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Knights of Columbus



All Saints

Council, No. 14475

Lake Wylie, South Carolina

ADOPTED APRIL 8, 2008

OFFICERS

Grand Knight	Vincent (Jim) Poto
Chaplain	Fr. Joe Pearce
Deputy Grand Knight	John Hall
Chancellor	Mitch Promin
Recorder	Joe DePalma
Financial Secretary	Charles Carlson
Treasurer	Randy Ewald
Lecturer	Vince Mooney
Advocate	Dan Sippel
Warden	Robert Rodriguez
Inside Guard	Marson Germanetti
Outside Guard	Roy Allen
1 Year Trustee	Terry Kennedy
2 Year Trustee	Stephen Zito
3 Year Trustee	Fred Watts

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ARTICLE I

Section 1. This Council shall be known as All Saints Council, No. 14475, Knights of Columbus.

Sec. 2. The initiation fee shall be \$15.00 except that for applicants under 26 years of age it shall be \$10.00 and for Priests and religious it shall be nil. One-half of the initiation fee shall accompany the application but it shall be refunded if the application is rejected.

Sec. 3. Each member shall pay annual dues. The dues shall be payable quarterly in advance at the first regular meetings in January, April, July and October. The annual dues of members shall be \$35.00, except insured members less than 26 years of age who shall pay one-half that sum, honorary members who shall pay \$10.00, and honorary life members who shall pay nothing. Except as stated above, the dues of associate and insurance members shall be the same.

Sec. 4. The Financial Secretary shall receive annual compensation, payable in quarterly installments at the end of each quarter from the council an amount equal to eight percent of the moneys collected on account of dues from both insurance and associate members.

ARTICLE II — Elections

Section 1. The annual election of officers shall take place at a regular business meeting held between May 15 and June 15 of each fraternal year. At least two months before the annual election, the Grand Knight shall appoint a Nominating Committee of three who shall prepare a slate of candidates for the elective council offices. This slate shall be presented to the council not later than the regular business meeting preceding the meeting at which annual elections are to take place. Other nominations may be made from the floor and nominations may not be closed until the election meeting has convened and the members are ready to ballot.

Sec. 2. The election of officers shall be by ballot and a majority of all votes cast shall be necessary to elect. When only one candidate is proposed for a particular office and no further nominations have been made from the floor, the presiding Grand Knight shall declare the individual elected by acclamation.

Sec. 3. The Grand Knight shall appoint two members to act as Tellers. After all who are entitled to do so have voted, the ballot shall be declared closed and the Tellers shall then proceed to count the votes in full view of the Council. One of the Tellers shall examine each ballot singly and pass the same to his associate, who shall read aloud the name or names written or printed on all legal ballots. The Recorder shall tally the same and the result thereof shall be announced by the Grand Knight.

Sec. 4. Each officer elected must qualify and fill the office to which he is chosen, with or without installation, at the first regular meeting in the month of July succeeding his election, unless excused by a vote of the Council, and must present himself for installation at the time specified in the notice issued by or through the State Deputy or District Deputy, unless excused by such officer. Otherwise such office shall be considered vacant.

Sec. 5. Vacancies in elective offices shall be filled, after notice to the members, by election at the regular business meeting next succeeding the regular meeting at which the vacancy was created.

ARTICLE III — Officers

Section 1. Only members who are in good standing and who have been initiated in the first three Degrees of the Order shall be eligible to hold office in this Council. No member shall hold more than one office at the same time.

Sec. 2. The elective officers shall be as follows: Grand Knight, Deputy Grand Knight, Chancellor, Recorder, Treasurer, Advocate, Warden, Inside Guard, Outside Guard (two Outside Guards may be elected) and Board of Trustees.

Sec. 3. The appointive officers shall be as follows: Financial Secretary, Lecturer and Chaplain. The Financial Secretary shall be appointed by the Supreme Knight. The

