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6855

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KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Frank Pavan

FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Mike and Doreen Ripplinger

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Dear Brother Knights,

The 97th annual BC & Yukon State Convention will always have special significance for the members of our council. We will certainly remember it for a long time to come, and for me it will remain unforgettable.

Council 6855 won the coveted awards of Outstanding Council Bulletin and The Grand Knight of the Year. We also chaired the committee for Greetings to The Queen, Federal, Provincial and Territorial Governments.

I wish to thank our Worthy State Deputy Brother Dan O'Hara, our District Deputy Brother Tony Pimentel and the executive of our State Council for these accolades. It will serve to further resolve our commitment to the Order. These awards reflect the hardworking general membership of our council. It reflects our deep brotherhood and above all is a vindication of the values we held dear as true Catholic gentlemen.

God Bless you all.

Your Grand Knight
Kevin Pinto

KNIGHT OF THE MONTH

Our Council Knight of the Month for April 2008 is Brother Frank Pavan.

Brother Frank has been a member of our council since 2006. He currently serves on our council in the capacity of Outside Guard.

Frank has made himself available and has been active in our council ever since he joined our council a little less than two years ago.

He is a quiet gentleman who goes about his work methodically. He is a regular participant at our pancake breakfast, helping with serving our parishioners and with the clean up. He is also by far the favoured member of our council to play the part of Santa at Christmas time.

He is the recipient of our shining armor award. Brother Frank is a member of our council crew who give of their time to the parish Canadian Blood Service Blood Clinic that is held about once every month.

Congratulation dear brother on being selected as our Council Knight of the Month for April 2008 and wish you all the very best.

FAMILY OF THE MONTH

Our Family of the month for April 2008 is Brother Mike and Doreen Ripplinger.

Mike and Doreen are both well known in our parish. They help with regular church activities, ushering and general parish activities.

Brother Mike's perseverance in organizing and planning our annual Marian hour of prayer is greatly appreciated. Mike and Doreen also help our with our Canadian Blood Services Blood Clinic.

Congratulations Mike and Doreen on being selected as our council Family of The Month for April 2008. God Bless you both.

To help defray Council postage expense, bulletins will be sent electronically to those with email. The remaining members should pick up their bulletin, which will be placed at the entrance to the church, usually when possible on the first Sunday of each month.

Please notify the Financial Secretary Bro. Alberto Nisperos (604) 275 - 7426 of any change of address, telephone number or email.

**See you at the meeting!
Fraternally
Kevin Pinto, GK**

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CANADIAN BLOOD SERVICES

I would like to extend my deep appreciation to all our Brothers Knights and parishioners who were able to come to the Recognition event held on April 23, as well as to all those who could not make it but have always been willing and ready to help.

It is a great honour for our parish and our council to be acknowledged as one of the best volunteer groups in BC and Yukon.

Keep up the good work and God Bless you all.

Deputy Grand Knight Americo Silva
Volunteer Leader CBS.

S.A.R.A.H

Our council is embarking on an exciting new program. Partnering with Dr. Larina Reyes-Smith, this program seeks to develop healthy social and Catholic values through programs that bring our community together. One of our newest members Jason Boyce will be coordinating this program on behalf of our council. It is commendable to see our council join together with like minded parishioners to launch this program.

The launch date of this program is 19th July 2008.

Stay tuned for more details in the coming weeks.

OUR NEWEST MEMBERS

Brothers, thanks to your dedication and commitment to growing the order, we have not only achieved all requirements for Double Star Council, but we have exceeded it.

Jason Boyce

Brother Jason is a young RCMP officer and a member of St. Paul Parish. Jason wasted no time in getting involved and already heads our SARAH program.

Jose Belleza

Our council welcomes Brother Jose Belleza. Jose is a member of St. Paul Parish.

Bernard ter Stege

Brother Bernard and Charmaine ter Stege and their young family are parishioners of St. Paul. We welcome the ter Stege family to our council.

Ken Fernandes

Brother Ken is one of our youngest members. He has just finished his studies majoring in criminology.

Steven Fernandes

Brother Ken and Steven are brothers. We welcome both these up and coming young men to our council.

Welcome dear brothers and congratulations on joining the Order of The Knights of Columbus.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

MAY 2008



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1. 4th. Deg Executive	2 CWL Con-vention	3
4 Choir mass 7.45 am	5	6	7	8 March for Life-Victoria		10 Pancake Breakfast setup.
11. Mother's Day. Pan-cake Break-fast	12 General Meeting 7.30 pm.	13 Rosary Night.	14	15 4th. Degree general meeting	16 Sports Night 8.30	17
18	19	20	21 Executive meeting 8.30 pm	22	23	24
25 Tennis. Steveston comm. center 2.30 pm	26. First Deg @ 7.00 pm	27	28 Choir Prac-tice @ 8.00 pm	29	30	31

JUNE 2008

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1. Choir mass @ 7.45 am	2. Padre Night Council 1081	3.	4.	5. 4th. Deg Executive	6 Sports Night 8.30	7 Parish Ap-preciation dinner
8	9 General Meeting @ 7.30 am	10	11	12	13	14
15.	16	17	18. Execu-tive meeting at 8.30 pm	19 4th. Degree general meetin	20 Sports Night 8.30	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30. First Deg @ 7.00 pm	31				

KNIGHTS IN ACTION- 97th ANNUAL BC &



Costume Party. From Left. DGK Americo Silva, Brother Pete Capitulo, Mrs. Maria Silva, Mrs. Priscilla Ursua, Brother Edgar Ursua, Mrs. Lurdes Pimentel, WSD Dan O'Hara, DD Tony Pimentel.

Grand Knight Kevin Pinto receiving the State Outstanding Council Bulletin award from State Warden Brother Ed Shawchuk



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Members of Council 6855 at the 97th. Annual Convention

Our ladies making the most of the hospitality suite.



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On Behalf of Vince Tolentino receiving the award for State Free Throw Champion.

Members of District 23 taking some time off from the proceedings of the annual convention



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Grand Knight Kevin Pinto receiving the State Grand Knight of the Year award

Members of council 6855 with State Chaplain His Excellency Bishop David Monroe and Worthy State Deputy Dan O'Hara.



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A convention to remember. Members of council 6855 with His Excellency Bishop David Monroe.

Broth Gaston Du Paul explaining one of the finer points on the convention proceedings.



KNIGHTS IN ACTION



Brother Knights and their wives at the Canadian Blood Services appreciation dinner. From Left Mrs. Priscilla Ursua, DGK Americo Silva, Brother Edgar Ursua, Mrs. Carolina Gomes, Brother Manuel Gomes and Brother Mike McAtasney

Our Brother Knights at the March ForLife assembly in Vicotria



RIGHTS IN ACTION



Some of our newest members. From Left. Brother Jason Boyce and Brother Jose Belleza

From Left: Brother Bernard ter Stege, Brother Steven Fernandes, GK Kevin Pinto and Brother Ken Fernandes.

