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Our 91st Year

My Brothers in Christ; I trust this message finds you well.

Whoever said "Let It Snow"? I for one and maybe you will agree with me I have had enough, enough & enough. Spring is just around the corner so let us be thankful for God's works his blessing and the gifts he has given us.

In March and April we have a few activities to look forward to: **St. Patrick's Day Dinner/Dance**, **JBC Blood Drive**, **JBC 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Cocktail Party**, **The Acchords** and the **Easter** Season will be upon us with warmth, sunshine, flowers and great celebrations. Please check the calendar.

#### Past Council Activities

**New Year's Eve** was a great success. Thanks to Marie & Brian Dunker along with their team. Great Job!

**Winter Picnic:** Another wonderful time and fun had by all with your host PGK Jim Mulligan and his team of helpers. I have to mention that Louise Loomis finally won a prize from the raffle, but I don't remember what it was...but enjoy!

**Super Bowl Sunday**: Very successful with prizes and HDTV given away lots of food thank you to PGK Gerard Mulholland and many helpful hands and congratulations to the Seattle Seahawks on an outstanding WIN! **Basketball Free Throw:** was held. Congratulations to all the winners and a thank you to IG Walter Duffy **3<sup>rd</sup> Degree** @ Joseph Barry Council Jan 24<sup>th</sup>. I would to thank my Council Officers & Harry Deegan for all their help.

Big Congratulations to our <u>NEW 3rd Degree Members</u>:

Chris Anskat, James Tucker, William Caino, Bill Kopetz, John Collins, Brian Hughes, Louis Mayr, Michael Losquardo, Silvio Giacinto

**1st Degree** members from Feb 18<sup>th</sup> Exemplification at JBC:

Rev. Father Saul Londono of St Ignatius Loyola, Louis Cali & Richard D. Kremler

2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Feb 18<sup>th</sup> Exemplification at JBC:

Louis Cali & Richard D. Kremler

GREAT JOB BROTHERS ... Welcome and I ask please HELP OUR COUNCIL ....!

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## DISCOVERER

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#### Kenny Club By-Law change

At the April General Membership meeting of the Edward J. Kenny Club a motion will be presented to change the By-laws as follows:

## Article VIII, Section 2:

**Checks, Drafts, etc.** All Checks, drafts or other orders for the payment of money, notes or other evidences of indebtedness issued in the name of the Corporation shall be signed by any two of the following: Chairmen, President, Vice President or Treasurer.

The following change is being proposed:

**Checks, Drafts, etc.** All Checks, drafts or other orders for the payment of money, notes or other evidences of indebtedness issued in the name of the Corporation shall be signed by any two of the following: Chairmen, President, Vice President, Treasurer or a Director elected by the Board.

## **Council Calendar**

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	March 2014
4	Joseph Barry Council Meeting (Tue-8pm)
5	Ash Wednesday
6	EJK Board Meeting (Thur-7:30pm)
11	DD Mtg @Delaney/Columbiette Brd Mtg
15	St. Patrick's Dinner & Dance (Sat- 8 pm)
18	Joseph Barry Council Meeting (Tue-8pm)
20	Knights of Columbus in Albany
20	Rosary in Lounge 7:15 PM/CWV 8PM
21	Chapter Meeting @New Hyde Park
21	Columbiettes' Supermarket Bingo (Fri-7 pm)
25	Columbiettes Meeting/AOH Meeting
28	3rd Degree @New Hyde Park (Fri-8 pm)
29	Social Bowling- S. Levittown Lanes (Sat-7 pm)
30	Family Mass Breakfast (Sun- 9:30 am)
	APRIL 2014
1	Joseph Barry Council & EJK Meeting (Tue-8 pm)
3	EJK Board Meeting (Thur-7:30pm)
3	JBC Blood Drive (Thur- 2-8 pm)
7	JBC Officers Meeting 7:30pm
8	DD Mtg @Delaney/Columbiette Brd Mtg
11	Chapter Meeting @Floral Park
12	90 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration (Sat- 8 pm)
13	Palm Sunday
15	Joseph Barry Council Old Timer's Night (Tue-8pm)
17	Rosary in Lounge 7:15 PM/CWV 8PM
18	Good Friday
20	Easter Sunday
22	Columbiettes Meeting/AOH Meeting
25	3rd Degree @Memorare
26	Oldies Night- The Acchords (Sat-7:30 pm)
27	Family Mass Breakfast (Sun- 9:30 am)
	MAY 2014
1	EJK Board Meeting (Thur-7:30pm)
2	Night at the Races
4	JBC Communion Breakfast
6	Joseph Barry Council Memorial Mass (Tue-8 pm)
11	Mother's Day
13	DD Mtg @Delaney/Columbiette Brd Mtg
15	Rosary in Lounge 7:15 PM/CWV 8PM
16	Chapter Meeting @St. Mary/Stella Maris- Lbk
20	Joseph Barry Council Meeting (Tue-8pm)
25	Family Mass Breakfast (Sun- 9:30 am)
26	Memorial Day
27	St. Ignatius Golf Outing (Tue)
27	Columbiettes Meeting/AOH Meeting

# COLUMBIETTES CORNER



Columbiette Meetings are held at the Joseph Barry Council Hall, 45 Heitz Place, Hicksville, on the fourth Tuesday of each month at 8:00. All Catholic women, ages 18 and over, are invited to become members. For more information call: President – Jackie Sciubba at 516-579-0480

Dear Sister Columbiettes:

I know you will join me in hoping that March comes in like a lamb and brings us some warm days as we all know the past two months have been a challenge, to say the least, with all the snow and cold weather. Some of our members fell ill during this time and we have remembered them in our prayers as well as cards being sent out wishing them speedy recovery. These members include Joan Chwalisz, Susan Sarandis, Diana Sturges, Ginny Smythe, and Rita DeMartini.

We welcomed all members back at our General Membership meeting held January 28, 2014. We had a big attendance and it was great to get back to Columbiette business. I reported that unfortunately our bus trip on January 15 to Mohegan Sun had to be cancelled as well as the Heart Health Dance due to low attendance. I want to thank our Columbiettes who worked on these two events. Hopefully the spring will bring us more success in our endeavors.

Our Board of Audit meeting was held February 6 and I am happy to report our books are in good order. Thanks to Karen Warner and Grace Noll for their work on this Committee, as well as Barbara Cheslock, Chairperson and Diana Sturges and Carmela Lancaster.

The Birthright Shower was part of the February 17, 2014 Chapter meeting held at Joseph Barry Council. Thanks to Corinne Clark, Chairperson for a wonderful job as well as her committee, Anne Harkins and Mary Cimino. We welcomed the workers from Birthright who thanked our organization for all the donated items and a check was also given to them from some of the other auxiliaries. I would also like to thank all who helped in setting up room and bringing baked goods for desserts to make this evening a huge success.

Looking forward to our next event, "Everything is Coming Up Green" Supermarket Bingo, which will be held on Friday, March 21, 2014. Thanks to Corinne Clark for stepping up and offering to Chair this event. The doors will open at 7pm and games will begin at 7:30. Admission is \$5.00 which buys you one set of cards, additional cards are available to buy as well as raffle tickets for raffle prizes. Please call either Marie Dunker or Pat Harran to make your reservations. Thanks to Marie Dunker for taking care of the publicity for this event. I hope all will be able to join us, this is usually one of our big events and we all look forward to a successful event and a great time to be had by all. Any grocery items you can donate are welcomed-please call Corinne Clark.

The Lenten Season begins March 5, Ash Wednesday. I am hoping that as an organization we are able to come together for a Lenten prayer and Stations of the Cross. The day I have tentatively chosen is March 28, 2014. This will be discussed



## In Memoriam

Donald J. Buckley Daniel D. DeLape Frank B. Drasby Luke Dantuono

May their souls and all the souls of the Faithful Departed rest in peace

Joseph Barry Columbiettes, 45 Heitz Place, Hicksville, NY 11801 will be having a

#### SUPERMARKET BINGO Friday, March 21

Doors open 7 pm -- Games start 7:30 pm. Admission \$5 per person (includes one set of cards). Additional cards and specials will be available. Coffee/Cake/Raffles and Fun.

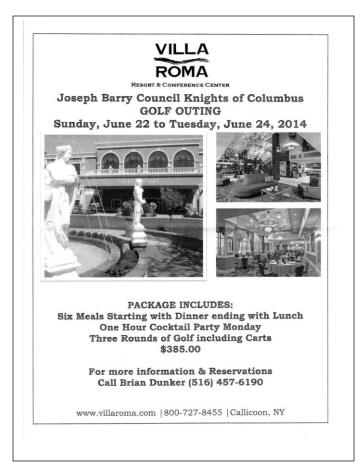
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at our Feb. 25, 2014 meeting and hopefully will come to fruition.

Upcoming dated /events: Ash Wednesday- March 5 Chapter Meeting- March 17 Board Meeting- March 18 Supermarket Bingo- March 21 General membership Meeting-March 25 Lenten Prayer-March 28 Holy Week/Easter-April 17-20 General Membership Meeting- April 22

At this time, I would like to wish all of you and your families a blessed Lenten season and a joyous Easter. This is the most holy time of the year and please take time to reflect on our faith and look into ourselves so that we make become closer to Our Lord and to the holy mother church.

God Bless, President Jackie Sciubba



#### 300 Club News

The season is off and running for 2014. Winners for January and February have been picked and are posted at the Council. A list of year to date winners will be published here in the May issue of Discoverer.

At the present time there are 21 numbers unassigned and 65 which are assigned to someone but have not been paid. If you are one of these please get the money in as soon as possible. The Kenny Club needs this money.

Here is a list of the unassigned numbers. If you, a friend or family member are interested please contact me.

011	059	192	268
018	098	193	269
023	143	206	272
032	149	245	293
037	178	248	297
010			

Tom Gill (516) 433-8607 tomjgill@aol.com

#### Give the Gift of Life! Council Blood Drive Thursday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> 2-8 pm

#### **Come Bowl With Us**

On Saturday, March 29, 2014, we will have a social bowling night. It will be held at South Levittown Lanes beginning at 7PM. After bowling is finished, we will have a repast with beer, wine and soda in the Council's Lounge.

Each team will have 4 bowlers and we will bowl 2 games. You do not need a full team to sign up. Team sign-ups with less than 4 will have additional bowlers assigned to these teams. The cost will be \$20 per person. All monies will be due at least 1 week prior to the bowling date. This is necessary in order to reserve the correct number of lanes at South Levittown Lanes and for ordering food for the repast. No money will be accepted after that date.

A sign-up sheet will be posted in March. If you have any questions, contact Don Cleary (516) 433-0360, Tom Gill (516) 433-8607, Jim Mulligan (516) 433-4049, or Paul Kraus (516) 433-6113.

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#### January 2014

JBC K of C KNIGHT(s) OF THE MONTH: WARDEN TOM ZEGERS & INSIDE GUARD WALTER DUFFY for their hard work for The Adult Christmas Party 2013...first time chairmen ...*Atta Boy* boys.

JBC K of C FAMILY OF THE MONTH: MARIE & BRIAN DUNKER for their dedication to the New Year's Eve Party, this Council and Family

#### February 2014

JBC K of C KNIGHT OF THE MONTH: Harold Deegan "Chef Boyardee" Harry's help in the kitchen is always appreciated. Thank You!

JBC K of C FAMILY OF THE MONTH: Joanne & PGK Jim Mulligan: 15 years of making the Winter Picnic enjoyable and always a fun night...plus being an outstanding couple that I can and many others can call *Friends...*.

I ask all to please remember and pray for JBC Brother Frank Drasby, a 59 year member and Sister Patrice. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed Rest In Peace...Amen

"When you get to the end of your rope, tie a knot and hang on." - Franklin D. Roosevelt

SK Douglas W Quinn, Grand Knight My God Bless You, Your Family & God Bless America.....Vivat Jesus!

#### **Brothers**

#### Think You Are Too Old for Coverage? Maybe Not

You are never too young or too old to consider purchasing life insurance. If you have a financial need for coverage, or will in the future, a permanent life insurance policy can be just the thing you need.

When you are young and presumably healthy, coverage will be very inexpensive when compared to purchasing the same policies when you are older.

If you've put off purchasing coverage, or you realize that you may need additional insurance, the Order may still be able to help you, even if other companies cannot. In fact, in 2012, the issue age of our permanent life insurance products was extended to age 80. Naturally, your health, and whether or not you smoke, will be taken into consideration, so underwriting standards for risk and age apply. But, the extension is a great blessing for me – and it could be for you too. Now I can help members that I couldn't help before. Are you or one of your brother knights one of those members? Whether you're 18 or 80, the Knights of Columbus has products that will work for you and your family. I look forward to discussing coverage with you.

> Field Agent Kevin Lynch cell phone number (646) 210-9382 Kevin.Lynch@kofc.org



#### Sick & Distressed Please remember in your prayers:

Msgr. Donald Bennett Msgr. Tom Hartman Chester Marcin David Wall **Dennis Foley** Frank White George Reichle Ron Hunley Harry Mulligan Joe Tattoo John Bishop Ollie Bell Lance Kleiniewski Kevin Flanagan Bill Jankowski Paul Delaney Peter O' Reilly, Jr Pete Wolski Peter Johnson III Robert Obermeyer Thomas Ofenloch Tom Manaskie Leroy Ford Jim Mulligan, PGK

Michael Rosado- RIP Sister Patrice Ward- RIP

Jane Connolly Barbara Ann Telender Betty Brown Carol DeLorenzo Catherine Galgano Colleen Kiernan **Dianne Flannery Diane Powers** Helen Holmes Irene Sokolauf Jean Hebrank Ann Mittasch Judy Johnson Karen Buckley Karen Mercurio Laura Merchant Margaret Telesky Marie Dantuono Michelle McMullan Nancy Obermeyer Burpee Patricia Doyle Pat Gully Maureen Geier Baby Kamden Hodge

Ann Prancl

Call Tom Zegers if you know of anyone who may need our prayers- (516) 314-1390

#### Kenny Club Election Notice

The Nominating Committee of Ed O'Neill - Chairman, Harry Deegan, Randy Mittasch, Harry Loomis, Charles Prancl (PGK), and Donald Cleary place in nomination the following names for Corporate Office for the fiscal year 2014-2015. This notice is to fulfill the membership notification requirement in accordance with the by-laws. Nominations will be presented at the quarterly meeting of the Kenny Club on April 1st. Additional nominations may be made at that time and the election will follow.

President	Grand Knight Elect (automatic)
Vice President	Richard Burg
Sergeant at Arms	Thomas Zegers
Secretary	Randall Mittasch
Treasurer	William Artuso
Trustee (2 yr. term)	Michael Dantuono
Trustee (2 yr. term)	Joseph Geary
Trustee (2 yr. term)	Brian Dunker



## St. Patrick's Day Dance

Saturday, March 15, 2014 8:00 to 12:00 \$60.00 per couple

Corned Beef & Cabbage, Irish soda bread, Irish coffee, Open Bar, & more Music by: Brennan and the Mor And more surprises! Contact: Gerard Mulholland PGK- 516-385-0131 or email: <u>mulhollandg@verizon.net</u> Or Joe Geary 516-935-3164 or email: joki227@verizon.net

## The Acchords

Live in CONCERT on Saturday, April 26, 2014

They will be performing hits from the 50s, 60s and 70s Doors open at 7:30 PM

Location: Knights of Columbus, 45 Heitz Place Hicksville, NY Casual Attire

OpenBar/Sandwiches/Wraps/Salads/Dessert/ Coffee Cost is \$35 per person. ABSOLUTELY NO MONEY AT THE DOOR AND ALL MONEY TO BE PAID TO THE Edward J. Kenny Club. RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED. Limited to 180 persons. For reservations: 516-457-6190, Brian

## JOSEPH BARRY COUNCIL #2520 2014 OLD TIMERS NIGHT

## HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS

Frank Cerar, John Della Ratta, Arturo Esguerra, PGK, John Flanagan, Charles Grunwald, Jr. William Kraynak, Ronald Lebrecht, Walter Maier, Andrew Malone, John Prunty, Jr., Edmund Russo, David Smyth

## HONORARY MEMBERS

Gerard Connors, Brian Dunker, Eugene Harty Roger Koopmann, Richard Merzbacher, Anthony Montalbano, Charles Montana, Jr., Peter O'Reilly, Jr., Walter Schreiber, Thomas Sosnowski

#### **25 YEAR MEMBERS**

Michael A. D'Antuono, Michael A. Dantuono, Jr., Mark De Cesare, Christopher Kerbs, Andrew Malone, John Mc Lafferty

## SPECIAL RECOGNITION

50 YEARS Joseph Curley Peter Lombardo John Lupski Dennis Sullivan

<u>60 YEARS</u> John Bishop, James Kiernan

The above honorees are cordially invited to "Old Timers Night" on April 15, 2014, to receive their appropriate lapel pins, certificates and membership cards. This is an open meeting and all members and their families are invited to join with us as we honor them for their years of service to Joseph Barry Council and our Order.

#### **Corps of Ushers**

Our St. Ignatius Parish corps of ushers is in need of members to help at the Sunday masses. For those parishioners who have wanted to participate in a parish activity, this is your opportunity to be of service. The corps of ushers performs a valuable role for the church community, and includes some of the most faithful servants of the parish family. Please leave your name, address and telephone number with one of the ushers or at the rectory. We need your help.

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Joseph Barry Council #2520 Hicksville, NY Established January 20, 1924

# 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration

Celebrating 90 years of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and service to the Hicksville Community

Please join us for a toast to the rich history of the Joseph Barry Council, with a cocktail party to celebrate this momentous milestone. 4<sup>th</sup> Degree Members Black tie requested April 12, 2014 8:00pm Cocktail Party

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\$25 per person

Joseph Barry Council 45 Heitz Place, Hicksville, NY To help support our Anniversary Celebration we will be publishing a commemorative journal.

Journal Ad information:

Prices for advertisements are as follows (circle size desired):

Covers		Full Page	\$100
Back	\$125	Half Page	\$60
Inside Front	\$125	Quarter Page	\$35
Inside Back	\$125	Booster	\$5

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Please make all checks payable to: Joseph Barry Council Knights of Columbus and respond no later than March 21, 2014.