

Latham-Colonie K of C
Council #3394
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Council and Corporation meetings are held on the 2nd. Monday of every month.
Corporation meets @ 6:00 PM, Council meetings begin @ 7:30 PM.
Columbiettes meet 1st. Monday of each month. Mtg.'s @ 7:00 PM

The Knightly News



Council Meeting - Mon. Dec. 9, 2019

Columbiettes Meeting - Mon. Jan. 6, 2020

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COUNCIL NEWS & NOTES

Congratulations & Welcome:

To Brothers Thomas J Kelsh and Angelo Russo who joined the Knights of Columbus and became members of this Council in a First Degree held on November 25.

Upcoming Degrees:

A Second Degree will be held at the Council on Monday, December 16 at 7:30pm.

The Council hosts a 1st or 2nd degree on the fourth Monday of each

month with members from Latham Colonie and other councils in the area. They are looking for help. If anyone is interested in becoming a degree team member please contact Past Grand Knight Paul DeDominicis for information.

Council Christmas Party:

The Knights annual Christmas Party will be held on Saturday, December 14, 2010. The dinner will be a Boneless Chicken Breast Dinner with stuffing and mashed potatoes, vegetable, salad and dessert. There will be an abbreviated cocktail hour.

The cost is \$20 per ticket with all proceeds going to charity, primarily to the Bob Church Memorial Holiday Fund. We hope you'll attend and support our charitable endeavors.

Sign up and tickets are available at the Council. Full details of the affair can be found on page 5 of this newsletter.

Blood Drive:

The Council will be hosting an American Red Cross Blood Drive on Friday, December 20 from 1-6pm.

There is always a need for blood donations, especially around the holidays and what better a gift to give than the gift of blood.

This is our first endeavor in hosting a blood drive so we hope that our membership and friends will support us.

More information can be found on the promo on page 7.

Fish Fry Dinner:

Our next Fish Fry Dinner will be held on Friday, January 10, 2020 from 5 - 7 pm.

Please note that we will be preparing just the fish fry and clam roll dinners, the baked fish is going to be reserved for our Lenten Fish Fridays.

Please see the promo ad on page 6 of this newsletter for complete details.

Calendars:

Brother Kevin Cavanaugh has donated a supply of 2020 religious calendars to the Council. You may pick one up at the Council hall. Thank you Brother Kevin.

C & B Program:

Financial Secretary and C & B Chairman Henry LaRose reported that the Council sold 130 books.

The final drawing was held on December 7. Hopefully we will have a winner this year.

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COUNCIL NEWS & NOTES*(Continued from page 1)***Memorial Mass & Pre-Thanksgiving Dinner:**

Thank you everyone who attended our recent Memorial Mass and Pre-Thanksgiving Dinner. The attendance at Mass appeared to be larger than we have but the dinner wasn't as well attended as other years.

The food this year was outstanding so to all our cooks who prepared a dish, well done. I would especially like to thank the Columbiettes who were very generous in providing the turkeys for the dinner.

A very special thank you to our Brother Knight Rene Mullen who made the arrangements for the Memorial Mass.

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

Some of the dates are tentative. Please see future Knightly News for up to date notices.

Sun. Dec. 8th. - Columbiette Breakfast
Mon. Dec. 9th. - Council Meeting
Sat. Dec. 14th. - Council Christmas Party
Sun. Dec. 15th. - Children's Christmas Party
Fri. Dec. 20th. - Red Cross Blood Drive
Wed. Dec. 25th. - Merry Christmas
Wed. Jan. 1st - Happy New Year
Mon. Jan. 6th. - Columbiette Meeting
Fri. Jan. 10th. - Fish Fry Dinner
Sun. Jan. 12th - Columbiette Breakfast
Mon. Jan. 13th. - Council Meeting

**2019 SOCCER CHALLENGE - REGIONAL RESULTS**

West Point 2019 Regional Knights of Columbus Soccer Challenge Winners!

Girls 9

1st Jessie Mullen (165)
3394 Latham/Colonie

Girls 12

1st Kasey Purdy (180)
548 Cocksackie

Girls 10

1st Megan Goslow (180)
3394 Latham/Colonie

Girls 13

1st Marisa Mullen (205)
3394 Latham/Colonie

Girls 11

1st Grace Quigley (165)
548 Cocksackie

Girls 14

No Competitors
N/A

Boys 9

1st Hayden Kaywork (145)
6111 Hyde Park

Boys 12

1st Jackson Purdy (205)
548 Cocksackie

Boys 10

1st Micah Hughes (200)
548 Cocksackie

Boys 13

N/A
N/A

Boys 11

1st Michael Pastone (155)
2147 Manresa BMS

Boys 14

N/A
N/A

Highest Score Boys and Girls

1st (205), 2nd (200), and 3rd (180)

Congratulations to all our winners!

Thank you to West Point and all of you for making this a success!

God Bless, Rene Mullen (Knights of Columbus Council 3394)

COLUMBIETTES NEWS



NEXT MEETING

We do not meet in December our next meeting will be January 6, 2020 at 7 PM.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

12/8 Breakfast
12/14 Adult Christmas Party
12/20 Red Cross Blood Drive
12/15 Children's Christmas Party
12/25 MERRY CHRISTMAS
1/1/20 HAPPY NEW YEAR
1/12 Breakfast

COLUMBIETTE MEETING

Our next meeting will be 1/6/20 at 7 PM. We will be discussing the Charity Ball

COLUMBIETTE BREAKFAST

Our December breakfast will be on Sunday December 8, from 8:30 to 11:30. There will be free gift (for as long as they last) As usual we can use lots of help, especially with the cleanup. Come enjoy a great breakfast and stay to help clean up. (see flyer on page 4)

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PARTY

Our children's Christmas Party will be Sunday, December 15 from 1 to 3 PM. The children will have a coloring contest, play games, hear the Christmas Story and have their picture taken with Santa. The Columbiettes will provide hot dogs for the event; if you could provide something for the food table it would be greatly appreciated. If you haven't been to a children's party in a while, why not come and enjoy the children, they are terrific.

ADULT CHRISTMAS PARTY

Our adult party will be on Saturday December 14th starting at 6 PM. The dinner will be salad, rolls & butter, boneless chicken breast, stuffing, mashed potatoes, gravy, dessert, coffee or tea all for only \$20. All proceeds go to the Bob Church Memorial Fund for Community Maternity Services. Come and support this worthwhile event. (see flyer on page 5 of this newsletter)

CHRISTMAS BASKET RAFFLE

Patrice has again outdone herself with the beautiful basket we are raffling off. Tickets are 1 for \$2.00, 3 for \$5.00 or 10 for \$10.00. The drawing will take place at the children's Christmas Party. If you haven't gotten your tickets they are available at the bar.

CHARITY FUNDRAISER

Our Charity fundraiser will be on Saturday, February 15th beginning at 6 PM. The dinner will be roast pork with all the fixings. This year we will again give part of the proceeds to the corporation to help with needed repairs to our building. We will also donate some of the money to our local charities. There will be wonderful prizes that will be raffled off, come and support our efforts.

HOFFMAN CAR WASH TICKETS

The Columbiettes will again be selling Hoffman car wash tickets, they make great Christmas gifts. We have exterior for \$8.00 and Full Service for \$21, they are available at the Bar.

DUES

Your 2019 dues are now payable. Some people still owe their 2018 dues. If you haven't paid your dues please send them in to Patrice. Or you can drop your check at the Council or mail it to Patrice Mago Radliff, 12 Tanguay Drive, Cohoes, NY 12047.

NEWSLETTER

In an effort to save money we will

only be mailing the newsletter to people who do not have e-mail. If you do not have e-mail please let me know and your newsletter will be mailed. If I do not have your E-mail address please send it to me at llanthier@nycap.rr.com thanks. With the cost of postage stamps going up and paying for the printing of the newsletter it would save us a lot of money if we didn't have to mail the newsletter. Please help us in this effort and send me your e-mail address Thank you. You can access our web page and view the newsletter at www.lathamcoloniekofo.com

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

The Columbiettes have a Sunshine Committee, so if you know of a Columbiette who is ill, in the hospital, has lost a loved one or has a new child, grandchild, or is celebrating a special occasion, please let us know so that we can acknowledge it.

We extend our sincere sympathy to Linda and Paul DeDominicis on the death of Linda's mother Lynn Lewis. Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family.

We wish a speedy recovery to Hank LaRose who recently had his shoulder operated on.

Your officers wish you and your family a Blessed Christmas and a Happy New Year!

**A VERY MERRY
CHRISTMAS
and Happy New Year!**



Columbiette Breakfast

Sunday, Jan. 12th.
8:30am - 11:30am



MENU INCLUDES

JUICE, (ORANGE, TOMATO, APPLE, CRANBERRY) COFFEE,
TEA OR HOT CHOCOLATE

FRUIT CUP

SCRAMBLED EGGS

PANCAKES & FRENCH TOAST SERVED
WITH WARM SYRUP

HOME FRIES, CORNED BEEF HASH

BACON AND SAUSAGE

CEREAL & BANANA

BREADS & SWEET ROLLS

OMELET STATION

All you can eat for only \$9.00, children 5-10 \$4.00 under 5 free.



"It's the best breakfast in town"



Come join us
For a night of food, fun and games,
And Help Us
To raise money for a worthy cause at the
**K of C's
Annual**

Adult Christmas Party

Sat. Dec. 14, 2019

6 PM

Boneless Chicken Breast Dinner
With Tossed Salad, Stuffing
Mashed Potatoes
Veggies, Rolls and Dessert

Cost: \$20 per person

Menu Subject to Change

All Proceeds from the Dinner will go to
The Bob Church Memorial Holiday Fund

Entertainment will be provided
along with a prize for the Most
Outlandish Christmas
Sweater, plus a visit from
Santa Claus.





BLOOD DRIVE

Latham - Colonie K of C 3394

328 Troy Schenectady Road, Latham

Friday, December 20, 2019
1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

To schedule your appointment please contact
Ed at (518)209-6739 or edhillenbrand@gmail.com,
you may also go to www.RedCrossBlood.org



**Give a gift, get a gift. Come to give Dec. 19-Jan. 5 for an
exclusive Red Cross long-sleeved T-shirt, while supplies
last!**

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2019 SOCCER CHALLENGE: REGIONAL AND STATE LEVELS FROM WEST POINT



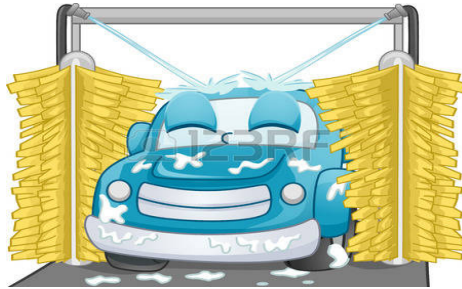
The winners of the Regional Level : Photo above Megan Goslow (10 year old girls); Photo right: Jessie Mullen (9 year old girls); Photo bottom left: Marisa Mullen (13 year old girls) With the winners, from left to right: Rene Mullen, Mike McHugh and NY State Deputy Walter Wych.



A group of cadets from the military academy prepared hot dogs and hamburgers for everyone after the Challenge.

CHRISTMAS GIFT GIVING IDEAS!!

HOFFMAN CAR WASH TICKETS



**KEEP YOUR CAR CLEAN THIS WINTER.
THE COLUMBIETTES HAVE HOFFMAN CAR WASH TICKETS FOR
SALE.**

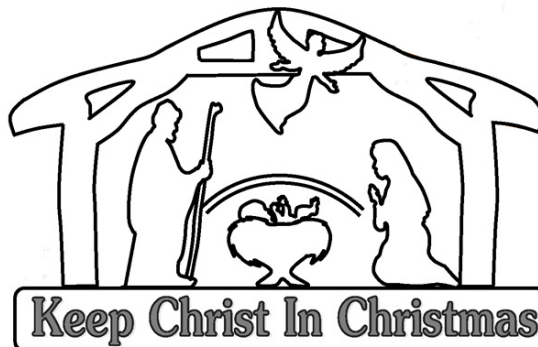
THEY CAN BE PURCHASED AT THE BAR.

EXTERIOR ONLY \$8.00

FULL SERVICE ONLY \$21.00

**THE TICKETS ARE GOOD AT ALL HOFFMAN'S
CAR WASHES**

"Keep Christ In Christmas" Car Magnets



**Only
\$5.00 Each**

**Stop by the Council
And get yours Today!**

FISH FRY DINNER

AT THE LATHAM COLONIE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Friday, January 10, 2020

5:00 TO 7:00 PM

COST

\$10.00 – Fish Fry Dinner

\$10.00 - Clam Roll Dinner



MENU

**FISH FRY OR CLAM ROLL DINNER SERVED WITH FRENCH FRIES OR
ONION RINGS & COLESLAW**

**ALL ABOVE COME WITH COFFEE, TEA OR HOT CHOCOLATE
AND DESSERT**

\$8.00 - Fish Fry or Clam Roll Only

SPECIAL CHILDREN'S MENU FOR AGES 5 - 10 \$4.00

**FISH STICKS, FRENCH FRIES OR ONION RINGS,
APPLESAUCE, JUICE OR MILK**

(UNDER 5 FREE)

K of C Council #3394 Officers District 67

Grand Knight
Robert Ostiguy
 Deputy Grand Knight
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 Chaplain
Fr. Geoffrey Burke
 Chancellor
Paul DeDominicis
 Recorder
Stanley Marszalek
 Financial Secretary
Henry LaRose
 Treasurer
Rene Mullen
 Advocate
David Carhart
 Lecturer
Lawrence Bailey
 Warden
Fred Gilmore
 Inside Guard
Carl Bailey
 Outside Guard
Edward Decker
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Michael Whalen
 Two Year
Edward Hillenbrand
 Three Year
Douglas Decker

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Paul DeDominicis
 Vice President - Columbiettes
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GOOD OF THE ORDER

Please keep these Brothers in your thoughts and prayers as they are experiencing serious health issues: Joe Snyder, Don Brennan and Dave Carhart.

Hoping for a speedy recovery for our Financial Secretary Henry LaRose who

recently had surgery on his shoulder.

Our condolences to Columbiette Linda DeDominicis and PGK Paul DeDominicis on the recent passing of Linda's mother, Lynn Lewis

FOOD PANTRY



St. Ambrose
Food Pantry

Church of St. Ambrose
Latham, N.Y.

St. Ambrose
Food Pantry

Help Support
 St. Ambrose's Food Pantry
 Drop off a food item, or Make a cash donation.
 To: Latham-Colonie K of C (Food Pantry)
 P.O. Box 221
 Latham, NY, 12110



“K of C”



Supporting Church and Community

Please keep in mind that our Council maintains a food donation basket year round in the inner lobby of our building. Please support our program by trying to drop off a nonperishable food item whenever you visit the Council. Remember, Charity is the First Principle of our order and hunger doesn't just occur during the holidays.

