

Knight Moves



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Grand Knight's Message

Brothers,

October... a month where nature tests its colour palette for our delight, leaves that fall to test our raking abilities, Halloween adventures which scare up memorable frights for our children and our families gathering to thank God for our Blessings.

We will have our Fall Recruitment Drive the weekend of October 27, 28 at all masses.

Thank-you to all who volunteered at Saint Vincent de Paul, the Holy Name and Holy Family Church BBQ's, the Soccer Challenges at our schools, attended the mass to honour recently Deceased Brothers - Andre Deraps, Bill Walker and Ray Croxford.

Our largest fundraising comes from Gift Card Sales and Knights Deals Event Tickets. Please continue to support and promote these sales.

Please read through and reflect upon the upcoming budget discussions, consider investing your time in our upcoming Council programs and reach out to ask the Parishioner next to you whether they are ready to join us as a member of the Knights of Columbus. God Bless,

Jim Laudanski, Grand Knight Council 11886

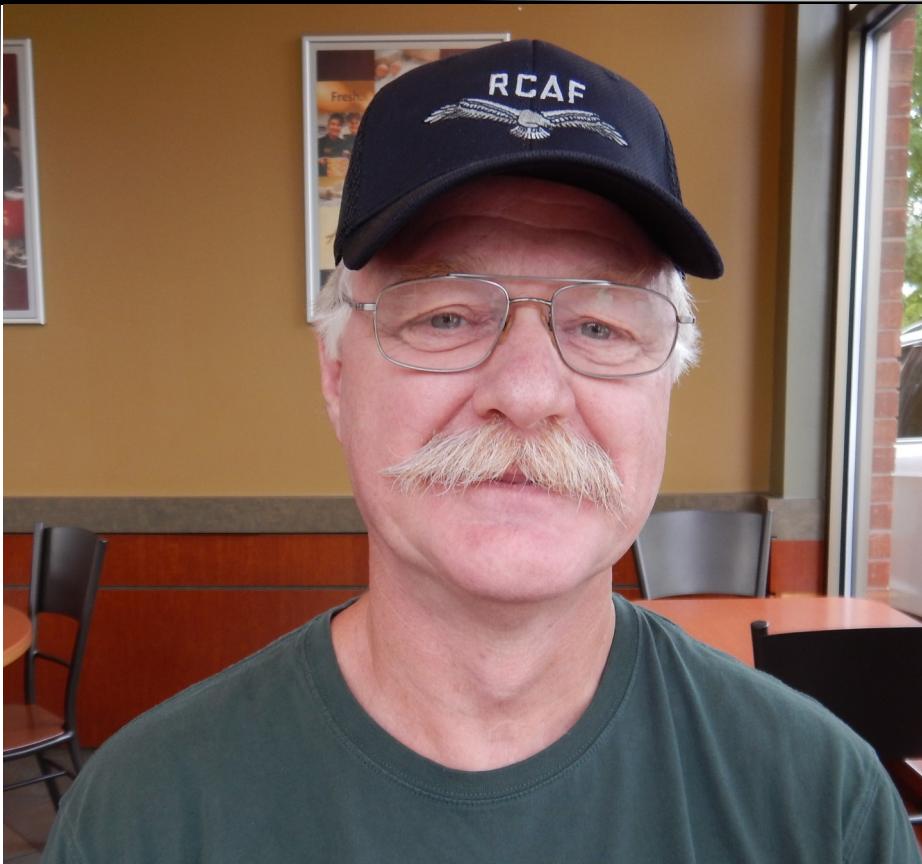
A word from the editor

If you have content for Knight Moves please forward to the Editor - Robert Charest at rcharest@cogeco.ca no later than the Tuesday of the week prior to the council meeting. If you submit after that there is no guarantee that it will appear in the next issue. Also, please forward any comments or feedback including errors on Knight Moves that you might have found.

Your Prayers are needed.

At the 11886 Council Meeting 8 September 2018 the Knights were asked to pray for: the following who have passed away: Sir Knights Les Hensman, Len Hinch, and Robert Palmer; those who lost their lives on September 11, 2001; the daughter of Bob Couture; and Mr Kentville of Nova Scotia.

Who is Bob Portman?



Robert Portman, commonly known as Bob, was born in Windsor, Ontario and has two older brothers and a sister. His parents were both from Windsor. His father did electrical work for Toledo Scales while his mother worked at Dominion Foods.

Bob entered Air Cadets at age 12 and remained there until he was 18 attaining the top rank of warrant officer 1. He attended WD Lowe High School in Windsor where he became interested in the machine shop. On his last day of high school, he skipped class, blemishing his meticulous attendance record, walked into a Canadian Forces Recruit Centre and enrolled as a machinist. In the Fall of 1974 he travelled to Canadian Forces Base (CFB) Cornwallis, Nova Scotia for basic training then onto CFB Borden for his six-month trades training. From there he commenced a five-year posting at the Air Maintenance Development Unit in Trenton, Ontario. In 1980 he was posted to

CFB Comox on Vancouver Island and remained there for seven years. While there he enjoyed the local fishing opportunities. Due to a promotion in rank he was posted as an instructor back to Borden at the CF school of Aerospace Engineering. While there he was promoted to the rank of sergeant and posted to CFB Greenwood Nova Scotia. After seven years with base workshops he travelled to CF Base Trenton, becoming the supervisor for the machine shop. He remained there for six years and was promoted to the rank of Warrant Officer and posted to Ottawa to a Project Management Office responsible for flight safety orders. It was from there he released with 30 years service.

For the next seven years he led the life of being semi-retired working in various jobs including being a commissioner at the Kingston Penitentiary. Since full retirement he has commenced vacationing in Florida for part of the year.

His wife Rosemary, entered his life at CFB Borden where they were both taking occupation training. She fell for his good looks, his natural charm and personality and they married in 1975. She had a career of 25 years in the CF but interrupted hers for 7 years to raise their two girls. Her last posting was at CFB Kingston and that is how the Portmans settled here. They have one grandchild.

Since being retired Bobs main hobby has been woodworking. Some of the unique items he has created are Victorian style bird houses and wood spirit faces. He is currently creating a totem pole.

Bob joined the council in 2004. He indicated he liked the fraternal aspect of the Knights as when he moved here he did not know anyone in the community. He has been the Financial Service Officer, the committee chair for the garage sale for two years and has volunteered with various knight functions. He currently is part the church's grass cutting committee.

Tent Rental

For a small fee our council has several tent like shelters suitable for Information Fairs and Booths which they rent out. Contact Pat Stenson, one of our trustees.

Refer to the directory on page 9 for his contact information.

Volunteers Needed

# Date(s) and timing(s)	Task	Number of Volunteer(s)	To volunteer contact information.
1 Normally, 2nd Wednesday of every month.	Kitchen help and serve meals at St-Vincent de Paul meal building on North Side of Steven Street . 08:00 AM - 1 PM - 4 Knights 11:00 AM - 1 PM - 1 Knight	5	Community Director, Mike Stenson, mikestenson@hotmail.com or 613-353-6956.
2 Basketball Free Throw - 8-27 Jan - The aim is to have the specific dates available for the next meeting.	Knights 2 knights for one morning at St. Holy Name of Jesus, 6 knights at St Martha for one-two mornings. 4 Knights at St Francis Asissi for one, maybe two mornings.	12	Youth Director, Robert Charest, 613-547-4731 or Knights 11886RC@gmail.com
3 2 evenings perhaps during the school year. Dates forthcoming. Provide them awareness of our Youth Activities and the Knights. with Knight material.	Two schools involved.. A small table will be set up with Knight material.	2-3 knights depending on size of school	Membership Director - Robert Charest knight11886rc@gmail.com or 613-547-4731

CFB Kingston—Fun Fest 2018



Council 11886 set-up a booth at the 8 September CFB Kingston Fun Fest to promote the Knights and their programs with the aim of recruitment for the council. The Deputy GK as membership Director Robert Charest and the Faith Director Michael Crespo represented the council. We had three questions about the Knights and 42 people interested in Knight Deals which along with our card program has become a major source of our funding.

Council also were represented at St Martha's open-house in a similar capacity. We passed out copies of our Knight Moves to the majority of men who attended along with some Knights marketing material. We may have been more successful in promoting Knight Deals than recruiting the Knights. We need more volunteers who would be good salesman and very knowledgeable of the knights. Please refer to the volunteer section of this newsletter.

Reminders

- * **Rosary Prayers** Join us At Holy Name of Jesus Church in Family Rosary Prayers at 4:30 P.M, Saturdays, 8:30 A.M. Sundays before mass, and in Monsignor Raby House Chapel at 5 P.M. Thursdays. On the same week of the council meeting, on 4 Oct, Knights are asked to gather at the chapel for the 5 PM rosary.
- * **The Eucharist - The Whole Christ**" is His Gift to All Eucharistic Adoration Holy Name of Jesus Church Thursdays at 5:00 P.M.
- * **Every Knight is a recruiter** for the Knights. If you know someone who is interested have them to join on line at <https://www.kofc.org/apps/newjoin/en/registration/index.html>, and include the council number 11886 to join. Council receives a **\$5 credit per capita**. No form 100 work by the FS is then required. Also, the fee for registration is \$30 by credit card. Upon completion of registration they will belong to the state vs the council until they complete their first degree. From the year from when they enroll they will commence paying the dues for the council on a pro-rated for the rest of fiscal year which is \$10 per quarter.
- * The **Christian Relief Fund** helps those Catholics who are affected by the conflict in the Middle East, with donations going to medal aid, reconstruction costs, helping those who are fleeing their homes, and assisting those fleeing the genocide that is being committed. Donations can be made through this link: <http://www.kofc.org/en/charities/christian-relief/index.html>
- * Donations can also be made to help supplement the cost of sending soldiers on the **Lourdes pilgrimage** every year. This can be found at the following link: <http://www.kofc.org/un/en/charities/articles/warriors-lourdes.html>

St. Vincent de Paul Lunch



Brother Mike Stenson presents a \$500.00 cheque to Executive Director of St. Vincent de Paul, Just Fyfe on Wednesday Sept. 12, 2018. They were very thankful for the Knights of Columbus support and will put the funds to good use.



Mike along with Robert Charest, Ray Paquin, Joe Stenson and Ken Olivier (shown at right serving) prepared and served lunch to 83 patrons under the direction of Chef Laurie Day. It was another great opportunity to contribute to our community. **Contributed by:** Brother Mike Stenson

Consider Donating Blood



A person could donate even though you are over 71 years of age;

Call 1 888 2 DONATE (1-888-236-6283) to ask if you are eligible to donate or have any questions on donation. Even though you may be on medication you may still be able to donate depending on the medication, A male can donate every 56 days and a female can donate every 44 days;

Please visit www.blood.ca and Call the 1 -888 – 2 Donate. Let's give blood and Give Life. Even our Knights who are outside of our immediate area can get involved. Council's **11886 donation address is KNIG009249**.

Installation Ceremony

The installation ceremony of the new executive took place on Saturday, 8 September at Holy Name of Jesus Church after the 5 PM Mass. It lasted about 25 minutes. In the picture below, Martina Macfie is seen placing the Warden's medallion over the head of her husband Blair. All wifes of the executive present received a token red rose in the ceremony. A The A wine and cheese event followed the ceremony.



Picture at left—Father Wes is seen blessing the executive members medallions with assistance from our District Deputy Peter Scott who is also a member of council 11886.



Picture at right - Martina Macfie is seen placing the Warden medallion on her beloved husband Blair.

Wine and Cheese - Family Meet and Greet



Left—Faye Stenson laughs about Pete Scott's, our District-Deputy (Center of picture), joke. Far right, Knight Ray Paquin listens in as well.

After the new Executive Installation Ceremony on the 8 September a total of 57 people attended the event which consisted of knights, their spouses and 10 children, gathered in the St Joseph room in Monseignor Raby's House for a Family Wine and Cheese event. Juice Boxes were provided for the children and in addition various cheeses, sausage, buns

and a vegetable tray for everyone

Mike Stenson won "How many beans in the Jar Event" and walked away \$58 dollars richer than when he came. What a nice feeling to have.

The majority of the children spent their time playing soccer and tag outside in the green fields surrounding the church. **Rennée Schaule** volunteered to supervise the children in the activities. The children must have slept well that night as the amount of running they were doing was making the Editor tired watching them. .

Continuation of Family Wine and Cheese Event

Jean Pellerin, our Family Director, organized the event, Steve Coombs was the Smart Serve bartender for the event, Brother Mac Robinson conducted the 50-50 event. Our District Deputy Pete Scott and his beloved wife Lynn served coffee in the later part of the evening. Various knights Gary Richards, Ken Olivier, Pat Stenson and Steve Coombs donated fine wines from their cellars for the event. We had an amazing selection of red wines..

Holy Family Chapel Fall BBQ—23 September



Sir Knight Scotty Smith, pictured at left, is seen preparing the BBQ for serious BBQing. He was assisted in the preparation of the event by Brothers Dave Manryk, Ray Paquin, Rory Moore (who is the only one the Editor has seen able to move the BBQ by himself and with one-hand), and Robert Charest with parish volunteer Michael Hart.

Approximately 45 people attended the BBQ along with numerous bees which swarmed around when the food was displayed. One parishioner was stung and departed to seek medical attendance after he had his meal. Hence, the attendees moved inside to the church annex. Regretfully the Knights wasted their efforts in setting up the chairs and table outside as

they had to resort to Plan B which consisted of everyone pitching in to save the day. Attendees had a feast on burgers, hotdogs, and assorted salads and deserts provided by the parishioners.

Soccer Challenge Competition



Scotty Smith, far left of picture, as the scorekeeper is seen totalling the score as Judge Steve Coombs awaits the verdict. An unknown student is seen walking across the court. Knights were busy in the month of September soccer challenge competition, It was held on the 13 September at Holy Name of Jesus Catholic School, 17 September at St Martha Catholic School, 20 September at St. Francis Assisi Catholic School and 26 September at James Major Catholic School in Sharbot Lake. A total of 142 children participated in the competition. This consisted of 81 boys and 61 girls. An 11 year old girl at James Major Catholic School had the highest score in the school.

Brother Knights François Bédard, Joe Stenson, Jean Pellerin , Gary Richards, Steve Coombs, Scotty Smith, Phil Henderson, Ray Paquin, Mike Stenson, Pat Stenson and Robert Charest participated. So out of the 11

who volunteered they offered one, two and in some cases three mornings of their time. For James Major School it was a full day affair. Any volunteers who want to leave next year at 6:45 AM to Sharbot Lake please see the Youth Director. 26% of the volunteers consisted of the three Stenson Brothers who are pillars in their support of Council. The sessions became more efficient as we progressed from the first to the fourth session. Some of the lessons learnt were, based on the fact we have to get the top scorer in an age group to do the District part of the competition, are as follows:

- a. The optimum number of knights to conduct a session at a school is 4 to run two stations including Holy Name of Jesus except for James Major School where the gym size does not permit it. One station would have a scorer and a scribe. As well, with two per station we will be satisfying the Environmental Safety Conditions for the council; and
- b. Place a rug piece the size of the ball and secure it with duck tape to the floor at the 12 yard line to place the ball on it to prevent it from rolling away on a kick. We wasted so much time at the first session spotting the ball.

Contributed by: Youth Director.

Family of the Month

Each month, we are asked to submit the names of any families of Knights which models Christian family values and visibly lives them every day for family of the month. Once a year, each participating council also selects one of the previous twelve Family of the Month winners to represent the council/parish as the potential international Family of the Year. The Knights of Columbus Family of the Year is chosen by the Supreme Council and recognized each year at the annual Supreme Convention,

Submit a name for the September Family of the Month (by the 10 of October) to the GK Jim Laudanski thru Family Director Jean Pellerin(the younger one). Contact information for all members of the executive are located in the last pages of every newsletter. Base your council's recognition of a family on the following questions:

1. Does the family pray and attend Mass together?
2. Has the family made significant contributions to the Church, community and/or council?
3. Does the family enjoy one another's company?
4. Does the family communicate openly and honestly?
5. Does the family spend time together?

The format to be used in your submission is as follows:

Member Name: _____

Membership Number: to be provided by GK _____

Spouse: _____

Children /Ages: : _____

Home Address: _____

Our council's "Family of the Month" was selected for the following reasons:

A little Catholic Humour

Due to computer difficulties by the the Editor he lost his catholic humour and newsletter material for this article to the Ethernet Galaxy at the time of printing and was not able to complete this article. Check our November Newsletter to determine if he finds his lost file. I may be going where no man has gone before.



Birthdays

12 Oct.—Rory Moore
21 Oct.—Guy Lahaie
24 Oct.—Roger Lamarche
24 Oct.—Tadeusz Miksa
31 Oct—Roland Dubeau
3 Nov.—Adrian Hau
3 Nov.—David Manryk
10 Nov—Farther E. Acton.

Our Insurance Field Agent

Do you have RRSP savings that are not doing much and would cost you more in taxes to take it out? Consider leaving it in your RRSP folder and using it for life insurance until you reach 71. To find out more contact your Field Agent Stephen Henderson at Cell 613-766-7648 or Stephen.Henderson@kofc.org

Calendar

- ◆ 24 November—**4th** degree - Candidates deadline is TBC PM, Blessed Sacrament, Amherstview. Register through DD93@ontariokofc.ca
- ◆ 24 November—**2nd** degree - Candidates deadline is TBC AM, Blessed Sacrament, Amherstview . Register thru DD93@ontariokofc.ca
- ◆ 16 Jan. District Deputy Meeting. Invitees include knights with interest in Exec positions
- ◆ 6 April 2019 - **2nd** Degree— Candidates deadline is 10 AM, **4th** Degree—Candidates deadline is 12 PM -Sisters of Providence Chapel 1200 Princess.

Service Personnel

- ◆ **Life and Faith Director**— Michael Crespo
- ◆ **Community Director and Vocations Director** – Mike Stenson
- ◆ **Council Director** – Pat Stenson
- ◆ **Family Director** – Jean Pellerin, jpellerin@cogeco.ca,
- ◆ **Program Director, Public Relations, Youth Director, Membership Director, and Retention Chairman** – Robert Charest
- ◆ **Recruitment Committee/Retention** – Pat Stenson, François Bédard, Brian Reitzel,
- ◆ **Holy Family Chapel, Round Table Chairman** - Scotty Smith
- ◆ **Note:** Contact information for the majority of the personnel is listed is provided in the [2018-2019 Executive](#) box below

2018 -19 Executive

- 1. Chaplain:** Fr. Wes Chochrek, 613-546-0418
- 2. Grand Knight:**..... Jim Laudanski, 11886.gk@gmail.com, 613-544 - 9489
- 3. Past Grand Knight:** George “Scotty” Smith, george3smith2015@gmail.com, 613-531-6131
- 4. Deputy-Grand Knight:**..... Robert Charest, knight11886RC@gmail.com, 613-547-4731
- 5. Financial-Secretary:**.... Philip Henderson, philipchender.son@gmail.com, 613-544-7519
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- 9. Treasurer:**.....Jean M Pellerin, jmpellerin1313@hotmail.com, 613-542-8854
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- 11. Guard Inside:** Michael Crespo, crespo.mj89@gmail.com, 613-331-4972
- 12. Guard Outside:**Joseph Stenson, joe.237@hotmail.com, 613-329-2626
- 13. Trustee 1:**Pat Stenson, pat@kingstoncollision.ca, 613-767-9710 (one year left in mandate)
- 14. Trustee 2:** Brian Reitzel, brianreitzel@sympatico.ca, 613-536-5071 (2 years left in mandate)
- 15. Trustee 3:** ...François Bédard, paulineb1943@me.com, 613-549-0410(three years left in mandate)

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Note : The Knights' Deals opportunities are not just for the Knights but for everyone who would like to attend the events. By organizing the events we get reduced prices on tickets for our customers and our margins of profits are kept low. The profits are in the area of 2-5% which provides our council needed funds to conduct our activities in our community. The ticket seats are also well placed in the milieu which you may not necessarily be able to get otherwise. Also, if you do not wish to drive to and from the event this would be an excellent alternative. Please consider this alternative as we believe it is a win-win situation for our customers and us.

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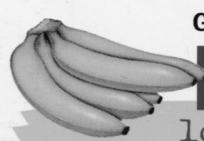


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