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## GRAND KNIGHTS MESSAGE

Dear Brother Knights,

It has been a privilege and an honor to serve this council and my brother knights for the past two years. It is truly amazing at how fast time flies! I appreciate all the support that you have given me as your Grand Knight and all the hard work you have done to make this council one of the best in the state!

At our June meeting we will have an election of new officers. Please try to attend and show your support for the upcoming officers. I am confident that your new brother knight Rod Harrison will do a wonderful job in leading this council for the next two years.

My hope for this council is to get our new members involved and all members young and old work together to keep our council alive. It is vital that our younger members step up and take a more active role in our council in order to succeed in all of our endeavors.

I hope to see a lot of you at our annual camporee in June. Anyone who does not wish to camp is always welcome and encouraged to come up and visit. It is a great time for fellowship with your brother knights and their families.

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Again, I have enjoyed being your Grand Knight and remember to pray for our military and our priests.  
It's good to be a Knight!

God Bless,  
Danny Kordsmeier  
Grand Knight

## Membership Dues

We have several members that have not paid their annual membership dues.

Knight Alert letters have been mailed and those members receiving one is in process of being contacted. Please send in your dues to avoid suspension. Mail to: Knights of Columbus, P.O. Box 611, Conway, AR 72033 or contact Ray Strack at 327-3896 or

Please take a moment today and say a prayer for all the brave men and women who are currently protecting our great country as well as those who have served and sacrificed for us in the past

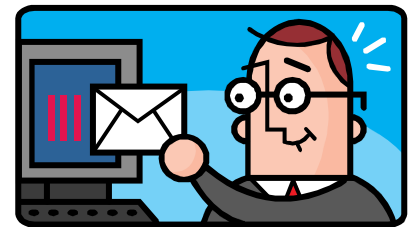


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## Newsletter Via email

Thanks to all who have responded to our request to receive the newsletter via email. If you'd like to help the council save money, please send me your email address to [chris.hoyt@kofcconway.com](mailto:chris.hoyt@kofcconway.com)



## 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.kofcconway.com](http://www.kofcconway.com)



### *Knight of the Month (May)*

#### **John Hoffman**

John has been a parishoner for 19 years at St. Joseph.

During this time he has served as an usher for the parish and been a participant for Perpetual Adoration, as well as a Bazaar worker.

John has also been a Knight for 25 years. He is a Fourth Degree member which has allowed him to be active in the Color Guard. He has also served as Youth Director.

In addition he serves on the 2nd-3rd Degree Exemplification team, and actively participates in the Fall Festival, Pancake Breakfast, Lenten Fish Suppers and the Steak Cookouts.

He wife Jean is a also a participant in Perpetual Adoration. Jean has served as a Eucharistic Minister and is a member of the Christian Ladies.

Jean also participates in the Bazaar, serves as on the Funeral Committee and helps with many Knights functions.

### *Senior Swim*

We will have a Senior swim time at the KC pool this year (Morning). The times are still just a little undecided but will be announced soon ( 1-2 weeks). We would like to hear a response from who all might be interested. Email me at [rod.harrison@kofc-conway.com](mailto:rod.harrison@kofc-conway.com) if you are interested.

### *Knight of the Month (June)*

#### **Keith David Rowe**

Keith has been a Knight for 7 months and is currently a 1st degree member

#### **Present involvement with the Church and Community:**

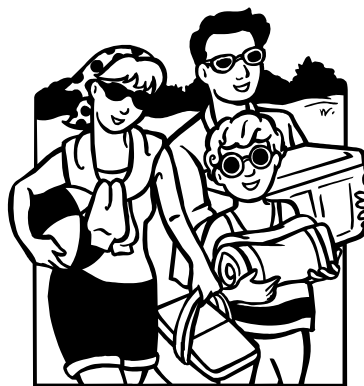
- Chair - Family Activities

#### **Past involvement includes:**

- Coached Upward Youth Soccer
- Coached Impact Youth Baseball
- Helped With Rush Soccer

### *Family Fun Day*

The Knights of Columbus is having its annual family fun day on Sunday June 7th from 1:00 pm till the pool closes. Hot dogs and hamburgers will be provided along with drinks and chips, there will be an egg toss, a water balloon toss, and don't forget the famous gold fish chase in the pool. Come on out and make this event a big success. There is no charge and all parishoners and families are invited.



### *Family of the Month (June)*

#### **Kevin Briggler**

Kevin has been a Knight for 20+ years and is currently a 3rd degree member

#### **Present involvement with the Church and Community:**

- Bazaar worker
- Recently elect Family Activities co-Chairman
- Pee-Wee referee for school
- Help with Knights of Columbus Free Throw Championship
- United Way

#### **Past involvement includes:**

- Bazaar Booth Chairman
- Help with Fall Festival

**Wife:** Susan (Hill) married 16 years

#### **Present involvement with Church and Community:**

- Bazaar worker
- United Way

#### **Children:**

Courtney (14) Rachel (13) Meagan (13) Emily (7) All attend St Joseph

### *Camporee*

The annual Knights of Columbus camporee is almost upon us! As always it will follow the "Father's Day weekend (June 24th thru 28th) at Sugarloaf State Park on Greers Ferry lake.

We hope you're making plans to attend. The weekend is filled with great fun and fellowship for the whole family.



*Election of Officers*

Our Council will be holding our election of officers at June’s general meeting. Below is a list of Knights that will be voted on to lead and guide our council for the next 2 years. Please make plans on attending this meeting to cast your vote for these Knights.

- Grand Knight Rod Harrison
- Deputy Grand Knight Jim Pollock
- Financial Secretary Ray Strack
- Treasure Gary Walter
- Warden Steve Hall
- Recorder Gerald Martin / Brian Schluterman
- Chancellor Richard Siebenmorgen
- Advocate Harry Parsons
- Lector Troy Kelehan

Trustees

- 1 year Steve Dayer
- 2 year Donnie Lock
- 3 year Danny Joe Kordsmeier

*A Little Humor*

“I drink too much. The last time I gave a urine sample it had an olive in it.”

**Rodney Dangerfield**

“My psychiatrist told me I was crazy and I said I want a second opinion. He said okay, you’re ugly too.”

**Rodney Dangerfield**

*Swim Lessons*

There will swim lessons available for the youngsters this year at the KC Pool. Kathleen Moix will be teaching the lessons. Additional information will be made available at the swimming pool plus we will have it available for emailing once the final decisions are made on dates and times. We do know that they will be being held in mid to late June and will be held before the pool opens at 1:00.

*Editors Note*

First of all, I’d like to say that it’s a pleasure to be helping our council by putting together the newsletter each month! I always thought brother Rod did a fantastic job & I’m glad I can give him a little relief from this responsibility. I also want to say that if you ever have something you would like to see in the newsletter, please don’t hesitate to let me know. I’m always looking for new ideas. You can always email me at [chris.hoyt@kofcconway.com](mailto:chris.hoyt@kofcconway.com).

*Just Five More Minutes*

While at the park one day, a woman sat down next to a man on a bench near a playground.

“That’s my son over there,” she said, pointing to a little boy in a red sweater who was gliding down the slide.

“He’s a fine looking boy” the man said. “That’s my daughter on the bike in the white dress.”

Then, looking at his watch, he called to his daughter. “What do you say we go, Melissa?”

Melissa pleaded, “Just five more minutes, Dad. Please? Just five more minutes.”

The man nodded and Melissa continued to ride her bike to her heart’s content. Minutes passed and the father stood and called again to his daughter. “Time to go now?”

Again Melissa pleaded, “Five more minutes, Dad. Just five more minutes.”

The man smiled and said, “OK.”

“My, you certainly are a patient father,” the woman responded.

The man smiled and then said, “Her older brother Tommy was killed by a drunk driver last year while he was riding his bike near here. I never spent much time with Tommy and now I’d give anything for just five more minutes with him. I’ve vowed not to make the same mistake with Melissa.

She thinks she has five more minutes to ride her bike. The truth is, I get five more minutes to watch her play.”

Life is all about making priorities, what are your priorities?

Give someone you love 5 more minutes of your time today!



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