

Winter 2011 DISTRICT MEETING
Date: _____
Host Council: _____
Location: _____
Councils Present: _____

Agenda: *One by One* we will Succeed

Prayer & Pledge Allegiance

Welcome all officers and guests

Introduction of State Officers, District Deputies and Insurance Agents
Roll Call of Councils (Choose Host Council for next District Meeting & set date)

Review of District Goals and Quotas – Share Long Term State Plans

Membership Programs and Recruitment Plans

One new member a month is the goal we ask. Officers each commit to inviting *One* man each month. Officers please challenge each other to *One* more member. Have Fun! Use a PROVEN Recruiting Strategy.
Invite *One* new member at every council function: pancake breakfast, Soup Supper, Fish Fry etc.
Invite *One* new member at every church program where Knights are involved: CRHP, RCIA, etc.
Need "US"? Call your state membership team. We are here to help!
Discuss the new incentives offered.

Ceremonials and District Degree Schedules

Schedule 1st Degree in District. Each District to have *One* per month. Report the schedule.
Offer additional 1st Degrees within 10 days of signing a new member (don't make them wait).
New Third Degree: Will your District Host *One*?

Retention & Round Tables

No suspensions from January 1, 2012, through June 30, 2012.
Activity/Membership Planner (GK Handbook) Get the new Man involved.
Knight of the Month & Family of the Month programs.
Council Retention Committee – Follow Proper Billing & Suspension Procedures.
Round Table – re-file appointment of Chairman each year. Do it now.

Calendar Events and Correspondence

Grand Knights & Officers need to Sign up for State Emails; fill out form and give to DD at meeting.
Everyone is encouraged to sign up; only used by KofC for official Knights information; kc news link website
Use the GK Planning pages & Calendar.
Use the IA KC website as a resource; more resources available all the time at www.iowakofc.org.

Supreme and State Council Programs (Regional Director if attending)

State Reports & Forms, MOST IMPORTANT

(1728) Fraternal Survey – (4584) Partnership Profile – (1295) Audit – (SP7) Columbia Award
Stress due dates for reports. If not in by the due date it is already late.
Service program reports – Cover sheet in packets.

Youth Activities – Review planner sheet and State Program dates.

Football Frenzy – Discuss participation and New College Program.

Faith Formation – Invite chaplains to give reflection on faith at **beginning** of meeting, Church Tab Website.

Church Program Activities – Pewter **KC finger** rosaries available from the State.

Project Moses – get plaques into each home – erect a monument at your parish.

Keep Christ in Christmas Program: Expanding to cards for rest of year too!

Pro Life – (New Wording) – Culture of Life – Billboard info, Baby Shower Program, Roses for Birthright

Respect Life – March for Life Bus trip planned again. Encourage councils to sponsor one member.

(See Fr. Danner’s cover sheet in the packet)

K of C Trappist Caskets – Reserve one now, get the word out about availability.

Community Outreach – Coats for Kids in December, but order now. Wheelchair mission/Food for families.

Iowa Perpetual Memorial Society – Available to anyone, interest money for vocations.

Iowa K of C Foundation – “We Have Money for You” to help deserving needs, Disaster Fund is separate.

Fr. Michael J. McGivney Guild – Ask all to sign up: believe in our Founder’s Dream.

Vocations – Pennies for Heaven – RSVP Program (Refund Support Vocations Program).

Cultural Outreach – Silver Rose (New Marian Prayer Program).

Additional Information – New Scholarship Program (Insert Information) – 2012 Election Guidelines (Insert Information) – State Convention – April 13-14-15, 2012. (Insert Information). Two delegates per council.

FRATERNAL BENEFITS (General Agent or Field Agent)

Grand Knight Comments & Questions Period

Closing Remarks and Prayer