

FATHER NICHOLAS GROSS COUNCIL, # 12596
Mackville, WI
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

NEWSLETTER / MEETING MINUTES
October 20, 2024

- The meeting was held after the pancake breakfast. It was called to order by Grand Knight Ervin Van Camp at 11:30 and was opened with the Our Father prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance to the United States of America. Also present were our Trustee Vic Salm, Trustee Frank Witt, Treasurer Fred Ringel, Wayne Van Straten, Jerry Ebben, and Financial Secretary Mark Vosters.
- The Sept. 15, 2024 meeting minutes were read and approved, with one correction to show that the August, not April, minutes were read and approved on Sept. 15.
- Treasurer Report: Fred provided a typed report for both checking accounts for the periods of Sept. 15 to Oct. 20. Both checking account balances were verified. The expense account had one deposit of \$150.00 from the Sept.15 brat fry proceeds to cover expenses. Checks were issued for a total of \$150.00 the brat fry supplies. The charity account had a deposit of \$60.00 from brat fry proceeds and \$785.00 from the State Raffle Charity Grant. There was one withdrawal of \$200.00 for a donation to the Harvest Moon Festival. The profit from today's pancake breakfast was \$333.00 after expenses of \$300.00 was subtracted for the total donations of \$633.00. A check for \$333.00 was issued to Welcoming Willows per the approved motion at the Sept. meeting.
- Mark motioned, seconded by Vic, to pay the State per capita of \$230.00. Motion was approved.
- Jerry motioned, seconded by Vic to reimburse Mark the \$20.00 he paid for a mass for the living and deceased members of our council to be celebrated on Sunday, Oct. 26, 2025 at 8:45.
- In conjunction with our Coats for Kids collection, Sue VanderBerg, NE Coordinator for elementary students would like to have them collect boots, mitten, hats and other cold weather clothing.
- **Next meeting will be November 17 after the 8:45 Mass and pancake breakfast.**
- After a motion to adjourn by Fred and seconded by Wayne, the meeting adjourned at 12:15, closing with the Father McGivney prayer.