

Notes from Meeting Oct. 29 2:00. on KC State Convention Committees at St. Patrick's

15 present .

John McGee State Deputy opened meeting with a prayer.

John said the objective of the meeting was to get key point people assigned to get the ball rolling.

Convention is April 12,13, 14 at the MAC. Convention Hotel is the Court Yard Expect 400 – 600 people

Jeremy Jensen State Warden is the person the state convention falls under

Everyone gave their name and parish.

John listed the Chair positions and Mike Reicks gave names of those filling that position.

Co Chair – Brian Bowers

Co Chair – Russ Sindelar

4th Degree – Tony Jordan

Treasurer – Keith Marshall

Raffle Chair – Burton Rausch - John said he would be working with Steven. He said raffle prizes will be \$1,000 top prize and 10 \$100. Prizes. This position will coordinate turning in tickets, setting up drum for drawing at convention, Bundling up tickets, finding some people to help man table to sell tickets at the convention. He will also keep track of money. Tickets are at printers now. Will be given out at Dec. 1, State meeting to go out to all councils. Half proceeds from the raffle goes to state and rest to local distribution, whatever we want.

Liturgy – Dennis Shea – will be working with Mark Campbell, Fr. Ray Higgins, and Fr. Jake

Advertising Book - OPEN Need to have all ad's sold by 3/1, layout done 3/10 then given to printer. They are given out at convention. Check with local printer to see if we can get a deal. Tom suggested A-Plus printing, 37 main street 712.322.0922. The predominant source of funds for the convention is the Ad money. Talk to local parishes and contact businesses associated with them or advertise with them. John McGee will get rates that were used last year to the chair.

Youth Activity – Open They will need to setup age related activities for various groups. Baby Sitting for the Friday Night Dinner , Ladies Luncheon, Banquet

Ladies Activities - Open John said his wife Gen would be glad to discuss with anyone.

Volunteer Coordinator – Brian Hunter This position figures what is needed and gets with Councils to supply names to help. All together may require 100 – 125 people to help. District Deputies should contact all their councils and ask for volunteers. Burton said about 5 people from each of his councils has already said they would help. Donnie Kenkel will help get volunteers from Councils north of Council Bluffs.

Registration Chair – Open They sit at table next to Paul ? State registration at convention. Ladies will need to sign in and get info on ladies activities. They should develop a gift bag for each attendee.

Hospitality Room – Council 10805 Andrew Poeckes Drinks, snacks, cover someone in room during open hours

Silent Auction – Open Need to come up with items to do a silent auction.

John said the state takes care of setting up meals and what will be served.

John said he is here to help but the detail is up to this group. He said this should be a Fun Family Oriented Event.

The Eucharistic Procession is coming through here June 23rd. Maybe a program during the convention could help promote that event.

John said a Theme would be good. Best to come up with one before Dec.1 and push out when the raffle tickets are given out at State meeting on Dec. 1.

Jeremy Jensen, Jason and Ryan are involved from Sate. (Sorry no further info on names)

Typically chairs meet once a month.

Need to get the Advertising Chairs set up quickly.

The State has Common signs used every year, we can use.

Angie Shea asked if John's wife could give her some info on what was done for the ladies in the past. John said he would have her come to the next meeting to discuss with her.

Next meeting is scheduled for Nov. 19th, 2:00 at Corpus Christi Great Hall. John will try and get Jeremy Jensen to attend.

Meeting was adjourned with prayer at 3:10.

Any additions or corrections to these notes please let me know.

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