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Grand Knights Comments

During this time when people are getting cabin fever we just have to remember spring is on its way. Even though Phil saw his shadow on Groundhog Day spring will still arrive. We need to remember each day that unlike the movie Groundhog Day we don't get the chance to do a day over until we get it right. We have to remember each day to be the best that we can be because we will not get a second chance to get it right. If we live every day the best we can we will not have regrets. If you realize that you did not live the best you can don't dwell on the past. Make changes and make yourself better.

I would like to thank the knights that helped to make the free throw contest a success once again this year. You hard work is much appreciated. I would also like to thank all the program chairs that put in hard work this last year and will put in the hard work this upcoming season. Without the dedication of our chairman and our brother knights we would not be able to continue supporting the many programs that we do.

**Tom Jensen,
Grand Knight**

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General Meeting:

The next scheduled meeting will be **February 14, 2017.**
Social Time: 6:30-7:00 pm
Meal: 7:00 – 7:45 pm
Meeting: 8:00 – 9:00 pm
Location: VFW on East Highway 12

Valentines Day! The meal will be broasted chicken. Wives are welcome.

Officer Meeting

The next Officer meeting will be 6:30 pm February 22 at the Willmar VFW. You can order from the menu if you wish. **All Officers and Directors please attend this meeting.** We will be planning officers and directors for the next year.

New Insurance Agent

The Willmar Council has a new insurance agent.
Anthony (Tony) Rosemeier
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Treasurer's Report:

Beginning Cash
Receipts
Disbursements
Ending Cash \$2,612.51

DOOR PRIZE FOR FEBRUARY - \$100

Dues

Thank you!!

Thanks to all the members WHO HAVE paid their dues!! Have you paid your dues and not gotten your card yet? Please call me at 214-1064, please leave a voice mail and I will take care of this issue as soon as I can. Thanks Again

Updated Contact Information Needed

We are utilizing email for updating fellow Knights with information such as the newsletter and meeting minutes. If you are not receiving information via email please email willmarknights@gmail.com your name, email address and phone number.

Church Activities

Ham Dinner

The long tradition of the St. Patrick's Ham dinners will be continued at St. Mary's on Sunday March 12th. The Willmar Knights of Columbus will be assisting in serving and cleanup at this event. Watch for more details next month for opportunities to help at this event.

All Night Adoration

The next scheduled Adoration will be March 3, from 12:00 Noon to 10:00 p.m. If you would like to participate, please call **Stephen Weitzel at 320-235-9494.**

Coffee and Rolls

February 26th after the 8:30 am mass.

Council Activities

Lent Fish Frys

March 17 and 31

Set up the tent for the Fish Fry March 16.

Free Throw Contest

We had 16 participants. We can get a list of names to have in the newsletter and James will drop off at Tom's to have that list to send on to New Haven.

Welcoming KC's

Welcome to the Kandiyohi KC members to the Willmar Council. We hope you can attend the January meeting. The Wild Game feed is always a fun event.

Calendar Raffle

Kevin Savchuk will be selling calendar raffle tickets at the Kandi Mall 11:00 am to 3:00 pm February 18. Kevin is looking for help. Contact Kevin at 320-262-2820.

Kevin Savchuk has RAFFLE tickets available. Please see him and get your book or books today. Remember these ticket proceeds help Pro-Life, Vocations, Missions, and Youth funding from our council.

Directors

Would you like to help the council out with these positions; we are in need of a Family Director and a Lecturer, and Youth Director. What does a director do? Coordinate events in the council's activities. Family Director – Host the annual Christmas party and events you would like to start. Lecturer – have programs

prior to the business meeting which are informative and interesting to the council.

Youth Director - Coordinate the Free Throw contest held in January or February; and events you would like to start.

Prayer Intentions

Please pray for those brother Knights that you are aware of, who need God's grace and compassion!! Please inform the council if you are aware of a brother in need.

Up Coming Events February

- 14** KC Meeting
- 17 & 31** Fish Fry
- 18** Raffle Ticket Sales Kandi Mall
- March 12** Ham Dinner

Happy Birthday!

GEORGE	LA PATKA	2/1
LANCE	PETERSON	2/1
DUANE	KOSHENINA	2/3
THOMAS	JENSEN	2/4
LESTER	HEITKE	2/5
FRANCIS	KALVODA	2/6
SHANE	VOLK	2/10
JOSH	ENDERLE	2/11
RAYMOND	HYSER	2/11
DICK	NICHOLS	2/11
DOUGLAS	FENSTRA	2/12
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ROGER	BRAUN	2/17
MICHAEL	CARLSON	2/17
JOHN	DUEVEL	2/19
MATTHEW	SJOBERG	2/24
LAWRENCE	MEYER	2/25
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