

**UPCOMING
EVENTS**

September 4
Officer's Meeting

September 9
Installation of Officers

September 11
Soldiers Home
Council Meeting

September 13
Spaghetti Dinner
4th Degree Meeting

September 18
Board Meeting

September 23
Polish Night

September 25
Council Meeting

September 29
Tootsie Roll Drive

Knights of Columbus Fairview Council # 4044

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GRAND KNIGHT - THOMAS CHARETTE

My Brother Knights,

We are off and running with the start of our new Fraternal Year. Your Council Officers and I are working hard to make this a great year for the Council. We will be having our Annual Council Picnic at Buttery Brook on Sunday, August 13th. Sign up sheets are in the lounge and an article of activities is in this months issue of the newsletter. As usual we can use any volunteers that are available. The past few Council Picnics have not been very well attended, however we are hoping for a great turn out this year. Please come join us for fun, family and fraternity. We would love to hear any suggestions on how to improve the picnic or any events we have so please contact any Council Officer with ideas.

In September we will be having our combined Appreciation Night/Installation of Officers that will feature a great reception including the Ceremony of Past Grand Knights and Charter Members. We are looking forward to showing our appreciation for all the volunteers as well.

We had one donation this past month for the Faith on Fire Rally sponsored by the Diocese of Springfield in the amount of \$100.

We will be hosting the State Charity Ball (West) this November for the first time in many years. The Charity Ball is open to everyone and more information will be forthcoming on tickets. Lastly, just a heads up with regards to the purpose of the Charity Ball. Elaine Bogart is working to secure locations for our Annual Tootsie Roll Drive. She will be making calls in the upcoming months to schedule people to assist in collections. Please consider volunteering for one shift over the two weekends. We collect monies to help those less fortunate than us, which is our primary mission at the K of C. I hope to see some more new faces at our Monday Council Meetings. Come enjoy dinner with your brother Knights. As always VIVAT JESU!

Fraternally Yours,
Thomas Charette, Grand Knight

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

August 13th	Family Picnic
August 14th	Admission Degree
August 26th	Charity Motorcycle Run
September 9th	Installation of Officers
September 11th	911 Mass
September 23rd	Polish Night
September 29th	Beginning of Tootsie Roll Drive
October 6th	Beer and Wine Tasting

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I would like to thank all the Sir Knights that supported and voted for me. It is a dream come true for Grace and I. Our next Officers Meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, August 16th at 7:15 pm. in the Council Chambers. Some of the things I would like to discuss include the Installation and upcoming events.

The Officers Planning Meeting is **scheduled for Wednesday, August 16th.**

Honor Guard Rehearsal **is cancelled until September.**

There is a Bingo scheduled at the Soldiers Home for **Monday, August 14h at 1:30 pm.**

The regular meeting of the Assembly meeting **is cancelled until September.**

VIVAT JESU

Norm Fleury, Faithful Navigator, Past Grand Knight

REPOSE OF THE SOUL

Please remember to keep in your prayers all of the Brother Knights and members of their families that have passed away, those who are sick and elderly, for all priests and religious vocations, for the life of the unborn, and remember to keep the men and women serving in our military safe, so they may return home to their loved ones.

We ask that you pray for the repose of the souls of Brother Knights Earnest LaRocque and Eugene Germain.

Father Joe

INSURANCE

A new Fraternal Year has started and for the 2nd year in row, Fairview Council #4044 has met the requirements for the Star Council Award. I would like to thank everyone who was a part of this success over the last two years. I would also like to talk about achieving this goal for the 3rd year in a row. Bill Wisniewski and myself have several ideas for recruitment that we would like to share over the next several months. Most of these do not require excessive amounts of time and money, they just need to be implemented on a regular basis. On the insurance side, I just want to remind everyone that you do not need to purchase a life insurance policy in order to become an insurance member. Purchasing an annuity, a long-term care insurance policy, or a disability income insurance policy will enable you to become an insurance member. If you are interested in learning more about either of these topics, please feel free to contact myself or Bill Wisniewski, and either of us will be happy to meet with you at your convenience.

Bill Wisniewski (A-K) 413-265-1213

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BEER & WINE TASTING

Brothers, save the date Friday evening October the 6th, 2017. Our council will be sponsoring a Beer and Wine Tasting. Come and enjoy a variety of “ Schnapps and Hops” along with some great Wines! The event will start at 6:30 p.m., don't be late. More info next month!

Don Darcy, Past Grand Knight

FAIRVIEW COUNCIL 4044 FAMILY PICNIC

Sunday, August 13, 2017 at BATTERY BROOK PARK in South Hadley
Picnic Grounds are open from 11:00am till 5:00pm

**Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Chicken, Sausages, Corn on the Cob, Potato Salad and Soft Drinks
served all day long. (Bring an appetite)**

There will be a DJ for your listening pleasure. You may bring games from home. Baseball gloves, Frisbees, Bean bag toss games, Cards etc... Our K of C Clowns will be there along with pony rides for the children. There will be a special raffle for children who must be present to claim their prize.

Prices for the entire day are \$10.00 per Family

Ticket prices the day of the picnic will be \$15.00 per Family.

**The deadline for early discount is August 4, 2017. Place in lounge mailbox or mail to
Fairview Council Picnic, 1599 Memorial Drive, Chicopee, MA 01020**

Return with check made out to the Fairview Knights of Columbus Picnic

Number of Families Attending at \$10.00 each _____ Check Total _____

Number of Adults Attending _____

Number and age of Children Attending Girls _____

Number and age of Children Attending Boys _____

Members Name _____ Membership # _____

It is important that you let us know as early as possible so we can order the food and raffle prizes along with paper products so there is enough for everyone.

TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE

A friendly reminder that the Tootsie Roll Drive will soon be upon us. The first weekend of the drive will be held on September 29th, 30th, and October 1st. Then again on October 6th, 7th, 8th, and 9th. Please try and find a couple of hours for the drive on one of these days. If you have a day and time that you would prefer, I can be reached at home. My home phone number is (413) 533-3620 and my cell phone is (413) 530-9594.

I want to thank everyone that has volunteered during past Tootsie Roll Drives. Because of your dedication, the drive has been very successful. I am asking for your help this year and I will be calling you as the drive gets nearer.

Elaine V. Boucher-Bogart
Tootsie Roll Drive Coordinator

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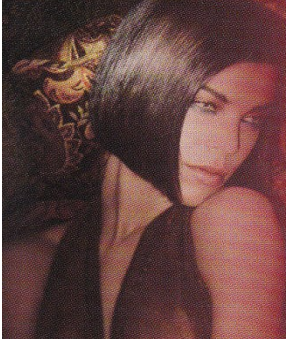


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August 2017

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

		1	2	3 Bingo 6:15pm	4Honor Guard Rehearsal Cancelled	5
6	7 Officers Mtg. 7:00pm	8	9 Spaghetti 4:30-6:30pm 4th Degree Mtg. Cancelled	10Bingo 6:15pm	11	12
13 Council Picnic 11 am-5 pm	14 Bingo Soldiers Home 1:30pm Council Mtg. 7:30pm	15	16 4th Degree Officers Mtg. 7:15pm	17Bingo 6:15pm	18	19
20 Newsletter Deadline	21 Home Mtg. 7:00pm	22	23	24Bingo 6:15pm	25	26 Bike Run
27	28Council Mtg. 7:30pm	29	30	31Bingo 6:15pm		