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August / September 2016

Mizpah Shrine Fly-In Breakfast



Sunday, August 21 6:30am - 1:00pm

Fort Wayne International Airport Aviation Hangar 1003 10501 10th St East of Terminal

Sportsman's Raffle

Saturday, Sept 17th

Event from Noon - 5:00pm Doors open at 11am License # 139960

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Mizpah Shrine Fort Wayne, Indiana 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, August 3, 2016

Dinner 6:15pm

Meeting 7:00pm

Wednesday September 7, 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

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hand. Be a true Shriner!



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- Oct 5 Shrine Stated Meeting 7pm
- Oct 10 Trustee/Finance Mtg
- Oct 12 Nile Stated Session 7pm
- Oct 15 Nile Pancake Breakfast
- Oct 15 Mizpah Dance @ Auer Barn
- Oct 19 Van Driver Appreciation Dinner
- Oct 26 Angola Bus Trip
- Oct 28 Fish Fry 5-8pm

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November 2016

- Nov 1 Divan Mtg / Ladies Mtg 6pm
- Nov 2 Shrine Stated Meeting 7pm
- Nov 5 Fall Ceremonial
- Nov 9 Nile Stated Session 7pm
- Nov 11 Fish Fry 5-8pm
- Nov 17 Nile Bingo
- Nov 21 Van Scheduler Mtg
- Nov 24 Thanksgiving

December 2016

- Dec 2 Shrine Election 7pm
- Dec 3 Yoshi Christmas Party
- Dec 9 Circus Christmas Party
- Dec 10 Nile Cookie Walk
- Dec 14 Nile Stated Session 7pm
- Dec 25 Christmas Day
- Dec 26 Christmas Holiday/office closed
- Dec 31 New Years Eve

Advertisements on pages: 7,8,10,12,18 Please take the time to THANK these sponsors and support these Shriner Businesses!!



Special Thanks to Moring Flowers for the decorations in the Mizpah Shrine front entry



Potentate's Message



NOBLES:

I want to let you know that the Divan Members and Finance Committee Members are taking cost cutting measures to the 2016 budget. Some will affect you. I will try to keep you informed as to when these changes happen.

Some changes that have been made:

- 1) This Allah-Bi is for August and September, a cost cutting measure. The next month Allah-Bi will be October-November.
- 2) Effective July 1st, the office hours have changed to 9:00 am to 4:00 pm, Monday thru Thursday. The office will be closed on Fridays.
- We haven't had a change in the Stated Meetings dinner cost for several years. Starting with the September meeting the cost of the dinner will be \$7.00. Also, all meals for the Stated Meeting will be prepared in-house.
- 4) For those who have not been to the Temple recently, we would like to introduce our new cook, Leanne Tupper. She makes a great Wedge Salad, along with other items.
- 5) We recently hired a new bartender. Sarah needed a change in her working hours due to her son going to school. We wish her luck in her new venture. We want to welcome our new bartender, Lindsey Wells.

- 6) We now have a Mildred's Lounge Guest Register, which is located in the Bar Room.

 Per State Law, all guests of the Shrine must accompany a member of the Shrine and both must sign the register.
- 7) The last change is to the Calendar, the Ladies Golf Outing has been moved to August 19th. We still need teams. Please call the Shrine Office for more details 260-426-4543. We are having a parade in Wabash on August 20th and the Indianapolis GLSA parade on September 10th. These are Temple Parades.

We have a lot of upcoming events for you and your family to enjoy:

- 1) August 25th Shrine Stag @ the Horse Grounds
- 2) August 26th Fish Fry at the Temple starting at 6:00 pm
- 3) September 10th GLSA Indianapolis, IN
- 4) September 17th Sportsman's Raffle @ the Horse Grounds
- 5) September 24th Chili Cook-Off @ the Horse Grounds
- 6) September 26th Fish Fry at the Temple starting at 6:00 pm

Check the Mizpah home page on the internet, so you will not miss any big event.

We have tried this year to be a little different and have new things for you and your family to enjoy. None of us like change, but change must come to have Mizpah survive and to have Mizpah better than ever.

Jerry W. Freewalt, Potentate

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SHRINER OF THE MONTH!



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> June Ray Giant



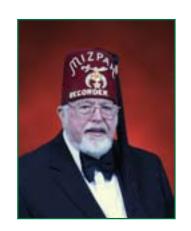
Recorder's Message

It's a great time to be a Shriner and we hope that you are sharing your pride in our Fraternity with those around you. It's important to remember that our tasks regarding membership development are not inclusive to the Shrine. We are all Masons. One of our duties as Masons is to support our Blue Lodges, raising new Masons as well. Once these new members are Master Masons, encourage them to attend Temple sponsored events and Hospital service projects. Show them the good works that Shriners do and want to be a part of. A good Product sells itself.

We are over half way through 2016. It's been fast paced and lots of fun. Take the time to look and see if you have your 2016 dues card. It's a plastic card and gold in color. If you don't have your card, have you paid your dues? Contact the office at 260-426-4543 and help us continue the GREAT work MIZPAH and Shriners do to help our kids.

On a very positive note,

Ill Al Edwards, 33rd, was recently presented with the Indiana Council of Deliberation's Medal of Honor for his devotion and service to the Fraternity, and Brother Lonnie Cox was awarded the Sagamore of the Wabash, the highest civilian award given out by the State of Indiana for his dedication to helping veterans with medical and mental problems though his efforts at Fort Wayne's Shepherd's House.





Sunday, August 21 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.

Unit News

Pokagon SC

The Fort Wayne Philharmonic played their pre-4th of July concert at Pokagon State Park, Steuben County's lake season is in full swing and the Pokagon Shrine Club has a full summer planned.

Several Mizpah Shriners werein Fremont on Saturday, July 9 to take part in the Music Fest XXII parade. Representatives of twenty-one units helped make this event successful! Plans have been discussed to alternate parade years with Orland.

The Pokagon Golf Outing was July 21 at Zollner Golf Course in Angola with dinner at the Angola Moose Lodge. Thanks to Mike Hagewood for another great job as chairman and to the teams, players and sponsors for their support.

Pokagon Shriners will make our annual trip to Parkview Field to enjoy a Tin Caps game on Thursday, August 11. Our allotment of 30+ tickets sold out early.

Pokagon will again participate in Mizpah's September Sportsman's Raffle. We are currently selling tickets for a chance to win \$500 in meat from Albright'sin Corunna and will be selling beverage mugs at the event.

Again, please keep our active and reserve military personnel at home and around the world in your thoughts and prayers!

Fraternally, Ron Sullins, Pokagon President

Class Directors

The Class Directors meet on the 2nd Tuesday - 7:00 pm at The Mizpah Shrine Center Fort Wayne, IN Onions The Class Directors Sold 400 Bags of Onions this Year. A group of Shriners called "The Ashley Gang" was seen across Dekalb County holding up signs and stopping traffic on State Roads and US Highways. People were stopping & grabbing a bag of onions while donating change. It's said the "Gang" will not give-up favorite locations, and plan to increase their sales another 100 Bags next Year. Thanks to all (You only know who you are) that sold Onions this year.

Our Summer Picnic will be held on Sunday-- August 14 -- 12:30 pm at The Garrett American Legion Post 178. Please Bring a white elephant gift for the Auction.

We have Sportsman Raffle and Smoker Raffle Tickets to Sell. We need your help so sell—sell sell!!

Enjoy Your Summer!! Fred Diehl Director

Khyber Gun Club

Greetings Nobles

We were finally able to get a trap shoot in May and June and everyone was in top form, some better form than others. Shoots will continue thru September on the third Tuesday nights. Shooting starts at 6:00 and continues until we finish. All Nobles, friends and guests are welcome to come and join us at the Horse Patrol Grounds. Loaner guns, ammo and critique are available to all wanting to shoot trap.

Plans for a winter indoor shooting session is planed for Oct, Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb and Mar on the third Tuesday at 6:00 at Freedom Arms facility. Hand guns, shot guns and rifles are allowable at ranges up to 75 feet. I expect the charge per session to be about \$15, furnish your own ammo. More information will be published as plans are developed.

Don't forget the Fly-in breakfast on August 21 and Sportsman Raffle on September 17.

The next KHYBER meeting will be September 27 in the Lounge at 7:00 with eats and fellowship starting at 6:00.

Fraternally Jim Crawford, Secretary

Whitley Co - Giant Fez

Turtle Days, Old Settlers Days and the Fireworks show on July 3rd are now over with for another year. The highlight of the year has to be the Fireworks show on July 3rd. The night began a little slow, however, about two hours into the shift all "Ears" broke loose. We had a line of customers that was over fifty yards long. Average wait time in line was over forty five minutes. Needless to say the sales were very good. As a matter of fact they were excellent. Overall, the three events were very good to us this year. President Bill Auer would like to thank all the Nobles and Ladies that turned out this year to help with the sale of Elephant Ears. The Officers of the Club would also like to express their sincere appreciation to those that were able to work. It was very rewarding to see some new faces in the trailer this year. Hope that you had fun and will come back next year.

Upcoming Dates:

- > August 25th Monthly Meeting
- > September 22nd Monthly Meeting

Ken Lundquist, Secretary/Treasurer

Unit News

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Horse Patrol

The best news the 62th Annual Shrine Charity Horse Show is now History with all our wishes of good weather answered. Warm to Hot with a nice breeze blessed us for a great show. We were down on horse numbers a bit, which we kind of expected since we are on the rebound from having the canceling of last years show, but had very good entries for most classes for a great show. The Sponsors and program adds were very good and should help make a decent donation for the hospital. Many thanks to all for there adds and support to help prepare for the show, many did a great job to make the show a success. It's hard not to mention a change in the food, Bill Kintzel and the Ryan Brothers moved the kitchen from the club house to outdoor tents by the entry booth which really helped with the busy exhibitors and the food was great. Thanks to all who attended to watch, especticaly the Fun Show on Sat. night, we don't get many for the hill as in the pass, but we had good numbers filling the bleachers on the rail to view some happy little Cow boys and girls and Patches the Clown plus our Flags Past To Present Drill.

Captain John V has us working hard on drill practices and looks like we will have 4 or 5 horses going to GLSA. We had three at the Columbia City parade, New rider Kevin Keister got in his first parade with his new palomino and ex shrine horse "Damn U Buck Putman". Buck has quite a history, he was first offered to me as Bubba in the early 2000s by "Paint the Town" Wendy who contacted me at a horse show when he was 5. I purchased him and Jeneva rode him and changed his name to Buck, Bruce Putman then became a rider and used him several years and offered him back to me again and he next when to a young lady who used him in 4-H until she when to vet school, moved away- got married and her parents offered him back again, I them found him a home with a lady trail rider until she offer him back and enter Kevin who needed a palomino, and traded his Bay horse for him, so back to a shrine horse he is at 17 now, I feel kind of like some sort of horse trader with all these dealings, but hopefully he has a happy home to stay. Kevin and Buck looked good in the CC parade.

The new ceiling and lights in the Club House have been completed and really brightens the place. Other projects were discussed at the meeting but are on a todo schedule for now so we can relax a bit and enjoy and say

Happy trails and stay in the saddle ~~ Ray Giant ~~~

Clowns

Unit News

Dear Smile Buddies,

Boy, Smiley and Rufus are the BEST! As our newest clowns, they have dived right in and are active in supporting the unit. Though neophytes, they are setting the example for us older clowns.

Since the last article, we have had three events: the miniclinic in Harlan (May 7, 2016), the MS Walk-a-thon at Headwaters Park (May 21, 2016) and the Disability Expo at the Coliseum (May 21, 2016). Rufus also did the Marion Mini-clinic (June 11, 2016) and they both participated with Patches and Sambo in the Columbia City Parade (June 25, 2016).

Patches has also been very busy spreading smiles. Patches supported the Horse Show on June 18 and even did a skit in the arena. After the Columbia City Parade, he got to the Horse Grounds early and mistakenly went to Bryan Gossett's (brother Shriner with the Bagpipes) wedding reception. He made plenty of balloon animals and had a good time.

Through a mix-up in times, the mini-clinic in Harlan was advertised as 9 am to 3 pm. This did not stop the clowns. Lucky Lewey took the early shift in the morning and Rufus and Smiley took the afternoon shift. Because of other events in the Amish community, we did not have a turn out that we expected, but it was still fun working with Karen, Judy and Ellis.

On May 21, 2016, Rufus and Smiley supported both the Walk-a-thon at Headwaters Park in the morning and the Disability Expo at the Coliseum in the late morning to early afternoon. They said that they had plenty of balloon customers at each event and that they were glad to help with the Shrine booth at the Expo.

We had a good meeting on Tuesday, May 24th, but were not able to conduct business because neither the President nor the acting Vice-President were available. We elected Smiley as Vice-President at the June meeting. We hope with the proposed change in our by-laws that we can have either Treasurer or the Secretary run the business meeting if the other two cannot make it.

Even though we could not conduct business at the May meeting, we still discussed upcoming events and past experiences. It was good to see Scotty, Smiley, Otis (he drives in from way out by Aetna Green) and Gus at the meeting.

Our prayers and condolences go out to Otis, his wife Mindi and their family. Their daughter passed away on April 17, 2016. To those of us who remember her through the years, we have many fond memories.

As always, we are looking for a few good men to become a clown and make others smile.

Until next article, Smile and "bump a nose". Joe "Lucky Lewey" Jenckes

Flying Shriners

True Airspeed:Are You a Pilot?? Are You A Mizpah Shriner?? -"BOTH" - ThenYOU are NEEDED in the Flying Shriners - Mizpah Wing!!Yes!! We are Active.Pleasecontact us. We Meet at The Shrine Center of Mishap 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. Angola 4th of July Parade

The following Flying Shriners: Nobles Gregory J Colelli, Robert Harrold, Dennis Deforest and David L. Lane, paraded with Forest Lodge N0 239, Brothers & Ladies: Russell Wells, Fred & Karen Diehl, Arlien L. Mertz with Concord Lodge #556 Brothers Richard Lentz and Greg Houk.

Brother & Noble John F. Cress, age 74, of Hamilton. Indiana, and formerly of Ft. Wayne, Indiana, passed away peacefully in his sleep at his home on Hamilton Lake on Friday, June 24, 2016. The Flying Shriners will be presenting a one hundred dollar check to: The 100 Million Club IN THE MEMORY OF JOHN F. CRESS.

Do you have Your Share of Sportsman Raffle Tickets Sold?? Pick More!! Easy to Sell!! Summer Parades—Watch Your E-Mail for the Parades that Our Unit will be attending. PARADE BANNERS ARE HERE and being used!! Please attend the meetings and help with the projects. We Need You!!

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



Unit News

Bagpipers

Dear Bagpipe Fans,

We have played as a unit five times since the last article: the Potentate's Ball, the Waynedale Memorial Day Parade, Feast of St John, Goose's wedding and a Veterans Memorial in Columbia City.

It was fun to play for the dignitaries at the Potentate's Ball. We got to be up front and had a good showing for the unit.

The Waynedale Parade is always a spirited event. This time we had an additional challenge since they put us toward the head of the parade and in front of the Fire Engines. Greg met the challenge as pipe major and kept us going in spite of all the sirens and horns sounding. It was very handy to have Scott as our base drummer (otherwise we might not have been able to kept the beat and know when the set of tunes ended). Bobby and Mark played well to be sometimes overheard by the audience. Once again, they had us play Amazing Grace at the end of the ceremonies in the cemetery. This year they had an even bigger crowd than in the past.

I didn't mean to make light of the fact that Scott played the drum for us. He is an excellent piper, but due to his operations on his jaw (they broke it and rewired it), it is only very recently that he has been able to play the pipes. Rather than just missing out, he stepped forward to support us with the bass drum not only in the Waynedale parade and the Memorial Service in Columbia City but also during practice.

Mark has been working hard to get us some gigs for the coming month. We thank him for his efforts in coordinating these events.

Goose and Dawn's wedding was a blast. The ceremony was held outside at the church. Goose had his bike all shine and ready. We played Highland Cathedral as Dawn arrived on the back of a friend's Harley. Mark had just earned his minister's certificate so that he could perform the ceremony. At the end, Goose and his new bride led a procession of bikes to the reception at the Shrine Horse Grounds in Columbia City.Brad and Kim did a great job on the food for the reception (and eventhough Brad started the cooking early, he was still able to be at the Church to support us with the snare drum). What a memorable event!

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.

Legion of Honor

The Army Specialist ranks over the years In 1955 there was 4 Specialist ranks Specialist 3rd class or E4 Specialist 2nd class or E5 Specialist 1st class or E6 Master Specialist E7 Specialist was changed to Spec 4 thru 9 in 1959 There was never anybody promoted to Spec 8 or 9 and discontinued in 1965 Spec 7 was discontinued in 1978 Spec 5 and 6 was discontinued in 1985 Today only Spec 4 exist and is known only as Specialist

A little Military humor The sergeant-major growled at the young soldier, "I didn't see you at camouflage training this morning." "Thank you very much, sir."

My high school assignment was to ask a veteran about World War II. Since my father had served in the Philippines during the war, I chose him. After a few basic questions, I very gingerly asked, "Did you ever kill anyone?"

Dad got quiet. Then, in a soft voice, he said, "Probably. I was the cook."

2nd Lt. Commander Roger Beck

Mizpah Vettes

At the time of this writing the VETTES are well into their parade season, but unfortunately, (for me), health issues have kept me out of the early action, however it now looks as though I will be able to join in the action in August and September, finally.

The VETTES July Stated Meeting was held at Chops Steak and Seafood in Fort Wayne and we were happy to have our Ladies join us for a dinner night out in the Wine Room. Good food and plenty of good fellowship.

The next several months will be very busy for the VETTES as we have a number of parades scheduled for the remainder of the summer and fall months and will also be operating a cash raffle at the Sportsman's Raffle after participating at the GLSA parade in the Indianapolis area where, we have ten Vettes committed to participate. So you can see we will be quite active for the balance of this season.

Until next time.

MIZPAH VETTES CLUB

Dee Byerly, President

Unit News

Hospital Unit

Greetings all! I hope your summer has been wonderful. By the time you read this article, our Hospital Unit Meeting has been on the road again. In July, we were in Elkhart, where we met at the Masonic Temple. We had special speakers and enjoyed a home cooked meal. What a great gathering. If you want to receive information about these meetings so you can attend, please let us know.

Do you know what to say when someone asks, or you want to share, what the Shriners Hospitals do?? If you are like me, I tend to get "tonguetied" in knowing what to say. Could you share in 30 seconds or less the answers to these questions??? Shriners International, Public Relations Department offers these words:

Shriners Hospitals for Children provides specialized careto children with orthopaedic conditions, burns, spinal cordinjuries, and cleft lip and palate, regardless of the families'ability to pay. Generally, care is provided until age 18, although, in some cases, it may be extended to age 21.All care and services are provided in afamily-centered environment. Remember, don't indicate that Shriners Hospitals for Children provides care "for free" or "at no cost."

- Here are quick ways to get more informationCheck your 2016 Mizpah Directory, pages 11 - 12. This lists 15 - 20 specific conditions that are treated as well as Screening Clinics information. Good to know!!!
- Visit shrinershospitalsforchildren.org
- Call Mizpah Shrine Center

Please remember to talk about screening clinics. The next clinic is

Saturday, October 1 – Fort Wayne, 1 – 3pm, **Parkview Hospital, North Campus** Don't forget to tell that our wonderful clowns

will be there!!!!

Fraternally, Doug Brouwer Hospital Unit Secretary



Radio Unit

Congratulations to the Radio Unit's Tech class. All eight of the individuals that attended our three Saturdays of training passed the Technician license test and are now amateur radio operators. One has already moved ahead and has passed his General Class license and is working towards his Extra Class license.

Several of us attended the Dayton Hamfest in May. Dayton is the largest hamfest in the world with virtually every manufacturer of ham radio equipment in attendance. There the club purchased two new VHF/ UHF radios and a vertical antenna for use in our Mizpah ham shack.

Both new and long time members recently participated in the national organization of amateur radio (ARRL) Field Day contest. Here we installed temporary antennas, operated under generator power and contacted stations in North America simulating emergency operations over a 24 hour period.

This year the club is raffling \$500 worth of assorted ammunition at the Sportsman's Outing. See any of our members for tickets.

Our club is growing and we encourage you to attend our meetings. We meet the 3rd Tuesday of each month (except December) at 6:30 in our Radio Room with dinner in the bar prior to the meeting.

Best Wishes, Rick Stirratt – Radio Unit President

Circus

Well, guys, it's getting to be that time of year again.... the Circus kickoff will be September 20th with dinner at 6:30pm and meeting to follow at 7pm. The Circus office will be re-opening the 1st of September with normal business hours (8am-4pm)

Please watch upcoming issues of the Allah Bi for further dates and information.

I'm looking forward to seeing everyone at the kickoff and another successful Circus year!

Steve Trump, Circus Director

2016 GLSA Salmon Derby

The 42nd annual GLSA Salmon Derby was held on the waters of Lake Michigan on May 19-21. Over eighty fishermen traversed the waters near Michigan City looking to bring home the top award for this year's Derby and to help raise money for Shriners Hospitals for Children.

This year the top fishermen were Mike Welch with a 4.9 pound Coho, Will Dabkowski with a 15.45 pound King Salmon, Lynn Gerardot with a 6.25 pound Steelhead, Scott Drew with an 11.90 pound Brown Trout and the grand champion Robert Freewalt with a 17.40 pound Lake Trout.

Nobles Jack Conner, PP of Al Koran and Paul Decker of Mizpah, Captain and fisherman were inducted to the Hall of Fame during the awards ceremony.

On July 26th, several officers of the Derby traveled to Chicago to present another check to SHC on behalf of the Derby. The check for \$4,000 brings the total donated to SHC close to one half million dollars over the 42 years of the derby.

The 2017 Derby is scheduled for May 18-20. Applications are available from any Derby Committee member and will also be printed next spring in the Allah Bi.





Paul Decker and Jack Conner, PP (Al Koran)



















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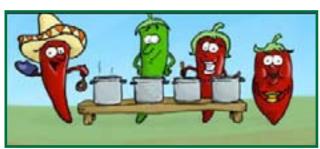
Contest Rules and Registration Form For Chili Cook-Off available in Mizpah Shrine Business office 260-426-4543

Start Planning NOW to enter your BEST Chili Recipe!

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14	Chanters Mizpah Vettes Yoshi	16 Radio Unit	17 Bagpipers Hospital Unit Jay Co SC Pokagon SC	Elkhart SC 2017 Trip Meeting 6:30pm	19 Mizpah Ladies Golf Outing	Fly-In Set up Wabash Parade 5pm
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4	5 Labor Day Holiday - Office Closed	6 Divan Mtg 6pm Ladies Mtg	7 Shrine Stated Session Dinner 6:15pm Past Masters serv Mtg 7pm Bagpipers		9 GLSA	10 GLSA Hillbillys
11	12 Chanters Mizpah Vettes Yoshi	13 Class Directors Mizmur SC	14 Bagpipers Flying Shriners Kosciusko SC LaGrange SC Randolph SC	15 Elkhart SC	16	Sportsman's Raffle Noon - 5pm
18	19 APC Car Club Chanters Van Scheduler Mtg 6:30pm	20 Radio Unit Circus Kick Off 6:30pm	21 Bagpipers Hospital Unit Jay Co SC Pokagon SC	22 Blackford SC Whitley Co SC Divan Ladies Fundraiser	23	24 Chili Cookoff Horse Grounds Noon - 5pm
25	26	27 Calliopers Clowns Khyber Gun	28 Bagpipers Eel River SC Hapzim Media ₁ Unit Wabash SC	29	Fish Fry 5-8pm	

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

Fort Wayne

9 Trips to Chicago 2 Trips to Cincinnati 17 Patients

Drivers:

Doug Brouwer
Gene Caryer
John Coleman
Bob Crispen
Tom & Karen Culler
Jim Gentry

Ron Hall
Dale McAlexander
Kevin Myers
Barry Richards
Ellis Ryan
Jerry Willman

Noble Co

7 Trips to Chicago 1 Trip to Lutheran 10 Patient

Drivers:

Roger Allen Jim Boone Terry Bradner Richard Brunjes Bob Dumford Lee Chrisman Tom & Karen Culler John DeWilde Bob Evers Hal Harting

LaGrange/ Steuben

6 Trips to Chicago 7 Patient

Drivers:

Jim Boss Jeff Brill Tom & Karen Culler Jim Keeslar Gary Soblotne John Wilhelm Paul Wilson

Grant/ Blackford

2 Trips to Chicago 2 Patient **Drivers:**

Roger & Benita Beck Roy Eib Pat Leach John Silves

Elkhart Co

5 Trips to Chicago 5 Patient

Drivers:

Jake & Terry Dermott Wm & Wanda Roose

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

New chairs arrive for drivers lounge at Shriners Hospital in Chicago.

Through the generosity of Mr. John Klopfenstein, John Klopfenstein Furniture and Flooring, FOUR (4) Lane Comfort King Recliners were delivered to Shriners Hospital Chicago for use in the Drivers Lounge. When asked by Noble Steve Noll, a salesman for Mr. Klopfenstein, if he would be willing to cut a deal for the Shrine to buy four chairs, Mr. Klopfenstein answered, "No. Since the Shrine does such great work for kids I'll give them the chairs".

All of us owe Mr. Klopfenstein a great big "Thank You" for this most generous gift.

The next time you travel to the Chicago Hospital, go to the Drivers Lounge and give the new chairs a test ride. I think you will enjoy.





Celebrate The Ladies of the Shrine

Purchase a White Rose Shirt to give a Shrine Child a New Beginning

Colors available (circle one)
BLUE CELERY IVORY

Price: XS - XL \$30 2XL \$32 3XL \$34 4XL \$36

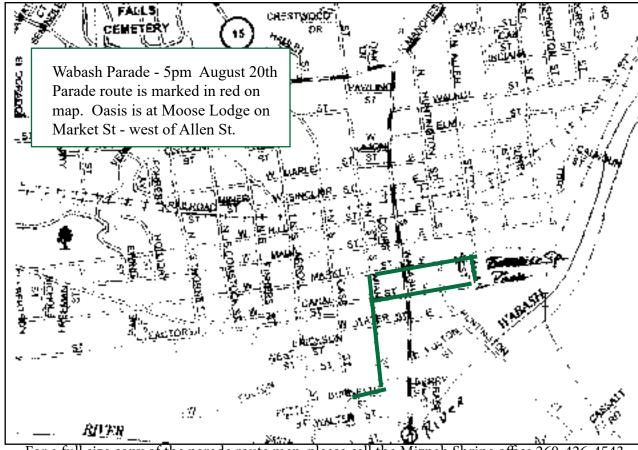
**may be additional cost for shipping

Name:	 Phone#
Address:	

SIZE:____

A donation to the Mizpah Transportation Fund will be made with each order. Thank you!

Order forms can be turned in to any Divan Lady or to the Mizpah Shrine office. Thank you for your donation to the Mizpah Shrine Transportation Fund



For a full size copy of the parade route map, please call the Mizpah Shrine office 260-426-4543



2016 ANNUAL Golf Outing

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10, 2016

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

(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 Ca	ert, and Dinner)
\$55.00 Per Person (Includes Green Fees and)	2 Cart)
\$15.00 Per Person (Dinner Only)	
LIST PLAYERS NAMES BELOW	DEADLINE August 6, 2016
#1	#2
#3	#4
MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: KOSCIUSKO COUN	TY SHRINE CLUB
MAIL RESERVATION FORM PLUS CHECK TO:	AMOUNT ENCLOSED
Jay Shively, Chairman	
1328 Freedom Parkway	
Winona Lake, IN 46590	

It's Always a Great Day for a Parade When you are a SHRINER!!











Columbia City "Old Settlers Day" Parade June 25, 2016



Sportsman's Raffle



Saturday, Sept 17th GET YOUR TICKETS NOW! AVAILABLE FROM ANY SHRINER OR BY CALLING 260-422-7122 or 260-740-2695

Event from Noon - 5:00pm Doors open at 11am License # 139960

Mizpah Shrine Horse Patrol Grounds 985 N State Road 9 Columbia City, IN 100 GUNS \$500 Cash Prizes Tickets: \$20 advanced \$25 at the door Must be 16 or older to enter Must be over 18 to purchase tickets

*Do not need to be present to win

*Not deductible as charitable contribution









Mizpah Shrine Golf Outing for Ladies



Eel River Golf Course 1265 North 950 East Churubusco, IN 46723 (260) 693.3464

Friday August 19, 2016

Rain or Shine - Shotgun start at 8:30 am



Registration deadline: August 12, 2016

Cost \$50.00 per person

Entry fee includes green fees, cart, lunch and lots of fun! Open to all Lady Golfers

List your team members below:

Name	Phone #
Name	Phone #
Name	Phone #
Name	Phone #

All proceeds benefit the Mizpah Transportation Fund

Please complete the registration form and mail with your check to: Mizpah Shrine, 1015 Memorial Way, Fort Wayne IN 46805



August 26th Mizpah Fish Fry

5 - 8pm

\$8.00 Adults \$4.00 Kids (12 and under) Macaroni Salad Baked Beans Rolls Desserts



Daughters of the Nile

Ladies of the Household We have had a wonderful start to our year! The Supreme Session in Indianapolis was well attended by many of our ladies and was enjoyed by all. The week of business meetings and legislation was finished off by some wonderful performances including a beautiful dance by our own Dancers. Thank you ladies! I received so many compliments on your performance-it was amazing! Finally, our new Supreme Queen was installed - Cathy Carol Rose began her year as our Supreme Queen of the Supreme Temple. We received five Supreme Appointments for our Temple this year. Supreme American Flag Bearer: Judy Klemm, Supreme Publications Committee: Margaret Smith, Supreme Goodwill Ambassador to the Central Area: Sherri Freewalt, Supreme Escort to the Nile Banner: Betty McHenry, Supreme Escort to the Nile Banner: Diana Surfus. Congratulations to all these Past Queens for their appointments.

Cathy Carol began her year with her first Supreme Queen visit to Teti Sheri on July 10th - immediately following her week at the Imperial Shrine Session. We had a busy and exciting day with FOUR new princesses joining our Temple. Welcome to Lynda Elam, Linda Keister, Judy Sims, and Sue King. Please make these new ladies feel welcome as they begin to learn more about our wonderful organization.

Now - looking forward...we have so many exciting things coming up! The Nile Fashion Show is August 6th. An afternoon of style, fun, and friends. Please join us for this worthy cause and you will have a very good time as well! Next is the Fly-In Breakfast...the Daughters of the Nile are a fixture at the Breakfast with our baked goods. Plan to join us for your "shift" of helping out....it's fun to be part of this annual tradition!

In September we will be back out at the Sportsman Raffle selling ice cream! This is always a fun way to help out the Shriners and get the word out about the Daughters of the Nile. Wear your Nile shirt and be part of the fun.

Have you found the Daughters of the Nile Facebook page yet? If you are a Nile member, you are welcome to join! We post a lot of information on the Facebook page to keep everyone informed about what is going on. It's just one of the ways we use to keep our members updated and informed.

We may be "dark" in the summer, but we are still keeping busy and looking for ways to let everyone know about the ways that Daughters of the Nile help the Children and how we make a difference in the world.....have you talked about what you like about being part of Nile?

I have pamphlets and lots of information available if you need something to start the conversation - just ask! We can only build membership if we start spreading the word about how much we like who we are and what we do!

Nile Love Karen Kippert, Queen 2016





Black Camel - May/June 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
David W Berger	82	35
Walter W Bonham Jr	79	32
Larry M Brooks	79	30
Merle L Carter	90	54
Larry W Coffman, MSA	81	29
John F Cress	73	40
Michael G Fisher	65	34
Phillip B Floyd, MSA	81	26
Ralph R Hill	83	44
Jerry E Jones	78	51
Jeffery D Kirk	62	15
Roger W Mc Kinney	75	34
Robert L Nichols	86	47
Robert R Royal	74	27
Dee M Royer	96	42
Ralph E Schwind	90	65
Ralph R Taylor	88	44



Masonic News

On July 7, 2016 New Haven Lodge #740 with the assistance of Bartimaeus Lodge UD and the Mizpah Shrine Past Master's Unit conferred the EA deg. on it's newest member, Bro. Ben Bowman. When Bro. Bowman was placed in the NE corner of the Lodge, WBro David Ferguson Sr., WM interrupted the degree work and ordered the Senior Deacon to escort Lodge member, WBro, Ill. Thomas T. King, Past Potentate of Mizpah Shrine to the same NE corner. The same NE corner he had stood in during his EA degree! The Lodge was then call up and under the authority of the Grand Lodge of the State of Indiana WM Ferguson presented Ill. Bro Thomas T. King the Grand Lodge 50 year award of Gold!

After getting a commitment from Ill. Bro. King to let the lodge hold a dinner for him when he gets his 75 yr. award, the EA degree work was completed in due form.

From all of New Haven Lodge #740, congratulations Ill. Bro King!



David Ferguson w/ Ben Bowman

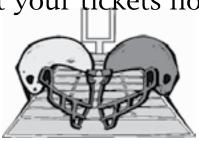


Tom King, PP w/ David Ferguson

Indiana - Purdue Game Bus Trip November 26th

Contact Ron Buskirk or Rudy Mahara for information and tickets!

Space is limited - get your tickets now!



Lost in the Desert



The Nobles listed have addresses that are listed as "undeliverable" or have had mail returned to the Mizpah Shrine Office. Your help is needed in updating these Membership records.

Please call the Mizpah Shrine office at 260-426-4543 if you have any information as to how to contact any of these Nobles.

NOBLE

William C Franke Raymond A Kerr James E Liechty 33 Roger W Sawyer OD Ollie Waid Jr Orvin J Whitenack John H Beer Gregory E Johnson

CITY, STATE

Sun City, AZ Bradenton, FL Kendallville, IN Naples, FL Punta Gorda, FL Portland, IN Milford, IN Huntertown, IN



Daughters of the Nile

AFTERNOON TEA @ FASHION SHOW

Saturday, August 6, 2016 @ 2:00 P.M.

To be held at **Messiah Lutheran Church** 7211 Stellhorn Rd Fort Wayne, IN 46805

Corner of Stellhorn Rd and Lehmeyer Rd

\$10.00 donation per ticket

Tickets Include: **High Tea Fare** Tea Sandwiches, Scones, Sweets, and Door Prizes

Enjoy Fashions by dressbarn

For tickets or more information Call

260-483-4226



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Chief Rabban Hal Harting and Lady Jennifer invite you to an Antigua Informational Meeting

When: Thursday, August 18, 2016

6:30 pm

Where: Mizpah Shrine Center

1015 A Memorial Way

Fort Wayne, Indiana 46805