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Form **990-EZ****Short Form**
Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

OMB No 1545-1150

2009Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue ServiceUnder section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code
(except black lung benefit trust or private foundation)
▶ Sponsoring organizations of donor advised funds and controlling organizations as defined in section 512(b)(13) must file Form 990. All other organizations with gross receipts less than \$500,000 and total assets less than \$1,250,000 at the end of the year may use this form.
▶ The organization may have to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements**Open to Public Inspection****A For the 2009 calendar year, or tax year beginning , 2009, and ending**

B Check if applicable: ☐ Address change ☐ Name change ☐ Initial return ☐ Termination ☐ Amended return ☐ Application pending	Please use IRS label or print or type. See Specific Instructions.	C Knights of Columbus, Oscar J. Gelpi Council 6872 P. O. Box 55 Picayune, MS 39466	D Employer identification number 64-0679734
			E Telephone number 601-798-9857
			F Group Exemption Number ▶ 0188

• Section 501(c)(3) organizations and 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must attach a completed Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ).

G Accounting method. ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual
Other (specify) ▶

I Website: ▶ N/A

H Check ☒ if the organization is not required to attach Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

J Tax-exempt status (check only one) — ☒ 501(c) (8) (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527

K Check ☐ if the organization is not a section 509(a)(3) supporting organization and its gross receipts are normally not more than \$25,000. A Form 990-EZ or Form 990 return is not required, but if the organization chooses to file a return, be sure to file a complete return.

L Add lines 5b, 6b, and 7b, to line 9 to determine gross receipts, if \$500,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ

▶ \$ 190,740.

Part I Revenue, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances (See the instructions for Part I.)

1 Contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts received	1	8,022.
2 Program service revenue including government fees and contracts	2	
3 Membership dues and assessments	3	3,099.
4 Investment income	4	61.
5a Gross amount from sale of assets other than inventory	5a	
b Less cost or other basis and sales expenses	5b	
c Gain or (loss) from sale of assets other than inventory (Subtract line 5b from line 5a)	5c	
6 Special events and activities (complete applicable parts of Schedule G) If any amount is from gaming, check here ☒		
a Gross revenue (not including \$ of contributions reported on line 1)	6a	172,100.
b Less direct expenses other than fundraising expenses	6b	130,366.
c Net income or (loss) from special events and activities (Subtract line 6b from line 6a)	6c	41,734.
7a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances	7a	
b Less cost of goods sold	7b	
c Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory (Subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	
8 Other revenue (describe ▶ See Statement 2)	8	7,458.
9 Total revenue Add lines 1, 2, 3, 4, 5c, 6c, 7c, and 8	9	60,374.
10 Grants and similar amounts paid (attach schedule)	10	28,132.
11 Benefits paid to or for members	11	
12 Salaries, other compensation, and employee benefits	12	
13 Professional fees and other payments to independent contractors	13	
14 Occupancy, rent, utilities, and maintenance	14	
15 Printing, publications, postage, and shipping	15	495.
16 Other expenses (describe ▶ See Statement 3)	16	13,836.
17 Total expenses. Add lines 10 through 16	17	42,463.
18 Excess or (deficit) for the year (Subtract line 17 from line 9)	18	17,911.
19 Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (from line 27, column (A)) (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	19	62,154.
20 Other changes in net assets or fund balances (attach explanation)	20	
21 Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 18 through 20	21	80,065.

Part II Balance Sheets. If Total assets on line 25, column (B) are \$1,250,000 or more, file Form 990 instead of Form 990-EZ

(See the instructions for Part II.)

	(A) Beginning of year	(B) End of year
22 Cash, savings, and investments	62,154.	80,065.
23 Land and buildings		
24 Other assets (describe ▶)		
25 Total assets	62,154.	80,065.
26 Total liabilities (describe ▶)	0.	0.
27 Net assets or fund balances (line 27 of column (B) must agree with line 21)	62,154.	80,065.

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Part V Other Information (Note the statement requirements in the instrs for Part V.) See Statement 4

	Yes	No
33 Did the organization engage in any activity not previously reported to the IRS? If 'Yes,' attach a detailed description of each activity		X
34 Were any changes made to the organizing or governing documents? If 'Yes,' attach a conformed copy of the changes		X
35 If the organization had income from business activities, such as those reported on lines 2, 6a, and 7a (among others), but not reported on Form 990-T, attach a statement explaining why the organization did not report the income on Form 990-T.		
a Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more or was it subject to section 6033(e) notice, reporting, and proxy tax requirements?		X
b If 'Yes,' has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		
36 Did the organization undergo a liquidation, dissolution, termination, or significant disposition of net assets during the year? If 'Yes,' complete applicable parts of Schedule N		X
37a Enter amount of political expenditures, direct or indirect, as described in the instructions 37a 0.		
b Did the organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
38a Did the organization borrow from, or make any loans to, any officer, director, trustee, or key employee or were any such loans made in a prior year and still outstanding at the end of the period covered by this return?		X
b If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part II and enter the total amount involved 38b N/A		
39 Section 501(c)(7) organizations Enter		
a Initiation fees and capital contributions included on line 9 39a N/A		
b Gross receipts, included on line 9, for public use of club facilities 39b N/A		
40a Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on the organization during the year under section 4911 N/A , section 4912 N/A , section 4955 N/A		
b Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Did the organization engage in any section 4958 excess benefit transaction during the year or is it aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule L, Part I 40b		
c Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax imposed on organization managers or disqualified persons during the year under sections 4912, 4955, and 4958 0.		
d Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations. Enter amount of tax on line 40c reimbursed by the organization 0.		
e All organizations. At any time during the tax year, was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? If 'Yes,' complete Form 8886-T 40e X		
41 List the states with which a copy of this return is filed None		

42a The organization's books are in care of **Mike Spencer, Financial Secr.** Telephone no **601-798-5387**
 Located at **408 Carroll Street Picayune MS** ZIP + 4 **39466**

	Yes	No
b At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)? If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country: _____		X
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22.1, Report of a Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts		
c At any time during the calendar year, did the organization maintain an office outside of the U S ? If 'Yes,' enter the name of the foreign country: _____		X

43 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-EZ in lieu of **Form 1041** — Check here ☐ **N/A**
 and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the tax year **43** **N/A**

	Yes	No
44 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds? If 'Yes,' Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ 44 X		
45 Is any related organization a controlled entity of the organization within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If 'Yes,' Form 990 must be completed instead of Form 990-EZ 45 X		

Part VI Section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts only. All section 501(c)(3) organizations and section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts must answer questions 46-49b and complete the tables for lines 50 and 51.**46** Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part I

Yes No

46**47** Did the organization engage in lobbying activities? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule C, Part II**47****48** Is the organization a school as described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If 'Yes,' complete Schedule E**48****49a** Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?**49a****b** If 'Yes,' was the related organization a section 527 organization?**49b****50** Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated employees (other than officers, directors, trustees and key employees) who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter 'None.'

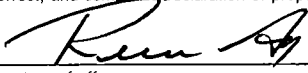
(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$100,000	(b) Title and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account and other allowances

f Total number of other employees paid over \$100,000 **▶** _____**51** Complete this table for the organization's five highest compensated independent contractors who each received more than \$100,000 of compensation from the organization. If there is none, enter 'None.'

(a) Name and address of each independent contractor paid more than \$100,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation

d Total number of other independent contractors each receiving over \$100,000 **▶** _____**Sign Here**

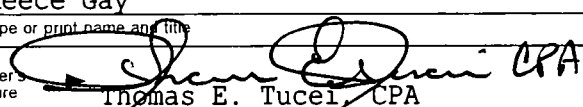
Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Signature of officer 

Date 11-15-2010

Type or print name and title Reece Gay

Treasurer

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Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP + 4

Thomas E. Tucei CPA
Moore & Powell CPAs, P.A.
115 West Canal St.
Picayune, MS 39466

Date 11/15/10

Check if self-employed ☐

Preparer's Identifying Number (See instructions) P00430741

EIN 64-0822697

Phone no (601) 799-1414

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? See instructions

☒ Yes ☐ No

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, lines 17, 18, or 19, or if the organization entered more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.
▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ. ▶ See separate instructions.

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Name of the organization Knights of Columbus, Oscar J. Gelpi
Council 6872

Employer identification number
64-0679734

Part I

Fundraising Activities. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 17
Form 990EZ filers are not required to complete this part.

- 1** Indicate whether the organization raised funds through any of the following activities. Check all that apply.

- | | |
|---|--|
| ☐ Mail solicitations | ☐ Solicitation of non-government grants |
| ☐ Internet and email solicitations | ☐ Solicitation of government grants |
| ☐ Phone solicitations | ☐ Special fundraising events |
| ☐ In-person solicitations | |

2a Did the organization have written or oral agreement with any individual (including officers, directors, trustees or key employees listed in Form 990, Part VII) or entity in connection with professional fundraising services?

☐ Yes ☐ No

b If 'Yes,' list the ten highest paid individuals or entities (fundraisers) pursuant to agreements under which the fundraiser is to be compensated at least \$5,000 by the organization.

(i) Name of individual or entity (fundraiser)	(ii) Activity	(iii) Did fundraiser have custody or control of contributions?		(iv) Gross receipts from activity	(v) Amount paid to (or retained by) fundraiser listed in col.(i)	(vi) Amount paid to (or retained by) organization
		Yes	No			
Total						

- 3 List all states in which the organization is registered or licensed to solicit funds or has been notified it is exempt from registration or licensing.

Part II Fundraising Events. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 18, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a. List events with gross receipts greater than \$5,000.

		(a) Event #1	(b) Event #2	(c) Other Events	(d) Total Events
		Tootsie Roll F (event type)	(event type)	(total number)	(Add col. (a) through col. (c))
REVENUE	1 Gross receipts	6,330.			6,330.
	2 Less Charitable contributions				
	3 Gross income (line 1 minus line 2)	6,330.			6,330.
DIRECT EXPENSES	4 Cash prizes				
	5 Noncash prizes				
	6 Rent/facility costs				
	7 Food and beverages				
	8 Entertainment				
	9 Other direct expenses	326.			326.
	10 Direct expense summary Add lines 4- through 9 in column (d)				326.
	11 Net income summary Combine lines 3, column (d) and line 10				6,004.

Part III Gaming. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' to Form 990, Part IV, line 19, or reported more than \$15,000 on Form 990-EZ, line 6a.

		(a) Bingo	(b) Pull tabs/Instant bingo/progressive bingo	(c) Other gaming	(d) Total gaming (Add col. (a) through col. (c))
REVENUE	1 Gross revenue	118,084.	42,517.		160,601.
DIRECT EXPENSES	2 Cash prizes	89,272.	30,475.		119,747.
	3 Non-cash prizes				
	4 Rent/facility costs	3,600.			3,600.
	5 Other direct expenses	6,676.			6,676.
	6 Volunteer labor	☒ Yes 100 % ☐ No	☒ Yes 100 % ☐ No	☐ Yes 0 % ☒ No	
	7 Direct expense summary Add lines 2 through 5 in column (d)				130,023.
	8 Net gaming income summary Combine lines 1, column (d) and line 7				30,578.

9 Enter the state(s) in which the organization operates gaming activities. MS

a Is the organization licensed to operate gaming activities in each of these states?

b If 'No,' explain

10a Were any of the organization's gaming licenses revoked, suspended or terminated during the tax year?

b If 'Yes,' explain.

11 Does the organization operate gaming activities with nonmembers?

12 Is the organization a grantor, beneficiary or trustee of a trust or a member of a partnership or other entity formed to administer charitable gaming?

	YES	NO
9a	X	
10a		X
11	X	
12		X

13 Indicate the percentage of gaming activity operated in**a** The organization's facility**13a** 100.0 %**b** An outside facility**13b** %**14** Enter the name and address of the person who prepares the organization's gaming/special events books and records.Name ▶ Reece GayAddress ▶ 408 Carroll Street, Picayune, MS 39466**15a** Does the organization have a contact with a third party from whom the organization receives gaming revenue?**15a**

X

b If 'Yes,' enter the amount of gaming revenue received by the organization \$ _____ and the amount of gaming revenue retained by the third party \$ _____**c** If 'Yes,' enter name and address of the third party.

Name ▶ _____

Address ▶ _____

16 Gaming manager information

Name ▶ _____

Gaming manager compensation ▶ \$ _____

Description of services provided ▶ _____

☐ Director/officer☐ Employee☐ Independent contractor**17** Mandatory distributions**a** Is the organization required under state law to make charitable distributions from the gaming proceeds to retain the state gaming license?**17a**

X

b Enter the amount of distributions required under state law to be distributed to other exempt organizations or spent in the organization's own exempt activities during the tax year ▶ \$ 30,578. See Supplemental

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Schedule G - Supplemental Information

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Part III, Line 17b

Distributions Required Under State Law

Mississippi

	\$	30,578.
Total	\$	<u>30,578.</u>

Statement 1
Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 8
Other Revenue

Transfers in transit 08	\$	3,300.
1/2 Insurance Reimbursed		2,733.
Scholarship Fund		1,200.
Assembly 2227 Bench Cost		200.
Reimbursement		25.
Total	\$	<u>7,458.</u>

Statement 2
Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 10
Grants and Similar Amounts Paid

Class of Activity:	Funeral expenses	
Donee's Name:	Various Needy individuals	
Cash Amount Given:		\$ 200.
 Class of Activity:	 Education Scholarship	
Donee's Name:	Various Needy individuals	
Cash Amount Given:		\$ 2,400.
 Class of Activity:	 Support payments	
Donee's Name:	Various Needy individuals	
Cash Amount Given:		\$ 1,600.
 Class of Activity:	 Youth activities	
Donee's Name:	Boy Scouts Troop 351	
Cash Amount Given:		\$ 840.
 Class of Activity:	 Youth activities	
Donee's Name:	Cub Scout Pack 5	
Cash Amount Given:		\$ 360.
 Class of Activity:	 Support for indigent	
Donee's Name:	St. Vincent De Paul Society	
Cash Amount Given:		\$ 2,821.
 Class of Activity:	 Medical support	
Donee's Name:	Sav-A-Life of Pearl River County	
Cash Amount Given:		\$ 2,400.
 Class of Activity:	 Support church ministries	
Donee's Name:	St. Charles Catholic Church	
Cash Amount Given:		\$ 1,500.
 Class of Activity:	 Retarded Citizens	
Donee's Name:	Special Olympics of Pearl River Co.	
Cash Amount Given:		\$ 400.
 Class of Activity:	 shelter costs	
Donee's Name:	Habitat for Humanity of PRC	
Cash Amount Given:		\$ 789.

Statement 2 (continued)
Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 10
Grants and Similar Amounts Paid

Class of Activity:	Support payments		
Donee's Name:	Knights of Columbus Foundation		
Relationship of Donee:	Nat'l Level Organization		
Cash Amount Given:		\$	6,102.
Class of Activity:	Education Scholarship		
Donee's Name:	Priest Education Fund		
Relationship of Donee:	State Level Organization		
Cash Amount Given:		\$	6,960.
Class of Activity:	Ministry		
Donee's Name:	Gulf Pine Catholic		
Relationship of Donee:	State Level Organization		
Cash Amount Given:		\$	100.
Class of Activity:	Education		
Donee's Name:	St. Charles Catholic School		
Cash Amount Given:		\$	880.
Donee's Name:	Picayune Main Street		
Cash Amount Given:		\$	250.
Donee's Name:	Dedeaux CYO		
Cash Amount Given:		\$	100.
Donee's Name:	FR A.C. Denis Coucil		
Cash Amount Given:		\$	100.
Donee's Name:	Catholic Cursillo Benefit		
Cash Amount Given:		\$	100.
Class of Activity:	Medical research		
Donee's Name:	The National MS Society		
Cash Amount Given:		\$	50.
Class of Activity:	Ministry		
Donee's Name:	St. Charles Pro Life		
Cash Amount Given:		\$	100.
Class of Activity:	support payments		
Donee's Name:	Knight of Columbus Council 12331		
Cash Amount Given:		\$	80.

Statement 3
Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 16
Other Expenses

Advertising and Promotion	\$	169.
Conferences, Conventions, and Meetings		1,385.
Dues collection cost		200.
Insurance		5,465.
Local Council Functions		2,478.
Other Misc Expenses		808.
Supplies		1,547.

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Statement 3 (continued)
Form 990-EZ, Part I, Line 16
Other Expenses

Taxes

Total \$ 1,784.
\$ 13,836.

Statement 4
Form 990-EZ, Part V
Regarding Transfers Associated with Personal Benefit Contracts

(a) Did the organization, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?

No

(b) Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?

No