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Hello to all my brother and sister Red Knights!

This is my 1<sup>st</sup> Quarterly Report as your new International Secretary. It is hard to believe it is almost November. All of us down here on the coast of North Carolina survived the scare from Matthew with just a few limbs down and a lot of rain. Unfortunately, some of our brothers and sisters inland are still trying to swim out of the mess the storm left behind.

This first quarter as your Secretary has been a busy one. After sifting through the 200,000+ files on the computer I was able to make some headway and get some things done. We have started 10 new chapters since August and there are new applications to at least 4 more that I have sent out. Half of those chapters were started in Europe or Australia.

I have to admit that I fell a little behind on the TMLA process but have now caught up and all the applications have been handled to this point. The TMLA process is my first priority in streamlining and I have already thrown out some ideas for your International Board to chew on at our Fall Meeting. I think we are going to be able to reduce wait time on the process by A LOT!

Insurance has been going strong and I urge every Chapter to use the benefits we have in place. I have requested insurance for 11 events since I have taken the reigns and they are still coming in.

I would like to take this time to thank everyone for your support in electing me to fill this position. I can promise that I will put everything I have toward making our organization a better place for all of us. If anyone has any questions, concerns, or just wants to chat, please feel free to call or email me anytime.

Just as a reminder for ALL Chapters. Make sure your email is up and running and being checked by someone because ALL official documentation coming from this office will ONLY go to the Chapter email address assigned by the RKIFMC.

As always, keep the shiny side up and your knees in the wind!

Loyal to Our Duty  
Jack Jarvis  
International Secretary