



Greater Dayton Chapter
Knights of Columbus
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June 9, 2023

SUBJECT: Minutes of the Greater Dayton Chapter Meeting, Wednesday, May 17, 2023

1. Call to Order: At 7:31 pm on May 17, Chapter President Mike Gauder called to order the monthly regular business meeting of the Greater Dayton Chapter of the Knights of Columbus. All present invoked the Divine blessing by repeating aloud the Lord's Prayer and then pledged allegiance to the Flag.
2. Roll Call (p - present; e - excused; a - absent).
 - a. Greater Dayton Chapter Officers
 - President: Mike Gauder (p)
 - Chaplain: Open
 - Vice President: Michael Freil (p)
 - Treasurer: David Weeks (p)
 - Secretary: Scott Malott (p)
 - Warden: Vic Lauterbach (p)
 - b. District Deputies
 - DD4: William Sandoval (a) DD5: Danny Sprouse (a)
 - DD6: Open (e) DD8: Ken Haacke (p)
 - DD12: John Brown (a) DD17: Barry Tackas (a)
 - DD18: Tim Mangan (p)
 - c. Ex-Officio Members
 - d. Current State Officers: State Treasurer Mike Felerski (e)
 - e. Past Chapter Presidents: No roll call
 - f. Past Grand Knights in attendance residing within the Chapter area. No roll Call
 - g. Faithful Navigators
 - Reverend B F Kuhlman Assembly 815 Monsignor Buckley Assembly 822
 - St Gaspar del Buffalo Assembly 825 Monsignor McNary Assembly 2299
 - Archbishop Karl J Alter Assembly 1776 Bishop Ford Assembly 2892
 - Joseph Cardinal Bernadin Assembly 3056 Father Nicholas Schneider Assembly 3188
 - Father Francis B Pilliod Assembly 3273

- h. State Council Appointees
 - i. State Membership Director: Michael Freil (p)
 - ii. Diocesan Membership Director, Central Cincinnati: Vic Lauterbach (p)
 - iii. Diocesan District Deputy Coordinator: Tim Mangan (p)
 - iv. State Hispanic Council Development Coordinator: Robert Hernandez (p)

i. Past State Deputies: No roll call

j. Greater Dayton Chapter Council Delegates

Council 500	3	Council 1610	0	Council 1801	1	Council 3698	0
Council 3724	1	Council 3730	3	Council 3754	1	Council 4022	1
Council 4424	0	Council 4587	0	Council 5129	1	Council 7981	1
Council 10215	1	Council 12912	2	Council 13874	0	Council 14400	0
Council 14504	1	Council 14563	0	Council 14882	1	Council 14891	2
Council 14995	0	Council 15330	0	Council 15645	0	Council 16425	0
Council 16571	0	Council 17092	0	Council 17793	0		

k. Hennepin Province

- i. Vice Supreme Master: SK Ed Ponder (p)
- ii. Ohio Provincial Secretary: SK Robert Burns (p)
- iii. Provincial and District Marshall: SK Odell Graves (p)
- iv. Ohio District #2 Master: SK Mike Gauder (p)
- v. Ohio District #2 Chief of Staff: SK Dave Weeks (p)

l. Knights of Columbus Insurance Program

- i. General Agent, the Greater Ohio Agency: Jason C. Staas (e)
- ii. Assistant General Agent: Jeff Cummons (e)
- iii. Field Agent, the Greater Ohio Agency: Matt Foster (e)
- iv. Field Agent, the Greater Ohio Agency: Robert Hernandez (p)
- v. Field Agent, the Greater Ohio Agency: Pete Holm (e)
- vi. Field Agent, the Greater Ohio Agency: Chad Muhlenkamp (e)
- vii. Field Agent, the Greater Ohio Agency: James Warner (e)

m. Guests:

District Deputy Coordinator, Cincinnati: Tim Mangan (p)

3. Approval of the Minutes from the previous meeting. A motion was made and seconded to approve the meeting minutes from the April meeting as distributed and published. The motion was approved by a voice vote with correction of Council 14882 adjusted to 2 members.

4. Chapter Officers' Reports

- a. Chaplain's Report: No Report
- b. President's Report:
 - i. Chapter Elections coming up. Slate will be announced June meeting.
 - ii. Dayton Dragons game is on June 10. Currently have 150 purchased tickets. You can still order tickets up to June 10.

- c. Vice President's Report:
 - i. It is real upsetting to see over half of the councils absent from the roll call. DD's need to push the Councils to attend, at least one per Council.
 - 1. Stated that a reminder may be helpful.
 - d. Treasurer's Report:

For information regarding Chapter finances, contact: treasurer@daytonkofc.org

 - i. Treasure recommended a pizza party in July
 - e. Secretary's Report:
 - i. Please report your Councils' delegates (which you are authorized 3) to webmaster@daytonkofc.org
 - ii. Council and Assembly members, please state your name and council/assembly when giving your Reports so I can collect the correct information
 - f. Warden's Report: 23 signed in and verified.
5. Greater Dayton Chapter Program Reports
- a. Chapter
 - i. Paul Gruhler Award
 - 1. Nominations due 6/2/23 to president@daytonkofc.org
 - 2. Currently have three applications
 - ii. Chapter Web Site www.daytonkofc.org
 - 1. Minutes, Arch Newsletter updated
 - a. Make sure that all delegates are updated
 - b. Church: No Report
 - c. Community
 - i. CDCE (VAVS) Report:
 - 1. Flags at all the graves on 5/26/23 at 8am. Will pick them up on 5/28/23 at 8am.
 - 2. Cookout will be held 6/24/2023 in Building 305. Need volunteers at 10am.
 - ii. KofC Council 14400 Golf Tourney supporting Veterans will be conducted at Yankee Trace on 9/12/23. This will be a Golf/Dinner event. They will need day-of volunteers and hole sponsors.
 - d. Culture of Life: No Report
 - e. Family
 - i. Family Rosary Rally
 - 1. 10/28/23 at Emmanuel at 2pm.
 - f. Youth
 - i. Youth Ministry Awards: No Report
6. State Council Appointees' Remarks
- a. State Membership Director:
 - i. Between now and end of year we need 248 more members
 - ii. Asking those that have made goal, asking please recruit 2 more
 - iii. Started new Hispanic council (Council 18217)
 - 1. A lot of new Hispanic council growth throughout nation.
 - iv. We are at 84.55% of goal. Highest in years.
 - b. Diocesan Membership Director, Central Cincinnati:

- i. We are doing well.
 - ii. Picked up 3 new members this week
 - iii. Expect 3-5 through June
 - iv. Need to continue to transfer E-Members into a council
 - c. Diocesan District Deputy Coordinator:
 - i. New DD/Council alignment due to Beacons of Light
 - ii. Convention this weekend
 - d. Hispanic Council Development Coordinator:
 - i. Started Council 18217, Sagrado Corazon
- 7. Fourth Degree Hennepin Province
 - a. Vice Supreme Master:
 - i. New Assembly 3954, Fr John O'Donoghue
 - b. Provincial Secretary:
 - i. District realignment updated on website
 - c. Provincial and District Marshall: No Report
 - d. Ohio District #2 Master:
 - i. Exemplification set for Nov 18 at St Francis Assisi
 - e. Ohio District 2 Chief of Staff: No Report
- 8. District Deputy Reports
 - a. District Deputy #4: No Report
 - b. District Deputy # 5: No Report
 - c. District Deputy # 6: No Report
 - d. District Deputy # 8: No Report
 - e. District Deputy # 12: No Report
 - f. District Deputy #17: No Report
 - g. District Deputy # 18:
 - i. Columbian Award application needs to be completed for Star Awards
- 9. Unfinished Business: No Report
- 10. Old Business:
 - a. SK Odell Graves reports that we are at 15 SKs in Color Corps but need 2 more Knights to support Dragons Game and Memorial Day activities.
 - b. Third Degree members can be included in the Dragons game by wearing suits. There needs to be more third-degree inclusion on the field.
- 11. New Business:
 - a. Odell Graves made a motion to pay the \$2 per ticket rebate previously made by Steve Burns (approved at the 300 tickets sold mark) to approve the \$2 rebate now forgoing the threshold. (Graves/Weeks – unanimous)
- 12. Council Announcements:
 - a. Council 12912 Golf Tournament reminder
 - b. Council 3730 passed out pamphlets to help understand the Reproductive Freedom Amendment on the ballot.

13. Assembly Announcements: No Report

14. General Agent Remarks:

- a. Need Councils to talk about insurance products at their meetings.
- b. Use agent wisely including having them tack on to recruiting events
- c. Two remaining FBN (May 23 at 8pm with Hegna & Jun 27 at 8pm with Heffner)
- d. Looking for agents, Job Fair June 15, talk to Robert Hernandez to get link

15. State Treasurer Remarks: No Report

16. State Officer Remarks: No report

17. Good of the Order: Chapter President Mike Gauder asked for a report of brothers of the Order, who are sick or in distress. He then repeated aloud the prayer requests from this meeting's attendees.

18. Concluding Remarks:

- a. Council 500 has opened Bainbridge Hall to the Council 16571 from St Mary's as Priest has locked them out of church.

19. Adjournment:

Following a closing prayer Chapter President Mike Gauder adjourned at 8:40 pm the May regular business meeting of the Greater Dayton Chapter of the Knights of Columbus.

20. Respectively submitted,

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Scott Malott

Secretary

Greater Dayton Chapter of the Knights of Columbus



GROUP ORDER FORM



Knights of Columbus Night with the Dayton Dragons

Dayton Dragons vs. Cedar Rapids Kernels
Saturday, June 10, 2023, 7:05 p.m.



Come have a great time at a Dayton Dragons game!

WHAT'S INCLUDED?

- Game ticket for a stadium seat
- Great family entertainment, including the Knights Color Guard presenting the colors
- \$7 of every ticket purchased is returned to the Knights of Columbus Greater Dayton Chapter
- DEADLINE TO ORDER: 1 month prior to game date**

HOW TO ORDER:

- Email this form to the ticket representative below.
- Call the ticket representative listed below.
- Fax to (937) 228-2284.
- Mail to: Dayton Dragons, Day Air Ballpark, POB 2107, Dayton, OH 45401

TICKET DELIVERY:

- Tickets will be texted to you unless specified below
- \$2 fee to print and mail tickets

Your Dragons representative: Carl Hertzberg; (937) 228-2287, ext. 160; carl.hertzberg@daytondragons.com

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State: _____ Zip: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Email Address: _____

OF TICKETS: _____ X \$14.00 = \$ _____ (TOTAL) + \$2 print fee (if applicable) = \$ _____ (GRAND TOTAL)

Cash: _____ Check: _____ Amex: _____ Discover: _____ MasterCard: _____ VISA: _____

Card Number: _____ Expiration: _____

Knights of Columbus



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220 N. PATTERSON BLVD. | DAYTON, OHIO 45402 | (937) 228 - 2287 | DRAGONS@DAYTONDRAGONS.COM DAYTONDRAGONS.com

Don't Sign This Petition IF...

- You want some restriction preventing late term abortion through all nine months and up to the moment of birth,
- You believe that parents should be able to provide consent or at least be notified of their daughter's abortion or transgender treatments or surgeries.
- You believe that all available measures should be taken to assure the health and safety of the mother,
- You believe tax dollars (public funds) should not pay for abortion,

The carefully crafted wording of this Amendment is intentionally deceptive.

Read it carefully before you sign anything.



For more information and actual ballot meaning go to:

www.protectwomentodayton.com

The Amendment language is intentionally vague and deceptive, but here is what to look for:

- "Every individual" is unrestricted, meaning no age restrictions
- "... one's own reproductive decisions" means:
 - a. no influence or requirement for parental consent or even notification, so pedophiles can hide their crimes
 - b. anything regarding reproductive organs, which the courts can easily interpret to include transgender transitions
- "The State shall not..." includes any type of "burden" or "interference," such as examination requirements, reporting, counseling, or physician qualifications/training
- "least restrictive means" again allows the lowest standard of care they can get away with
- "shall not... discriminate" means the State must provide equal access to low income people on Medicaid
- "the pregnant patient's treating physician" means that the abortionist can determine if an abortion can be performed beyond viability

HELP US PROTECT WOMEN AND CHILDREN IN OHIO

We have to stop the extreme "Reproductive Freedom" Amendment from being forced onto Ohioans

The ACLU and other woke activists have proposed a radical Amendment that will likely appear on the Ohio ballot this November.

Did you know...

If passed, the Ohio Constitution would:

- Make abortion legal through all 9 months of pregnancy, even when the baby can feel pain, paid for with taxpayer dollars.
- Supersede Parental Consent laws for all reproductive decisions, "not limited to" abortion, but including transgender treatments and surgeries.
- Lower the required standards of care and many critical health and safety protections for Ohio women.
- Overturn virtually all our current pro-life laws protecting babies born alive, those with disabilities, and certain women's rights.



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PARENTS?

1. Includes minors - no parental consent needed.
2. Wide open - can cover sex-change surgeries and more.

FULL TEXT OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT

Be it Resolved by the People of the State of Ohio that Article I of the Ohio Constitution is amended to add the following Section:

Article I, Section 22. The Right to Reproductive Freedom with Protections for Health and Safety

A. Every individual has a right to make and carry out one's own reproductive decisions, including but not limited to decisions on:

1. contraception;
2. fertility treatment;
3. continuing one's own pregnancy;
4. miscarriage care; and
5. abortion.

Fear-Mongering

care through & after miscarriage has & always will be legal

B. The State shall not, directly or indirectly, burden, penalize, prohibit, interfere with, or discriminate against either:

1. An individual's voluntary exercise of this right or

2. A person or entity that assists an individual exercising this right, unless the State demonstrates that it is using the least restrictive means to advance the individual's health in accordance with widely accepted and evidence-based standards of care.

3. However, abortion may be prohibited after fetal viability. But in no case may such an abortion be prohibited if in the professional judgment of the pregnant patient's treating physician it is necessary to protect the pregnant patient's life or health.

by precedent, this is not just physical health, but also emotional, financial, & much more

C. As used in this Section:

1. "Fetal viability" means "the point in a pregnancy when, in the professional judgment of the pregnant patient's treating physician, the fetus has a significant likelihood of survival outside the uterus with reasonable measures. This is determined on a case-by-case basis."

2. "State" includes any governmental entity and any political subdivision.

D. This Section is self-executing.

Thus: if you sign, babies could be killed LEGALLY during ALL 9 MONTHS of pregnancy.

COERCION
Anyone who coerces a girl into abortion would be protected by law

The abortionist can be that physician!

* Legal term. Laws restricting abortion are considered "burdens" by activist judges.