

# THE KNIGHT GALLER

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## Grand Knights Report

By Dan Heisler GK

### Grand Knight's Message

Brothers, families, and friends: Welcome brother knights to a new Columbian year. I thank you for your vote of confidence and I am looking forward to this year as your Grand Knight. I can only share with you that I will definitely need your help and support to keep OUR council moving in the right direction. The motto I am working under this year is "Look inward to grow outward". We are working on updating our phone list to 100% so we can reactivate our quick response phone committee. I would like to thank brother Si Reyes for chairing this very important project because communication and support is the foundation for accomplishing all the good works and goals we have for this year. A reminder for those of you who don't know. We are putting together a new roster of all the knights, their wives, and widows with pictures. Everyone is filling out a little bio sheet provided by me and having their picture taken by me and I mean WIVES TOO! This will be a great tool so all the members young and old can get to know a lot more about our council family I would like to congratulate all the new officers of our council voted in by you at our June business meeting. I would also like to thank brother George Raine for accepting my appointment as council Lecturer.

I look forward to working and having a great time with them and especially with YOU my brother knights at all our events and social functions.

So in closing - I hope this year we learn a little more about each other, learn to love a little more, and enjoy each others company as we do God's work!

God Bless You All

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Grand Knight

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## **Will Long Term Care Impact your Life?**

The impact of Long Term Care on your financial and personal well-being is intensifying. With each passing day, our awareness of this looming crisis continues to heighten through the media, consumer reports, and sometimes “tragically” through our own personal experiences. Some have chosen to downplay this problem, brushing it aside as unlikely to occur. Others have taken the positive approach by addressing this matter through various asset accumulation/protection solutions.

Is quality of life important to you, your spouse or your family? You better believe it is! A recent survey concluded that asset protection was critical to buying decisions. It also brought out other factors that were important to well-being, such as freedom to choose a care provider and the ability to remain independent from family.

The fact remains that quality of life often makes it difficult for those analytically-minded people to come to terms with Long Term Care insurance. Peace of mind far outweighs the burdensome decision of whether to purchase or not to purchase.

- Do **you** want to preserve your lifetime earnings/savings?
- Do **you** want to place the burden of your care on your family?
- Do **you** want peace of mind and security?
- Are **your family** members willing to take on the additional responsibility?

Ask yourself these questions. Yes, these questions are eye-openers! Have you taken the necessary steps to protect your family’s needs?

Call me today for an appointment to discuss the available plans the K of C offers to you and your wife. As an additional free benefit, we have partnered with Provider Pathway, a discount services provider of home health care products, services and more. Find out how you can extend this discount to uninsured members of your family, parents or parents in laws.

*Your Brother and Field Agent.*

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# COUNCIL ACTIVITIES REPORT

By: Vince Verrastro  
Chairman, Past GK & FDD

On July 15, 2006, Msgr. Virgil Gabrielli Council #4991 held Ladies Nite Out at the largest Chinese restaurant in Sacramento – The Oriental Buffet. This turned out to be a great night both for members and ladies and new members meeting with old members.

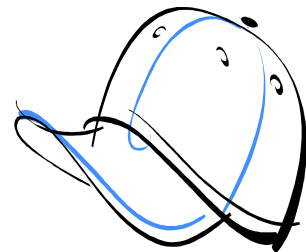
Brother Knight Michael Monk and his wife Susan took a picture of each guest and had them fill out a form to update our telephone list.

A number of our widow-ladies also attended and they remarked at having had a most enjoyable evening.

## **Knight's Wear:**



Council Polo Shirts can still be ordered. The cost is \$18.25 for S thru XL, including tax. Navy blue mesh caps are also available with the Knights emblem and Council 4991 embroidered for \$9, including tax. Council red vests with front emblem can be ordered for \$22.50, including tax. Up charges for 2XL- \$2.50 and 3XL - \$3.50 (not including tax for both shirts & vests). Contact Brother Dale Klug @ 338-0303 to order.



## COUNCIL #4991 WEB-SITE INFORMATION UPDATE

Dear Brother Knights:

Please note that the newsletter will now be posted on the web-site. Our council web-site address is also changing, please make note of the new address:

[www.KofC4991.org](http://www.KofC4991.org)

Fraternaly Yours,

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**Octoberfest- Set for September 30<sup>th</sup> at St. Lawrence Hall. We have booked the same great band we had last year. Time and detailed information on entertainment and festivities will be in the church bulletin as it is finalized. Kelly Henderson is chairing this event and will need assistance, please contact him if you can help.**

**MAKE PLANS TO BE THERE!**

## Msgr. Gabrielli Council #4991 Calendar of Events

### August

Date	Time	Place	Event
2	7:30PM	Gabrielli Hall	Officers' Meeting
12	8:30AM	St. Lawrence Hall	Breakfast Setup
13	7:30-10:15AM	St. Lawrence Hall	Knights Breakfast
16	7:30PM	St. Lawrence Hall	Business Meeting

### September

Date	Time	Place	Event
6	7:30PM	St. Lawrence Hall	Officer's Meeting
9	8:30AM	St. Lawrence Hall	Breakfast Setup
10	7:30-10:15	St. Lawrence Hall	Knights Breakfast and BLOOD DRIVE
20	7:30PM	St. Lawrence Hall	Business Meeting

### October

Date	Time	Place	Event
4	7:30PM	St. Lawrence Hall	Officer's Meeting
7	8:30AM	St. Lawrence Hall	Breakfast Setup
8	7:30-10:15	St. Lawrence Hall	Knights Breakfast
18	7:30PM	St. Lawrence Hall	Business Meeting

**Business Meetings** - Brothers, we need YOU! Please plan and make an effort and come spend 1.5 to 2 hours once a month.

**Breakfast** – We have decided to have the August BREAKFAST after-all. Brother Vince will chair it, please contact him if you can help. Also please note there is a permanent change in the serving time for the breakfast. 7:30am to 10:15 am.

**Installation of Officers** – Proposed Officer's Installation is tentatively set for August 16<sup>th</sup> after the regular Business Meeting.

## Closing Prayer

Worthy Brothers,

The State Deputy has requested that this prayer be sent and suggests its use at the close of meetings for our men and women overseas until they return home.

*Almighty Father, strong to save,  
Whose are hath bound the restless wave,  
Who bidd'st the mighty ocean deep  
Its own appointed limits keep:  
O hear us when we cry to thee  
For those in peril on the sea.*

*O Christ, the Lord of hill and plain  
O'er which our traffic runs amain  
By mountain pass or valley low;  
Wherever, Lord, thy brethren go,  
Protect them by thy guarding hand  
From every peril on the land.*

*O Spirit, whom the Father sent  
To spread abroad the firmament;  
O Wind of heaven, by the might  
Save all who dare the eagle's flight,  
And keep them by thy watchful care  
From every peril in the air.*

*O Trinity of love and power,  
Our brethren shield in danger's hour  
From rock and tempest, fire and foe,  
Protect them, wheresoe'er they go;  
Thus evermore shall rise to thee  
Glad praise from air and land and sea.*

*Amen.*

*Verses 1 & 4, William Whiting, 1860  
Verses 2 & 3, The 1940 Hymnal.*

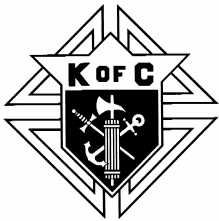
## MSGR. GABRIELLI COUNCIL 4991

### 2005-2006 COUNCIL OFFICERS' NAMES AND PHONE NUMBERS

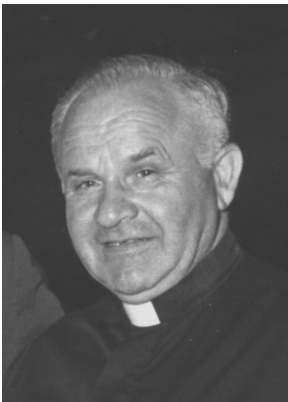
OFFICERS	NAME	PHONE
GRAND KNIGHT	Dan Heisler	783-4857
CHAPLAIN	Fr. Joe Ternullo	332-4777
DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT	James Stroh	331-1061
CHANCELLOR	Kelly Henderson	529-7706
RECORDING SECRETARY	Dale Klug	338-0303
FINANCIAL SECRETARY	Henry Nanjo	729-4359
TREASURER	Phil Phelps	348-7555
LECTURER	George Raine	334-0370
ADVOCATE	John Green	729-6370
WARDEN	Kevin Jackson	348-6535
INSIDE GUARD	Dan Shear	728-5158
OUTSIDE GUARD	Paul Raine	812-1359
TRUSTEE 3 YR.	Monte Austin	991-7721
TRUSTEE 2 YR.	Rick Dillon	344-5652
TRUSTEE 1 YR.	Steve Freitas	338-3816
GENERAL AGENT	Don Krolak	797-1760
INSURANCE AGENT	Rustico Bigalbal	565-1298
DISTRICT DEPUTY	Patrick Castonguay	863-5537

### 2005-2006 COUNCIL ACTIVITY DIRECTORS' NAMES AND PHONE NUMBERS

OFFICERS	NAME	PHONE
PROGRAM DIRECTOR	James Stroh	331-1061
SICK/WELFARE	Vincent Verrastro	961-8912
CHURCH ACTIVITIES	John Green	729-6369
COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES	Phil Phelps	348-7555
COUNCIL ACTIVITIES	Various Event Chairs	
YOUTH ACTIVITIES	Kelly Henderson	529-7706
FAMILY ACTIVITIES	Monte Austin	991-7721
PRO-LIFE ACTIVITIES	Steve Freitas	338-3816
BLOOD DRIVE	Don Melin	349-0563
BOY SCOUTS CONTACT	Steve Freitas	338-3816
SUNDAY BREAKFAST	Monte Austin	991-7721
SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM	Dale Klug	338-0303
VOCATIONS DIRECTOR	James Stroh	331-1061



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