Knights of Saint Columba Accrington Council 188

Synopsis of Minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday May 21st 2019

Opening The GK opened the meeting according to the manual for small councils.

In attendance: - Bernard Holden (BHo) Jed Gregory (JG) Paul Moxham (PM) Paul Toman (PT), David Richards (DR). Paul Cain (PC), Kevin Nancarrow (KN)

Correspondence: -

RTL leaflets were distributed to be delivered to other churches in the area.

 Invoice from head office.

 Only documents dated 2019 to be used in correspondence to head office.

No corrections to the minutes of last meeting held on Tuesday April 16th 2019.

Matters arising:- None

Reports

*Action* ***Jed Gregory*** *Include report on action plan development*

JG reported that approx. 200 people attended the Stations of the cross on Good Friday.

There were approx. 20 people attended on Palm Sunday who were mostly St. Anne’s and St. Joseph’s parishioners. Pilgrimage to Fernyhalgh set for August 17th.

*Treasurer* ***Brian Heap*** *Include report on action plan development*

Absent

Waiting for BHe to book the coach forFernyhalgh and supply the price of the coach so tickets can be printed.

*Deputy GK* ***Paul Cain*** *Include report on action plan development*

In the absence of PC, BHo gave this report. He expressed the importance of each individual member supporting the drive for new members in our council. It was suggested that:-

1. Each brother, who have a computer and working printer, print 30 copies (80 gm paper) of a publicity document, sent to them by the GK and made available at our meeting in June.
2. It would be helpful if we could arrange for Fr Stamp to make a presentation during Mass to inform male parishioners of the work the KSC does in Hyndburn.
3. After reading the Columba magazine brothers leave their copy at the back of the church.

*Chancellor* ***Paul Toman*** *Include report on action plan development*

David Richards is recovering from illness. Andrew Szlaz still has an ongoing concern.

*Secretary* ***John McManus*** *Include report on action plan development*

A Quiz was held at St. Mary’s school in Clayton le Moors on Wednesday April 17th starting at 2.00 pm. Some brothers attended and marked the quiz papers. The council agreed to donate £50 to this event to be used as prize money for the schools who win the quiz.

*Technology Officer* ***David Richards*** *Include report on action plan development*

The Website is attracting approx. 30 unique viewers per week and is up to date. An addition to the website could be a request for new members.

***Debate*** :- Recruitment Recruitment Recruitment

See Paul Cain’s report

**Date of next meeting**

Tuesday June 18th at 7.30 in the Marian Room at St. Anne’s

The meeting closed at 8.30 with prayers for the sick widows and brothers