

Happy birthday to our Bro. Knights celebrating their birthdays in Feb. :

Aurele LaRochelle	Daniel Ober	Helmut Koch
Rev. Jim Sheppard	Rev. Krystian Golisz	Ed Stumborg
Vincy Macwan		Alex Kotai

Charity Appeal Drive

Finally, on Friday, Jan. 11, 2019 we completed our Charity Appeal Drive for 2018/19! Because we were very fortunate to have had the use of **Country Club Mall**, and one week in **Port Place**, we were able to sell a total of **338.4 books** out of the 500 books ordered. Unfortunately, we were not quite able to sell our entire allotment, possibly because of the price increase to \$3 per ticket and/or the general decline of interest. Thus, for almost 3 months, twenty members of our Council spent hours selling tickets from early in the morning until late at night, seven days a week! In fact, a total of over **1000 man-hours** were spent selling tickets and organizing the whole project. Our most hearty 'thank you' to the following Brothers who stepped forward and gave so generously of their time: **Eduardo Dagsaan, Dan DePape, Claude Francoeur, Hans Fadum, William O'Keefe, Louis Curti, Brian Heffernan, Mel Azcaraga, George Martin, Tony Bucar, Ed Campbell, Norbert Soares, Bob Nielsen, Greg Large, Chris Jeffs, Barry Webb, Al Schickrowsky, Rick Jones, Art Powell, and David Kenny.** Our top sellers this year were Bros. **Greg Large** with 37.5 books; **Dan DePape** with 27.8 books, and **Norbert Soares** with 26.0 books. Our very special 'thank you' goes out to Bro. **Tony Bucar** who so very efficiently organized and managed the whole project and, put in, by far, more hours than any one else! Thank you very much, Bro. Tony! In addition, we gratefully acknowledge and thank the management of **Country Club** and **Port Place** for providing us space in their malls. Furthermore, we extend our very sincere appreciation to **Nanaimo Toyota** for making its vehicle available to us. Without their generous support we could never have accomplished what we did! Thank you one and all!!

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to Ahousaht, the Sisters will assist in the distribution of these coats. Ahousaht, also spelled Ahousat, is the principal settlement on Flores Island, on the west coast of British Columbia. Accessible only by water or air, Ahousaht is a small community predominantly composed of First Nations people from the Nuuchahnulth nation. The Knights of Nanaimo are very pleased to have been able to help these children.

On the Lighter Side

Standing in front of a shredder with a piece of paper in his hand, "Listen," said Murphy, "this is a very sensitive and important document. Can you make this thing work?" "Certainly," said his young assistant who just walked by. She turned the machine on, inserted the paper, and pressed the start button. "Excellent, excellent!" said Murphy as his paper disappeared inside the shredder machine. "I just need one copy."



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Executive meetings:

Last Wednesday of the month (Aug.-June) in St.Peter's Church, Resource Room, at 7:30 pm

Regular meetings: (temporarily)

1st Thursday of the month in St.Peter's Church (choir area) at 7:30 pm

Pancake breakfast:

4th Sunday in Jan., Mother's & Father's Day (May-June) and every 3rd Sunday (Sept.-Dec.; Feb-Apr.) after both Masses in St.Peter's Parish hall

Officers for 2018/2019

Grand Knight	Gregory Large	250-753-6091
Past Grand Knight	Brian King	250-591-4223
Chaplain	Fr. Krystian Golisz, SDS	250-753-3570
Deputy Grand Knight	Dan Bossert	250-754-5219
Chancellor	Barry Webb	250-585-4812
Recorder	Bob Nielsen	250-754-6298
Financial Secretary	Hans Fadum	250-754-1694
Treasurer	Guy Doiron	250-753-0307
Lecturer	Claude Francoeur	250-754-2425
Advocate	Dan DePape	250-740-2521
Warden	Louis Curti	250-758-5255
Inside Guard	Mike Loos	250-716-5893
Outside Guard	Chris Jeffs	250-619-0848
Trustee 1 Year	Jim Cassino	250-754-8472
Trustee 2 Years	Al Schickrowsky	250-753-7813
Trustee 3 Years	Bill Ducey	250-755-1181

A smile is a curve that sets everything straight.

(Phyllis Diller)



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Coats for Kids part 2

In December 2018, encouraged by Bishop **Gary Gordon** and recognizing the need of a diocesan mission, our council and brother council, **Holy Trinity #9990**, joined forces to purchase 48 more coats for the children of the Ahousaht First Nations on the west coast of Vancouver



Island. On Sunday December 16, G.K. **Greg Large** (right in picture) and Bro. **Tony Bucar** (left) joined G.K. **Aurel Muego** and Bro. **Mick Brzoza** of Holy Trinity Council loading four large boxes of coats into a truck and headed for Port Alberni to meet up with Sisters **Lilia Semenigo** (left) & **Janet Byron** (right) along with D.D. **Glenn Wynans**. At their next visit

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REMINDER

1. Membership fees for 2019 are now overdue and **payable no later than Feb. 24, 2019**. If you are a "Regular" or "Honorary" member and have not yet renewed your membership, please make your payment at the February meeting or by mail to F.S. Bro. **Hans Fadum** at **P.O. Box 426, Nanaimo, B.C. V9R 5L3** with cheques payable to **KofC Council 3842**.
2. Please pray for all who are sick especially: Bros. **Rick Jones, Joe Wyse, Peter Gibb, Ben Denommé, George Ives, Ted Kelly** and wife **Olga, Oscar Cletotte, Louis De Pagie, James Wolfgang, Diana**, wife of Bro. **Joe Walker**, and **Karen**, wife of Bro. **Jose De Borba**. Also, keep in your prayers all who have passed away, especially Bro. **Mike James**, former member of our Council, and his brother **Ted James.**, both brothers of our member, Bro. **Richard James**; Bros. **Patrick Hanney**, and **Dwain Ingram**.

In Memoriam



It is with great sadness that we once again have to acknowledge the passing of one of our Brothers. On Tuesday, Jan. 8, 2019, at the age of 82, our Brother Dr. **Charles Dwain Ingram** passed away in Nanaimo, BC. Bro. Dwain joined our Order in Jan. 1961. Over his professional career as chiropractor, it is estimated that he helped over 35,000 people in his practice, and is internationally recognized for improving the physical pieces of chiropractic technology through his revolutionary inventions. Due to his illness over the last several years he was unable to be actively involved in council affairs, but nevertheless, always felt honoured and very proud to be a Knight.

It is with heavy hearts that we now take leave from our Brother. We pray for him and offer our deepest sympathy to his wife **Maureen**, and the entire **Ingram** family.

May he Rest in Peace.

Charity Appeal winners 2018/19

Congratulations to all this year's winners!

We extend our special congratulations to **Sarah Hunter** of Nanaimo who won \$1000 in the Early Bird Draw through a ticket sold to her by Bro. **Barry Webb** of our Council!

.....and the Main Draw winners are:

1st	\$60,000 cash	George Krenz	Eston, SK
2nd	2019 GMC Sierra 1500	Les Samu	Nakusp
3rd	2019 Ford Mustang	Juanita Diego	North Vancouver
4th	2019 Toyota Prius C	Mel Haddad	Vancouver
5th	2019 Harley Davidson	Gunter Unruh	Vernon

News bytes.....

- Due to the unavailability of the church hall, until further notice, our monthly meetings are rescheduled to the first **Thursdays of the month**, at 7:30 pm., upstairs in the choir section of the Church. Please enter by the Fitzwilliam St. side door.
- We are happy to welcome another new brother to our Council. Bro. **John M. Cummins** transferred into our Council from Vancouver, Council #1081. We wish him great success in his new home council! Welcome Bro. John!