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# August 2016

Come Home to the Mizpah Fly-In Breakfast!



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**Noble Appreciation - For all Nobles and their Family!**

**Tin Caps Game - including Fireworks after the game!**

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# August

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2	3	4	5 <i>Stated Mtg 6:15pm Dinner 7pm Meeting</i>	6 Band Horse Patrol	7	8 <i>N. Manchester Parade</i>
9	10 Chanters Iron Camels	11 Class Directors Mizmur SC Racing Shriners	12 Bagpipers Kosciusko SC LaGrange SC Randolph SC <i>Kosciusko Co Golf Outing</i>	13 Band Elkhart SC	14	15 Hillbillys
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## September 2015

Sep 2 Stated Meeting  
 Sep 7 Labor Day - OFFICE CLOSED  
 Sep 9 Nile Stated Session  
 Sep 12 Sportsman Raffle  
 Sep 15 - 19 GLSA  
 Sep 26 Nile Bunco Night

## October 2015

Oct 7 Stated Meeting  
 Oct 10 Screening Clinic - Parkview  
 Oct 14 Nile Stated Session  
 Oct 21 Van Driver Apprec Night  
 Oct 31 Potentate Ball

## November 2015

Nov 4 Stated Meeting  
 Nov 7 Fall Ceremonial  
 Nov 11 Nile Stated Session  
 Nov 21 Nile SQ Official Visit  
 Nov 26-27 Thanksgiving Holiday



## *Potentate's Message*

I doesn't seem like it's been two months since I last composed an Allah Bi article. But it has. So we have a lot to cover.

June brought us The Ladies Party and The Old settlers Parade in Columbia City. Unfortunately the Horse Show had to be cancelled, due to wet conditions at the horse grounds.

The Ladies Party was a great success with 70+ ladies attending. The wine and food paring came together very well and I think everyone had a good time, based on the comments I heard. I know the Divan and Aides had fun pouring wine and serving.

We participated in our second parade in Columbia City. Thanks to all the Clubs and Units who participated. Even though bad weather kept many people away we still had a window of decent weather for the parade. Plus a big thank you to Antique Power and Whitley County for hosting the Oasis at the Horse Grounds.

As I write this July events haven't occurred, but July is always a very busy Month. First, your Divan will be in Houston (Hope the water level is down and the Temperatures aren't too high) from the 4th of July through Thursday the 9th for the Imperial Session. I will try to place an addendum at the bottom of my letter when I return if there is any legislative action I think would interest you.

There will be two golf outings in July - Pokagon on the 16th and the Mizpah outing on the 22nd. Hope to have lots of golfers and hackers out for both of these events.

The Orland Parade on the 25th of July is a great event. The people of Orland turn out and really support this event and make it exciting for all of us. This is followed by the North Manchester Parade on August 8th.

Coming up on August the 23rd will be our annual Fly-In Pancake Breakfast. Set up will be on the 22nd starting at about 9:00am. We are usually done by noon or shortly after. Then on the 23rd cooking starts about 5:00am. This event is one which gives us community exposure so bring your friends and neighbors. Your help is what has always made this a great success. Grab a friend and come out and volunteer a couple of hours or whatever you can.

Friday August 28th will be our annual Appreciation Party. This year we are trying "Shrine Night with the Tin Caps". This is open to all Shriners and their families. Kids and Grandkids are welcome. Through this event we want to say thank you to our Nobles and their families for all they do to support Mizpah throughout the year. Helping at the Circus, Dances, Parades, the Fly- In, the Horse Show etc. Reservations need to be called into the office by August 7th. Promises to be a fun evening.

I regret to inform you that, due to financial restrictions, we will not be able to provide hotel rooms for GLSA. We simply couldn't afford both GLSA and The Appreciation Party. I felt more Nobles and families would potentially enjoy the Appreciation Party than GLSA. In addition the Divan will go for one day only to attend the business session. This is the toughest decision I've had to make. I know many of you go to compete and parade at GLSA. I hope you are able to still do this. We will discuss parade arrangements at our August Stated Meeting.

As we look to the second half of 2015 we have many challenges before us. Membership remains number one. Your Divan and Membership Committee will continue to work on retention and restoration. Your challenge is to find those men, still out there, that need to be introduced to Masonry and the Shrine. Most of our Blue Lodges have been dark for the summer so recruiting always takes a hit this time of year. Now we need to double our efforts as we again become active and get out there recruit those potential Shriners for the Fall Ceremonial. We want to have an old fashioned full ceremonial that should be enjoyable for everyone. Wouldn't it be great to bring another 36 new Shriners to Mizpah? I know you can do it.

Fraternally  
Gary Soblotne, Potentate

# Recorder's Message

Greeting Nobles (Brothers)

We want direction for Mizpah and our Philanthropy into the future. We face several challenges, our new Shrine Center, membership decline, and declining revenues and patients at our hospitals to mention a few.

I am sure there are several others and the reason for the following request. Do you feel strongly about the future of Mizpah? Do you have an idea of the direction we should be headed? What goals should be set? If so we want to hear your thoughts and ideason our direction and priorities for the future. Please contact a divan member, write us a note or speak up at a stated meeting. We will listen, as Gary has stated we are family. Our goal is to make a plan for the next five years.



That will act as a guide giving us direction rather than just wondering the desert trying to determine where to go. A plan which includes long and short term goals organized in a manner which will be understood, communicated to all members and not be cast in stone so that changes cannot be made as the need arises.

My Brothers we are at a cross road and the future of Mizpah is in our hands. We must all get involved. In the coming months we will be looking for new leadership. What is a Leader? What is a Boss versus a Leader?

## ***Boss***

Drives Nobles  
Depends on Authority  
Inspires fear  
Says "I"  
Place blame for the breakdown  
Knows how it is done  
Uses people  
Takes credit  
Commands  
Says "Go"

## ***Leaders***

Coaches Them  
on Goodwill  
Generates enthusiasm  
Says "We"  
fixes the breakdown  
Show how it is done  
Develops people  
Gives credit  
Asks  
Says "let's go"

Just a few thoughts on what it takes to lead Mizpah.

Faithfully yours  
Ellis Ryan P.P. MSA  
Recorder

*Thank you*

Thank you to the Daughters of the Nile for weeding the landscaping around the Silent Messenger  
Once again, you ladies have come to my rescue!  
Fraternally yours,  
Ellis Ryan, PP, MSA Recorder

# UNIT NEWS

## Mizpah Vettes

The Mizpah Vettes Club finished the month of June with two major parades starting with Huntington on Saturday, June 20th with an excellent turn out of Corvettes, however our Temple Parade at Columbia City on the 27th fell victim to the weather and a lesser number of cars. July has a light parade schedule for the Vettes as we have only one parade scheduled at this time, however August and September are more active for the Vettes as a number of parades are scheduled with participation in the Orland, Pierceton, North Manchester, Bluffton, Auburn, and Decatur parades.

The Mizpah Vettes are pleased to welcome new member Noble Larry Freeman and his Lady Ricci into our Club along with their beautiful 2003 Corvette, which once again leads me to say that if you are a member of Mizpah and own a Corvette, we invite you to join our membership and participate in our activities. Membership dues are only twenty dollars per year and our meetings are held on the third Monday of each month at the Shrine Center, we would be pleased to have you join us.

Dee Byerly, President

## Past Masters

The Past Master unit is still going strong. Our next stated meeting is scheduled for September 23 at 7 pm. We meet at the Mizpah Shrine Lounge. We have some topics to discuss and hopefully will be going over the Rusty Nail degree to prepare to give it for any Lodge that is desirous for us to put it on. The busy summer months are all but behind us so maybe we will have some time to reflect. Hopefully we all be more engaged in our Lodges as fall approaches and the Holiday seasons closes in. Remember any Past Masters, Masters, or Wardens and members of the Shrine are able to become a member of this Unit. Hope to see you all at the next stated meeting.

Bob Boylan

## Kosciusko SC

Greetings from Kosciusko Co. Shrine

A "Tip of the Fez" to Nobles Dam Hampton, 33rd and Don Smith for the successful Fish Fry last May. Also another "Tip of the Fez" to Nobles Bill Beatty and Jay Shively for another great effort at our Fair Parking Event.

This placed the funds in our coffers for our 3rd Grade Circus Program.

Of course this would not happen without you, our membership, so a huge "Tip of the Fez" to each and every one who made this possible.

Our Golf Outing will be August 12th at the world renowned Stonehenge Golf Course with a 1 PM Tee Off. Get you foursome together and have some fun chasing the little white ball. Contact Jay Shively at 574-269-1500 for more info.

On the Shrine Center Front. our Sportsman Raffle will be September 12th.

Lots of help is needed to make this work and as always your efforts will be deeply appreciated.

Our deepest sympathies to the family of Noble Dewayne Ryan, who was very active in our Fraternity, he will be dearly missed.

The following was written for the July Allah-Bi, which did not come to press and I felt this is worth repeating.

I believe that if we could come up with a short list of our members who best represent our Fraternity, Noble Dick Kessie would be one of the top finalist. His fierce love and devotion to the craft was only exceeded by his love and devotion to his God and his family. When he wore his Fraternal Garb, he did so with a sense of pride and dignity, not to impress or to show the world how important he was, but with a sense of servitude to our Fraternity. He silently appeared at our functions, did his job and just as quietly went home. What I most admired about him was the fact that you had to earn his friendship and respect by proving to him that you had the same values as he did and when once earned you soon learned to cherish his friendship. I also admired the fact that when I went to him for advice, I got just that, no criticism or complaints. He did not tell me how or what to do, he just gave his thoughts based upon his knowledge and experience.

Rest in Peace my Friend and enjoy the fruits of your earthly labors.

Remember what Da Judge said.

# UNIT NEWS

## Khyber Gun Club

Greetings Nobles,

Summer finally occurred so plan to attend 3rd Tuesday KHYBER trap shoot at the Horse Patrol grounds. You don't have to be proficient to enjoy trap shooting which is open to all members and friends of the KHYBERS. Shooting starts at 6:00 with loaner guns and shells available.

Plan to attend the Sportsman raffle on September 12 at the Horse Patrol grounds. Numerous guns are available to the lucky ticket holder. This is an excellent opportunity to eat and talk and win.

The next KHYBER meeting is September 22 at the Shrine Center lounge or Cabiri Room, depending on attendance. Fellowship starts at 6:00 followed with dinner from the expanded lounge menu then the business meeting at 7:00.

Fraternally  
Jim Crawford, Secretary

## Giant Fez

The Elephant Ear outings have been completed for another season. A slight decrease in sales can be contributed to the poor weather conditions for Turtle Days and Old Settlers Days. However, as last year, the 3rd of July fireworks came through again for the Club. We again had record sales for this one day event. President John Muchow would like to thank all the Nobles and Ladies that were able to help this year.

Upcoming Dates:  
♦August 27th – Monthly Meeting

Ken Lundquist  
Secretary/Treasurer

## Bagpipers

Hello bagpipe fans!

We have had an active summer so far with opportunities to play. We played in the Waynedale Memorial Day parade. Thank you very much to all of the guys in the club who made it out to play that day. The gentleman who asked us to play that day said the Bagpipe band was the highlight of the parade. Thanks again. We marched in the Columbia City Old Settlers Day parade. Thanks to Bryan, Greg, Joe, Bobby, Scott, Brad and Mark for coming to the city Brad and I call home.

On Sunday June 28, 2015, we had the honor of playing at Trinity Episcopal Church during the 10:00 AM service celebrating the holy Sts. John. It is a beautiful Church and the service was traditional. The last time I was present for a service like that was in the 1960's for what was, and may still be, referred to as a High Mass in the Catholic Church. Thank you to Brad, Joe, Bobby, Dick, Bryan, Greg and Mark for accepting the invitation of Ron Buskirk to be present for this celebration. Also, thank you to Linda Buskirk for taking us under her wing and making sure we were where we were supposed to be at the right time. Thank you both very much.

On July 7, 2015, we participated during a veteran's recognition ceremony in Columbia City, In. Thanks to Bryan, Brad, Joe, Lance, Greg and Mark for showing up and participating.

We have a piper who nearly broke his leg in June. No, not playing the pipes. Don Wall is doing better and we hope to have him with us in a few upcoming events. Also, Dick missed a couple of opportunities because of the need to take his wife out to the east coast because of family illness. We hope to have you both back as soon as possible.

We practice every Wednesday at the Temple from 7:00 to 8:00 PM. Any Shriner is welcome to join us. We can always use more drummers and pipers, so feel free to come and have fun.

Until next month. ....  
Mark Roach, President



# UNIT NEWS

## Antique Power Unit

Greetings Nobles:

Hard to believe that Huntington, Columbia City and Arcola are behind us! Everybody looked sharp and a great time was had by all. Thanks to our Parade Marshall for all the hard work that went into planning the events. A special thanks to the Divan for the Oasis. Everybody who helped out there made these parades a great success for Mizpah Shrine APC!

Looking ahead to the Tractor Drive. Pray for no rain. Contact John B or Tim Y for all the parade details. There should be an email coming with information, so be on the lookout. If you are not getting emails be sure to send me you email address so I get you on the activities list... gjbateman@aol.com

Here is the list as it stands:

July 25 – Orland (Possible Temple Parade)  
August 8 - North Manchester Temple Parade  
August 15 – Tractor Drive  
August 22 – APC Picnic  
September 12 – Sportsman Raffle  
September 12 – Plow Day  
September 15,16,17,18,19 – GLSA  
September 22 – Bluffton Street Fair  
October 26 – COW Decatur

Details for the Annual Whitley County Tractor Drive are coming together. This event is always great and we have an incredible turnout. So far we have mapped out 30 miles through the highways and byways of beautiful Whitley County. Our half way point will feature lunch at a surprise location sure to please all. We will see you all there! If you are short a tractor contact T Yagel or Doug W and we will see what we can do.

All of us at APC wish you a great summer. Drive carefully and BE SAFE.

Greg Bateman  
Secretary APC

## Horse Patrol

NEWS UP DATE 61st Shrine Charity Horse Show has been CANCELED due to WET weather the horse grounds is in such condition of fear of hurting horse or rider plus having vehicles and trailers stuck that we regretfully choose to cancel this years show. There are no open dates until Oct. that we could postpone and move to and Oct. is too late in the season for a quality show.

GLSA details is coming together, Zenobia member since 1969 Gene Neissen is providing barn and drill arena for the few horses expected, 5 from Medina and just 3 for Mizpah. Zenobia Horse Troop has rejoined after a few years absence and are planning to drill and parade. We will be staying at Perrysburg Holidome and your room needs to be reserved by Aug. 1. Capt. John V has only 3 Riders practicing drill and has adjusted to make it look good, since we can't get more to show interest. Super Clown Scooper Bill Kintzel is getting new member Justin Smith involved by getting him to fill in for him because of a bad knee giving him problems. Three Rivers Parade was dropped from schedule and replaced with Columbia City Old Settlers Day Parade with Oasis at the Horse Grounds to follow, Justin S got his go at following the horses who provided him with some duty as Scooper. Orland is next on July 25 with Pierceton Day Parade on Aug. 1 and North Manchester on Aug. 8, which I'll miss to walk my horsey granddaughter Aricka down the aisle Next for us we will head to Toledo for GLSA.

The Horse Patrol wishes to add condolences and sympathy to DeWayne Ryan family and many friends of his recent passing. such a great Shriner and will be dearly missed by all.

I hope everyone can say something good to get us better weather and more members active and dedicated and might be nice to add all World Problems to take care not wasting good thoughts in case there is an answer. Guess it's time for me to find more good stuff so, so long.

We wish to THANK ALL who has helped to date and especially sponsors. With their dedication and support we will be able to salvage approximately \$3000.00 to contribute to the Hospital for every ones efforts.

Thanks again and hope for better weather for the 62nd Show in 2016-- probably with a new date.  
Horse Show Committee

HAPPY TRAILS

Ray Giant



# UNIT NEWS

## Hillbilly Clan 95

Howdy Kinfolk and Flatlanders

Last night, July 11, 2015, was this year's installment of the world famous Mizpah Shrine Johnny Appleseed Hillbilly Clan #95 Mongolian Stir Fry. Before we get to the meal that was ready to eat at 6:00, a lot of work was done to prepare the food. A big thank you to Randy and Sherry Krider for making Krider's Meats available to us to prepare the fixins for the meal. I know that there was a lot of volunteer help at Kriders and to all of you thank you. I also want to thank Bill and Laura Auer for hosting this event. And thanks to everyone who helped them get ready to host us. The meal as usual, was delicious. Thank you to everybody who helped make it a success.

Our next gathering will be at Caps Park, Crooked Lake on August 15, 2015. We will be cooking brats and burgers around 6:00 PM. Please bring a side dish and your preferred drink. We will also be initiating some flatlanders that night. So, if you know of anyone interested in joining the clan, this would be the meeting to bring them to. Directions on how to get there will be in the next newsletter.

That's it for now.  
Honor the Cob & Respect the Crescent on the Door  
Pa Mark Roach



Together we'll go far



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## Sportsman Raffle

It's already August which means this year's event will be in just a month from now. September 12th is the date to remember. The Third Annual Sportsman's Raffle will be held at Mizpah's Horse Show Grounds in Columbia City starting with the gates opening at 11:00, with the drawing and food starting at Noon. We hope to have a record attendance and great Noble assistance.

Any Noble who wants to support this event, even if for just a couple of hours, is more than welcomed. To help us in our planning please call Steve Cowan (cell: 260-740-2695) and let us know what you would like to do to help.

At this writing the club and unit tickets have just started to come in for credit to club accounts . **Remember the deadline to get credit is August 15th.** Make sure to get tickets to the Circus Office and logged to your club's account by the deadline. The Raffle committee has been working diligently to make sure this year's event is even better than the past two gatherings.

We have 13 tables reserved for Clubs and Units and are looking forward to a few more, including some outside vendors, before the July 15th table reservation deadline. Remember all clubs and units who have reserved tables must provide the names of at least two nobles who will help your Raffle Committee during the raffle. We need this information by August 15th for planning purposes and your help would be greatly appreciated.

This year's raffle is an important part of Mizpah's future. The funds raised will be used per Indiana Gaming Commission's "Allowable Expenses" to assist Mizpah into the future with our building maintenance and philanthropic endeavors.

Should you need raffle tickets to sell or if you have questions concerning this year's raffle please feel free to contact me.

Thank you to all for your participation to make this year's event a huge success.  
Steve Cowan  
Cell: 260-740-2695

Congratulations  
Ed Howard

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Horse Patrol



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## **2015 ANNUAL Golf Outing**

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 2015**

**At the 18 Hole Stonehenge Golf Club – Winona Lake, Indiana  
Florida Scramble – Shotgun Start 1:00 P.M. Sharp!!**

**Stonehenge is under new management and extensive effort  
is underway to make the course more playable!**

**(Camels Milk throughout the Course)**

**DINNER – SWISS STEAK – SERVED AT 6:00 P.M. AT THE SHRINE CLUB  
KOSCIUSKO COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS - WARSAW**

**Bring your friends or Noble Guests and make your foursome today!**

**RESERVATION FORM (DETACH ON LINE AND RETURN)**

**\$70.00 Per Person (Includes Green Fees, ½ Cart, and Dinner)**

**\$55.00 Per Person (Includes Green Fees and ½ Cart)**

**\$15.00 Per Person (Dinner Only)**

**LIST PLAYERS NAMES BELOW**

**DEADLINE August 7, 2015**

**#1 \_\_\_\_\_**

**#2 \_\_\_\_\_**

**#3 \_\_\_\_\_**

**#4 \_\_\_\_\_**

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: KOSCIUSKO COUNTY SHRINE CLUB**

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# Mizpah Shrine Noble Appreciation Day



Bring your Family to the Ballpark for a family day of fun with Mizpah. All Mizpah Nobles are invited to bring your **children and grandchildren** with you to the TinCaps game on August 28th. Fireworks follow the game. Food and Camels Milk provided before the game.

Call the Mizpah Shrine office at 260-426-4543 by AUGUST 7th to get your reservations in for this event provided by the Mizpah Shrine to thank the Nobility for all the great things they do!

## Mizpah Shrine Fly-In Breakfast



Saturday, August 23 6:30am - 1:00pm

Fort Wayne International Airport

Aviation Hangar 1003

10501 10th St East of Terminal

# PUBLIC INVITED

Bring your Friends and Family for a good breakfast and a great cause. Net proceeds donated to Shriners Hospitals for Children.

# 2015 Potentate Trip



Gary & Lynn at Ephesus



Santorini



Hal & Jenny Harting



Greece Original Olympics



Croatia



Lowell & Linda May



Mike & Linda Busche



Leaving Venice



Trivia Team!



Venice



Don & Laura Shively

# Mizpah Shrine Fall Ceremonial

## Class Honoree William H. Hartman

I am pleased to announce that I have selected Noble Bill Hartman of Kosciusko County as Mizpah's Fall Ceremonial Honoree.

Bill is a member of Pierceton Lodge #377, where he was Master three times and served as Secretary for 2 years. He became a member of the Mizpah Shrine in 1999 and belongs to the Mini Bike Club, the Kosciusko Co Shrine Club, and Yoshi.

He has served as President of the Kosciusko County Shrine Club, Chairman of the Mizpah Onion Campaign and as Chairman of the Shrine Fair at the Circus. On a personal note Bill has been a loyal supporter and friend and I appreciate his counsel.

As you can see Bill has been a very active and valuable Shriner. Join me in congratulating Bill on this, much deserved, recognition.

Gary Soblotne, Potentate



Fall Ceremonial  
November 7, 2015

### NEWS FROM IMPERIAL SESSION 2015

- \* Ed Stolze elected Imperial Outer Guard
- \* Joe Savaglio resigned as Imperial Captain of the Guard
- \* Per Capita Imperial Assessment increased to \$30.00 (was \$15.00)





# Mizpah Shrine

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Cell Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

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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Dick D Kessie MSA	78	18
Richard E Knafel	83	42
Terry L Oster	74	18
Edward L Ramsey	84	19
Gerald V Shearrer	90	27
N Kenneth Warner	71	26
John W Wearly	93	32
Ken M Wertenberger	72	39
Carl E Williams	87	32
Hubert Zerkel Jr	93	40

## *Black Camel* May & June 2015




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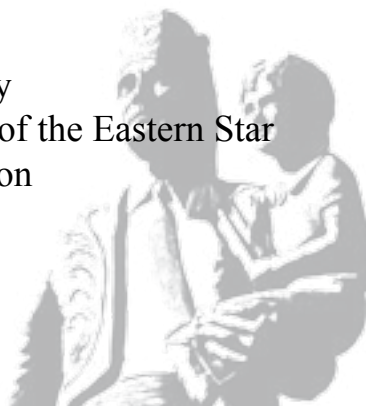
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The Nobles listed for the various areas drove Mizpah Shrine Vans transporting patients and their parents to Chicago or Cincinnati

## Fort Wayne

### April

18 Trips to Chicago  
4 Trip to Cincinnati  
1 Trip to Lutheran  
23 Patients

#### Schedulers:

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

#### Drivers:

Paul Barker	Jon Ellet
Doug Brouwer	Jerry & Sherri Freewalt
Jessie Brown	Jeff Hire
Gene Caryer	Phil Hoopingarner
John Coleman	Ed Howard
Bob Crispen	Bill Kaiser
Tom & Karen Culler	Jim Kyler
James & Karen Diehl	Vern Neel
Arlie Elam	Chuck Notter

## Grant Co.

### June

1 Trip to Cincinnati  
1 Patients

#### Schedulers:

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

#### Drivers:

Larry Leach  
Dave Pyle

## LaGrange/ Steuben

### June

5 Trips to Chicago  
5 Patients

#### Schedulers:

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

#### Drivers:

Jim & Penny Boss	Gary Soblotne
Tom Culler	John Wilhelm
Chuck Miller	Paul & Anita Wilson



## Noble Co.

### June

4 Trips to Chicago  
1 Trip to Cincinnati  
1 Trip to Lutheran  
6 Patients

#### Schedulers:

Terry Bradner - 574-457-6441  
Roger Allen - 574-834-4466

#### Drivers:

Roger Allen	John Harlan
Jim Boone	Don Laughlin
Terry Bradner	Denis Paternoster
Sam Fryback	Larry Stoner

## Elkhart Co.

### June

4 Trips to Chicago  
4 Patient

#### Schedulers:

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

#### Drivers:

Jake & Terry Dermott  
Bill & Wanda Roose



## Driver Appreciation Dinner

Wednesday, October 21st

Mizpah Shrine Center 6:30pm

# *PARADE - AUGUST 8*

## *NORTH MANCHESTER*

### North Manchester Parade Information August 8, 2015

Parade Start Time: 5:00 p.m. Shrine Parade will be first.

Line Up: No later than 4:30.

Line Up Area: On North Market Street just north of College Avenue.

Parking: Manchester Recreation Association (MRA), just north of line up area.

Oasis: Pavilions at Manchester Recreation Association (Center of Complex).

Directions: South Market Street will be closed to traffic. Come in on Market Street off of State Road 13. The parking and oasis entrance is 1,000 feet south of SR 13 on Market Street. The line up area is 700 feet south of the MRA entrance.

Directions From The East: Come in on SR 114 from the east, immediately after you cross the river turn north on Wayne Street. Take Wayne Street north 1.1 miles until it intersects with SR 13. Go west .25 miles on SR 13, then turn south on Market Street.

Directions From The North: Come south on SR 13 until you get to Market Street, then turn south.

Directions From The West: Come into town on SR 114. Turn north on SR 13, go north/east 2.2 miles and turn south on Market Street.

Directions From The South: State Road 13 is currently closed to the south. If it is open by parade time come into town on SR 13. Stay on SR 13 for 2.2 miles after you cross SR 114 and turn south on Market Street.

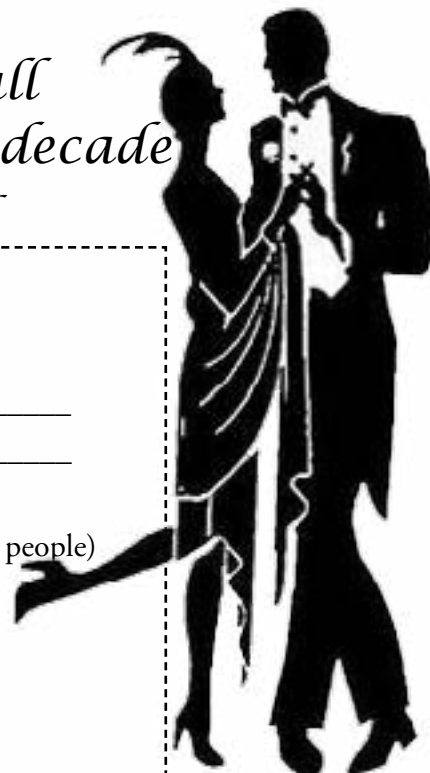


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Saturday, October 31, 2015  
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**2015 Potentate's Ball Reservation**

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

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

Please Seat us at a table with \_\_\_\_\_ (table seats 8 people)

Our choice of meat is: \_\_\_\_\_ Crown Roast of Pork  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Romano Almond Chicken  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Char-Broiled Boursin Filet of Beef

Cocktail Hour – 5:30 pm

INTRODUCTIONS – 6:30 pm

Dinner – 7:00 pm

Dancing 8:00 pm – 11:30 pm

to the music of:



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**Please RSVP by October 1, 2015**

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# Daughters of the Nile

Ladies of the Household,

June has come and gone. What a terrific time we had at Supreme. We did have a couple mishaps but, everyone is on the mend.

August 15th we will be having a "Ladies Day Out". This is open to anyone who would like to attend, including your husbands. We will be meeting at my home located at 15103 McDuffee Road, Churubusco, IN at 8 am for a breakfast buffet. We will then caravan to Shipshewana for a day of exploring, shopping and lunch at the Blue Gate Restaurant.

August 23rd is the day set for the Shrine Fly-In Breakfast. We always have a terrific time helping out the Shriner's at this event. Don't forget to bring your donations of baked goods and crafts to this worthy cause. Breakfast will begin at 6 am and commence at 1 pm. Daughters of the Nile will begin arriving at 5am to accept your items to sell.

September 1st will be our first practice at 7 pm before our Stated Sessions resume Wednesday September 9th at 7 pm.

September 12th we will be attending the Sportmans Raffle. We will again be selling ice cream and you will need to contact Judy Klemm or Melody Tolliver to let them know you can volunteer. We will also have a table this year selling many varieties of exotic jerky and sticks. We also need 4 floaters to help the Shriners in various capacities. This is required by the Sportmans Raffle. So please signup ASAP and do not forget to get your tickets in advance. They are \$20 p/p and includes all you can eat and drink. Your ticket will also be entered into a drawing. Ticket price on this day increase to \$25 p/p.

September 26th we will be hosting a Bunco Party at the Shrine Horse Grounds in Columbia City. Food and beverages will be available for purchase. Come out and enjoy a wonderful time with family and friends and anyone who would like to attend this fundraising event.

Looking forward to seeing many of our members at these events this year. Your help and many hands are most appreciated.

"Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much." Helen Keller

Nile Love to all Ladies of the Household,

Deb, Queen  
Teti Sheri Temple No 60



**Bunco Night!**  
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You are hereby notified of the following meeting at  
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to be held at  
1015 Memorial Way., Fort Wayne, Indiana  
**Wednesday, August 5, 2015**

Dinner 6:15pm

Meeting 7:00pm

Fraternally: Gary Soblotne, Potentate

Attest: Ellis Ryan, PP, MSA, 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 Sportsman Raffle*



*License No.*  
*136794*

*Saturday, September 12, 2015*

*Sportsman Raffle Tickets  
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