EXAMPLE: STANDING RULES

The name of this organization shall be [Court Name Here].

Time of the meetings shall be the 3rd Wednesday of each month for all months except July and August when we recess for the summer.

Dues shall be $25.00 per year and may be paid quarterly. Membership dues are due and payable on June 1st of each year. Dues shall be $15.00 for all members 80 years or older if the member so desires. For members in skilled care homes, their member dues will be covered by the Court if desired.

All deceased Catholic Daughter members shall be enrolled in a Perpetual Mass enrollment.

Members may attend the funeral of a deceased member in a body. A two-row honor guard will be formed at the church entrance and members will sit directly behind the pallbearers.

Members will hold a rosary vigil for the deceased member after the parish prayer service.

The rosary will be offered for the repose of their soul for three consecutive meetings after their death.

Prayers will be offered at the next meeting for the soul of a deceased member of a member’s family.

A Mass shall be offered for the soul of a deceased husband, son, daughter, or parent of a member and a sympathy card sent.

Members will recite the rosary before each meeting.

A Living Rosary will be enacted at the October meeting, when possible.

A Mass will be offered each month for the intentions of all court members, living and deceased.

Members will receive Communion in a body on the day of reception of new members and on other Sundays during the year as designated by the Regent or as circumstance demand.

The Memorare and/or Vocation Prayer shall be recited at the conclusion of each meeting.

Officers shall compile a bi-annual yearbook and a copy shall be given to each member.

Flag bearers and banner bearers are to wear white dresses and shoes for installation of officers and reception of new members.

The officers are to be responsible for serving lunch at the September meeting.

A suitable gift shall be presented to each new baby of a member of the court.

A suitable gift shall be presented to each new bride who is a member of the court.