

Knights of Columbus

DEDHAM COUNCIL NO. 234

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September Newsletter

2024

Regular Meeting—Sept 3 & 17 at 8PM

Surge Meeting— Sept 10 at 7:30 PM

Hour of Adoration— Sept 13 & 27 at

8PM

Saturday Knights Club—Sept 7 at 7PM

GRAND KNIGHT Ed Evans CHAPLAIN Fr. Wayne Belschner DEPUTY GRAND KNIGHT Steve Minchello CHANCELLOR Robert Curran, P.G.K.	RECORDER William Killion, PGK FINANCIAL SECRETARY Stephen Heaslip TREASURER Steve Riley, PGK ADVOCATE Andrew Lawlor, P.G.K.	WARDEN Paul Lahiff INSIDE GUARD Open position OUTSIDE GUARD Richard Bingell	TRUSTEE - 3 YRS. Frank Fico, P.G.K. TRUSTEE - 2 YRS. Joe Griffin, P.G.K. TRUSTEE - 1 YR. Tom Chiokas, P.G.K. INSURANCE AGENT Jerry Alberico, PGK 781-636-8843
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On the web at www.dedhamkofc234.org

No mailed newsletters starting with the February 2025 newsletter: Due to rising printing and mailing costs, and since almost everyone has internet access, we will cease mailing out our monthly newsletter in 2025. The newsletter is always available on our web site (shown above) under the “About Us” tab. We will also email you a copy if you provide us with your email address. If you already get emails, then you will get the newsletter sent to you. If you don’t get emails, but want to receive the newsletter, then send a request to the address dedhamkofc234@gmail.com. We will update our email list to include you. We never share our email list with anyone.

Dedham Day—Soccer Challenge: Our council always provides a free event at Dedham Day and it’s always a big hit for the children in the town. We see a steady stream of participants of all ages. Dedham Day is on Sunday September 29. The event starts at noon, but we need guys there around 11:30 to help set up, and then to shag balls and keep score. Easy work.. We are out of there by 2PM, so this is not an all day commitment. It’s a great way to show our council to the town and to contribute to the community. Please come by and help out.

Installation of Officers: We will have an installation of officers tentatively on September 10 at St. Mary’s (no firm date yet—but we will email details when known). This is a beautiful event. Whether you are being an officer installed or not, please consider attending. It’s worthwhile. We will have a collation after.

Tootsie Roll Drive: This will occur on Friday October 11 through the 13th. Please put it on your calendar and make time—even a few hours—to participate in this worthwhile event. All money raised goes to handicapped children. More details in net months newsletter.

Food Pantry: We are starting once again to volunteer for pickups for the food pantry. Bob Desmond, PGK has a pickup truck and we are looking for volunteers to help with pickup on Saturday morning at Costco. If you have an hour or so to spare on a Saturday morning (or perhaps Friday instead) let Bob know or send us an email.

Motions: All motions brought forward in July and August will be voted on in September.

KC Club: . We had 8 drawings in August and the winners are listed below.

Saturday Knights Club: We will meet in the clubroom on Sept 7 for a nice Italian dinner at 7PM. Looking forward to another fun year.

Eucharistic Adoration: Sept 13 and 27 at 8PM St Joseph's Chapel at 8PM

Investment Club: The investment club will continue to meet on the fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:30PM in the clubroom.

Coffee Hour at St. Mary's: We will start our coffee hour back up on Sept. 8 after the 9AM Mass. Come join us and be with your brothers.

Attendance Prize: Brandon Fitts \$72 (not present)

KC Club Winners: James Tuite, Chris Kirwin, Sue Riley, Michael DeWinter, Andy Lawlor, Luci Petruzzello, Rob Curran, James Tuite.

MOTIONS

1) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$300 for postage for monthly newsletter for the Fraternal year 2024-2025. All unused funds to be returned to the Council. Submitted by Steve Riley PGK Seconded by Bill Killion PGK.

2) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$900 for the monthly coffee and donuts for the Fraternal year 2024-2025, all unused funds to be returned to the Council. Submitted by Steve Riley PGK Seconded by Bill Killion PGK.

3) That Council 234 appropriate the sum of \$500 for the Surge with service committees for the Fraternal year 2024-2025. All unused funds to be returned to the Council. Submitted by Steve Riley PGK Seconded by Bill Killion PGK.

4) That Council 234 appropriate the sum of \$250 for the Grand Knights expenses for the Fraternal year 2024-2025. All unused funds to be returned to the Council. Submitted by Steve Riley PGK Seconded by Bill Killion PGK.

5) Dedham Council 234 appropriate the sum of \$200 for the purchase of tootsie rolls for the annual tootsie roll drive. Submitted by Steve Riley PGK Seconded by Frank Galvin PGK.

6) That Dedham Council 234 appropriate the sum of \$2000 to fund stipends for four seminarians – Mark Farah, Thiago Mesquita, Brian Daley, Jonathan Saniuk.

7) That Dedham Council #234 appropriate the sum of \$300 for expenses for the Installation of Officers. All unused funds to be returned to the Council Submitted by Steve Riley, PGK Seconded by Frank Galvin, PGK.