

# Mizpah Shrine

Fort Wayne, Indiana

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April 2016

Notice of Meeting to the Nobility  
You are hereby notified of the following meeting at

## Mizpah Shrine

to be held at

1015 Memorial Way., Fort Wayne, Indiana

**Wednesday, April 6, 2016**

**Dinner 6:15pm**

**Meeting 7:00pm**

Fraternally: Jerry W. Freewalt, Potentate

Attest: Paul L. Barker Jr, Recorder

The purpose of these meetings is to act on any business as may come before it.

Your presence is requested

**BUSINESS OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm**

**MIZPAH SHRINE DIVAN:**

Jerry Freewalt, Potentate  
Hal Harting, Chief Rabban  
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Rudolph Mahara, 33°, Oriental Guide  
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Paul Barker, Jr, Recorder

**TRUSTEES:**

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Owen Wade (18)  
Kenneth Lundquist (19)  
Rick Stirratt (20)

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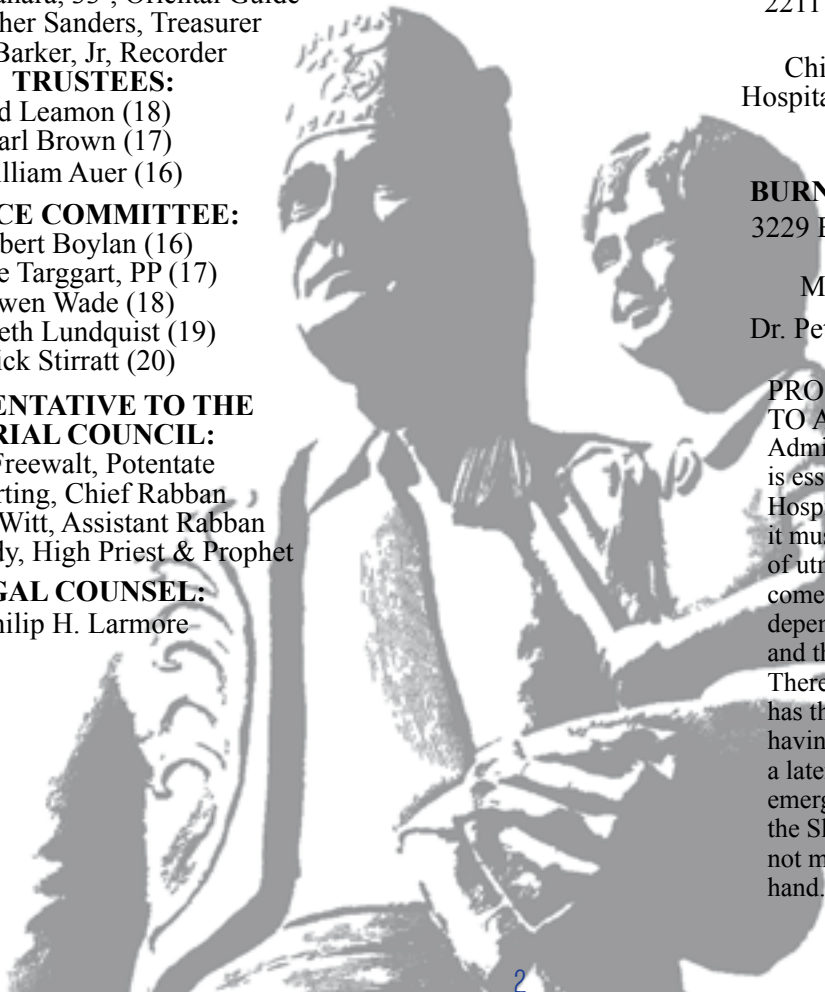
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## May 2016

- May 2 Divan Mtg / Ladies Mtg 6pm
- May 4 Shrine Stated Meeting 7pm
- May 7 Harlan Screening Clinic 1-3pm
- May 8 Mother's Day
- May 11 Nile Stated Session 7pm
- May 14 Mother/Daughter Brunch 10am
- May 14 Potentate's Ball
- May 16 Van Scheduler's Mtg 6:30pm
- May 19 Nile party 5pm
- May 19 - 21 CoHo Salmon Derby
- May 26 Divan Ladies Party 5pm
- May 30 Memorial Day - Office Closed
- May 31 Divan Mtg / Ladies Mtg 6pm

## June 2016

- Jun 1 Shrine Stated Meeting 7pm
- Jun 4 Kids Fishing Derby
- Jun 4 Class Directors Golf Outing
- Jun 11 Marion Screening Clinic 1-3pm
- Jun 15 - 19 Nile Supreme Session
- Jun 15 Etna Acres Golf Outing
- Jun 16 Mizpah Shrine Golf Outing
- Jun 18 - 19 Horse Show
- Jun 19 Father's Day
- Jun 25 Columbia City Parade

## July 2016

- Jul 3-8 Imperial Session
- Jul 9 Angola Parade
- Jul 10 Nile Supreme Queen Visit
- Jul 11 Trustee/Finance Mtg
- Jul 14 Ladies Golf Outing
- Jul 16 Screening Clinic - Columbia City
- Jul 18 Van Scheduler Mtg
- Jul 21 Nile Party

## Nile Birthday Party Luncheon

Saturday, April 23th

11:30am

Mizpah Shrine Center

Food - Fun - Fellowship

For information

call Queen Karen 260-519-2029





## Recorder's Message

We all know the path to Shrinedom comes from our Blue Lodge roots. As we attend Lodge, talk to our Brothers about the benefits of being a Shriner. We have to improve our recruiting from our Lodges. While new members in our home Lodges are certainly a source of new Shrine members, let's not forget the old timers who have been around a while. Show your fellow Lodge members, that we care about the light we have been given and want to show them how to shine even brighter within the Shrine Philanthropy. The accomplishments of Shrine Hospitals in improving the lives of the children they treat every day, is something all Masons and Shriners are proud of. As you see kids in your area, at schools, at Church, in your neighborhood, who could lead a better life with the services available at our Hospitals,

talk to them and their parents about what Shriners and our Hospitals might be able to do for them. That's what those of us who wear the Fez, have taken an obligation to do.

We need to make potential Nobles aware they can learn more about our Fraternity by visiting [beashrinner.com](http://beashrinner.com). The Spring Ceremonial is April 16th. Let's all get the benefits Shriners do for our Community and our Kids out to our Blue Lodge Brothers. Let's put together a Banner Class. Let's make this a year, where Mizpah joins other Temples in growing our Membership.

Fraternally,  
Paul L. Barker, Jr  
Recorder

## Screening Clinics 2016



Saturday, April 9th

Cameron Memorial Hospital  
Angola, IN  
1-3pm

Saturday, May 7th  
Harlan, IN  
1-3pm

Saturday, June 11th  
Marion, IN  
1-3pm

Saturday, July 16th  
Whitley Co Parkview Hospital  
Columbia City, IN  
1-3pm

Saturday, October 1st  
Parkview Hospital - North Campus  
Fort Wayne, IN  
1-3pm

## Mizpah Van Schedulers

### Elkhart

Neil Pittenger - 574-215-2603  
Bill Roose - 574-361-7922

### Fort Wayne Area

Jerry Willman - 260-483-4226  
Chuck Notter - 260-799-4168

### Grant/Blackford Co

Roger Beck - 765-674-5831  
John Silves - 765-661-5011

### LaGrange/Steuben

Don Shively - 260-833-4884  
Jim Boss - 260-350-8302  
Chuck Miller - 260-854-2964

### Noble Co

Terry Bradner - 574-457-6441

## Grant/ Blackford

2 Trips to Chicago  
3 Patient

### Drivers:

Brent Bowman  
Larry Leach  
John Silves  
Gene Woolard

## Elkhart Co

1 Trips to Chicago  
1 Patient

### Drivers:

Jake & Terry Dermott

## LaGrange/ Steuben

6 Trips to Chicago  
7 Patient

### Drivers:

Tom Culler  
Jeff Brill  
Rich Dalrymple  
Jim Gallup  
Hal Harting  
Jim Keeslar  
Don Shively  
Paul Wilson

## Fort Wayne

11 Trips to Chicago  
15 Patients

### Drivers:

Doug Brouwer	Kevin Myers
John Coleman	Vern Neel
Jerry Freewalt	Chuck Notter
Jim Gentry	Barry Richards
Hal Harting	Joe Rockwell
Phil Hoopingarner	John VanVoorst
Jim Kyler	Jerry Willman
Paul Lopshire	

## Noble Co

2 Trips to Chicago  
1 Trip to Cincinnati  
1 Trip to Lutheran  
4 Patient

### Drivers:

Terry Bradner      John Harlan  
Bob Evers          Dennis Paternoster

The Nobles and their Ladies  
listed for the various areas drove  
Mizpah Shrine Vans transporting  
patients and their parents to Chicago  
or Cincinnati

## Hospital Unit News

Have you visited any of the Shriners Hospitals for Children??? Or ... has it been some time since you visited?? If you would like to visit, you could ride along in one of our vans when our drivers make a regular trip to Chicago or Cincinnati. At the hospital there are hospital ushers, nobles from Medinah Temple, who would be happy to give you a hospital tour. Traveling with our patients and their families is a rewarding experience all in itself. Our drivers are fun to be with also. But beware, we start early, sometimes even before the rooster crows!!!

The drivers training course will be offered as needed. If you are interested, please contact one of the van schedulers.

Hospital Unit dues are due. If you have not received information about dues, please contact Doug Brouwer, phone 260-672-3072 or email brouwerdr@aol. 5  
com.

We are going over our Mission, Vision, and Bylaws. Discussion will continue at our next meeting. We are seeking your input.

Our meetings are going on the road! Meetings for odd numbered months, January, March, May, July, September, November will be held in counties other than Allen County. Meetings for even numbered months, February, April, June, August, October and November will be Allen County.

Interested in knowing more about the Hospital Unit, please join us at our next meeting, Wednesday, March 16, 6:30 at the Mizpah Shrine Center.

Fraternally,  
Doug Brouwer, Secretary

# Shrine Units

## *Flying Shriners*

True Airspeed: Are You a Pilot?? Are You A Mizpah Shriner?? -"BOTH" - Then YOU are NEEDED in the Flying Shriners -Mizpah Wing!! Yes!! We are Active. Please contact us.

We Meet at The Shrine Center of Mizpah for Lunch at 12:00 Noon on the 2nd Wednesday of the month. Then retire to a private room for a short meeting, Hanger Flying and playing cards.

The 6' x 6" Wall Tile Legacy Project is now complete. Stop and See the Wall Tile Displayed across from the Shrine Office. "Proud to be a Flying Shriner"

Onions – Onions – Sweet Vidalia Onions – Let's Help Mr. Onion sell onions!! Surprise Your Lady with a bag of onions --- However we cannot be responsible for Her reactions We will be taking pre-orders and orders when they arrive -- Onions sales will go to the class directors Unit.

Summer Parades -Will You Parade with US?? Do you have a special Parade You want to be in? We have available a unit that has a Parade Trailer to ride in. We need to decorate the unit with Flying Shriner – Flags – Signs – Banners – ect. Can You Help?? Please attend the meetings and help with the projects.

Missing Members We have a few missing members and we need your contact information. Please contact us at lanerealty@hughes.net and/or (260) 908-4899 -- P.O. Box 367, Butler, IN 46721

David L. Lane, President

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<b>keluv1992@aol.com</b>	

## *Horse Patrol*

March roared in like a Lion as it is suppose to, so lets hope the Lamb shows up as it leaves, with pretty wild flowers trying to hide the good mushrooms. And good is what many are missing when they can't fine time to attend meetings. Pres./Cook Bill Kintzel has been treating us to both, good meal and good meeting. We tried to get him to announce Aprils menu and he just said "GOOD, DON'T MISS IT", but someone said he asked Ed Howard to grill for him and that sounds like steaks to me, but not for sure. The Spring Fling (hope you have your ticket) will follow the next night on April 8, don't miss it. You may go home richer and for sure a belly full of good steak, washed down with your favorite drink and lots of fun with many friends.

LNO is April 13, we will be at Sleepy Owl in Syracuse, hosted by Bob and Sue Dumford, come and bring friends, call 574-536-9943 for rsvp. Pass events are March LNO and our Spring Trail Ride, I'll have a up date on each for next report.

Captain John VanVoorst is getting pumped to get us back in the saddle and him being Pres. of GLSAHP has him busy with planning and details for the convention in Indy in Sept. He is host of the Mid-Winter Meeting at the club house this past month for the few troops we have. John is also Bus. mtg. in charge of grounds and will need help when the ground dries to groom the drainage work done by the Sickafoose's to get the arenas ready for use. Let him know if you are available and want to help.

My last months report on laid up members and past member brought me a few phone calls from pass members and others, if I can get more info. on pass members we could include a report "where are the now" comments for all to enjoy. Many would be glad to hear keep up-dated, you don't ride horses together without acquiring a certain bond. Eldon Paul 450-1615 and Bob Coe 760-0301, give them call if you can't visit, they will sure appreciate it...

I think I can smell some mushrooms popping and I better hurry before Ron Bailey beats me to them. So Long

# *Antique Power Club*

We want to thank the members returning from the cruise for the wonderful weather you brought back with you...spring has sprung.

Now, everybody needs to get out your calendars and mark the following dates. John B has been working hard to get these set up. Thanks John!

June 18th – Huntington Parade  
June 25th – Old Settlers Columbia City  
(Temple Parade)  
July 7th – 9th- Arcola Days & Parade  
July 9th – Angola (Temple Parade)  
August 1st - Pierceton  
August 6th - North Manchester  
August 20th - Wabash (Temple Parade)  
August 13th - Tractor Drive  
August - APC Picnic  
September 17th - Sportsman Raffle  
September 8, 9 10th - GLSA  
September 22th - Bluffton  
October 24th - Decatur

More information will be coming out as it becomes available. Me sure to attend the Stated Meetings for all the information or contact any of the APC. We look forward to seeing everybody there!

Greg Bateman, Secretary APC

# *Class Directors*

We Welcome New Member Don Dohner to the Class Directors.

Everyone -- Please Support our annual onion sales. Start taking orders!! Pre-Sell Onions!! We need to Sell 400 Bags. Your Onion Sales really Count!! Sell – Sell – Sell!!

Time to Start Working to put your golf teams together. The 49th Annual Class Directors GolfOuting. Mark your calendars Saturday June 4th, 2016. The Garrett Country Club will host this event. We need everyone's help getting Hole Sponsors @ \$100. / Each.

Would you like to play the steel drums?? Contact us we have them!!

Fred Diehl, Director

# Service Units

## *Bagpipers*

Dear Bagpipe Fans,

Well, St Patrick's Day will have come and gone by the time you read this article, so all I have to regale you with about those experiences will be in the next article.

Dick has set some new tunes for us for St Patrick's Day (Barnyards of Delgaty, Castle Dangerous and The Wearing of the Green). He is trying to widen our repertoire to include more Irish tunes. Greg has been working us hard at these and the rest of our tunes.

Mark and Greg have been diligent in their pursuit of gigs for us to play. It is nice that a number of the pubs/taverns/restaurants have asked us to return.

The band always pulls together for this venue of events showcasing our talent. Brad continues to excel on the snare drum. Goose, Scott, Dick, Bobby, Greg, Mark and I are trying to make sure we have the tunes down with a minimum of mistakes. Lance (with Dick's assistance) is getting proficient on the bass drum.

We are glad to see that Mark and his wife are making rapid recovery from their injuries. Both of them are assets to the band and we suffer when they suffer. Now, if we can just keep Mark away from being operated on for something new, we can enjoy having him around to play.

Well, enough for now. Remember, if you want to join us and share in the camaraderie, we give lessons on the pipes and we are always looking for drummers. Just talk to any of the members or show up on Wednesday night around 7:00 pm.

Joe Jenckes , Bard

# Service Units

## Hillbilly Clan #95

Howdy ya'all. –

### Clowns

Dear Smile Buddies,


I know that the Circus is long past, but the fond memories linger. Speaking of that, Patches, Fuzzy, Rufus, Smiley, Inky, Putz and Sambo attended the Circus Appreciation Party Tonight. Sambo's wife made up a picture for Potentate Jerry Freewalt(attached) display it in the bar at the Shrine for awhile...so if you go in to the bar, be proud, we are the Mizpah Shrine Clowns!!!!

If you get a chance to go to the Mizpah Shrine Center web site, they have a lot of pictures from the circus. I was just going through the ones on clowns and reminiscing about what a good time I had this year. It really makes you want to be ready for Circus 2017!

We have a number of clinics coming up this year. The first will be on April 9th at the Cameron Hospital in Angola. I have heard that many folks don't encourage participation because the internet makes it easier to enter the program. What they miss out on is having a doctor present who can tell the family right away if the child is eligible, having Shriners on site who can help with the paperwork and having a sponsor assigned to help monitor the child's progress. If you are wondering about what constitutes illnesses/ injuries that the Hospital can handle, check out the February Allah Bi article by Doug Brouwer of the hospital unit. He included a comprehensive list.

We do a lot of things during the year, but I have to say that the circus is the one event that pulls us all together and makes me proud to be a clown!

Joe "Lucky Lewey" Jenckes



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We had us a great meetin' at the Shine Horse Patrol grounds. We kind ehcelebrated St. Valentine's Day, seains it was just the next day. Bob and Deb Boylan cooked up some right tasty main vittles and plenty of cuzzins helped load up the tables with more fine fixins. Umm UmmGoodeatin! Randy Krider, Keeper of the Still, and wife Sherry concocted some dandy 'elixirs' to help rinse it all down.

We have started workin on our raffle prize for the Sportsman's Raffle. We got us a raffle committee and collected some ideas for a raffle prize. Hopefully we will have some various prize options to vote on in a month or so.

A couple cuzzins told us about the Imperial Shrine Hillbilly gatherin in Pigeon Forge, TN and the Annual Hillbilly Festival in Pikeville, KY this year. Both sound like a knee-slappin good time. If anyone is interested in goin to either event, just send an email to johnnyappleseed95@hotmail.com and we'll gitya the lowdown.

That's about it. Keep smiling, cuz spring is almost here!

Pa and Ma Smith.





# Khyber Gun Club

Greetings Nobles,

Warmer weather is coming, be ready to attend the monthly trap shoot at the Horse Patrol Grounds on April 19 (weather permitting). Shooting starts at 6:00 and lasts about 1 hour. Loaner guns are available along with ammo at reasonable prices. Nobles, friends and neighbors are welcome.

The Spring Ceremonial is April 16 starting at 8:00. A fish fry is planned for April 29 at the Shrine Center, be ready. Also pay your dues.

The next KHYBER meeting will be on April 26 at 7:00 with fellowship and eats at 6:00 in the lounge

Fraternally,

Jim Crawford, Secretary.

## Legion of Honor

Our parade season is soon approaching for the LOH and all the Mizpah Units. Everyone should start limbering up their legs from the winter easy chair, except some of us old guys that will be riding. Commander Gil will soon be busy scheduling parades for the LOH.

We welcome two more new members, Kevin Schichner and Dennis Schebig to the Mizpah Legion of Honor. Any member of Mizpah who has received an honorable discharge or presently serving in the Armed Forces can apply for membership in the Legion of Honor.

Some facts about the "Bell UH-1 Iroquois (Huey) Helicopter"

Despite the official "Iroquois" name, the nickname "Huey" stuck because of the early models was HU-1 and then changed to UH-1 in 1962 the name "Iroquois" is seldom used in referring to the UH-1 Helicopter. The first Hueys were shipped to Vietnam in 1963 and during the Vietnam conflict there more than 5000 in Southeast Asia. The Hueys in Vietnam were used for Medevac, Transport of Personnel and Material, and Gunships.

2nd Lt. Commander  
Roger Beck

# Service Units

## Radio Unit

**Notice: Become a HAM Radio Operator**  
**The Radio Unit is holding an**  
**entry level Technician Training Class**  
**on 3 Saturdays - April 2nd, 9th and 23rd**  
**at the Shrine from 9:00 until Noon**

Bobby Wade AB9W will instruct the class and provide you a CD of all the course materials. There is no cost and everyone attending should be able to be licensed by the end of April. There are no Morse code requirements any longer for any amateur radio license. The Technician license requires easy to learn rules and regulations, common operating practices and some very basic electronics concepts. Please try to attend the (3) Saturday course days but if you cannot, then come for 1 or 2.

This class will be open to all Masons, Shriners -their families and friends. If you are interested in attending please let our Secretary Steve Haxby N9MEL know. Steve can be reached at 260.433.1167 cell or email to shaxby@aol.com Hope to see you at the class!

Rick Stirratt AA9DU  
Radio Unit President



Sherri and I would like to thank EVERYONE who went on the 2016 Potentate Trip. We hope you had a good time and brought home some wonderful memories. We know we will always remember the great times and "what happened in Cancun stays in Cancun!"

Jerry Freewalt, Potentate 2016

# Service Units

## *Mizpah Vettes*

As I sit here in early March and jot down a few thoughts for this April article, I hope that when you read this the up and down temps. we have been experiencing now will have settled into steady warmer temps. for April and the Corvettes are out of storage, shined, polished and serviced and on the road again, all ready for this years activities. That being said the Vettes have decided in an effort to equalize the travel distance for our members to hold several of our meetings in different locations through out Mizpah land. As a result of this decision our February meeting was held in North Manchester with our March meeting back at the Shrine Center. Our April meeting will be a Ladies night in Wabash at the Charlie Creek Inn. Noble Bob Kisner has put forth an excellent effort in putting this together for our Nobles and Ladies with social time and dinner in the Cloud Room, followed by a guided tour of this beautifully restored hotel. Our May meeting will return to the Shrine Center with future locations being finalized at that time.

Noble John Brandon, our Parade Marshal, has presented a list of possible parades for the 2016 season. A final schedule will be decided on by the membership at the May meeting.

## *Yoshi*

Beer and Chips night has come and gone and if you missed it you missed a great time! We had a packed house with everyone getting something to take home with them. I would like say thank you to the dealers and other helpers that made this event run so smooth. It takes everyone's help from taking tickets to sweeping floors to make such a good time happen, and you made it happen. I would also like to put a shout out to our sponsors who furnished us with some of the door prizes. Again, a nice job to the individuals who brought gifts, it is impossible to do this without them. I don't think we could have gotten any more people in the room and it was one of the best turn outs I have seen in a while. On a side note it was nice to see all the new Yoshi jerseys, it wasn't hard to find help if you needed it.

Once again the Vettes will conduct a cash raffle in conjunction with the Sportsman's Raffle. We have done this for the past two years and it has proven to be very successful for our club. Our tickets will be the same as last year, priced at five dollars each or five for twenty with first prize being five hundred dollars and the runner up at two hundred fifty.

Our Vette Club membership continues to grow as we welcome three new members to our roster. Noble Steve Byerly and Lady Tina of Wabash, Noble Bob Dumford and Lady Sue of Syracuse, and Noble Chuck Tomlinson and Lady Linda of Huntington. We are also happy to have returning to our membership Noble Kenny Adams and Lady Pat of Muncie. Noble Kenny had dropped out to serve as Master of his Lodge the past two years, and now that he has fulfilled that obligation we are pleased that he will be able to once again participate in the activities of the Vettes membership. With the additions we now have twenty Corvettes in our Club, however we will still welcome more, so if you have a Vette, or are planning on getting one, do it and come join us.

Until next time,  
Dee Byerly, President

By the time you read this we will have had our Easter party at the Shrine. Our new bunny suit is in and looks pretty good. The meeting was moved up this month to go over the preparation for Easter party. The next meeting will be April 18th and we will be discussing the Fishing derby coming up in June along with the sportsman's raffle.

I hope you had a safe and wonderful Easter.

10 Fraternally  
Mike Dold, Sec/Tres



# Daughters of the Nile



## Ladies of the Household

Greetings to everyone as we look forward to a new year in the Nile calendar. It's always exciting to start a new year in the Spring as things are beginning to wake up after a long winter and we start thinking of fresh new starts and warm spring days.

The theme chosen for this year is "We have fun so the Kids can Run" - and we are going to make sure to have LOTS of fun this year!! There will be a calendar passed out at the April meeting to give everyone information as to all that is happening - I hope to see many of our members attend so the information is available to all.

The first event of the year is the Nile Birthday party on April 23rd. The party starts at noon in the Imperial Room at the Mizpah Shrine Center and is open to ALL Nile members. Please come for an afternoon of fun and food as we celebrate Daughters of the Nile Birthday. There will be cake and food and games. Please bring a gift card to send to the Shriners Hospital for Children as your "gift" for the afternoon.

I plan to use various forms of communication this year. I know that many of our members use Facebook to communicate. I also will use the Nile Notes and the Allah Bi to give updates about all that is going on.

But the best form of communication I have found is an old-fashioned one....I am going to use the PHONE. I plan to form a membership team to call our members to make sure that everyone is kept up to date on all information. We will be calling ALL members on a regular basis - sometimes to just check in and say hello...sometimes to give the latest news or hear the latest news. If you would like to be part of this team, let me know. We want enthusiastic and friendly members that want to keep other members involved. MEMBERSHIP is key to keeping our Temple alive and growing.

So, Ladies....let's have some fun this year....I am ready to get to work to make this a wonderful and exciting year. I hope you want to come along for the fun! I look forward to seeing all of you at the parties and the meetings.


"One hundred years from now, it will not matter what my bank account was, what sort of house I lived in, or the kind of car I drove....but the world may be different because I was important in the life of a child."

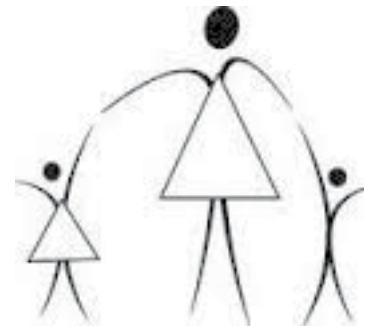
Nile Love,  
Karen Kippert, Queen



*Mother's  
Day  
Brunch*

*Saturday, May 14th  
Ft Wayne Botanical Gardens  
10:00am - 12 noon*

*Spend the morning with your mom, daughter, granddaughter, or other important women in your life! Brunch at the Botanical Gardens, stroll through the Conservatory and enjoy the flowers, and have your picture taken to remember the day. Every guest will receive a framed photo as a gift. Reservations to Carroll Nichols by May 6th (260)432-5132 or by emailing [cjnichols@aol.com](mailto:cjnichols@aol.com). \$12.00 per person. (includes entry into the Conservatory) *



*All Ladies and their guests are invited to attend - do not need to be a Nile member*



# Potentate's Message

Nobles,  
I don't know if any of you read the Allah-Bi or what is inside, in April's issue there are two mistakes. Whoever calls me first, I will buy lunch on Wednesday at noon at Mildred's Lounge.

March was a full month with lots of activities going on. Beer and Chips had a 120 Nobles and Ladies attending, also the Beer tasting by the Director Staff was well attended. The children really enjoyed the Easter Bunny party put on by the Yoshi.

Mizpah happenings in April are huge! At the Stated Meeting we're going to serve you fish. It will be the first test for our future Fish Fries. The Hillbillies will be serving. Hope to have about a 100 Nobles try out our new fish dinner. I know a man that did many times.

April 16th is our Spring Ceremonial, beginning at 8:00 am. The ladies will be excused about 10:30 am for their program. Membership Chairman's Bill Leedy and Bill Bryan would like to see about 21 new Shriners that day.

The membership has to be aware that the Black Camel and those who do not keep their dues current can eventually put Mizpah out of business. We need to head in the right direction. The good or bad direction is all of responsibility. Let's move forward by getting new members and keeping those we already have.

## Upcoming Events:

- Hats off to for the kids. The Ball Committee is working hard for a fun filled evening. Have you made your reservations? It promises to be an evening full of fun and enjoyment. See you there.
- GLSA news about rooms will be talked about by Roger Weaver, PP at the April meeting.
- Did you hear what I heard? Onion sprouts are popping up in Georgia. What a wonderful way to make money in a short time. Ron Harruff, PP needs your orders and your help when onions come in and with some young Nobles to work the Onion trailer at the Temple.
- Sportsman Raffle Chairman Steve Cowan, PP still needs to sell 996 tickets more than last year. He's a little worried about that, so we need to put a smile on his face by surpassing that amount.

Congratulations to Queen Karen Kippert and her Officers for a wonderful Nile installation.

In closing, "Your Divan is working for you", your presence is all we ask.

Jerry W. Freewalt, Potentate.

## April 29th Mizpah Fish Fry

5 - 8pm

\$8.00 Adults

\$4.00 Kids

(12 and under)



Macaroni Salad  
Baked Beans  
Rolls  
Desserts



<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
					1	2 <i>Technician Training 9am - 12</i>
3	4 Chanters <i>Divan Mtg 5pm Ladies Mtg</i>	5	6 Bagpipers <i>Shrine Stated Mtg Dinner 6:15 pm Hillbilly Serve Mtg 7pm</i>	7 Band Horse Patrol	8	9 <i>Technician Training 9am - 12</i> Hillbilly Clan <i>Screening Clinic Cameron Hosp 1-3pm</i>
10	11 Chanters Directors Staff <i>Trustee Mtg Finance Mtg 6:30pm</i>	12 Class Directors	13 Bagpipers Flying Shriners Kosciusko SC LaGrange SC Randolph SC <i>Nile Stated Mtg 7pm</i>	14 Band LOH	15	16 <i>Spring Ceremonial 8am</i>
17	18 Chanters Vettes Yoshi	19 Radio Unit	20 Bagpipers Jay Co SC Hospital Unit Pokagon SC	21 Band Elkhart SC Mizmur SC	22	23 <i>Technician Training 9am - 12</i> <i>Nile Birthday Party 12pm</i>
24	25 Antique Power Car Club Chanters	26 Calliopopers Clowns Khybers	27 Bagpipers Eel River SC Hapzim Media Unit Wabash SC	28 Band Blackford Co Whitley Co	29 <i>FISH FRY 5-8pm</i>	30



# Mizpah Shrine Spring Ceremonial Saturday, April 16, 2016



- 9:00am Registration  
10:00am Opening – Jerry Freewalt, Potentate  
Post Colors – Mizpah Color Guard  
Pledge  
Invocation - Bill Hartman, Chaplain  
Introductions – Potentate  
Divan  
Past Potentates  
Visiting Dignitaries  
10:30am First Section - Ceremonial (ladies will be excused)  
11:15am Break to set up  
11:30am Second Section - Ceremonial  
12:30pm Lunch (ladies will return)  
1:30pm Honoree Presentation – Potentate  
2:00pm Club and Unit Presentations  
2:30pm Necrology presented by Ill Sirs Don Scott, Larry Chapel  
3:00pm “Old Red Fez” Noble Brooks Targgart  
3:15pm “Mizpah” Noble Brooks Targgart  
3:30pm Fez New Nobles  
4:00pm Lounge Opens

*Attest: Paul L. Barker, Jr  
Recorder*

## Class Honoree Noble Thomas Smith, Sr

Noble Tom Smith is the class honoree for the Spring Ceremonial of 2016. He has been a Shriner since 1978 and in his years in the Fraternity, has displayed all the traits of a true Shriner. Tom is dependable and loyal and has served his Fraternity with integrity and faithfulness.

Tom is a member of many units and clubs, including the Racing Shriners, the Legion of Honor, the Hillbilly Clan, the Hospital Unit, and the Hapzim Shrine Club. He has also

served as an Ambassador for the Huntington area for many years. Tom has also been one of the hard workers that has helped make our Circus a success for many years.

Tom and his wife Sue have been married for 56 years. They have 3 children, 8 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. Tom spent his working career driving truck for over 41 years with Gulf Oil Refiners. These days, he keeps busy by driving for Enterprise since 2001.



Tom Smith is well-deserved of the honor of having this Spring Ceremonial named for him. Congratulations Tom and thank you for all you do for Mizpah.



# Mizpah Shrine

PETITION FOR INITIATION AND MEMBERSHIP

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Fort Wayne, IN 46805  
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Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Birthplace \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Lady's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Hobbies \_\_\_\_\_

*To the Illustrious Potentate, Officers, and Members of Mizpah Shriners of Fort Wayne, Indiana: I, the undersigned, hereby declare that I am a Master Mason in Good Standing of \_\_\_\_\_ Lodge# \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ (city and State) I further represent that I have never applied for said order, nor have I, to the best of my knowledge, been rejected by any other Shrine oasis. If I be found worthy and my request granted, I promise to conform to all the ceremonies, engagements, constitution, regulations and edicts of the Imperial Council together with those of Mizpah Shriners.*

\_\_\_\_\_ signature \_\_\_\_\_ date

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# Shrine Clubs

## Mizmur

### Scooter Patrol

Nobles:

This is the month we need to start working on our bikes and trailer to get ready for the parades. Again we need to start planning our parades keeping in mind that we are limited on riders and the age of our Van. We want to attend as many Parades as we have enough riders, it takes at least 4 riders to do maneuvers and look good. These are things that we need to talk about.

Give everyone an update on Br Doran Kendall he had his kidney removed and he is doing great he says he will be ready to ride this year. Br Max and Norma Wiesmantel are at Colonial oaks health care. Max is getting along as well as can be expected sister Norma not as good but hanging in there. Please attend as many Ladies night as you can because we are having meetings there. And our ladies enjoy everyone company and the fellowship.

Thank You  
Bob Kendall

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## Whitley Co SC

The Swiss Steak Supper was a tremendous success this year. It is always nice to start the year out with a well attended event. President Bill Auer would like to thank Noble Randy Krider for overseeing and coordinating all aspects of this event. The officers of the Whitley County Shrine Club would like to extend a heartfelt "Thank You" to all the Nobles and Ladies that contributed to the success of the Swiss Steak Supper.

With the supper behind us we can now begin to focus on the Elephant Ear season. We will again be involved in Old Settlers Days, Turtle Days and the 4th Fireworks. The dough party and schedules for the events will be forthcoming.

Upcoming Dates:

April 28th ---Monthly meeting, Horse Grounds

Ken Lundquist  
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# Sportsman's Raffle



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**WHEN:** Thursday- July 21, 2016  
12:30 P.M. Registration  
1:00 Shot Gun Start

**WHERE:** Zollner Golf Course- Angola, IN

**COST:** \$70.00 Per Person (Includes golf, cart, dinner, & beverages)  
\$18.00 Per Person (Non-golfer dinner)  
Dinner following golf at the Angola Moose (108 N. Martha St.)

**Format:** Four Person Florida Scramble

**Hole Sponsors:** \$50.00 \_\_\_\_\_

**#1 Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**#2 Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**#3 Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**#4 Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

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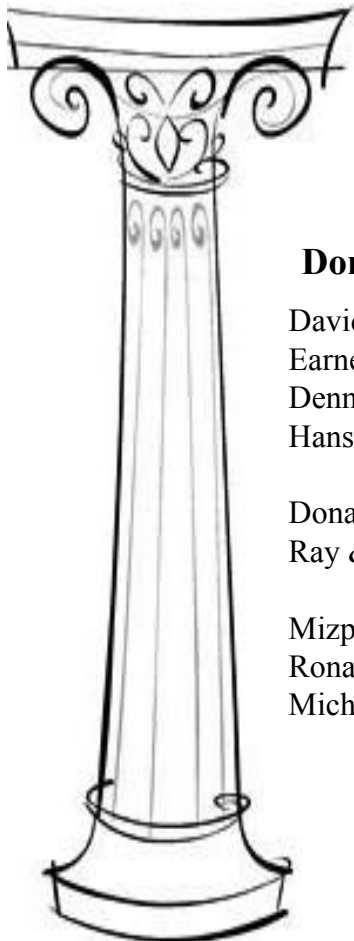
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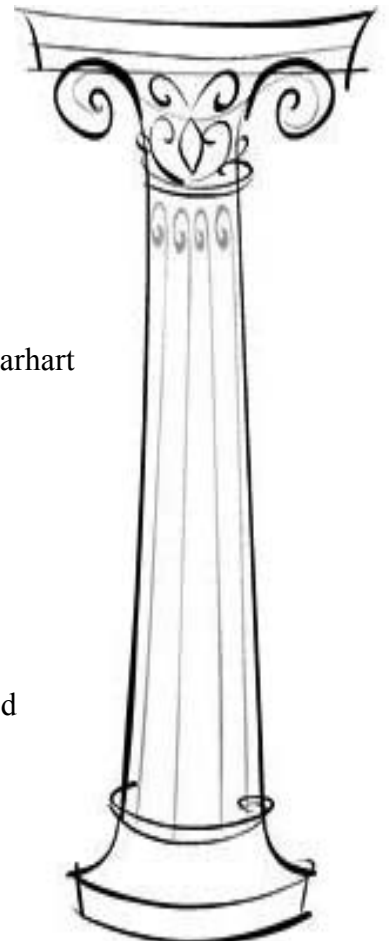
# Black Camel - February 2016

Not how did he die, but how did he live?  
 Not what did he gain, but what did he give?  
 These are the units to measure the worth  
 Of a man as a man, regardless of birth.  
 Not, what was his church, nor what was his creed?  
 But had he befriended those really in need?  
 Was he ever ready, with word of good cheer,  
 To bring back a smile, to banish a tear?  
 Not what did the sketch in the newspaper say,  
 But how many were sorry when he passed away.

Noble	Age	Yrs of Svc
Richard B Fishing	93	60
Kenneth A King	104	73
Donald E Surfus	82	41



## 100 Million Club February 2016



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# Hats Off For The Kids

*Illustrious Sir Jerry Freewalt  
and Lady Sherrri invite you to the*

## **Potentate's Ball** Saturday, May 14, 2016 Mizpah Shrine Center

Noble's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Lady's Name \_\_\_\_\_

*Our choice of meat is:*

\_\_\_\_\_ Prime Rib (au jus)    \_\_\_\_\_ BBQ Pork Chop

Please seat us at a table with our friends:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(tables seat 8 people)

\$50 per person

Please RSVP by **May 1, 2016** to the Mizpah Office

*Cocktail Hour - 5:30 pm*

*Introductions - 6:30 pm*

*Dinner - 7:00 pm*

Mail Form & check to:

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1015 Memorial Way

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or call the Shrine office at (260) 426-4543 for reservations

*Dancing 7:30 pm - 11:30 pm*

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Units and Clubs:

Please call the Mizpah Shrine Office or Mr. Onion to give us the name of your 2016 Onion Chairman  
260-426-4543 (Mizpah Shrine office)  
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## Potentate Trip CANCUN 2016



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*Saturday, June 4, 2016*

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Scramble begins at 8:30am  
Lunch will be served at 1:00pm

Cost: \$65 per player or  
\$260 per foursome

Players:  
Captain \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone #  
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Make your check payable to  
Class Directors  
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Todd Hart,  
1116 Zimmerman Dr  
Auburn, IN 46706



For More Information,  
Please call Todd Hart  
phone: 260-908-2100  
email: [thart1987@gmail.com](mailto:thart1987@gmail.com)

Thank you for Your Support of This Year's Event!

All net proceeds to Mizpah Shrine Class Directors

Note: This is a fraternal event and ticket prices are not deductible as charitable contributions.

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