



Knights of Columbus

Virginia State Council

August 26, 2010

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District Deputies and Wardens
Directors, Chairmen, and State Staff
Master of the Fourth Degree
Past State Deputies
Grand Knight and Past Grand Knight Delegates
Council Membership and General Program Chairmen
General Agents
KOVAR President
VKCCI President
KCIC Chairman
President of LOV

Virginia State Council Meeting and VKCCI Annual Meeting **October 2, 2011**

This letter provides all addressees with the pertinent information regarding the Virginia State Council October Meeting. Grand Knights are requested to pass this information to other concerned members in their Council, especially the Past Grand Knight Delegate. The State Council Meeting and the VKCCI Annual Meeting and elections will be held on Saturday, October 2, 2010 at St. Edwards Council and Parish in Richmond. Directions are enclosed. Recommended attire for the meeting is jacket and tie.

Hotel reservations may be made at the Koger Center Holiday Inn Select, 1021 Koger Center Boulevard, Richmond, VA, 23235 (804-379-3800). The room rate is \$82.00 plus tax per night. Reservations must be made **by September 17, 2010**. Be certain to ask the hotel for the Knights of Columbus rate. Directions are enclosed.

The agenda for the Meeting is also enclosed. Council attendees should include the Grand Knight and Past Grand Knight Delegates, Deputy Grand Knight, Membership Chairman, and General Program Chairman.

There is also a LOV (Ladies of Virginia) Meeting at 9:35.

If you have any questions, please contact me at yankeecolonel@msn.com or 540-786-6203 or Executive Secretary Cy Alba, PSD, at 703 455 6010 (H) or 703 875 5748 (W), or e-mail albai@cox.net.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William J. McCarthy". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "W" and a long, sweeping underline.

Bill McCarthy
State Deputy

Enclosures:

**Agenda, Directions to St. Edwards, Directions to Koger Center, Kings
Dominion Flyer**

Virginia State Council Meeting and VKCCI Annual Meeting and Elections October 2, 2010

Friday, October 1, 2010

- 3:00 pm – 5:00 pm State Officers Meeting, Anna Room
- 5:00 pm – 11:00 pm Hospitality Room, Suite 806
- 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm State Officers Dinner (TBD)

Saturday, October 2, 2010

- 9:00 – 9:10 Call to Order
State Warden's Report on Membership
LOV Officers/State Officer Wives escorted in
Presentation of Colors by Msgr. McMahon Assembly #2205
National Anthem
Pledge of Allegiance – PSD Isaias "Cy" Alba, District Master
- 9:10 – 9:30 Opening Prayer & Rosary – Father Ready/Father Abe, Associate
State Chaplain
- 9:30 – 9:35 LOV Officers/State Officer Wives escorted out
- 9:35 – 10:00 State Officer Reports
State Deputy – Bill McCarthy
Associate State Chaplain – Father Ready/Father Abe
State Secretary – Ron Gorman
State Treasurer – Tommy Harger
State Advocate – Tony Fortunato
State Warden – Steve Burnley
Immediate Past State Deputy – Pat O'Donnell, PSD
Executive Secretary – Cy Alba, PSD
Master of the Fourth Degree – Cy Alba, PSD, District Master
- 10:00 – 11:00 VKCCI Annual Meeting and Elections – President Mike Lazzuri, PSD
- 10:00 – TBD **Breakout: Financial Secretaries – Bill Mulvihill, PSD, FVSM**
- 10:00 – 12:00 **Breakout: Membership – Steve Raschke**
- 11:00 – 11:10 General Agents – Jim Ulmer/Kevin Choate/Harry Canter
- 11:10 – 11:30 Communications – Jim Green
- 11:30 – 11:45 Strategic Planning/Vocations – Kelly Mortensen, PSD
- 11:45 – 12:00 Training – Mike Poumade

12:00 – 1:00 Lunch; PSD Meeting

1:00 – 1:45 Membership – Steve Raschke

1:00 – 2:30 ***Breakout: Ceremonials – Rich Aleksy, PSD, FM***

1:45 – 2:30 Programs – Chuck Curran

2:30 – 3:00 KOVAR – Chuck Curran, FDD
PSD Committee – Lenny Pulizzi, PSD
Father McGivney Guild – Frank Loughney, PSD, FVSM
Audit Committee – John Barrett, FSD, PSD
Finance Committee – Richie Head, PSD, FM
Ceremonials – Rich Aleksy, PSD, FM
Usher Program – George Fontaine/Larry Pemberton
Rosary Program – Rick Dowsett, FDD

3:00 – 3:15 Remarks by Regional Membership and Program Consultant
J. P. McCusker, PSD, FM

3:15 Closing Remarks, Bill McCarthy, State Deputy

Closing Prayer, Father Ready/Father Abe, Associate State
Chaplains

Adjournment

**Directions for Virginia State Council Meeting and VKCCI
Annual Meeting and Elections
October 2, 2010
Richmond, VA**

Directions to St. Edward's Council #6546

2700 Dolfield Drive, Richmond, VA 23235

From North: Take I-95 Exit 79 to Powhite Expressway. After crossing the James River on the Powhite Expressway get in the right hand lanes and after paying a the toll, take the first exit (Rte 150/Rte 147) Chippenham Parkway. This is Rte 150 North. Travel approximately 2 miles past the 2nd Traffic Light and exit onto Route 147 West. At the top of the exit hill, turn left. This is Huguenot Road. Proceed approx. 3 miles to St. Edward's Church and School on the Left.

From South: Take I-95 North to the Exit onto the Downtown Expressway to the Powhite Expressway. After crossing the James River on the Powhite Expressway get in the right hand lanes and after paying the toll, take the first exit (Rte 150/Rte 147) Chippenham Parkway. This is Rte 150 North. Travel approximately 2 miles past the 2nd Traffic Light and exit onto Route 147 West. At the top of the exit hill, turn left. This is Huguenot Road. Proceed approx. 3 miles to St. Edward's Church and School on the Left.

From East: Take I-64 to I-95 South. Exit onto the Downtown Expressway to the Powhite Expressway. After crossing the James River on the Powhite Expressway get in the right hand lanes, and after paying the toll, take the first exit (Rte 150/Rte 147) Chippenham Parkway. This is Rte 150 North. Travel approximately 2 miles past the 2nd Traffic Light and exit onto Route 147 West. At the top of the exit hills, turn left. This is Huguenot Road. Proceed approx. 3 miles to St. Edward's Church and School on the Left.

From West: Take Rte 60 to Richmond. Turn left at Rte 147 Huguenot Road. This is the first major intersection as you enter Richmond. St. Edward's Church and School are approximately 3 to 4 miles on your right.

Directions to the Koger Center Holiday Inn Select

1021 Koger Center Boulevard, Richmond, VA 23235, (804) 379-3800

From North: Travel South on Interstate 95 to exit 79* (Powhite Parkway – 195). Keep to left and follow Powhite to Midlothian Turnpike (Route 60-West). Follow Midlothian Turnpike 2 miles to Koger Center Boulevard. Take right to hotel.

From South: Travel North on I-95 to exit 67 (Chippenham Parkway). Follow Chippenham for 10 miles to Midlothian Turnpike (Route 60-West). Go 5 miles to Koger Center Boulevard. Take a right to hotel.

From East: Take I-64 West to I-95 North. Stay on I-95 North to exit 79* (Powhite Parkway – 195). Follow Powhite Parkway to Midlothian Turnpike (Route 60-West). Follow Midlothian Turnpike for 2 miles to Koger Center Boulevard. Take a right to the hotel.

From West: Traveling I-64 East – Take the exit for Route 288 (On the right, just before the I-295 exit). Stay on Route 288 across the James River. The second exit after crossing the river will be Midlothian Turnpike (Route 60). Take the exit east. Travel approximately 4 miles...you will see the Chesterfield Town Center Mall...go 2 additional blocks (Be in the far left lane) Turn left at the traffic light onto Koger Center Boulevard. Take right to hotel.

Reservations at the Koger Center Holiday Inn Select

To make reservations call 804-379-3800 or 800-397-1034. Please state you are requesting the Knights of Columbus Group Rate of \$82.00? plus tax per night. This rate will be in place until **September 17, 2010**.

***Powhite Parkway is also listed as Route 76 south of the James River.
Powhite Parkway is a toll road.**

KINGS DOMINION FAMILY FUN DAY

As announced at the State Council Organizational Meeting, our annual Kings Dominion Family Fun Day will be held this year on Saturday, October 9th.

The flyer for this event can be found on the State Council website by following this link:

<http://www.vakofc.org/userimages/KingsDominion.pdf>

The ticket price is only \$25 per person, which is well below the going rate for admission to the park. In addition, this is a fundraiser for Virginia Knights of Columbus Charities, Inc. (VKCCI) in that VKCCI will receive \$1.00 from the purchase price of each ticket. Remember that every dollar we receive goes to help someone who is in need of our financial assistance.

Since we partner with the Verizon Telephone Pioneers on this event, checks should be made payable to Telecom Pioneers and mailed to:

**Verizon Telecom Pioneers
1028 Manchester Avenue
Norfolk, VA 23508**

We ask that you please circulate this e-mail to all of your members and also include the flyer in your Council and Assembly newsletters. This event is not restricted to Knights and their families, so please encourage your members to invite their friends, neighbors and co-workers to join us as well. Maybe your Pastor will also allow you to post it, but please check with him before doing so. A black and white copy of the flyer is attached.

I hope to see as many of you as possible at Kings Dominion on October 9th.

As always, thanks for your ongoing support of VKCCI.