



# Knights of Columbus Council 909

July 2016

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## Upcoming Events

### Installation of Officers

July 11, 2017 @ 7:00pm

### General Meeting

August 1, 2017 @ 7:00pm

### Tootsie Roll Drive

August 3-6, 2017

### Hawkeye Raffle & Dinner

End of August

### KC 909 Golf Tournament

State Gold Tournament  
July 15th

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July 14<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup>

## Grand Knight's Message

The Knights of Columbus 2017-2018 fraternal year starts July 1<sup>st</sup> and with it is a new slate of officers. I would like to introduce myself as the new Grand Knight and I look forward to working with you on all of our Charities and Programs that we have supported throughout the past several years. It is an honor to be elected as the Grand Knight and I am excited to serve you, our members! This is my first newsletter for the new fraternal year and I would like to take this moment to thank our past Grand Knight, Doug Kayser, for a great job in leading the KC 909 this past year! Doug guided us as a fraternity of brothers that volunteer and show a commitment to charity and the Catholic faith.

I look forward to this upcoming year and working with everyone. Feel free to contact me with your ideas, concerns, and anything that will benefit Council 909!

Dennis Martin

## 2017-2018 Officer Installation

Officer installation will be held on July 11th, 7:00pm, in place of the regular business meeting. Please attend the installation to show support for the officers that were voted in at last month's meeting.

Next regular meeting will be held August 1st at 7:00pm.

## Persons with Intellectual Disabilities "Tootsie Roll" Drive

This year's Tootsie Roll Drive will be held on August 3rd, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>. We need people to sign up asap. There is a sign-up sheet posted at the club. Please try to donate any amount of time that you can. Remember, Charity is one of the pillars of our organization and what better way to honor that than donating your time for this worthy cause.



Francis Wulf Financial Secretary

## Upcoming Hawkeye Raffle & Dinner

Ben Verhille Chairman of the Hawkeye Raffle and Dinner, would like to remind you that the 2017 Hawkeye Raffle and Dinner is only a few weeks away. Ben is setting his sights on breaking the record of 8,800 tickets that were sold in 2012! Please try and sell as many tickets as possible to friends and family as well as purchasing some for yourself. Two season tickets, to see the Hawkeye football team in action, will be given to the holder of the winning ticket. Tickets will be sent in the mail to you and extra tickets will be available behind the bar at the club. Proceeds from the raffle are used for Xavier and Seminarian Scholarships.

## Council Officers

### Grand Knight

Dennis Martin

### Chaplain

Father Ivan Nienhaus

### Deputy Grand Knight

John Hawes

### Chancellor

Steve Dodson

### Recorder

Tom Fagan

### Treasurer

Dennis Hrabak

### Advocate

Tom Flannery

### Warden

Brian Freeberg

### Inside Guard

Casey Duggan

### Outside Guards

Nick Mohwinkle

Shane Leahy

### Trustees

Doug Kayser

Scott Mohwinkle

Charlie Osborn

### Financial Secretary

Francis Wulf

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## First Annual KC 909 Charitable Golf Outing

On June 24<sup>th</sup>, 32 golfers competed in the first annual KC 909 Charitable Golf Outing 4 Person Best Shot. A total of \$1232 was raised to be presented to the Eastern Iowa Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. A special thanks to Ryan Sullivan, Kevin Dorrington, Scott and Mickey Shannahan, James Nelson, Bob Monaghan and Casey Duggan. James Nelson prepared and served dinner for the golf participants. Next Spring the KC 909 Golf Committee will be looking for volunteers to help raise money for our next charitable organization, the Alzheimers Association. If you are interested in volunteering, helping, donating or serving on the committee please contact Ryan Sullivan.

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## 2017 Knights of Columbus State Golf Tournament

Mark your calendars for July 15th for the 2017 Knights of Columbus State Golf Tournament. This year's event will be held at the Jones Golf Course in Cedar Rapids starting at noon. The cost is \$75 per person and includes golf, cart and a prime rib dinner. If you are interested in playing or getting a foursome together contact Roger Henley at 319-450-4365. The event is limited to the first 32 teams that sign up.

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## KC 909 Camp Out

The next KC 909 sponsored Camp Out for family and friends will be July 14<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> at Pinicon Ridge Park near Central City. The camp offers canoeing, a playground area, showers, fishing, etc. Contact our DGK, John Hawes, if you have any questions. The last Camp Out will be August 18<sup>th</sup>- 20<sup>th</sup>. Individual families are responsible for registering their own camp site(s).

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## Kudos to Mahlon Steepleton

Mahlon Steepleton, a recent Xavier graduate and recipient of a \$500 KC 909 Scholarship was awarded a Kindle Fire tablet from the CR Gazette for his contributions as part of the Gazette's High School Journalism Program.

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## The 909

Stop down and enjoy some fellowship. Remember each Wednesday evening we hold the "card drawing" and serve donated food from members, friends and the club. With the nice weather, take advantage of our outdoor patio. This is a great time to meet your fellow brother Knights!

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## Insurance

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