIL this year, but we came close. We had more than enough new members, but we didn't have enough of an increase in insurance members. Not enough new insurance members, combined with some Brother Knights passing away during the year and some cancelled policies proved to be a bad combination! Let's give it another shot this year. Keep up the recruiting of new members, and be sure the new members know about the benefits of our insurance program!

Brother Frank Kintz passed away since our last meeting. Please remember to pray for the repose of Brother Frank's soul, as well as his surviving family.

The Relay for Life event in Stayton is coming up July 11-12. Our council is sponsoring two teams, and we have reached our fundraising goals. Thanks to all those Brother Knights that joined the teams and helped us with fundraising! Feel free to come attend the event and cheer us on. The event runs from 6PM Friday the 11th to 12PM on the Saturday the 12th. Proceeds help the American Cancer Society in cancer research and helping cancer patients.

We are still collecting cell phones, digital cameras and camcorders, DVDs, and used inkjet cartridges for our EcoPhones fundraiser. Save them and bring them to our monthly meeting, or call or email Kent Purdy to have them picked up. Thanks!

There are still spots available for the Harvest Festival DD Booth work schedule. Great way to get into the festival and still help earn money \$\$\$ for our club. Minors can help work the booth on Thursday Evening and Sunday. Please contact Glenn Hilton (503)769-9010 or nsantiamfs@wvi.com.

Prayers: Vince Etzel, Alan McMahan, Al Self, and Don Koenig.

Good of the Order winnings: \$6 – Josh Heuberger, \$5 – Steve Schmid, \$5 – Eric Etzel, \$5 – Randy Buchheit, \$5 – Del Younger, \$5 – Eric Smith, 1 dozen eggs – GK Kent Purdy, and monthly drawing (\$50) – Jim Liesch (our council's photographer – see our website for latest photos)

Thought for the month.... " Freedom has its life in the hearts, the actions, the spirit of men and so it must be daily earned and refreshed - else like a flower cut from its life-giving roots, it will wither and die. " ~Dwight D. Eisenhower

Grand Knight Kent Purdy
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July's birthdays: Ronald Bernt, Mitch Buchheit, Robert Cremer, Paul Denman, James Duffy, Robert Freres, Donald Gescher, Alfred Gomes, Edward Hassler, Donald Heuberger, Jeffrey Lee, Ronald Meier, Michael Odenthal, Donald Rickman, Robert Schachtsick, Steven Schmid, Albert Self, Charles Sherman, Joseph Sherman, Ruben Sisto, Charles Stack and David Wendell.