

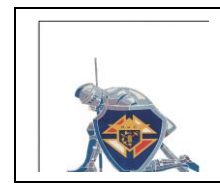
UPCOMING EVENTS

Jun 07, Friday	City Fireworks (Free parking for members/\$10 for non-members)
Jul 11, Tuesday	Men's Night Dinner (7:30pm) (Chicken Francais \$30) (Hall)
Jul 12, Tuesday	NO Council #41 Meeting
Jul 14, Thursday	Family Supper (7:00pm) (Chicken Scarpiello \$30) (Hall)
Jul 18, Monday	NO Lafayette Assembly 109 Meeting
Aug 01, Tuesday	Men's Night Dinner (7:30pm) (Pork Osso Bucco \$35) (Hall)
Aug 10, Thursday	Family Supper (7:00pm) (Chicken, Sausage & Peppers \$30) (Hall)
Sep 05, Tuesday	Men's Night Dinner (7:30pm) (Chicken Parmigiana \$30) (Hall)
September	Frank Robotti Golf Tournament (8:00am Shotgun) (Sterling Farms) (Luncheon immediately following at K of C Hall)
Sep 14, Thursday	Family Supper (7:00pm) (Meat Loaf \$30) (Hall)
September Sat & Sun	Council #41 Annual Tootsie Roll Drive (Palmer's Market, Darien, CT)
Sep 13, Tuesday	Council #41 Meeting (7:00pm) (Rotunda Room)

***MUST BE A COUNCIL MEMBER TO APPLY, ANY MEMBER WITH JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL OR COLLEGE, REPLY TO EMAIL FOR DETAILS**

PAST EVENTS

Jun 06, Tuesday,	Men's Night Dinner (7:30pm, Pork Roast, Hall \$30)
Jun 08, Thursday,	Family Supper (7:00pm, Roast Beef, Hall)
June 02, Friday	Assembly #109 Flag Day Ceremonies (see below)
Jun 13, Tuesday	Council #41 Meeting/Elections (7:30pm) (Rotunda Room)
Jun 19, Monday	Lafayette Assembly #109 Meeting (7:30pm) (Rotunda Room)
Jun 30, Friday	Council #41 Scholarship Applications Due (June 30, 2017)



Father Nick/Monsignor Surwello

Our two wonderful mentors that our council has been blessed with are currently taking a break in order to serve out Lord and deal with personnel and health issues. Please remember our brothers in your hearts and prayers and we wish for a speedy recovery so they can continue to enlighten us with the teachings of our Lord.

I recently read this month's edition of Fairfield County Catholic. If you haven't read it, please give it a try. One article practically caught my eye, "Homeless Jesus". A cast of Homeless Jesus has been erected in front of the new headquarters of Catholic Cemeteries at 154 East Avenue in Norwalk. There are more than 100 worldwide.



I know we here at the Knights understand the importance of Charity but I ask myself, can it be possible that I could walk by Jesus and never know it? Am I sometimes too busy to notice the struggle of others? So, I ask you my brothers and sisters as I ask myself to be a little more conscience. I know all of us do so many wonderful things within our community but let's never stop doing the things that please our God most.

GRAND KNIGHT'S MESSAGE

Thank everyone who attended the June meeting and voted for officers. By the end of the meeting, we were all in agreement that all would put aside their differences and support the team elected. This is imperative. I hate to use the cliché that "teamwork makes the dreamwork" but it truly does take a team for our council to not only succeed but survive.

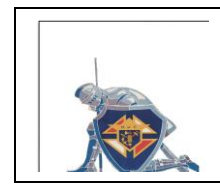
As I reflect back, I am pleased with the prosperity of our council. Our membership grew! Dues completed: form 1295 Semiannual Council Audit Report, form 11077 Fraternal Benefits, form 365 Service Program Personal Report, form 1728 Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity

I would also like to thank our outgoing Treasurer Frank Noto. Frank has been priceless to the council for the longest time. He will continue to remain active and will look forward to his constant mentorship. Here is the new slate of officers for 2023-2024:

Grand Knight: Thomas Finn	Chaplain: Nick Pavia	Deputy Grand Knight: Vito Quivelli
Chancellor: Rob Fabrizio	Recorder: Marlon Lopez	Treasurer: Brad Lupinacci
Lecturer: Edward Walther	Advocate: Chuck Hanlon	Warden: Fred Morabito
Inside Guard: Frank Leone	Outside Guard: Chris Peterson	
Trustee 1: Ken D'Andrea	Trustee 2: Charles Bittman,	Trustee 3: Anthony Uva

I like to thank all of you for stepping up and representing our wonderful council.

Vivat Jesus GK Tommy Finn



Fourth Degree (Patriotic Degree)

The 4th degree continues to be our shining star continuously there when called upon. Whether patriotism or funeral requests, they answer the call. I encourage all to join and step up your spiritual and community service!

Flag Day event sponsored by Assembly 109 at Julia A Stark School Elementary for grades K-5 with over 600 students and parents attending. This was on June 2nd and we had 14 members of 4th degree in Color Guard and social baldric march in accompanied by a drummer. All 600+ received an American Flag (2 foot wooden staff and 18"by12" wide flag. We marched into Yandle Doodle Dandy by the 2nd grade singers (great). FN Ray Downey spoke about the US Flag with information from KofC literature. Over 65 year tradition at this school to celebrate the day. This was our first visit and everyone supported this fine effort. (they asked us back)

Flag Day event (1st patriotic event at this school) at Mater Salvatoris College Preparatory in Stamford on June 9th, 8:15am. Our Color Guard marched in with the West Hill High School Band drummers and cymbals and encouraged students' participation with the Flag raising, Pledge and singing of the national anthem. We had a soloist sing all the four songs and students participated in carrying the Papal Flag with the Color Guard plus speaking from our KofC US Flag literature. FN Ray Downey spoke representing the Asse

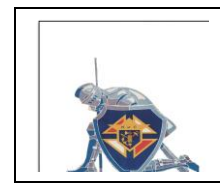
Memorial Day Parade



Flag Day Events



We do have requests from the Bishop's Office for special masses and wakes and funerals during the year. We are increasing our Color Guard membership ranks and all 4th Degree members are welcome to participate! Call me, FN Ray Downey 203-253-5601 redowney@optonline.net for information. God Bless America!



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It was brought to my attention that not all our members are able to obtain these financial seminars.

Call Brother Mike at: 860-488-2955

July 2023

Council #41 newsletter

Subject: Long Term Care

This month I want to remind everyone to think about their future, it all starts when we are younger (45-65) please don't wait until it's too late.

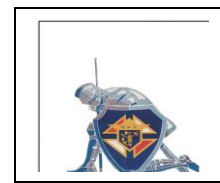
We have all experienced someone, either a parent, relative or other family member who has been admitted into an elderly care facility. This process is extremely costly, and in most cases, it can drain all the family members funds that they have worked so long and hard to attain. Long-Term-Care insurance is protection for all of your assets. Please take a few moments to speak with your Field Agent today to see if there is a plan that works best for you.

As we enter the summer months this would be a good time to review some important documents. Many parents will be experiencing changes to their family status including:

- Your baby boy has now completed high school and is leaving the nest for a higher education.
- Your extremely gifted daughter just graduated from college.
- Your family just grew larger with the birth of a bouncing new baby, or
- You are celebrating the wedding or your precious little girl.

Now is the time to locate your Last Will and Testament, Living Will, Trust Funds and any insurance documents, to review them to ensure that any of the above changes are properly reflected and documented.

Please reach out to me with any questions.



Knights in Action!!!!

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Felices fiestas patrias

1. SABADO, 22 DE JULIO
32vo. ANIVERSARIO - PACC - CENA DE GALA
(PERUVIAN AMERICAN COMMUNITY CENTER)
LUGAR: THE WATERS EDGE AT GIOVANNI'S
DINNER 7:00 PM - 1:00 AM
HORA: 7:00 PM - 1:00 AM

2. DOMINGO 23, DE JULIO
32vo. IZAMIENTO DE LA BANDERA PERUANA
SHOW FOLKLORICO
LUGAR: THE STAMFORD, OLD TOWN HALL
HORA: 2:00 PM

RECONOCIMIENTO A:
Atilio y Soledad Albitres
Empresarios del Año
Jose "Pepe" Giraldo
Reconocimiento Postumo

Ticket \$85

Perú

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Las Americas MARKET
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THE VILLAGE

The St. Augustine Council #41 has been growing over the past couples of years thanks to our council opening our arms to new immigrants from all over.

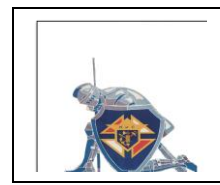
Brother ATILIO ALBITRES is inviting all our members to attend a fun weekend of Peruvian culture.

Date: July 22/23

Dinner: July 22 at Waters Edge 7pm \$85 dinner, dance and music

July 23 at Old Town Hall for celebration, dance and music

Please respond to me for RSVP. I am hoping to have a table from our council



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End of summer
BOAT
ride on

all white affair

 **AUGUST 25, 2023**
• Bording 7 PM
• Leaving stamford at 5:15 PM

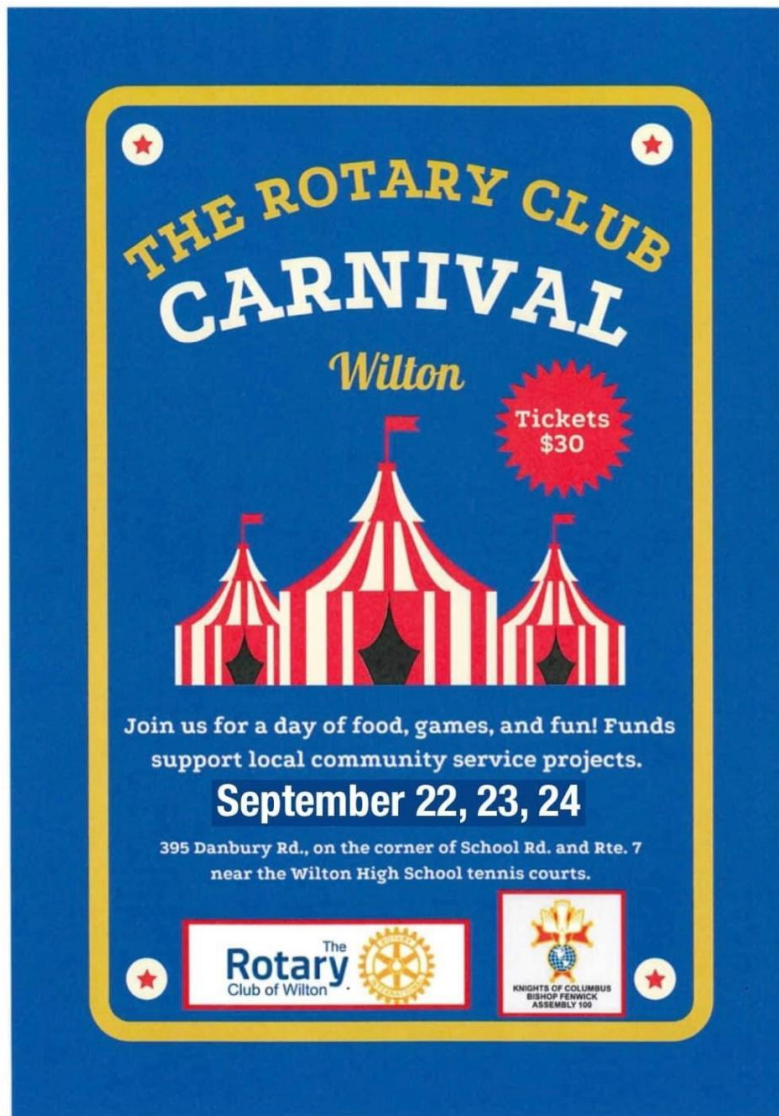
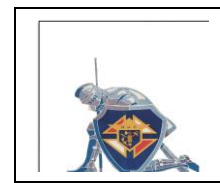
 **\$150 / PERSON**
• Transportation included
• Food and soft drink included / cash bar

Reserve your seat today!!!

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Bernard Toussaint: 203 979 8372 Frantzy Perard : 203 550 1398
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Our Brother Knights at St Gabriel have invited us to participate at the event. The trip by bus into NY City leaves St. Gabs on **August 25 at 5:15pm and boards the boat at 7pm.** Bus, boat, catered dinner are included with a cash bar.



The Norwalk Knights have invited us to their annual fair. Our relation with the Knights of Norwalk have grown over the years and this can be a wonderful night out.

Date: Sept 22, 23, 24

Please pay your dues!

Regular membership for 2023 year is \$55 per regular membership.

Honorary membership for 2023 year is \$10 per honorary membership, (at age 65, after 25 years of continual service).

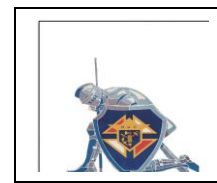
Please make checks payable to Knights of Columbus Council 41", send payments to Knights of Columbus Council 41

Attention: Ray Downey-Financial Secretary

507 Shippin Avenue, Stamford, CT 06902

Questions, please call Ray Downey, FN Council 41 203-253-5601, redowney@optonline.net

Columbiette Corner



Columbiettes

About the Train
Essex Steam Train & Riverboat's 2 1/2-hour train and riverboat journeys begins at the historic 1892 Essex Station for a 12-mile, narrated round-trip into the heart of the unspoiled Connecticut River Valley. The steam locomotive pulls vintage coaches through the quintessential New England towns of Deep River and Chester. A natural highlight is the undeveloped Selden Neck State Park, accessible only by boat. Essex Steam Train offers unique access to several coves and preserves, immersing passengers in an on-board eco-excursion.

The train travels near the tidal wetlands of Pratt Cove and Chester Creek — bountiful, natural habitats for birds including Cormorants, Ducks, Swans, Greenland Geese, Blue Heron, Egrets, and Red-winged Blackbirds. In February and March, the majestic Bald Eagle is the star of the show when it migrates south to the Connecticut River Valley from Canada and Maine.

About the Riverboat
At Deep River Landing, passengers are escorted onto the Becky Thatcher riverboat for a 1-1/4-hour cruise along the Connecticut River. The visual serenity of the river valley is on full display from Becky's multiple decks. The deep water, coves, inlets, marshes, wildlife, and rocky shoreline are, all at once, simply breathtaking!

Just as impressive are the historic sites, including Gillette Castle, Goodspeed Opera House and the Haddam Swing Bridge. Upon Becky's return to Deep River Landing, the steam train welcomes passengers for the return trip back to Essex Station.

Sunday, October 1, 2023
Leave from: Knights of Columbus
507 Shippin Avenue
Bus Leaves: 9:30 am

11:30 am Early Lunch: Scotch Plains Tavern
Entrée Choices:

- **Chicken Madera w/mushrooms and gorgonzola cheese**
- **Oven roasted scrod w/Lemon basil crumb crust**
- **Chicken Cesar wrap**
- **Roasted vegetable prima vera over penne**

Followed by Train and Boat Ride
All money and reservations
Due June 21, 2023

(This is a Fundraiser — No Refunds)

50/50 on bus going down

Make checks payable to Columbiettes
Contact: Bunny Sempey at
203-979-4540 or 203-325-1600
(Please include Full Name
and Phone Number on Check)
Mail or bring in to Elan
513 Elm Street
Stamford, CT 06902

Cost: \$160 per person
Cash/Check payable to Columbiettes

Includes:
Transportation, Lunch,
Train and Boat Ride

What a wonderful way to spend an autumn day. Trip includes bus, lunch, train and riverboat.

The Columbiettes surely do know how to have a good time.

Date: Oct 1

Bus leaves KC at 930am

Cost: \$160

RSVP Date: immediately

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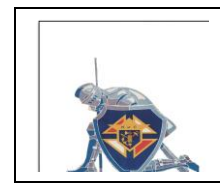
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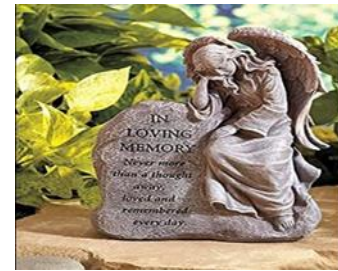
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REMEMBER LUNCH AND DINNER IS SERVED WEDNESDAY THROUGH SUNDAY NOON TO CLOSING. PLEASE CONSIDER SUPPORTING THE CLUB IT IS IMPERITIVE TO THE CLUBS FUTURE OPERATIONS



Please join us in remembering our falling brothers this past year.

- Richard R. Ganino Nov 30, 2022
- Sal Gallagi Dec 10, 2022
- Alfred Sanseverino Dec 19, 2022
- Michael A. Saxe Dec 28, 2022
- Annino "Nino" Antonelli Feb 03, 2023
- Edward J. Morris Feb 21, 2023
- Salvatore A. Cinguari Mar 08, 2023
- Kenneth I. Zarilla Mar 10, 2023
- John Sharkey Mar 25, 2025
- John F. Leydon, Sr. Mar 25, 2025
- Laurence "Larry" Hayes, April 30, 2023
- Francis "Frank" DeBartolomeo, May 30, 2023



Visit our web page to see upcoming events as well as see past newsletters at KofC41.com. New members can join at please go to kofc.org/join and fill out the online application Council 41. Remember this is your newsletter! Contact me with news, information you would to see in the following month edition.

If you haven't already paid your dues, please do.

May God be with you every step of your daily journey,

Tommy Finn

Grand Knight