

**The 23rd Annual MN Knights of Columbus Camping weekend is going to Pipestone MN August 25-27, 2017** It's not too early to make your reservations for this year's "Camporee" in beautiful Pipestone Minnesota, at the Pipestone RV Campground.

All ages are welcome to join the fun in southwest Minnesota. Located 8 miles from South Dakota, and 36 miles from Iowa on Hwy 23, the Pipestone RV Campground, is on the north end of Pipestone, just a short distance from down town Pipestone. The campground offers a pool, mini-golf, a nice playground, well-maintained campsites, clean restrooms, showers, or a place to relax under a nice shade tree, or by a campfire, and much more. You won't want to miss it.

Join us for Stations of the Cross, Bean bag and Horseshoe Tournaments, Mass on Saturday, a catered meal, activities, and loads of fun. This is a wonderful event to enjoy nature and make new friends. There will be KC families from across the state who have been coming for years and families coming for the first time. Bring your family and enjoy a great weekend.

The Campsites with **full hook up 50 AMP are \$40.00, full hook up 30 AMP are \$38.00** (the 30 AMP sites are 39, 41, 43, and 48. The rest of the available Full Hookup are 50 AMP, **water-electric are \$32.00** plus tax and fee. Good Sam Members, AAA, and Veterans receive a 10% discount. **We have reserved a block of 40 sites** to insure everyone has access to a site. There are some pull thru sites available. Group sites will be available upon request.

Call the Pipestone RV Campground at **507-825-2455 to reserve a site**, and tell them you are with the **Knights of Columbus, or go to [pipestonecampground.com](http://pipestonecampground.com)** **The block of sites will be held until August 1, 2017.** After that you may not get a site with the KC group, however other sites at the campground may be available....

Not a camper but still want to join us? There is an America's Best Value Inn with rooms starting at \$77.00. Call 507-690-0091 **Make your site or room reservations now for the weekend.** It will prove to be a great KC family event.

Refer to the [mnknights.org](http://mnknights.org) web site, as well as future state newsletters and emails for more details on meals, activities planned, and registration for the weekend. You are all welcome to come to town early or stay later to enjoy the Pipestone and Southwestern MN area.

The Pipestone National Monument is located across from the campground. It offers a nature walk for a small fee, working quarries, and a nice waterfall. The park offers free entry for the trail on Aug. 25. Other attractions: The Historic Pipestone County Museum, Fort Pipestone, the concrete water tower, one of 2 in the county, and a farmers market on Aug. 26.

Call the host couple Roger and Deanne Coudron at 507-532-6766 or [Deanna@coudron.com](mailto:Deanna@coudron.com) **or** Mark Glatzel at 320-267-1485 or [markglatzel64@gmail.com](mailto:markglatzel64@gmail.com) for more info or with questions.