

State Council Program Awards

Entry Form

THIS REPORTING FORM MUST BE COMPLETED BY EACH COUNCIL AND FORWARDED TO THE STATE COUNCIL.

(A separate reporting form should be completed for each program category.)

CATEGORY (MARK ONE): Faith Family Community Life



COUNCIL INFORMATION:

1 Council Number: 6353 Total Council Members: 180
 Grand Knight: Kelly Brown E-Mail: kbbrown79@hotmail.com

PROGRAM INFORMATION (complete all sections):

2 Program Title: 1st Annual Oktoberfest Supporting JMT Program Date: 10/08/2022

Participation: $\frac{10}{\text{Members}} + \frac{40}{\text{Non Members}} = \frac{50}{\text{Total Participants}}$ $\frac{50}{\text{Total Participants}} \times \frac{10}{\text{Hours}} = \frac{500}{\text{Total Volunteer Hours}}$

Program Planning: $\frac{1,789}{\text{Costs}}$ & $\frac{500}{\text{Time}}$ Members Recruited: 1 Donations: $\frac{1,000}{\text{Local Currency}}$

3 Describe program in detail. Use additional paper if necessary. Supplementary material may be submitted along with the nomination. Accompanying materials can include letters, testimonials, news clippings, photographs, pamphlets, etc. Do not submit tapes, videocassettes, DVD's, display materials, films, etc., as they will not be considered in judging the nomination.

3a) In the space provided below, briefly describe the purpose and goals of this program. This section must be completed.

The Knights of Columbus were approached by our St. Joseph East York Jamaican Mission Team to organize and manage an Oktoberfest fundraiser for them. A plan was put in place in early August with the Father Steve Fernandes, Knights of Columbus, the Jamacian Mission Team, Hospitality Team and the Columbiettes. Unfortunately, one of the JMT leaders, William "Bill" Smith, spearheading the event with Father Steve Fernandes, had a heart attack and passed away unexpectedly before the second meeting. Despite his passing, a decision was made by the Oktoberfest Committee to move forward and name the event, "1st Annual William "Bill" Smith Memorial Oktoberfest.

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TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE COMPETITION**

MAIL ORIGINAL TO: State Deputy or State Program Director

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3b) Whom does this program benefit?

This program benefitted the Jamaican Mission Team in helping to raise funds for Priests, Sisters, students, parents and community at our targeted area of Mandeville, Jamaica. Not knowing how successful our fundraiser would be, we were blessed with a huge response from our St. Joseph East York parishioners. Both in purchasing meals and donating items to help us reduce costs and make more money for our friends in Mandeville, Jamaica. It is estimated that we had approximately 100 parish families attend the fundraiser. It was a huge success. We learned lessons from this first annual Oktoberfest and we are working smarter this year for our 2nd annual Oktoberfest. The event will be held on October 28, 2023, from 5pm to 8pm in the St. Joseph School Gym.

3c) What problem or need did this program resolve?

After expenses, we were able to donate \$1,968 to the Jamaican Mission Fund for use in Mandeville, Jamaica. Our total sales were \$3,757. Total Expenses \$1,789. Some expenses were one time expenses. We will look for more sponsors this year and more profitable approaches.

3d) Why did the council select this program?

The #6353 Knights of Columbus Grand Knight, Financial Secretary and Program Director were asked to attend a Jamaican Mission Team meeting on Sunday, August 7, 2022. The Grand Knight asked the team how we could help. The leader of the Jamaican Mission Team, Warren Mejo, asked if the Knights of Columbus could organize and manage an Oktoberfest for them. The Knights of Columbus agreed to support this program and help in any way possible.

3e) Describe the success of the program:

While this was our first attempt at organizing and managing an Oktoberfest; with the help of Jamaican Mission Team members, Father Steve Fernandes, Erin Maiolino, (Parish Manager), our Hospitality Committee, the Columbiettes and Knights of Columbus, we held a very exciting and well attended community event. The Oktoberfest was so successful that there was no doubt the parish was going to hold a 2nd Annual Event. Many parishioners who did not attend last year will attend this year due to all of the fun and excitement we had on October 8th. Vivat Jesus!

Attest: _____
State Deputy

Signed: Kelly Brown 3/19/23
Grand Knight Date



OKTOBERFEST

BENEFITS: JAMAICAN MISSION TEAM

DATE: OCTOBER 8, 2022

TIME: 6:00PM TO 10:00PM

LOCATION: ST. JOSEPH PARISH-BELL TOWER/BEER GARDEN

RSVP BY OCTOBER 1ST TO: SJC@SJY.ORG

FOOD:

BRATWURST: \$5.00, SAUERKRAUT W/APPLES-\$2.00, GERMAN POTATO SALAD-\$2.00, HOT DOGS-\$2.00, POTATO CHIPS-\$1.00, PRETZELS-\$1.00, GERMAN CHOCOLATE CAKE-\$2.00, PLUM CAKE-\$2.00, APPLE STRUDEL-\$2.00

DRINKS: APPLE CIDER-\$1.00, SODA-\$1.00, WATER-\$1.00

GERMAN BEER-\$4.00, GERMAN WINE-\$4.00-ID REQUIRED-MUST BE 21



FUN & GAMES:

CAKE WALK-\$1.00 ENTRY FEE

GERMAN SPELLING BEE-FREE

OKTOBERFEST TRIVIA-FREE

STRONG MAN/WOMAN-BEER STINE HOLDING CHALLENGE-FREE



GERMAN MUSIC

50/50 RAFFLE-HOURLY-ADULTS

25 CENT GAMES OF CHANCE-ADULTS

*IN THE EVENT OF INCLEMENT WEATHER, THE OKTOBERFEST WILL BE HELD IN THE ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL GYM.

Event Name-1st Annual William "Bill" Smith Oktoberfest	JMT-Oktoberfest Preparation & Game Day Checklist		
Monitor Weather For October 8th-Decision 24 Hours B4	Kirk Wright	10/3 Status	10/8 Status-Ready
Date of Event: October 8, 2022		In Gym	
Time of Event: 6:00PM to 10:00PM		N/A	
Rain/Inchment Weather-Gym Reserved-7:00AM to 11:00PM		N/A	
Location: St. Joseph Gym		Completed	
Preparation-Start ASAP Day Before/Day of	Kirk Wright, Sean Brennan, Kelly Brown	Gym 8am	
Sign-up Gentle Promotion	Anne Smith, Kelly Brown-Update	Gym 8am	
Manual Volunteer Sign-ups and RSVP's Updated	Anne Smith, Kelly Brown-Update	170+	
Electrical-Replace Eight GFCI's Bell Tower Area	Erin Malotino, Kelly Brown	Added	
Extension Cords	Kelly Brown-K of C Shed	Completed	
Multi-Strip Outlets	Kelly Brown-K of C Shed	On-hand	
Toolbox, tape, drill, etc.	Kelly Brown	On-hand	
Two Sets-Large Beer Coolers/Wine Coolers	Kelly Brown, John Tassia-Three Coolers in K of C Shed + John's Cooler + Kelly's Cooler	On-hand	
Carts to Transport Beer/Ale from School Refrigerator	Kelly Brown	On-hand	
Set-up Crew	Kirk Wright, Sean Brennan, etc.	Ready	
String Lights-Bell Tower Venue	Kirk Wright, Sean Brennan, etc.	Ready	
Install Beer & Wine Counters/Promote Brands Available	Kirk Wright, Sean Brennan, etc.	Ready	
Bell Tower Seating 12 Tables/96 Chairs	Kirk Wright, Sean Brennan, etc.	Ready	
Lawn Area-South 10 Round Tables & 80 Chairs	Kirk Wright, Sean Brennan, etc.	Gym 8am	
Place Camping Lights on Round Tables	Sean Brennan	Ready	
Beer/Wine Sales/Secure Area	Kirk Wright, Sean Brennan, etc.	Not Needed	
Beer/Wine Bartenders Selected	Anne Smith	Gym 8am	
8 Cases of Yuengling Lager	Kelly Brown	5:00pm	
5 Cases of Pumpkin Beer	Kelly Brown	10/7 Drop	
5 Cases of Apple Cider Ale	Kelly Brown	10/7 Drop	
4 Cases German Beer	Kelly Brown	10/7 Drop	
600 12oz. Blue Wine Solo Cups	Kelly Brown	Pending	
600 16oz. Blue Beer Solo Cups	Kelly Brown	Completed	
Condiment Table/Cutlery/Napkins/Salt & Pepper	Barbara Ochalski	Completed	
Mustard for pretzels/Pump vs. Packet	Barbara Ochalski	Completed	
Mustard Packets	Barbara Ochalski	Completed	
Ketchup Packets	Barbara Ochalski	Completed	
Relish Packets	Barbara Ochalski	Completed	
Wrist Band Program/Pop-up Tent	Kirk Wright/Anne Smith	Completed	
Food Tables/Chairs/Sterno/Ceramic Pads for Sterno	Two Sets of Five Hot Chafers-Barbara Ochalski & Kelly Brown, Kirk Wright-Ceramic Pads for Sterno	Ready	
Lighter/Matches for Sterno	Kelly Brown, Barbara Ochalski	Ready	
Serving Spatulas, Knives, Serving Spoons,	Kelly Brown, Barbara Ochalski	Ready	
Promotions + Hang 12' x 4' Banner-Install Yard Signs	Kelly Brown-Catholic Witness, St. Joseph bulletin, St. Joseph School Newsletter, Pupit Announcements	Completed	
Anne Smith Install extra yard signs (5) where needed	Anne Smith, Kelly Brown-Add directional arrows as needed to guide customers	Ready	
Ten Garbage Cans-50 Gallon + Case of Garbage Bags	Kelly Brown	Greeters	
Garbage Man-Throw Garbage + insert new bags	Kelly Brown	Ready	
Bathrooms-Secure Access-Monitor	Kelly Brown, Anne Smith, Kirk Wright	Ready	
Cashiers/Cash Drawers/Change Funds	Bill Fullerton, Kelly Brown	Ready	
Raffle Tickets/Change Drawers	Bill Fullerton, Kelly Brown	Ready	
Raffle Ticket Sales	Jonahan Gnanu, Kirk Wright, Mike Pretty, Frank Kibler	Ready	
Pull Tab Sales	Jonahan Gnanu, Mike Pretty, Jeannie Macek	Completed	
Security of Cash Funds/Hourly/Use Bingo Cashroom	Kelly Brown, Jonathan Gnanu, Rob Bertucco, Bill Fullerton	Ready	
Greeters	Anne Smith	Ready	
Beer/Wine License-On File	Sean Brennan	Ready	
Small Games of Chance License on File.	Kelly Brown	Completed	
Cool 28 Cases of Assorted German Beers	Kelly Brown to cool day before/replenish Day of	Completed	
Cool Soda & Juice Boxes	Kirk Wright	Ready	
German Wine Donations	Kelly Brown, Anne Smith, Kirk Wright, Nick Smith to Pay for total or as needed	Ready	
Buy Dry Red Wines	Kelly Brown	Ready	
Music/PA System/Microphone for MC	Sean Brennan/Stephen Falenci	Ready	

MC-Kirk Wright/Kelly Brown/Steve Falencki	Promote hourly raffles/Fun Contests/Take pictures	Ready	
RSVP's	RSVP to Binky Theodore at sjc@sjc.org By October 1st. Info. Forwarded to Anne Smith	Completed	
Purchases/Prepare Food:	Entrees/Sides/Desserts	Completed	
200 Brautwurst & Rolls	Barbara Ochalski Wednesday-Transfer to Father Steve	Ready	
Sauerkraut/apples	Barbara Ochalski	Completed	
German Potato Salad	Barbara Ochalski	Completed	
Red Cabbage Side Dish	Barbara Ochalski	Completed	
200 Hot Dogs & Rolls	Barbara Ochalski	Ready	
Potato Chips	Kelly Brown 5 Cases Kettle Cooked 5 Cases Barbeque	Completed	
Pretzels for Beer Garden	Barbara Ochalski	Completed	
Pretzels as Side-Janosky's	Rich Janosky	Ready	
German Chocolate Cake-MJ Martin to make one full sheet cake.	MJ Martin (2) 9 x 13" Marie Mucci (1) (1) Joanne Holdorf	Ready	
Plum Cake-Barbara Ochalski & team to make several cakes.	Barbara Ochalski (4) Lori Lujoi (2) Barbara K.	Ready	
Apple Cakes-Status-Barbara Ochalski & team to make several cakes	Barbara Ochalski (2) Barbara K. (2) Yolanda	Ready	
Wacky Cakes-Status-Barbara Ochalski & team to make several cakes	Barbara Ochalski (1) Yolanda	Ready	
Apple Strudel-Barbara Ochalski to pick-up 10 donated strudels;	Barbara Ochalski	Ready	
Condiments/packets of ketchup, mustard, relish, salt & pepper	Barbara Ochalski, Kelly Brown	Ready	
Drinks:	Drinks:	Drinks:	
Apple Cider	Apple Cider-Anne Smith to purchase four gallons. Status-Pending fresh purchase.	Ready	
Soda/Juice Boxes	Soda-Kirk Wright to purchase four (12 count) cases coke, four cases CF diet coke, four cases 7-up, four cases of other.	Ready	
Bottled Water	Water-\$1.00-Frank Kibler to purchased 200 bottles of water. Purchased/Stored in K of C shed.	Completed	
German Wine Donations	German Wine-Seeking donations-Nick Smith will pay for balance needed. 30 bottles to date.	Ready	
Fun & Games	Fun & Games:	Fun & Games	
Cake Walk-\$1.00 Entry Fee	Cake Walk-\$1.00 Entry Fee-Request for six cakes to be made.	Ready	
German Spelling Bee	German Spelling Bee-Free-Contact Katie Weisser for assistance. Linda & Rich Janosky to coordinate event.	Ready	
Oktoberfest Trivia-Free	Oktoberfest Trivia-Free-Status-Linda Janosky to coordinate event.	Ready	
Strong Man/Woman-Beer-Stine Holding Challenge-Free	Strong Man/Woman-Beer-Stine Holding Challenge-Free-Kelly Brown mugs; & Two certificates ready.	Ready	
German Music + PA System	German Music-Sean Brennan to coordinate DJ and continuous music.	Ready	
50/50 Raffle-Hourly-Adults	50/50 Raffle-Hourly-Adults-Frank Kibler, Jonathan Gnau to handle. Need microphone. Status-Need leader.	Ready	
25 Cent Games of Chance-Adults	25 Cent Games of Chance-Adults-Jonathan Gnau to handle. Jeanie Mackel	Ready	
Snowblower Raffle-Rich Janosky	Snowblower Raffle-Rich Janosky-DJ to promote raffle. Status-Raffle Tickets and Snowblower on the ready.	Ready	
Pumpkins and decorations	Anne Smith to handle.	Ready	
Paper products, etc.	Paper products, etc. Five hot items for sale x 3. 10 sets of chaffers/sterno. 18 full size foil panswith lids	Ready	
Plastic Silverware	Purchase plastic silverware for 400 people. Knives, forks, spoons. Sam's Club. Status-Kelly Brown to handle.	Completed	
Napkins	Purchase case of napkins for 400 people. Sam's Club. Status-Kelly Brown to handle.	Completed	
Heavy Duty Dinner Plates	Purchase Dinner Plates for 400 people. Sam's Club. Status-Kelly Brown to handle.	Completed	
Trays	Borrow trays from school as needed	Completed	
Dessert Plates	Purchase Dessert Plates for 400 people. Sam's Club. Status-Kelly Brown to handle.	Completed	
Serving Spatula's, Knives, Serving Spoons,	Provide knives/spatula's for cutting cakes, strudels-Status-Barbara Ochalski/Kelly Brown	Completed	
Chaffers/Sterno	Purchase chaffers and sterno (Check shed per Beth Fives)	Ready	
Ceramic tiles	Ceramic sterno holds/Protect tables from heat	Ready	
To Go Containers/Bags	Kelly Brown to Donate To Go Containers & Bags	Completed	
Hand Sanitizer	Lori Lujoi	Completed	
Raffle Tickets	Provide raffle tickets-Status-Bill Fullerton to provide 2,000 tickets. *Ticket prices. 10 for \$5.00 25 for \$10.00	Completed	
Pull Tabs	Provide 4,000 .25 cent pull tabs-Status-Bill Fullerton to provide tickets.	Completed	
Miscellaneous:	Miscellaneous Notes:	Misc.	
Distribute 30 aprons, Oktoberfest pins + Name Badges	Anne Smith	Ready	
Wrist Bands	Ann Smith	Ready	
Credit Card	Barbara Ochalski	Ready	
Columbletters	Seven Columbletters to volunteer. Sjbrownr78@outlook.com (717) 309-8394-Cell Phone.	Ready	
Contact Police and Fire regarding Oktoberfest	Sean Brennan	Completed	

Sunday, October 23, 2022

St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church

YORK, PENNSYLVANIA

A parish of the Diocese of Harrisburg, spiritually guided by the Capuchin Franciscan Friars of the St. Augustine Province, Pittsburgh



OKTOBERFEST

to support the Jamaica Mission Team boasted a full house in the school gym on Saturday, October 8th! Savory German food and beverages, fun games - Beer Stein holding contests, cake walk, raffles, and sweet desserts, too! Thank you all for your hard work, commitment, and participation in a fabulous event!

Weekend Mass Times:

Saturday 5:00 PM and Sunday 7:00 / 9:00 / 11:30 AM

Confessions Thursdays 4:00-5:00 PM,
Saturdays 3:30-4:30 PM; or by appointment

Eucharistic Adoration 8:30 AM-5:00 PM Thursdays

Weekly Rosary Tuesdays at 7:00 PM

Parish Office Hours Mon-Fri 8:00 AM-4:00 PM

Church Building Open for Prayer 6:30 AM-7:30 PM

Pastor

Fr. Steve Fernandes, OFM, Cap Fernandes@sjy.org, x202

Parochial Vicar

Fr. Rigo Azanwi, OFM, Cap Azanwi@sjy.org, x203

Permanent Deacon

Deacon Joe Shriver deaconjoe.shriver@gmail.com

Retired Priest in Residence: Fr. Jim Menkhous x238

SEE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON PAGE 6

2022 1st Annual William "Bill" Smith Oktoberfest-Debriefing October 25, 2022-Solanus Casey House

Committee Meeting Prayer/Call to Order at 6:30pm.

Decision overwhelmingly to have a 2nd Annual William "Bill" Smith Memorial Oktoberfest next year.

Date-Saturday, **October 28, 2023**. Mass at 4pm. Start at 5:00pm. Hold event from 5pm to 8pm.

Continue with indoor program. If weather and temperature are tolerable, consider outside tables at Beer Garden Exit.

Many positive comments received. Most authentic German food they have ever had.

Really enjoyed the Strong Man/Strong Woman Beer Stein Holding Competition. Have it on the stage next year, so they can see better.

Beautiful decorations. Set up was very organized and well done.

Comments from committee members. Food preparation was too much work. Need to look at options to reduce our workload.

Consider prepaid meals and beer/wine.

Need more working kitty or change fund to start. \$800 in \$1's and \$5's.

Increase beer and wine servings from \$4 to \$5.

Increase Platters to \$10.

Increase pretzels to \$2.00.

Increase Calk Walk to \$2.

Have a \$5 entry fee for Beer Stein Holding Contest.

No spelling bee.

Consider a basket raffle & silent auction concept.

Reduce hot dog quantity to 100.

We were short on red cabbage dish.

Brat's were good with 200 count.

Sauerkraut and potatoes were good.

Pretzel count was good with 200. 35 left.

Wine donations were extreme. 42 bottles left over.

American beers did not sell at all. Only buy German and Jamaican beer next year from Brandon's.

Too many cakes.

Have more Cake Walks.

Cakes became dry. Cut cakes near to event start. Not 2pm.

Volunteer count was good for event.

Consider using German vendor or caterer next year. Lock in price and date early.

Total Sales: \$3757

Total Expenses: \$1789

Net: \$1968