## RUMMEL READER

**Archbishop Rummel Council 5747** 

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November / December Edition

## **Grand Knights Report**

#### Russell J. Serpas, Sr.

I would like to thank everyone that attended our 50th Anniversary Social. It was an honor to recognize all our PGK's and especially "Thirteen" PGK's that celebrated with us. The food was great and a good time was had by all. Special thanks to my brothers and sisters that volunteered many hours to make this event a success.

Also, we had the pleasure of presenting a monetary donation to Seminarian Nathaniel Peters. Nathaniel is a graduate of Brother Martin High School.

Considering the weather, our First Annual Trick or Trunk was a success. Many families came out and enjoyed Rummel hospitality. Thanks to all that volunteered to help make this happen!

On Wednesday, November 11<sup>th</sup>, we will recognize our veterans by offering a patriotic movie at the council hall at 7pm. Coffee and donuts will be provided starting at 6pm. Brother Anthony Amadeo is in charge of this event which is open to the public.

The November Thanksgiving social is set for Sunday, 11/15, from 1:00pm - 4:00pm. We will recognize our Deputy/Fireman/EMT public servants of the year.

Our Annual Toy Giveaway is set for December 13<sup>th</sup>, at the Sigur Center from 10am-1pm. Our Christmas Social will follow at the Council Building.

#### God bless!

**1 Peter 4:8** - And above all things have fervent charity among yourselves: for charity shall cover the multitude of sins.

#### Calendar - 2015 /2016

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11/12/15	6:00p – Officers Meeting
	6:30p – Building Association
	7:00p – Business Meeting
11/15/15	Thanksgiving Social
	Deputy / Fireman / EMT
	Recognition
	▶ 1pm – 4pm
11/24/15	Thanksgiving Food Basket
	Distribution
	> 2pm – 5pm
12/10/15	6:00p – Officers Meeting
	6:30p - Building Association
	7:00p – Business Meeting
12/12/15	Sing-A-Long
	9:00am - Meet at Council
	Hall
12/13/15	A Knights Gift Toy Giveaway
	➤ 10am – 1pm
	Christmas Social
	▶ 1pm – 4pm
1/14/16	6:00p – Officers Meeting
	6:30p - Building Association
	7:00p – Business Meeting
1/30/16	<b>Knights of Columbus State</b>
	Gumbo Cook-Off
	Lafayette, LA
2/11/16	6:00p – Officers Meeting
	6:30p - Building Association
	7:00p – Business Meeting
2/14/16	Valentines Social
	▶ 1pm – 4pm
3/10/16	6:00p – Officers Meeting
	6:30p - Building Association
	7:00p – Business Meeting
3/31/16	Louisiana Crawfish Festival
	> 3/31 - 4/3/16
4/14/16	6:00p – Officers Meeting
	6:30p - Building Association
	7:00p – Business Meeting
5/12/16	6:00p – Officers Meeting
	6:30p - Building Association
	7:00p – Business Meeting

### **Deputy Grand Knights Report**

**Dennis Bourgeois** – I want to thank everyone who participated in our 50th Anniversary celebration. A special thank you to the cooks. The food was delicious. The speeches our Past Grand Knights gave brought back a lot of good memories, especially the old can shakes, working at the Dome and the eight years the council placed in the top three at the State Conventions. Rummel Council has achieved a lot in the past 50 years, and if we work together the best is yet ahead.

Thank you to all the families that participated in our first annual Trick-A-Trunk. Many families came out and enjoyed this event. Even the adults were impressed with the MONSTER TRUCK.

If you are in need of a Thanksgiving Basket please call Chris Morris at 504-390-9300. Baskets will be distributed on Tuesday, November 24th from 2:00 - 5:00 PM.

#### **Ladies Auxiliary News**

**Debby Coulon** — Our next meeting is on Saturday, November 14th at 10:00 AM. Please remember that the money is due on that day for the December 5th Christmas Luncheon at Young's Steak House on Robert Road in Slidell. The cost is \$30.00 and you have your choice of Steak, Chicken or Fish. Please call Betty Diodene at 504 421-1373 for more information.

Also, on Saturday, November 14th, we will have a fund raiser for Relay for Life at WOW restaurant on Judge Perez in Chalmette. Mention our team that day and we will get a percentage of the sales. Please come out and help support our team. All the money we earn goes to helping cancer patients in their time of need.

The Thanksgiving Social is on Sunday, November 15th. All Auxiliary members are asked to bring a dessert.

#### **Louisiana Crawfish Festival**

**Cisco Gonzales -** Several contracts are currently out for bid. Band schedule is set. Festival Co-Chairmen are in place.

### Youth Program Update

#### Fred Billiot-

Wow! The trick or trunk was a big success according to grand knight Rusty! It is estimated that approximately 200-300 trick or treaters passed through the council home Saturday, Halloween! Unity, once again proved to be the key role. A special thanks goes out to all that made this event happen. If you helped in any way, thanks for an exceptional unity effort!

Moving forward, Thanksgiving is rapidly approaching. Please, please arrange now for your Children &/or Grandchildren to attend the November Social. The awards for Deputy, Firefighter and EMS Persons will be conducted along with recognizing all that have Served Proudly in the United States Armed Forces! We are attempting to have trinkets of a sort from each for the departments to distribute to the youngsters attending.

And soon to follow: Will be the Christmas Knights Social with Santa, Carols and gift! I'm certain the food will be terrific! Please contact the Ladies regarding the gift names.

I cannot Thank You enough for your time and dedication to make this Youth Year Successful! Have an Idea? Please call me Fred 504-258-0862.

The Christmas sing along schedule is ready to roll!

December 12th

10:00am Ferncrest on Haynes

2:00 pm Chateau de Notre Dame- behind Notre Dame on South Carrollton!

If you would love a true blessing; come out and put a smile on a person unable to leave and attend Christmas celebrations! So, bring it to them!

As we get closer we'll set arrival time at the home and lunch provisions

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# You are cordially invited to attend "A SALUTE TO VETERANS OF ALL WARS"

Hosted by Archbishop Joseph F. Rummel Council #5747 Knights of Columbus and its Ladies Auxiliary

Join us for a memorable event to honor those who served to protect our freedom.

Date: Veteran's Day, Wednesday, November 11, 2015

Time: 6:00 p.m. - Coffee and donuts
6:30 p.m. - Opening Remarks
7:00 p.m. - Showing of Stage Door Canteen
Place: Knights of Columbus Hall
2107 Paris Road - Chalmette, LA

RSVP: Anthony Amadeo 504-277-8669

(please indicate name and phone number, # attending, and organization, if applicable)

The event will start with prayer followed by short remarks about the evening's event. A very exciting film, "Stage Door Canteen", will then be shown. The story of a young soldier who visits the famous New York City hot spot, where entertainers do their part for military morale by doing what they do best spotlights countless stars who appear in this timeless piece of entertainment. Following the movie will be remarks, experiences and opinions from those Veterans in attendance. The event will conclude with the singing, by all, of "America the Beautiful".

This event is free and open to the public.