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The Maryland State Council Newsletter is formatted to provide you with information and to show you what's getting done and who's doing it. Its purpose is to keep you informed as to Supreme, State and Council aspects of the Knights of Columbus. We also want everyone to know of the good things happening, and perhaps to learn something new along the way about our Church, our Order, and our Founder.

Also, we invite Councils, Chapters, Assemblies, and Fourth Degree elements to submit highlights of their respective accomplishments to the Public Relations Director, Jeff Maynard, (jcmaynard@verizon.net) for posting on our social media platforms.



# State Chaplain's Message

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At Sunday Mass we generally recite the Nicene Creed after the homily and before the intercessions, but on Easter Sunday we say "I do (believe)" to the various parts of the creed as we renew our baptismal promises. In either format, it's possible to go through the Creed without much thought as to what we are saying; that can be the downside of something we recite so often.

This year is the 1700th anniversary of the Council of Nicaea (now a city in Turkey), which met from May to July in the year 325. Keep in mind that the Church had just been recognized in the Roman Empire, could publicly function and worship, and so it was the perfect time to make sure there was unity in what was being taught. That was also a goal of Constantine, who had become the sole emperor, and he wanted peace among all members of the empire. This is generally considered the first of the ecumenical councils, with about 300 bishops participating.

A main topic was a discussion on the divine nature of Christ, and the relationship between God the Father and God the Son. The divine nature was disputed by the priest Arius, and his teaching was condemned as heretical. It is from there that we have come to profess that Jesus is "consubstantial with the Father." This council also agreed on a uniform observance of the date for Easter, and had the first codification of Church (canon) laws.

I believe an anniversary like this can help us appreciate how the Church reached its explanations of critical teachings, and reminds that the Pope, along with the bishops of the Church, form the "magisterium," the teaching body of the Church. All these centuries later we are still using one of the products of that Council.

This might also be a good month to take one's time slowly going through the Nicene Creed, reflecting on each of the statements, and perhaps looking for a fuller explanation of any part that is less than clear. A helpful resource for such questions is always the "Catechism of the Catholic Church" published in 1994. For anyone trying to better understand what the Church teaches on a particular topic it is a great resource.

Finally, as the State Convention is held early this month, let's offer a prayer for all who fill a leadership role here in Maryland at the council, district and state levels. May they help all the Knights and Ladies be a force for good here in our state.

*Vivat Jesus!*

*Fr. Donald*

## Liturgical Calendar

- 1 May** Saint Joseph the Worker
- 2 May** Saint Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
- 3 May** Saints Philip and James, Apostles
- 10 May** Saint Damien de Veuster, Priest
- 12 May** Saints Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs; Saint Pancras, Martyr
- 13 May** Our Lady of Fatima
- 14 May** Saint Matthias, Apostle
- 15 May** Saint Isidore
- 20 May** Saint Bernardine of Siena, Priest
- 21 May** Saint Christopher Magallanes, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs
- 22 May** Saint Rita of Cascia, Religious
- 26 May** Saint Philip Neri, Priest
- 27 May** Saint Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop
- 29 May** Saint Paul VI, Pope
- 31 May** The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary



# State Deputy's Message

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## News Release

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### **Statement From Knights of Columbus Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly on the Death of His Holiness Pope Francis**

NEW HAVEN, Conn. — Knights of Columbus Supreme Knight Patrick Kelly issued the following statement today on the death of His Holiness Pope Francis:

"The more than 2.1 million Knights of Columbus around the world join Catholics and people of all faiths today as we mourn the death of our Holy Father Pope Francis, the Bishop of Rome and spiritual leader of the Catholic Church. Pope Francis was a powerful witness to charity and fraternity, calling us from his first days as pope to reach out to the margins of society and serve those who are too often forgotten.

"The Knights of Columbus is particularly grateful for its close relationship with our late Holy Father. Pope Francis continually encouraged our charitable mission and offered his blessing for our work, especially our humanitarian efforts around the world. Pope Francis was also very supportive of our efforts to help Catholic men be better husbands and fathers and take up co-responsibility for the Church's mission of evangelization.

"Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him."

### **Statement From Knights of Columbus Supreme Chaplain Archbishop Lori on the Death of His Holiness Pope Francis**

"I learned this morning with great sadness of the death of Pope Francis. Just yesterday, he greeted the crowds in Rome, as if to say farewell to the People of God whom he loved so dearly and served so devotedly. May his great soul rest in peace.

Throughout the years of his pontificate, Pope Francis manifested his love for the poor and marginalized. He lifted up the plight of migrants and refugees, victims of injustice, the sick and elderly, and global poverty. He elevated the voice of the Church in places considered "remote" in major population centers. He called for the protection of the environment as God's gift and as





# *State Deputy's Message*

## Continued



*humanity's common home. In that context, he wrote on the "integral ecology" of the human person, an insightful defense of human dignity. In an age of polarization, he called for a more fraternal society and "a new kind of politics". Pope Francis also made "synodality" a hallmark of his papacy, urging the Church to listen with understanding and compassion to the voice of its people, including those who often feel excluded.*

*Pope Francis challenged dioceses, parishes, and other church communities to undergo what he called "a missionary conversion" – to be centers of missionary activity intent on fulfilling the Lord's mandate to spread the Gospel. I have attempted to capture for our local church of Baltimore the spirit and content of his exhortations in three pastoral letters all with the title "A Light Brightly Visible".*

*His devotional writings, such as his recent letter on the Sacred Heart, are beautiful and inspiring. His designation of 2025 as a Jubilee of Hope, a special Holy Year focused on the hope that is ours in Christ Jesus, was a much needed tonic for Church and world.*

*I was privileged to visit with Pope Francis on various occasions, often accompanying the Supreme Knight of the Knights of Columbus to his private audiences with the Pope, in my capacity as Vice-President of the Conference of Catholic Bishops, and during the Synod of Bishops last October. On one occasion, seminarians from the Archdiocese of Baltimore presented Pope Francis, an avid sports fan, with a Ravens jersey.*

*Pope Francis goes home to God just as the Church celebrates the Resurrection of Jesus Christ, his victory over sin and death. In the coming days, I shall offer a Mass for the Holy Father and it is my plan to attend his funeral. Often the Holy Father would ask visitors to pray for him. I am sure he would want us to pray for him now that he may rest in the peace of the Risen Lord."*

**Vivat Jesus,**

**Tony**



**Greetings from  
the First Lady  
of the Maryland State Council**

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Hello Maryland Ladies!

After a long wait, spring finally arrived in Maryland and ushered in Eastertide. I hope you all had a blessed Easter celebration with your family and friends.

I'm looking forward to seeing many of you this first weekend in May at the 127th Maryland State Council Convention in Annapolis! I have two events for ladies planned with my Ladies Activities Committee, Kathy's Buds. We've put in a lot of work, and I think they'll be wonderful opportunities to have fun and make new friends. I'll share pictures from these events in next month's newsletter.

Congratulations in advance to the Ladies Auxiliaries who have been selected to receive awards at the Convention Awards Ceremony! There were so many incredible events held by auxiliaries around the state that choosing the winners was a real challenge. A big thank you goes out to everyone who participated in the awards process. Winners will be posted on the state website after the convention, and we'll list the winners and their event titles in the June Auxiliary Newsletter article.

May marks the month for celebrating Mother's Day. I looked up the definition of mother and found a wide variety of meanings for the word. Essentially, it can be applied to a woman who is the parent of a child through biology or adoption, or who in a societal sense, has contributed to raising a child by providing care, support, and nurturing. Many women do not claim a child of their own but have participated in raising a child in their family or community. This month, I applaud all mothers who fit any of these definitions, and I wish you each a very Happy Mother's Day.

Since his installation, Tony has asked everyone in the Maryland Knights of Columbus family to *Make a Difference in Someone's Life*. I am filled with pride to see how many of you have taken this challenge to heart! Thank you for everything you do for your loved ones, communities, and the Knights of Columbus.

**Kathy**



# Training Message

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Worthy Brother Knights and Sons of the Ancient Church, FM Joe Murtha, a master of the apt phrase, once said that training is rather like a bikini: long enough to cover the subject, but short enough to keep it interesting. The upcoming training events all embrace that philosophy in spades. Never has time management been so vital. Grand Knights should avail themselves of the opportunities below.

## Training Can Make a Difference in Someone's Life!

### ONLINE TRAINING SCHEDULE

Register for upcoming online sessions by clicking on the links below or you can watch on demand after the live session. On demand training can be found at [kofc.org/training](https://kofc.org/training).

#### Upcoming Training Sessions (Note: All Times are Eastern)

##### **English Training:**

May 8, 2025 8:00 PM.....District Deputy Training Part One  
May 14, 2025 8:00 PM.....Grand Knight Training: Part Two  
May 20, 2025 8:00 PM.....Completing Forms 185 and 365  
May 27, 2025 10:00 PM.....Fraternal Year Transition Tips

##### **Formation en français:**

13 Mai 2025, 19 h.....Revitalisation du Conseil  
21 Mai 2025, 19 h 30.....Compléter les Rapports 185 et 365

##### **Capacitación en español:**

1 de Mayo 2025 8:00 PM.....Preparación y Realización de Elecciones del Consejo  
14 de Mayo 2025 8:00 PM.....Guía de Inicio Rápido para Fu

Vivat Jesus,

Rob



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## Membership



Worthy Brothers All,

One of my greatest joys as State Membership Director comes from hearing stories shared by councils who proudly speak of their excitement around welcoming men into the Order. This month, I am happy to share a few of those inspiring highlights with you!

Grand Knight Al Grasley of Archbishop Sheen Council No. 7612 last month welcomed a special man into his council. Al's son, Matthew, recently turned 18 and on that very day, became a brother Knight! Who says young men are hesitant to join the Order! Congratulations to Al and to Matt- and to the entire council for creating a culture where an 18-year-old man immediately found a welcome home to put his faith in action.

Grand Knight Sean McFarland of St. John's Council No. 1622 shared a picture of the council's recent impressive exemplification. It involved welcoming eight men into the Order that afternoon, an event that created another Star council! This is a wonderful example of a council whose "can-do" attitude, led by Sean and Membership Director Rick Babbitt, are making a difference in so many lives!

It also was rewarding to see Grand Knights Ike Udejiofor of Mother Seton Council No. 5381 and Frank Arlinghaus of St. Louis the King Council No. 11898 honor Silver Knight Award winners in their councils. Emmanuel Amanyeiwe and DD Herman Stewart, respectively, were proud recipients of the award, which recognizes Knights who have recruited at least two men into the Order during the fraternal year.

There is much good news happening throughout Maryland this year and I hope that you are experiencing some of the excitement and joy that comes from offering men the opportunity to become Knights. And please remember the many opportunities (and responsibility) that all of us have to continually extend an invitation! OCIA Catholic men, "That Man is You" groups, RSVP seminarians, council events, to name a few. The future of our councils and our mission is totally within our hands. It's simply up to us to put our faith into action by making the most of these.

See you at the Maryland State Convention!

*Vivat Jesus,  
Terry*



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## Faith In Action – Make A Difference in Someone's Life



My Brothers All,

Christ is Risen! Alleluia! I pray that you and your family are having a blessed Easter Season. The Easter season is a terrific opportunity for you and your councils to conduct meaningful Faith in Action Programs that make a difference in someone's life. Here are some FIA Program ideas for May and June:

- Mother's Day is May 11th. Distribute marigolds or flowers to the mothers and ladies in your council and parish.
- May is the month of Our Lady. Host regularly scheduled rosaries for your council and parish. For more information, visit [kofc.org/rosary](https://www.kofc.org/rosary).
- Pass the Hat for Aid and Support After Pregnancy. Collect donations to support a pregnancy center in your community. Pray for life and for all mothers and their babies. As of March, the Maryland jurisdiction ranks ninth in the amount of council donations with \$104,395 donated. Thank you!
- Meet with your Pastor and plan a Eucharistic procession for the Feast of Corpus Christi. For information and planning resources, visit <https://www.kofc.org/en/who-we-are/our-faith/eucharist.html>.
- June is the month of the Sacred Heart. Host the Sacred Heart of Jesus Pilgrim Icon for your parish. If your council isn't scheduled to have the Icon, you can still plan a Sacred Heart Holy Hour (without the Pilgrim Icon). The Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus is June 27th. Download the Sacred Heart Holy Hour resource guide at: <https://www.kofc.org/un/en/resources/faith-in-action-programs/faith/pilgrim-icon/5050-pilgrim-icon-prayer-booklet.pdf>.

Remember to submit your Faith in Action Program Form 10784 after every program. Be sure to forward copies of your 10784 to [reports@kofc-md.org](mailto:reports@kofc-md.org) and to your District Deputy.

The deadline for councils to submit the Columbian Award Application (SP-7) to Supreme is rapidly approaching - due June 30th. Please, don't wait until June 30th to submit the report. If you submit the report early and Supreme sends it back to you due to an error, you will have time to revise and resubmit the form by June 30th. The Columbian Award Application is a requirement for Star Council.

Bring your family and friends to the Maryland State Council family picnic on Saturday, May 17 at Seneca Creek State Park. Invite a friend from work or your parish who is considering joining the Order. This is a wonderful opportunity to show that we are a faith-filled and family-centered organization. Plus, we will have plenty of food and drinks. For more information and to register, check out the flyer in this newsletter or check it out on our website at: <https://kofc-md.org/wp-content/uploads/2025/04/2025-State-Picnic-Flyer.pdf>.

I look forward to seeing you in Annapolis for the convention. We will "Pass the Hat" at the convention to collect funds to support Aid and Support After Pregnancy. Councils will also be able to pick up their Cash Incentive Sweepstakes tickets. Thank you for all that you do to make a difference in someone's life.

*Vivat Jesus,*

*Alan Pultyniewicz*



# Hispanic Activities



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¡Hola Hermanos Caballeros! Ruego que ustedes y sus familias estén bien.

“Hagamos una diferencia en la vida de alguien”

Continuamos con la historia de Caballeros de Colón desde su fundación hasta el día de hoy, (vea el boletín de Julio 2024 donde empezamos esta historia).

## 2000-2005 EL NUEVO MILENIO

El 21 de mayo de 2000, el Papa Juan Pablo II canonizó a 25 mártires de México, incluyendo a seis miembros de los Caballeros de Colón. Menos de un año después, Carl A. Anderson fue instalado como el 13º Caballero Supremo en la Ciudad de México y dedicó la Orden y su administración a María con el título de Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe.

Después de los ataques terroristas del 11 de septiembre de 2001, la Orden entregó ayuda inmediata a las familias de los primeros socorristas fallecidos. Cuando ocurrieron desastres naturales, como el huracán Katrina en 2005, los Caballeros también respondieron con ayuda inmediata.

Por último, al igual que respondieron a las fuerzas del secularismo y los prejuicios en el pasado, los Caballeros han apoyado a sus obispos y han sido testigos de la importancia de la religión y la libertad religiosa para la sociedad. A medida que la causa de canonización del Venerable Michael McGivney avanza, también lo hacen sus Caballeros, buscando construir una civilización de amor.

2000 (imagen izquierda): El Papa Juan Pablo II canoniza a seis sacerdotes mexicanos miembros de los Caballeros de Colón que fueron martirizados durante la persecución de la Iglesia a principios del siglo XX. Al año siguiente, Juan Pablo II beatifica al Beato Carlos Rodríguez, un laico de Puerto Rico y miembro. Otros tres miembros de México han sido beatificados desde entonces, y uno ha sido canonizado.

2001: El Museo de los Caballeros de Colón abre en New Haven. Además de una exposición permanente sobre la historia de la Orden, el museo ha presentado numerosas exposiciones temporales y obras de arte de valor incalculable, como el modelo de estudio de madera de 5 metros de Miguel Ángel para la cúpula de la Basílica de San Pedro.

2001: En respuesta a los ataques terroristas del 11 de septiembre de 2001, el 12 de septiembre los Caballeros crean su Fondo de Héroes de 1 millón de dólares. Se entregan cheques de 3000 dólares a las familias de todos los profesionales a tiempo completo de las fuerzas del orden, bomberos y personal médico de emergencia que perdieron la vida en el World Trade Center y el Pentágono. Cuarenta y cinco Caballeros fueron asesinados el 11 de septiembre.

2003: 100,000 ejemplares de un libro de oraciones de bolsillo, Armed With the Faith (Armados de Fe), son impresos por la Orden y la Arquidiócesis para los Servicios Militares de EE. UU., y enviados a las tropas en Irak y Afganistán, junto con 10,000 rosarios.

**Vivat Jesus,**

**Armando Fernandez**

**Caballeros de Colón en Annapolis**







# Maryland Knights In Action



Council 16611 Holy Week Activities



Council 17192 Holy Week Activities



Council 17545 Holy Week Activities



Council 18170 Holy Week Activities





# Maryland State Ladies Auxiliary



Happy Mother's Day Ladies!

Congratulations to all the award winners at this year's convention! So we don't spoil any surprises, the names of the award winners will be released after the State Convention. Winners will be posted on the State Website. Winners and their first-place award applications will be posted on the members-only Facebook page. Auxiliary members are eligible to join the group. If you haven't joined yet, please use this Facebook Link and click Join Group.

All the auxiliaries have done a fantastic job this year, and we could not be prouder of you. Now is the time to get ready for the new fraternal year. Depending on the length of terms written into your auxiliary's bylaws, you may or may not be electing new officers this year. If you are electing officers, your nominating committee presented your slate at the April meeting. Elections will be held at your May meeting. As soon as your elections are held, please verify that we have your President's correct name, address, mobile number, and email for the state directory.

If you have new officers, please remember that your installation should be conducted by one of us or your District Deputy. When possible, the best practice is to combine your auxiliary's installation with the council's installation, but we understand that this is not always possible. Please work with us to schedule your installation at a time when one of us is available.

Contact one of us if you have any questions. We are here to help!

*Make A Difference In Someone's Life!*

**Ruth, Juana, and Annette**





# *Estado de Maryland Damas Auxiliares*



¡Damas, Feliz día de las Madres!

¡Felicitaciones a todas las ganadoras de premios de la convención de este año! Para no arruinar ninguna sorpresa, los nombres de las ganadoras se anunciarán después de la Convención Estatal. Las ganadoras se publicarán en el sitio web estatal. Las ganadoras y sus solicitudes para el primer lugar se publicarán en la página de Facebook exclusiva para miembros. Los miembros auxiliares pueden unirse al grupo. Si aún no se han unido, usen este enlace de Facebook - Facebook Link hagan clic en "Unirse al grupo".

Todos los grupos auxiliares han hecho un trabajo fantástico este año, y estamos sumamente orgullosas de ustedes. Ahora es el momento de prepararse para el nuevo año fraternal. Dependiendo de la duración de los mandatos estipulados en los estatutos de su organización auxiliar, es posible que elijan o no nuevas funcionarias este año. Si están eligiendo funcionarias, su comité de nominaciones presentó su lista en la reunión de Abril. Las elecciones se llevarán a cabo en su reunión de Mayo. En cuanto se celebren las elecciones, por favor, verifiquen que tengamos el nombre, la dirección, el número de teléfono móvil y el correo electrónico correctos de su presidenta para el directorio estatal.

Si eligieron nuevos oficiales, recuerden que su instalación debe ser realizada por una de nosotras o por su Diputado de Distrito. Siempre que sea posible, lo ideal es combinar la instalación de su grupo auxiliar con la del consejo de caballeros, pero entendemos que esto no siempre es posible. Por favor, colabore con nosotras para programar su instalación en un momento en que una de nosotras esté disponible.

Si tienes alguna pregunta, contáctanos. ¡Estamos aquí para ayudarte!

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¡Haz una diferencia en la vida de alguien!

**Sus copresidentas,**

**Ruth, Juana, Annette**



# Knight's Family Picnic



For all brother Knights and their families!  
Bring a friend!

Sponsored by: Knights of Columbus - Maryland State Council

**Saturday, May 17, 2025 ~ 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. ~ Rain or Shine**

Hamburgers,  
Hot Dogs,  
Smoked Pulled  
Pork, Sides, and  
Desserts



Beer, Wine,  
Soda, and Water

Seneca Creek State Park (Buck Picnic Shelter)  
11950 Clopper Road, Gaithersburg, MD 20878

Fun for the Entire Family!

**Door Prizes and Giveaways!**

Adults and Children 10 and Older: \$10

Children Ages 6-9: \$8

Children 5 and Under: FREE

*(**Note:** There is a park entrance fee of \$3 per person (MD resident) except for kids in car seats, Veterans, or MD State Park passholders)*

Register online today at: <https://forms.gle/GjPfS5ddyfXWUjzj8> or call 410-491-8742

Send checks made payable to **“MD State Council”** no later than May 10<sup>th</sup> to:

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# The Gift of a Lifetime



Join Knights of Columbus, your premier Catholic partner for financial services, for a free financial webinar to learn more about how extended care planning can help you protect your family's future.

**Monday, May 12 at 8pm EST**

<https://tinyurl.com/KnightsMay12>



No purchase is necessary to attend this event. This event is for informational purposes only and does not constitute financial, tax, or legal advice. A Knights of Columbus insurance agent may contact you following the event. Knights of Columbus, One Columbus Plaza, New Haven, 06510

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# 2024-2025

## State Planning Calendar

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MONTH	DATE	EVENT	LOCATION	CONTACT
MAY 2025	5/2	STATE CONVENTION 5/2-5/4	CROWNE PLAZA ANNAPOLIS	E. PAUL JONES
	5/10	MARYLAND DISTRICT 4TH DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION	THE BALTIMORE BASILICA	JIM DURYEE
	5/17	STATEWIDE FAMILY PICNIC	SENECA CREEK STATE PARK GAITHERSBURG, MD	ALAN PULTYNIOWICZ
	5/31	AWD 4TH DEGREE EXEMPLIFICATION	BOSWELL HALL	GUS GUSMAN
JUN 2025	6/4-9	SD MEETING AT SUPREME	NEW HAVEN, CT	TONY SALVEMINI
	6/9	SUPREME CONVENTION PLANNING MEETING	ST AGNES COUNCIL BALTIMORE, MD	TONY SALVEMINI JEFFREY WILK
	6/13- 14	LEADERSHIP SEMINAR	HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH DAVIDSONVILLE, MD	JEFFREY WILK
	6/27- 29	STATE CAMPING TRIP	HOMESTEAD CAMPGROUND GEORGETOWN, DE	TOM REUMONT
	6/30	COLUMBIAN AWARD (FORM SP -7) RSVP PROGRAM REFUND APPLICATION		
JUL 2025	TBD	PROGRAM AND MEMBERSHIP GROWTH SEMINAR	TBD	ALAN PULTYNIOWICZ TERRY WATERS
	7/10	QUO VADIS	ST MARY'S SEMINARY BALTIMORE, MD	STATE OFFICERS
AUG 2025	8/5-7	143RD SUPREME CONVENTION	HILTON DC WASHINGTON, DC	TONY SALVEMINI





# 2024-2025

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MONTH	DATE	EVENT	LOCATION	CONTACT
AUG 2025	8/28	SETON CHAPTER INSTALLATION	SETON SHRINE	PATRICK JOY
OCT 2025	TBD	NAVY FOOTBALL GAME	NAVY-MARINE CORPS MEMORIAL STADIUM	THOM PARTENOPE
	10/11	COLUMBUS DAY BALL	COLUMBUS GARDENS	STEVE COHEN E. PAUL JONES
	10/25	FALL MEETING	SETON SHRINE	JEFFREY WILK
	TBD	STATEWIDE SOCCER SHOOTOUT FINALS	TBD	WALT WILLIAMS TOM REUMONT BRIAN TROTT
Nov 2025	TBD	STATEWIDE MEMORIAL MASS	SHRINE OF ST ANTHONY	MICHAEL WATSON
DEC 2025	12/13	STATE CHRISTMAS PARTY	COLUMBUS GARDENS	JEFFREY WILK
JAN 2026	1/10	MIDTERM MEETING	COLUMBUS GARDENS	JEFFREY WILK