

District Deputy 1 Report

Worthy State Chaplain, Worthy State Deputy, Supreme Representative, Visiting Dignitaries, Immediate Past State Deputy, Fellow Officers, Brother Knights all:

The overall condition of District 1 is satisfactory. The global pandemic has stifled many efforts of the Councils this fraternal year. Conversely, some Councils have made great efforts to sustain the mission of the Knights of Columbus in their charitable activities.

Restrictions of attendance at Church Services have hampered recruiting efforts resulting in most Councils not achieving membership goals.

Council 892-has brought in one new emember and has yet to convert him to Council status. The Council has tried to maintain their schedule of major fundraisers to keep the bank accounts up. They have had live events outdoors and virtual events and raffles to help keep them in mind with the Parishioners. The Council has yet to record one member as completing the Safe Environment training.

Council 3013-has not had a meeting since April 2020 due to the outbreak of the Pandemic. I have been in constant contact with the GK to see what we can accomplish but due to the uncertainty of the virus there has not been much willingness to risk face to face meetings. The Council held a Coats for Kids Drive

Council 1663-has been full steam ahead by this dedicated group. This Council is conducting Bingo nights, 'to-go' Lenten dinners, March for Life walks, Coats for Kids Drive, actively promoting Leave no Neighbor Behind program and in person meetings. They have recruited 3 new members into the Council which are the only new members in the District.

Council 12953-has not conducted a meeting since March of 2020 due to the pandemic and is not sure when the next meeting will be.

Council 8283-has been active in conducting meetings, helping the Parish with projects. They held a Coats for Kids drive, participated in Leave no Neighbor behind by reaching out to its members for assistance. They have been assisting with intake priorities at Mass, will be helping at the Easter Vigil and plan to host a Senior Breakfast for the Salmon High School graduation class.