

# ANDOVER K OF C #1078 NEWSLETTER

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NEWSLETTER  
BY PGK CHUCK LANE

- TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE THURS 9/30 to SUNDAY 10/3.....SIGN UP NOW
- STEAK AND LOBSTER SATURDAY OCT. 16th
- .....ASK YOUR FRIENDS TO JOIN .....  
.....NEW BASKETBALL PLAYERS WELCOME....
- .....COME USE THE NEW BOWLING ALLEY  
.....BRING THE KIDS.....

## BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS— BOWLING ALLEY REOPENS

New Building Association President Paul Kelly has been busy driving repairs to the building. Paul did a great deal of electrical working for the bowling alley and has been leading the painting and clean up work. Brothers including Rob Bergeron, Paul and Jerry Fox scrapped and painted the entranceway, and other areas. Chuck Lane bleached the stairs and timbers. Trees and brush have been cut back and the walls cleaned and bleached as needed.

Steve Trachym bleached

the locker room floor and a great deal was done to improve the appearance of the building.

The pinsetters have been replaced improving the up time on the bowling alleys. With two new machines we expect 99.99% up time and a much better experience for everyone. Thanks to Jim Sullivan for coordinating the installation and installing a sump pump to help protect the investment.

Also thanks go Jim Kelleher, Mike Toth and Pat Curley for their prep work and cleanup.



**Paul Kelly  
Drives building  
Improvements  
Hands-on**

**STEAK AND LOBSTER SATURDAY OCT. 16TH**  
 GERRY AND ANNE FENNESSEY WILL AGAIN BE PREPARING AN  
 ANDOVER FAVORITE STEAK AND LOBSTER DINNER  
 7:00 PM  
 10 Brook St. Andover, MA  
 \$25.00 per person  
 BYOB  
 DJ for Dancing  
 Steak, Lobster, Salad, Corn and Potato  
 See Officers for Tickets or email [info@kofc1078.com](mailto:info@kofc1078.com)  
 Reserve by Oct 7th

### BIG RED WINNERS

Maura Szendey	20 Pounds Lobster
Aisling Stack	Angelica's \$100 Gift Certificate
Bill Melahn	Pair Red Sox Tickets
Paul Bassett	US Liberty Prestige Coin Set

**THANKS TO BIG RED CHAIR  
JIM KELLEHER  
AND TO  
PAUL DURANT AND  
TECHPRINT FOR PRINTING  
THE BIG RED TICKETS**

## TOOTSIE ROLL DRIVE THURSDAY SEPT 30-SUNDAY OCT. 3RD

**ANDOVER 1078 KNIGHTS OF  
COLUMBUS ANNUAL TOOTSIE  
DRIVE SEPT.30 THRU OCT 03**

**It's time once again for the  
Annual Tootsie Roll Drive. This is  
the Knight's signature charity  
drive and we need as much help  
as possible.**

**All of the money collected is used  
by the State and sponsoring  
Councils for charitable grants such  
as one recently awarded to the**

**Andover Professional Center for Child  
Development in the amount of \$48,300  
sponsored by Andover 1078.**

### Ways to Sign-up Today

- Sign-up on the poster board at the council
- Respond to email request for sign-up (excel sheet will show open times)
- Send email to council at [info@kofc1078.com](mailto:info@kofc1078.com)
- Contact Andrew Szendey at [aszendey@verizon.net](mailto:aszendey@verizon.net) or 978-475-4139 (6-9 pm)

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## NEWSLETTER TITLE

### ANDOVER K OF C SOFTBALL SCORES LATE TO BEAT ST. MONICA'S 20-12

The Andover Knights of Columbus #1078 overcame early deficits of 4-0 and 6-1 to beat the St. Monica's K of C squad. Playing for Andover were Ron Bergeron, Brett Kunze, Chris "Ogre" Gendron, Jerry Fox, Pat Curley, Mike Schwing, Chuck Lane, James Carlsen, Paul Maye , Mike Habib, John McGuiggen, and Kevin O'Donnell. Kudos to our Official Scorer Andrea O'Donnell

After a slow start every member of the Andover squad got a hit and the fielding was surprisingly crisp.

- Chris, "Ogre, Ogre", digging the low throws out of the dirt at First
- Pat Curley turning the double play
- Mike Habib making tough plays in the outfield look routine
- Jerry Fox our winning pitcher.... nice triple and 3 RBI's, but stop at the sign..."Oink, Oink " going for the Grand Slam when the ball was in the infield is simply piggish, and you were out by a mile...
- The last play of the game was at the plate as John McGuiggen made a perfect throw from the outfield to the plate after one run had scored, and Chuck Lane made the tag, while being knocked down by a linebacker from St. Monica's
- Rob Bergeron and Brett Kunze showed well and Paul Maye got behind one that went a long way
- James Carlsen scored 3 times, and Mike Schwing gave a ball a ride scoring several
- Lots of hits and runs by everyone.

Special Thanks to our hosts at St. Monica's for providing an excellent picnic afterwards . It was very well done and a great time. The squad appreciates the forethought by the Grand Knight to provide a cooler of liquid refreshments after a game played in 90 degree weather.

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Jim Hauer (L) and Jim Sullivan (R) lead the parade at the Special Games in Haverhill on 9/25



Jerry Fox assists in the beautification efforts by painting the entranceway. Hope that was not your favorite shirt because it had almost as much paint on it, as the walls did.

Support Lazarus House and the **Hike for Hope** on Sunday October 3rd 11 AM Registration at Merrimack College  
<http://www.firstgiving.com/hikeforhope>  
Volunteers may help the Council run a water station from 12-4 PM by contacting [info@kofc1078.com](mailto:info@kofc1078.com)



## GRAND KNIGHT COMMENTS

Worthy Brothers  
I wish to thank the Council for placing its trust in me once again by electing me to be Grand Knight for the coming year. I also wish to thank all of the Officers who have served and

will continue to serve the Council as well as all of those Brothers, and their wives, who have helped with events and campaigns throughout the year. I am proud of what we accomplished during this past year and hope to build on these accomplishments during the coming year.

I have said many times that the key to a successful year for the Council lies in the hands of you, the membership. There is only so much a Grand Knight and his Officers can do and they must

rely on the membership to step forward and participate in order for events to be successful. That is what I am, once again, asking of you. If all of the Brothers participate in at least one event during this fraternal year, other than the Tootsie Roll Drive which we expect everyone to be involved with, we, as a Council, could have a very successful year. So, please, get involved. Chair an event or serve on a committee, anything you can do to help is greatly appreciated.

Vivat Jesus!

Fraternally,  
Patrick Curley  
Grand Knight  
Andover Council 1078

*TOOTSIE ROLL  
SIGN UP NOW  
For  
THURSDAY 9/30  
Thru  
SUNDAY OCT 3rd*

## KNIGHTS HELP WITH SPECIAL GAMES

On Saturday Sept. 25th a number of brothers helped out at the Special Games held at Northern Essex CC in Haverhill. In addition to cheering on the many participants, brothers cooked and served 500 hotdogs and 500 hamburgers for participants and guests. A good time was had by all with dancing to a DJ after the competition. Everyone is a winner in these games and many awards were presented to the participants. Andover Knights present included John Barrett and Jim Kelleher below left and PGK Mike Schwing and PGK Jim Sullivan shown right.

Others working the lines and cooking were DD Jack DeCourcy, GK Pat Curley, PGK Chuck Lane, and Chancellor Paul Dollard. Financial support and volunteers from nearby councils also helped the cause. DGK Jim Hauer and Jim Sullivan participated in the opening Ceremonies leading the parade and colors in 4th degree regalia.



**NEW MEMBERS  
WELCOME**  
People join the Knights  
because they are asked.

Invite a friend to  
become a member.



PGK's Mike Schwing and Jim Sullivan  
Prepping to cook lunch for 500+ at Special Games

## Steak and Lobster



**Saturday Oct 16th  
\$25 per person  
DJ, Dancing, BYOB**

Andover Knights of Columbus #1078  
10 Brook Street, Andover, MA 01810

## NEW CHAPLAIN APPOINTED

It is with pleasure that we announce that Fr. Peter Gori O.S.A., pastor of St. Augustine Parish, has agreed to accept appointment as the new Chaplain of Andover Council 1078. He will fill the position left vacant by the departure of our former Chaplain Fr. Joe Narog, O.S.A. to whom we wish all the best. Fr. Peter has been a member of Council 1078 for many years and we look forward to working with him in the future.