

# EAST COOPER KNIGHTS

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# **GRAND KNIGHTS REPORT**

Dear Brother Knights and Families,

Brothers, we had a very busy month of May. Starting with a very successful Spaghetti Dinner with over 250 dinners served - thanks to Mark Lazo and his crew. Then we had a very good Council Picnic, the weather was great, everyone enjoyed the comradeship, good food and fun games - thanks to Neil Whitman for orchestrating this event. Last but not the least our very successful Book Sale - thanks to John and Nancy Murphy for a job well done.

This will be my last Grand Knight's report. I want to say thanks to all those who during the past year have given me the benefit of their advice and the invaluable support of their confidence. Without this support I would have been lost. With it, I have achieved whatever successes have been mine in the ultimate performance of my duties.

I am sure that you will continue to give your support and advice to the newly elected officers.

Now for the 10<sup>th</sup> installment of the Officers Jewel, it is THE ADVOCATE's JEWEL.

YBIC Jim Pancake GK

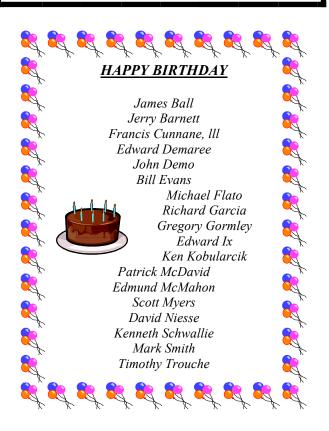


THE ADVOCATE — The Scroll (legal literature and law) with sword (the power to defend and enforce the law).

Happy Father's Day



#### CALENDAR OF EVENTS Nocturnal Adoration 02 Stella Maris--8 PM to 8 AM Officer's Meeting 02 Life Center--7 PM Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 03 COK-- 7:30 AM to 5 PM 04 Pro-Life/Rosary COK-- 7:30 AM Feast of the Ascension 05 Flag Day 14 Father's Day 19 **Business Meeting** 21 Island Club-Sullivan's Island Dinner: 6:30 PM Meeting: 7:15 PM Installation of Officer's 27 Grace Hall--6 PM



## Family of the Month May, 2011 John and Lucille Watson

John and Lucille have been married for 16 years. They have two married grown children (Robert and Shelly) and four grandchildren - Hanna (4 years), Emma (4 years), Gabrielle (3 years), and George (2years). John and Lucille also have four boys at home - Stas and Vlad (15) and Ilya and Max (12).

John is originally from New York, NY and Lucille is from Norfolk, VA. John has a Bachelor of Science in Engineering Science from New Jersey Institute of Technology and a Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering from the US Naval Postgraduate School. Lucille has a Bachelor of Arts in Education Southern Illinois University and a Master of Arts in Education from Vanderbilt University. John and Lucille met at the Christ Our King RCIA reception in 1994, where John was a sponsor and Lucille was volunteering by handing our ECCO bags.

John served 20 years in the US Navy and retired as a Commander. During his time in the Navy, John served on submarines (both diesel and ballistic missile submarines), taught ROTC, served as Repair Officer on the USS Orion, and conducted project manager tours in various naval shipyards. Currently John is self-employed as a real estate title examiner.

Lucille has held various positions as a fund raiser, but now devotes most of her time to home schooling their four boys in the Seton Home Study School, an accredited Catholic home schooling curriculum. Lucille also works part time with American Greetings.

John joined the Knights of Columbus Council 9475 in 1998 and is currently a 1st degree knight. John and Lucille are Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist at Christ Our King. Stas, Vlad, Ilya and Max are altar servers, sing in the youth choir and participate in the youth hand bell choir.

The entire family is active in Scouting. Stas, Vlad, Ilyd and Max went through Cub Scouts before crossing over into Boy Scouts. Stas and Vlad are currently Life Scouts, but have completed their Eagle Scout projects and are waiting to take their Eagle Scout Board of Review. Ilya and Max are First Class Boy Scouts. Lucille is the Unit Commissioner for Pack 470 and is the Assistant District Commissioner and Activities Chair for the Etiwan District (serving the East Cooper area) of the Boy Scouts. John is the Assistant Scoutmaster at Troop 502 on the Isle of Palms.

In their spare time, the Watsons enjoy bike riding and working in the yard.

#### CONGRATULATIONS JOHN AND LUCILLE!!!!!

Congratulations to Richard Bachschmidt, who made his first degree on Tuesday, May 17, 2011. Welcome to our Knights family.

## Knight of the Month May, 2011 Richard Schiliro

Rich is married to Joan. They have been married 51 years and have 5 grown children, Rick is an Insurance Broker, Joanne is a Computer Enhancer, Ray is in Logistics and Rob is an Insurance Broker, living in Tasmania, Australia and JeanMarie is a Legal Secretary. Rich and Joan also have 12 grandchildren.

Rich has been employed by United Air Lines, NY State Police, Physical Ed Teacher, Mt. Pleasant Police Youth Coordinator.

Joan was an Elementary School Teacher. She now works parttime at Stein Mart.

Rich joined the Knights of Columbus Council 9475 in 1991 and is a Fourth-Degree Knight. He was Youth Director for 5 years and Lecturer.

Rich and Joan are active members of Christ Our King parish where they have been ushers at the 9:30 am mass. Rich also runs the Boco Ball game at the annual picnic.

Presently Rich is playing International Softball Tournaments with Senior Team USA (Taiwan, Japan and Spain), and 3v3 Basketball.

#### **CONGRATULATIONS RICH!!!!!**

# HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Stanley and Jean Adams
Daniel and Phyllis Ames
Albert and Jane Baciocco
John and Angela Demo
Mark and Diane Dickson
Raymond and Barbara Franz
Anthony and Ruth Giammusso
David and Minov Kent
Gene and Natalie Knisley
Patrick and Jane McDavid
Daniel and Tammy Nesbit
William and Penny Shoemaker
Don and Kim Slowek



# **2011-2012 OFFICERS**

Grand Knight DJ Thatcher Deputy Grand Knight Mark Lazo Chancellor Frank Osage Financial Secretary Joe Harkins Recorder Neil Whitman Treasurer Michael Fabrizio Lecturer Ron Davis Advocate Matthew Story Warden Robert Miller Inside Guard Stanley Adams Outside Guard Hank Wolf James Pancake 3rd Year Trustee

The Installation of Officer's will be held on Monday, June 27, 2011 in Grace Hall at 6 PM. Immediately following the ceremony there will be dinner at the Mustard Seed Restaurant. Hopefully we will see you there.



<u>CALENDAR OF EVENTS</u> <u>JULY</u>				
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	01			
COK 7:30 AM to 5 PM				
Pro-Life/Rosary	02			
COK 7:30 AM				
Independence Day	04			
Officer's Meeting	07			
Life Center 7 PM				
Nocturnal Adoration	07			
Stella Maris 8 PM to 8 AM				
Business Meeting	19			
Island ClubSullivan's Island				
Dinner: 6:30 PM				
Meeting: 7:15 PM				
Fourth Degree Installation of Officer's	27			

# **COUNCIL OFFICERS**

Co-Chaplain	Rev. Ms	gr. James A. Carter	884-5587
	Rev. Ms	gr. Lawrence B. McInerny	883-3109
Grand Knight		James Pancake	856-3887
Deputy Grand Knigl	nt	Donald J. Thatcher	388-1544
Chancellor		Mark Lazo	881-1237
Financial Secretary		Joe Harkins	881-5768
Recorder		Neil Whitman	856-5034
Treasurer		Michael Fabrizio	388-6908
Lecturer		Ron Davis	856-4950
Advocate		Matt Story	849-7244
Warden		Bob Miller	881-2951
Inside Guard		Stanley Adams	884-8331
Outside Guard		Hank Wolf	971-1106
3 Yr. Trustee		Michael Swindle	224-8024
2 Yr. Trustee		Thomas A. Franzone	884-5670
1 Yr. Trustee		John Gallagher	849-0321
Program Director		Tom A. Franzone	884-5670
Church Director		Tom A. Franzone COK	884-5670
CHUICH BIICCOI		Jack Urbanic SM	886-2591
		Gene McLaughlin SB	849-2271
Vocations Chairman	1	Barry Sturmer	881-6714
Community Director		Mike Swindle	224-8024
Pro/Life Couple		Edward and Sandra Rob	
Health Services		D. J. Thatcher	388-1544
Council Director		Neil Whitman	856-5034
Public Relations		Neil Whitman	856-5034
Family Director		Rick Karkowski	971-3095
Talling Director		Jim Pancake	856-3887
Youth Director		Matt Story	849-7244
Columbian Squires		Clement Grannan	573-2397
Membership Directo	r	Jack Urbanic	886-2591
Recruitment Commi		Jack Urbanic	886-2591
Recruitment Commi	illee	Mark Kennedy	849-8871
		Albert Baciocco	884-0995
Retention Chairman		Jack Urbanic	886-2591
Insurance Promotion	_		884-7620
		Hoyt Kiser	
Operation Hope Cha	ıırman	Jack Vax	856-2212
Newsletter		Fran Franzone	884-5670
State Chaplain		Rev. Robert Higgins	249-2356
State Deputy		Joseph Gubeli	871-2158
District Deputy		John Sulkowski	884-2822
Insurance Agent		Stephen Kramp	771-2437
Supreme Fraternal S	ervices	Stephen Islamp	203-772-2130



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