

SD KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ELITE COUNCIL AWARD APPLICATION

DEADLINE: MUST BE POSTMARKED BY MARCH 8TH

COUNCIL NO: _____ LOCATED AT: _____

To receive the Elite Council Award, you must satisfy ALL Roman Numerals (I-IV). Any activity that was accomplished between **March 1, 2017 and February 28, 2018** will qualify. (Section I-III on front and Section IV on back)

Circle YES or NO for each question below.

I. YOU MUST ANSWER "YES" TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTION:

YES NO Is your council net positive in membership for the Fraternal Year on the last day of February?

Zero does not count as positive. If the answer is no, there is no need to proceed as your council is not eligible for this award.

II. YOU MUST COMPLETE THE ENTIRE FOLLOWING LIST:

YES NO Complete and submit to Supreme "Report of Officers Chosen" Form 185..... Date: _____

YES NO Complete and submit to Supreme "Service Program Personnel Report" Form 365.....Date: _____

YES NO Sent a copy of council history form as found in the state council forms book to State Historian.....Date: _____

YES NO Complete and submit to Supreme "Annual Survey of Fraternal Activity" Form 1728.....Date: _____

YES NO Complete and submit to Supreme "Semiannual Audits" Form 1295 for August and February. Dates: _____ & _____

YES NO Recruit and Sign Up at least 1 new member. Give Name: _____ Date: _____

YES NO Participated in the statewide Icon Hour of Prayer program or held a Family Hour of Prayer.....Date: _____

III. FROM THE FOLLOWING LIST OF 13 PROGRAMS, YOU MUST PARTICIPATE IN 8

YES NO Held a first degree. Give date held: _____

YES NO Complete and submit to Supreme "Partnership Profile Report with Special Olympics" Form 4584.....Date: _____

YES NO Held a free throw contest and submitted form FT-1 to Supreme. Give date held: _____

YES NO Held a soccer challenge and submitted results to Supreme.Give date held: _____

YES NO Participated in Intellectual Disabilities (Tootsie Roll) drive..... Give amount collected: _____

YES NO Choose a Family of Month or Quarter and submit entry to Supreme.Name: _____ Date: _____

YES NO Choose a Family of the Year and submit entry for state judging.....Name: _____

YES NO Choose a Knight of the Year and submit entry for state judging.Name: _____

YES NO Participate in the Adopt-a-Seminarian program.Give name: _____

YES NO Achieved at least 1 new insurance member. Give name: _____ Date: _____

YES NO One council member attends a District Meeting or the membership portion of the State Council winter Meeting. Date: _____

YES NO Recite at least one decade of the Rosary sometime during your meetings or celebrate Mass at each meeting.

YES NO Supported Culture of Life with donations?.....Give amount and date: _____

IV. FROM THIS LIST OF 14 PROGRAMS, YOU MUST PARTICIPATE IN 9

YES NO Brought a Candidate to a 3rd degree exemplification. Give Date: _____

YES NO Attended GK training in Summer/Fall and Recruitment/Retention training in Winter/Spring.....Location/Date: _____

YES NO Supported the Bishop's Burse.List amount given: _____

YES NO Competed in the state essay contest for seventh and eighth graders..... # of local entries: _____

YES NO Sponsored a Squires Circle, CYO, scouts or other youth group annually..... Name of group? _____

YES NO Reinstated one former member..... Give Name: _____

YES NO Held insurance night..... Give agent's name and date: _____

YES NO Donated to state disaster relief fund. Give amount and date: _____

YES NO Donated to SD KC Foundation.Give amount and date: _____

YES NO Contributed to the State Student Loan Fund..... Loan amount: _____ Donation Amount: _____

YES NO Prepared and brought council scrapbook to state convention.

YES NO Hosted A Native American Cultural Exchange?Name school & date: _____

YES NO Solicited donations for SPF Raffle Tickets equaling at least 25% of total members.Tickets disbursed _____

YES NO Donated an item to the Silent Auction.....Name the item _____

IV. YOU MUST PARTICIPATE IN 6 of 7 PROGRAMS

(Do not mention any activities that were mentioned on the first page)

YES NO Conducted an activity emphasizing **Community**. Give date and comment about it. Date: _____

YES NO Conducted an activity emphasizing **Church**. Give date and comment about it. Date: _____

YES NO Conducted an activity emphasizing **Youth**. Give date and comment about it. Date: _____

YES NO Conducted an activity emphasizing **Family**. Give date and comment about it. Date: _____

YES NO Conducted an activity emphasizing **Council**. Give date and comment about it. Date: _____

YES NO Conducted an activity supporting **Vocations**. Give date and comment about it. Date: _____

YES NO Conducted an activity emphasizing **Culture of Life**. Give date and comment about it. Date: _____

Remember to bring Elite Council plaque to convention once Elite Council status has been granted.

Our Elite Council plaque has _____ tags on it. (Fill in blank with number of tags.) _____ Elite Council plaque is full - please order a new one for our council.

Signed _____ Date _____

Send this application to **Council Activity Director, Barry Eske, 516 17th Ave NE, Aberdeen, SD 57401 postmarked by March 8th.**