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Unity

**JANUARY 2025** 

**Fraternity** 

**Patriotism** 

#### Thamk You

A heartfelt thank you goes out to all our Veterans past and present who served our country to keep it free. Thank a Veteran!



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**WEBSITES** 

www.newyorkknights.com www.suffolkchapterkoc.com



**Brother Knights,** 

Effective January 1, 2025 our annual membership fee will now be \$50\* The increase was approved by your officers to allow OLOR to remain strong financially. This is the first increase in over 15 years. If payment is not received by March 31st, 2025 your membership will be suspended and you will no longer be allowed in the lounge, at events and meetings. In addition, all Knights are required to provide your home and/or cell phone number and email address. Please provide this necessary information on the payment form. All payments should be mailed to SK Harry Lipps our FS, given directly to DGK Jamie Monaco or to me. Payments can be left in the lounge mailbox in an envelope to my attention with Membership written on it.(If cash is left in the lounge and you don't get a receipt and we don't receive it, it will be your responsibility, not the councils)

\* \* if the increase causes a financial hardship, the Council officers will review each personal situation.



Hail Mary full of Grace, the Lord is with thee. Blessed art thou among women and blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus. Holy Mary Mother of God, Pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death. ~ Amen

"Say the Rosary every day, to bring peace to the world and the end of war." Amen

#### **Council Meetings**

1st Thursday of the month at 7:30 pm

## Council Officers Meeting 3rd Thursday of each month

Corporation General Meeting 2nd Thurs. Of Jan. Apr. Jul. &

## Oct. Corporation Officers Meeting

2nd Thursday of each month Columbiettes Meeting

2nd Monday of each month @ 7:30 pm Columbiette Calendar Raffle Coming Soon 20/20 Calendar Raffle Columbiettes Watch For Further Details \$20-20 Chances to Win Details on page 8



#### DATES TO REMEMBER

Jan 2 Council Mtg.
Jan 8 Columbiette Off Mtg.
Jan 9 Corp. Gen. Mtg.
Jan. 9 Corp. Off. Mtg.
Jan 10 Texas Hold'em
Jan 13 Columbiette Mtg.
Jan. 14 Blood Drive
Jan. 16 Council Off. Mtg.
Jan 22 BINGO
Feb 1 PGK SK Dan's
Tribute
Feb 5 Columbiette Off Mtg.
Feb. 6 Council Mtg.

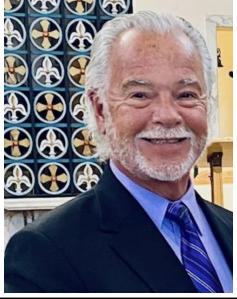
Feb 10 Columbiette Mtg. Feb. 13 Corp. Off Mtg.

Feb. 19 BINGO

Feb. 20 Council Off Mtg.

Mar 8 St. Patrick's Party

As of August 1, 2018 the Knight Watch will be prepared by Bobi Lukenovich. Her NEW email address is "bvichKW@aol.com



Dear Brothers.





Happy New Year! It's another new beginning to what 2025 will bring. The Knights accomplished a lot last year and together we continue to show our unity, fraternity and most important - charity. All membership dues notices have been mailed out and please make your payments promptly with the required information. A major change this year there will be NO second & third reminder notices being mailed out this year. The deadline again is March 31st. On February 6th at our council meeting we will have a "special" renewal and payment session. For the first time for your convenience, we will offer credit card

processing (as well as cash

and checks). Please sign up

for the tribute to PGK SK Dan

Thompson to honor his service

and dedication to OLOR. Let's

smallest act of kindness can

day. Here's to a prosperous

2025 for all of us.

Respectively

have an impact on someone's

remember that even the

Dear Sister Columbiettes. Wishing everyone a happy and healthy New Year filled with many blessings. Let us take a moment to be ever so grateful for the many successes we have had this past year and be thankful for all that contributed to make the Columbiettes so special. As we begin a new year, I look forward to expanding our unity with our brother Knights and community. We shall continue strengthening our faith within ourselves and others while also broadening our charitable efforts. Our next meeting is Monday, January 13th at 7:30. At this meeting we will be hosting a special guest speaker from Paws for War. We are looking for donations of cat or dog items. As January starts our new year we will be collecting dues of \$20 for 2025. Please see Carol Farnworth at the meeting or mail to OLOR Columbiettes 759 Long Island Ave, Deer Park, NY 11729 We will also be picking several winners for our January 20/20 Calendar raffle.

#### Looking ahead:

Saturday, February 1st 1:00-4:00 pm Tribute to PGK Dan Thompson at the K of C. See flyer for more info.

Saturday, March 8th St Patrick's Day Party at the K of C. Move info to follow.

Monday, March 10th Baby Shower / meeting 7:30pm

Greeting everyone a faith filled New Year!

May God be merciful to us as we start the new year, and may we always cling to Him as we journey through this year.

May He bless us with good health and long life so that we way always carry our duties and responsibilities in bringing Jesus to others through our words and actions.

We ask for our Mother Mary's intercession!

Fr. Paul

#### Columbiette Calendar Raffle

20/20 Calendar Raffle Dorothy 631-796-8126 Danielle 347-610-7902 Tina 631-334-1484 \$20-20 Chances to Win Raffle tickets pulled from January to June 2025 WINNERS-

\$150 \$75 \$75



Happy JANUARY Birthdays Joe Abbondondelo, Howard Abbondondelo, Charles Aquilina, Steve Arroyo, Rev Joseph Baidoo, Maggie Baird, Ken Berding, Robert Brennan, Lawrence Busini, Vincent Castello, William Celona, Joe Corcoran, Joe D'Attoma, Donna Daly, Rocco DeMevo, John Delaney Jr., William Dwyer, Jon Freeman, Fred Gallagher, Ken George, Joan Giarratano, Kevin Gillespie, Susan Goldberg, Barney Guarino, John Guiffre, Inab Hanna, , Lindsay Henry, Tim Horodnicki, Jay Martino, Nancy Mastrosimone, Michael McCann, Kevin McGill, Terrence McEvoy, Edward Moran, Diane Mulry-Betz, Matthew Phillips, Richard Ramski, **Dorothy Rodriquez, Margaret Sickenberger, Tony** Silvestro, Sal Squatrito, Kathryn Stevens, Maria Tafflock, , Lawrence Tronolone, Daniel Uhlman, Marie Vento, Giacomo Vernace, Craig Wagner, Robert Walsh, **Manfred Weissenberger** 





#### **Our Prayers for Recovery**

Barbara Weinberger, Joyce Ratushny, JoAnn Sciacca, Jeanne Brannigan, Nancy Lanni, Donna Daly, Rosalie Lazar, Connie Rigert, Vickie Lynch & Kate Cappadona Michael Mueller

"Jake"

TO ADD TO THE SICK LIST CALL THE GK, BRIAN BRECKLES 631-835-6559

Pray for all the brave souls who have died or have been injured in conflicts around the world. Please pray for the family of:

# JANUARY

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
			1	2 Council Mtg.	3	4
5	6	7	8 Columbiette Off Mtg	9 Corp. Off Mtg.& Corp Gen. Mtg.	10 Texas Hold'em	11
12	13 Columbiete Mtg.	14	15	16 Council Officers Mtg.	17	18
19	20	21	22 BINGO	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	
FEBRUARY						
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
						1 PGK Dan's Tribute
2	3	4	5 Columbiette Off Mtg	6 Council Mtg.	7	8
9	10 Columbiete Mtg.	11	12	13 Corp. Off Mtg.	14	15



#### COMPTROTTER'S CORNER

The next Exemplification will take place live on February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 at St. Patrick's Cathedral

In NYC. This is in celebration of the 125th Anniversary of the Fourth Degree

Applications must be submitted on line at: www.kofc.org/en/for-members/anniversary.html

Join us Saturday, Feb. 22, 2025, at St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York City as we:

Conduct the revised Exemplification of the Fourth Degree exemplification
Attend Mass concelebrated by Cardinal Timothy Dolan, archbishop of New York, and
Archbishop William Lori, our Worthy Supreme Chaplain and archbishop of Baltimore
Dedicate a new statue of Blessed Michael McGivney
Continue the celebration with a banquet at the New York Hilton Midtown

2025 Dues notices will be going out in early November, 2024. As in the past, if you pay before the end of the year, you will be entered into a drawing for 1 year's dues.

Happy Thanksgiving to all.

Brothers if you know of anyone NOT getting the Gavel and they want any information concerning the Assembly, have them e-mail their address to the editor. <a href="mailto:fatima0716@gmail.com">fatima0716@gmail.com</a>

Vivat Jesus,

Jim Ellingham, PGK, FDD FAITHFUL COMPTROLLER



# **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**





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KOC MEMBERS RECEIVE \$50 DISCOUNT

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL OR EMAIL ROXANNE
CELL 631.459.9761 EMAIL ROXANNEKOFC@GMAIL.COM

Our Lady of the Rosary Columbiettes

# 20/20 Calendar Raffle



- \$75 Drawing every other Friday (13 chances to win)
- \$150 Drawing on each of the following holidays: New Year's Day, Martin Luther King Day, Valentine's Day, St. Patrick's Day, Easter, Mother's Day, Father's Day (7 chances to win)

## **\$20 = 20 OPPORTUNITIES TO WIN \$\$\$\$**

Raffle tickets pulled monthly starting January 1, 2025 - June 2025

Each winner will be placed back in the raffle with the chance to win again.

Drawings to be held at Columbiette monthly meeting. Winners checks will be mailed once a month.

#### Great for gift giving for the holidays!

Proceeds to benefit Our Lady of the Rosary Columbiette Charities

Make checks made payable to OLOR Columbiettes

All money and entry tickets due by December 30, 2024

#### For tickets contact:

Dorothy Rodriguez 631-796-8126 Danielle Powell 347-610-7902 Tina Roth 631-334-1484





# Deer Park Knights of Columbus PRESENTS





# TEXAS HOLD'EM TOURNAMENT FUNDRAISER

50/50 RAFFLE

Date: January 10, 2025

Time: 7:30 PM (Doors Open at 6:30)

Location: Knights of Columbus

759 Long Island Avenue, Deer Park



Entry Fee: 100 Point Buy-In for **9,000** in Chips
1 Add-On at the Break,
Unlimited Buy-Ins in the First Hour
PRIZES BASED ON THE AMOUNT OF PLAYERS

Sign Up On or Before 1/3/25 to Recieve 1000 Bonus Points

Pro-Penister ONLY- NO WALK INS

Contact Anthony Adragna

Knights4428@gmail.com

or call 516-807-2778





# K of C # 4428 – Our Lady of the Rosary

759 Long Island Avenue, Deer Park NY 11729

## Tuesday January 14, 2025 3:00pm-7:30pm



Each Presenting Donor will receive a Voucher for 2 Tickets to a 2025 Islanders Home Game



Please Scan the QR Code to Schedule your

#### Prepare to donate



Eat well and hydrate



Bring a photo ID



Feel good and symptom free



Must be 17+ or 16 with parental consent form



Meet minimum weight requirements

For full eligibility requirements and COVID-19 information, visit nybc.org/eligibility.









## **BINGO Night at KNIGHT'S!!!**

Let's Play some BINGO!!

The Knight of Deer Park will be Hosting A Night of Excitement with

The May Moore PFC this Month!!

There will be LOTS of BINGO Games!!!
(Must be 15 years old to enter and accompanied by an Adult)

Where: 759 Long Island Ave, Deer Park

When: Wednesday, January 22nd

Time: 7:00 pm (Doors open at 6 pm)

Admission Fee - \$5.00 per person

If you RSVP before 1/20 You will receive a FREE Raffle Ticket. Add'l Raffle Tickets will be sold \$10 a sheet/Buy 2 For \$20 & Get 1 FREE.

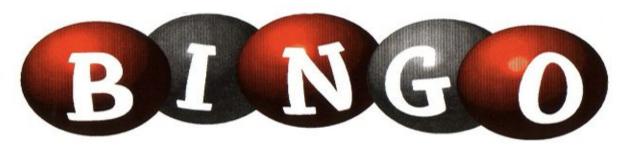
**RSVP # Attending by Text (631) 459-9761** 

Anyone who arrives before 6:15 PM will receive One FREE drink.

Part of the Proceeds this Month will be Supporting
The May Moore PFC
so come out and show your support!

Rosie's on a Roll Food Truck Will Be Parked Outside!

Any questions please text/call (631) 459-9761



# TRIBUTE TO PGK, SK DAN THOMPSON





WHEN: Saturday, February 1st

Where: KofC Council

Time: 1:00 - 4:00 pm

Cost: \$20 per person before 1/20/25 afterwards \$25 per person

Includes: Hot Buffet, Hero's, Desserts, Tap Beer, Wine & Soda

Cash Bar: Bottle Beer, Wine & Mixed Drinks

Sign-up sheet on Bulletin Board

Make check payable to: OLOR #4428

Pay Roxanne or Chairperson PGK, SK Joe Verdicchio



THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SATURDAY MARCH 8th 7.00 PM



IRISH STEP DANCERS, FULL DINNER, BEER WINE AND SODA INCLUDED 50/50 RAFFLE, \$50.00 PER PERSON





Roxanne
631-459-9761
To reserve seat
"MAKE CHECK OUT TO:
OLOR 4428"
Please have all payment
in by March 1st.



## **BINGO Night at KNIGHT'S!!!**

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The Knight of Deer Park will be Hosting
A Night of Excitement with
DP Soccer U9 Boys Warriors this Month!!

#### There will be LOTS of BINGO Games!!!

(Must be 15 years old to enter and accompanied by an Adult)



When: Wednesday, February 19th

Time: 7:00 pm (Doors open at 6 pm)

Admission Fee - \$5.00 per person



If you RSVP before 2/17 You will receive a FREE Raffle Ticket. Add'l Raffle Tickets will be sold \$10 a sheet/Buy 2 For \$20 & Get 1 FREE.

**RSVP # Attending by Text (631) 459-9761** 

Anyone who arrives before 6:15 PM will receive One FREE drink.

Part of the Proceeds this Month will be Supporting The Deer Park Soccer U9 Boys Warriors so come out and show your support!

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#### **CHRISTMAS PARTY 2025**











Christmas







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