

# Knightly Chatter



Bishop John T Kidd Council 4924 - Windsor Ont. December 2018-January 2019

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# **Upcoming Events**

General Meeting Wed, 5 December, 7:30pm Kids Christmas Party Sun, 9 December, 12:30pm Christmas Dinner Thu, 13 December, 6:00pm Executive Meeting Wed, 19 December, 7:30pm

General Meeting Wed, 2 January 2019, 7:30pm
Basketball Free Throw Tue, 15 January 2019, 11:20am
Basketball Free Throw Wed, 16 January 2019, 12:00
Executive Meeting Wed, 23 January 2019, 7:30pm
Spitefire vs London Knights Thu, 24 January 2019, 7:05pm

Check website Calendar for details

## **Message from Our Grand Knight**

### Dear Brother Knights:

Christmas is a time to reflect on all that God has done. It's not a matter of what we get, but the birth of the Holy one. It's not about gifts with ribbons and bows, or Christmas trees, tinsel and mistletoe. The Christmas gift given to us Is Jesus Christ's Gift of love.

Our council hosted the 21st annual fundraiser for Hospice of Windsor & Essex County on Saturday October 27, 2018. We had a good turnout for this event and was able to raise \$12,261.65. I would like to thank the following Brother Knights for their help Chairman Jesmond Tabone, Amir Attia, Jim Faubert and Ray Beaupre.

At the last General Meeting on Nov 7, our members approved to donate \$10,000.00 from our charity account for the new Miracle Park in Riverside. Our donation can purchase 2 items with the councils name on them we are getting second base and a swing. We will be presenting a cheque to Riverside Baseball Club on Wednesday December 5, at the general meeting for the Miracle Park.

Carol Lockhart from Windsor-Essex Children's Aid Society will be speaking at 8 pm at our general meeting on Wednesday December 5. To speak to our members about how they need volunteers to help.

Our executive meeting falls on Boxing Day on Wednesday December 26, your executive decided to move the meeting to Wednesday December 19, at 7:30 pm.

On behalf of Bonnie and myself we would like wish you all a Blessed Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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**Trevor Thomas** 

**Grand Knight** 

### **Message from Our District Deputy**

#### KEEP CHRIST IN CHRISTMAS POSTER CONTEST.

The "Keep Christ in Christmas" Poster Contest allows young people to engage their creative talents while remembering the true meaning of Christmas. The contest is open to young people ages 5-14 and divided into three age groups. Encourage councils in your district to conduct this program as a way to introduce fathers of contestants who may be potential candidates for membership. Council officials should order the program kit via Supplies Online. Don't forget to promote the contest and contact schools to participate.

From Dawn, Joseph, Peter and myself here's wishing you a blessed **Christmas** and Happy New Year! May you and your family cherish the wonderful memories, of love, care and hope. May you live life in joy and peace. Merry **Christmas**.

District Deputy 39

Jesmond Tabone

#### **Pro-Life Report**

"When the time comes, as it surely will, when we face that awesome moment, the final judgment, I've often thought, as Fulton Sheen wrote, that it is a terrible moment of loneliness. You have no advocates, you are alone standing before God – and a terror will rip your soul like nothing you can image. But I really think that those in the pro-life movement will not be alone. I think there'll be a chorus of voices that have never been heard in this this world but are heard beautifully and clearly in the next world – and they will plead for everyone who has been in this movement. They will say to God 'Spare him, because he loved us!" Congressman Henry Hyde

May the blessings of Christmas be with you. Jerome Tschirhart Pro-Life Director

# **Upcoming Bingo Dates: at**



Dec 5 Wed 6:45pm 8:45 Rheal & John Mc Dec 27 Thurs 8:45pm 10:45 John P.- Rheal Jan 10 Thurs 10:45pm 12:45 Mike & Jan 10 Thurs 12:45am 2:45 Mike & Jan 24 Thurs 6:45 pm 8:45pm -

We are in need of volunteers to help work 2 hours at a bingo session. Working these sessions are not like they used to be. The work is very minimal. If you are able to help please contact Bro. Jesmond Tabone 519-992-2014



Coats for Kids program had Br Jim Faubert distribute new coats to kid in need at St Rose Elementary & Corpus Christi Middle Schools. The remainder of coats where brought to the Windsor-Essex Children's Aid Society. Thanks to Peter Conway, Dave Mailloux, Trevor Thomas, Raymond Beaupre and John Pawlowski. A special thanks to Tina Gatt for her hospitality. Nov17, 2018