Knights of Saint Columba Accrington Council 188

Synopsis of Minutes of meeting held on Tuesday January 16th.Opening The GK opened the meeting according to the manual for small councils.

**Apologies** – Paul Cain

**In attendance** – Bernard Holden (GK) John McManus, Brian Heap, and

 Paul Toman

Due to the inclement weather only four brothers attended yet only Paul Cain sent his apologies (snow and frost)

There was no formal meeting due to low attendance but an informal meeting was held and recruitment and membership was discussed.

The theme included raising awareness of the KSC in the local churches. The GK had brought the KSC stand to the meeting. This brightly coloured stand outlines the aims and objectives of the KSC. It was suggested that this stand together with publicity leaflets rotates between St, Anne’s, St. Joseph’s and Clayton St.Mary’s

**Debate**

It was resolved that a number of leaflets be prepared with contact names telephone numbers included of brothers most suitable for members of the public to contact them and give information about the work of the KSC and invite them to our next meeting.

The suggestion that we publish leaflets on St. Anne. St. Joseph and St Mary was withdrawn because we could not afford to print them.

**AOB**

Brian Heap had received an email concerning an zoom meeting with Supreme who are running a workshop on February 3rd to discuss recruitment but no advice on how to take part in the zoom meeting was given

As treasurer Brian also indicated that most of the subscriptions have been collected for this current year but three brothers have not paid them yet. These will be contacted by email to remind them what they owe

**Closing of meeting**

The meeting closed at 8.15 with prayers for our deceased brothers. It has also been published the Rita Kafel the widow of the late Brother John has died. Please remember them in your prayers.

**Date of next meeting**

The next meeting will be held on F2ebruary 20th at 7.30 in the Marian Room in

St. Anne’s

**PLEASE MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ATTEND**