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I would like to encourage all Sir Knights to submit articles, letters, pictures, or comments for inclusion in this supplement. Articles need to be submitted to me by the 1st of the month for the next issue (August 1st for the September issue).

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR FROM COMMANDERY #2 AND #4 RIDE THE TRAILER AT JULY 4TH PARADE



Left to right: Sir Knights Lee Seagondollar, Buck Buxton and Dennis Oakland of Mat-Su Valley Commandery #4 and Anchorage Commandery #2 prepare to ride the Mat-Su Shrine Club trailer in the 4th of July Parade at Wasilla, Alaska, representing Knights Templar in Alaska.

The Sun burned away the clouds and the day turned out well for the 2008 Independence Day Parade at Wasilla, Alaska. Mat-Su Shrine Club, again, invited all Masonic Affiliated Groups to ride on their parade trailer. This is a great way to place Templary and all Masonic Concordant Organizations before the public eye and show our support for the United States of America.



Left to right: Charles Francis Marino is conducted to the Triangle by Sir Knight Dale Cain of Anchorage Commandery #2 who served as Senior Warden.

MAT-SU VALLEY COMMANDERY #4 KNIGHTS ITS FIRST CANDIDATE

Charles Francis Marino was Knighted on June 25, 2008, becoming Mat-Su Valley Commandery #4's first member to be created as a Knight in the Matanuska Valley. This long awaited event has been in the planning and working phases since the Commandery received its newly amended charter from the Grand Commandery of Alaska in March of 2007. Sir Knight Marino was welcomed into the Mat-Su Valley's Chapter and Council in April and May of this year. Many thanks to all who helped!!

THE 2008 ALASKA STATE FAIR IS COMING SOON

Sir Knights ATTENTION: The Alaska State Fair is just around the corner. Don't forget to call your Commander or Recorder to volunteer for a shift or two to represent your Commandery at the **MASONIC INFORMATION BOOTH**. The fair dates are August 21st—September 1st. Your help is appreciated and Templary will benefit!

The Grand Encampment has a new web site located at www.knightstemplar.org. The next time you are online, check out the site and let us know you have visited us by signing our guest book.