



EAST COOPER KNIGHTS

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NO GRAND KNIGHT'S REPORT

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Leo Albano
David Benson
Waddy Caron
Jeffrey Carper
Randy Cooper
Joseph Curtis
William Harrington
Jeffrey Isaac
Thomas Koenig
Donald Lindeman
John Murphy
Pat Piglia
Bryan Schultz
Warren Tawes Jr.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

JoAnne and William Cary
Ruth and Ercole Chiola
Tammy and Edward Demaree
Kay and Michael Fabrizio
Fran and Tom Franzone

SUPER BOWL PARTY

Melinda and I are once again hosting our Knight's of Columbus Super bowl party. We'll gather at 5 pm on Sunday, February 3rd in our home at 1167 Waterfront Dr. in Mount Pleasant. Youth council will provide an assortment of grilled meats, beverages, and condiments. Children and prospective members are welcome. Please bring a dish to share and be ready to root your favorite team. Please RSVP with your plans and number of guests so we can properly plan.

Thanks,
Neil Whitman, PGK

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FEBRUARY

Super Bowl Sunday Social	03
Neil and Melinda Whitman's	
Book Sale Set-up	04
Ash Wednesday	06
Officer's Meeting	07
Life Center — 7 PM	
Third Degree	09
Pawley's Island	
Book Sale Starts	11
Seaside Farms	
Lincoln's Birthday	12
Valentine's Day	14
Third Degree	16
E. Columbia, SC	
President's Day	18
Book Sale Takedown	18
Business Meeting	19
Island Club — Sullivan's Island	
Dinner: 6:30 PM	
Meeting: 7:30 PM	
Washington's Birthday	22
March for Life	22
Washington, DC.	
District Free Throw	23
St. Joseph's Gym—7:00 AM	
Fourth Degree Exemplification	22, 23, 24
Columbia, SC	

SOUP AND SANDWICH

Wanted Soup and Sandwich for the Annual K of C at Stella Maris Church, Wednesday, February 27, 2008.

6:15 pm Stations of the Cross

6:45 pm Dinner Soup and Sandwich

Parish youth group does all of the work. Bring Soup and/or Sandwich to the Church Hall at 6 pm. Msgr. McInerney relies on his Knights regardless of your Church affiliation. Contact Jack Urbanic, PKG 886-2591 or OzzieU@att.net

55th Fourth Degree Exemplification

Ronald L. Myatt, PGK, PFN, FDD is the **Honoree** for our exemplification on Feb. 22, 23, and 24 at the Radisson Conference Center, Columbia, SC. Rev. P.N. Lynch Assembly is the Host Assembly for the Exemplification.

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Barry Sturmer
January, 2008

Barry and his wife Jacquie, are natives of Myrtle Beach. Barry graduated from the University of South Carolina with a degree in Business Administration. They have four children and one grandchild. Barry is employed by the States Ports Authority. He is a 4th Degree Knight and has been a member of our Council for 7 years. Barry served our Council as Community Director, Warden and Chancellor.

As active members of Christ Our King Church, he and his wife Jacquie served as Greeters, Eucharistic Ministers and Cursillo, They have worked on the COK/SM Bazaar committee for the past 15 years. For many years they have been the couple representing us at the National Right to Life March in Washington, DC.

Barry's hobbies include, Family, Fishing and Honey Dew.

CONGRATULATIONS BARRY !!!!!

BOOK SALE



The Book Sale will be held in Seaside Farms Shopping Center, on Monday, February 11 thru Sunday, February 17th. Set-up is scheduled for Monday February 4th. Takedown will be on Monday, February 18th.

Volunteer's are needed. Please call John Murphy at 971-8622.

MEPKIN ABBEY RETREAT

The date for this year's retreat is March 8th and the theme is the theological virtue of HOPE. Please let me know if you would like to attend. For those of you who are new, this is a one day retreat (9-3) and is an opportunity to receive confession right before Easter. The cost is \$15.00 and that includes lunch and a continental breakfast. We will arrange carpooling in a few weeks. If you know someone who is not on the e-mail list, but may like to attend, please contact them. Spouses are invited also.

Also, a new 40 Days for life will begin on Feb. 6th. Please pray hard for the end of the terrible sin of abortion. If you would like to get more involved in a proactive way, please let me know.

Bill Harrington
843-209-4038

Correction:

In the January newsletter I mistakenly misspelled Ruford Bolchoz and Elodie Artigues names in the Anniversary section. Please except my apology. I am very sorry.

FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Bill and Gloria Harrington
January, 2008

Bill and Gloria have been married for 24 yrs. They have one son, Michael.

Bill grew up in northern Iowa. After graduating high school, he went to college in Storm Lake, Ia. And received a Bachelor of Arts in Education. Upon graduating college, he taught high school math and coached many of the school's sports teams including baseball, golf, track, and football. After teaching and coaching for three years, Bill decided to make a career change and enrolled in the Palmer College of Chiropractic in Davenport, Iowa. It was in Chiropractic school that he met Gloria, who was born and raised in Alberta, Canada.

Both Bill and Gloria graduated in 1983 with Doctor of Chiropractic degrees and were married later that year. The Harrington's moved to Marengo, Iowa (west of Cedar Rapids) and opened a successful chiropractic practice. They practiced in Marengo for nearly 20 years. Michael, their son, is a gifted baseball athlete and was scouted by professional teams during high school. However, he decided to go on to college and is a senior at the College of Charleston studying exercise science and may follow his parents into chiropractic field. Michael is a scholarship player for the Cougars' successful baseball team and plays first base and outfield. He is also a talented musician.

Bill and Gloria moved to Mt. Pleasant in August 2004 to follow and support Michael's baseball career. They spent their summer in Virginia as Michael was a member of the Luray Wranglers in Valley Collegiate Baseball League. Prior to moving to Mt. Pleasant, Bill and Gloria were very active in their church and the Knights of Columbus. They were both CCD teachers and were head of the Bishop's Annual Appeal. Among Gloria's many activities were her organization of their church's annual spaghetti dinner fund raiser for seven years running and a member of the Altar and Rosary Society. Among Bill's many activities were his participation in the Knight of Columbus (two term Grand Knight) and his service on the school board for six years.

Since coming to Mt. Pleasant and joining Council 9475, Bill has been very active (as much as his traveling lets him). He has served on the Eucharistic Committee, helped with the Book Sale, worked at the Bazaar, helped organize Operation Hope, worked on fundraising for EWTN radio, and has been tapped to assist with the Council's public relations. Bill and Gloria are daily communicants and enjoy reading and exercising in their spare time.

CONGRATULATIONS HARRINGTON FAMILY !!!!!

